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17	Plaintiff,	Hon. Gregory Alarcon Dept. 36		
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19 20	WEAVER LEATHER, LLC; and DOES 1 through 10, Inclusive,	[ <del>PROPOSE</del> D] CONSENT JUDGMENT AS TO WEAVER LEATHER, LLC		
21	Defendants.			
22		Action filed: March 15, 2017		
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## 1 || 1. INTRODUCTION

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2 1.1 The parties to this Consent Judgment are Shefa LMV, Inc. ("Shefa") and Weaver
3 Leather, LLC ("Settling Defendant") (collectively the "Parties").

1.2 The products covered by this Consent Judgment are leather, cotton, and nylon
products with brass fittings manufactured, distributed and/or sold by Settling Defendant that
contain lead and or lead compounds ("Lead" or "Pb"), including but not limited to Leather
Steady Tab Lead, <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>" x 6"; UPC 793721101063 ("Covered Products").

8 1.3 On or about August 2, 2016, Shefa mailed a 60-Day Notice of Violation under
9 Proposition 65 (The Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986, Health & Safety
10 Code §§ 25249.5, *et seq.*) ("Notice") to Settling Defendant, the California Attorney General, the
11 District Attorneys of every County in the State of California, and the City Attorneys for every
12 City in the State of California with a population greater than 750,000.

13 1.4 The Notice alleges violations of Proposition 65 with respect to the presence of
14 Lead in certain of the Covered Products sold, distributed and/or manufactured by Settling
15 Defendant.

16 1.5 On or about March 15, 2017, Shefa filed the Complaint in the instant matter
17 ("Complaint") alleging Proposition 65 violations as to the Covered Products sold in California
18 by Settling Defendant.

19 1.6 Settling Defendant denies the claims of alleged violations asserted against it in
20 the Complaint and denies that it has any liability under Proposition 65.

1.7 For purposes of this Consent Judgment only, the Parties stipulate that: (i) this
Court has jurisdiction over the allegations of violations contained in the operative Complaint
applicable to Settling Defendant and personal jurisdiction over Settling Defendant as to the acts
alleged in the Complaint; (ii) venue is proper in the County of Los Angeles; and (iii) this Court
has jurisdiction to enter this Consent Judgment.

1.8 Nothing in this Consent Judgment is or shall be construed as an admission by the
Parties of any fact, conclusion of law, issue of law, or violation of law, nor shall compliance with

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the Consent Judgment constitute or be construed as an admission by the Parties of any fact,
conclusion of law, issue of law, or violation of law.

3 1.9 Nothing in this Consent Judgment shall prejudice, waive, or impair any right,
4 remedy, argument, or defense the Parties may have in any other legal proceeding.

5 1.10 This Consent Judgment is the product of negotiation and compromise and is
6 accepted by the Parties for purposes of settling, compromising, and resolving issues disputed in
7 this action.

8 1.11 The term "Effective Date" means the date on which this Consent Judgment is
9 approved and entered by the Court.

10 1.12 Shefa shall file a dismissal as to the entire case within (thirty) 30 days after entry
11 of this Consent Judgment.

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## 2. INJUNCTIVE RELIEF

13 2.1 Warning Requirement. Warnings in accordance with Section 2.2 shall be given 14 for Covered Products containing lead (Pb) that are manufactured ninety (90) days after the 15 Effective Date that Settling Defendant sells in California, markets or distributes for sale in California, or offers for sale to a third party for retail sale in California. For purposes of Section 16 2 and this entire Consent Judgment, Covered Products will not be considered to "contain lead 17 18 (Pb)" if they are manufactured using low lead brass<sup>1</sup> or brass that contains zero amounts of lead. 19 2.2 Proposition 65 Warnings. Covered Products are compliant with Proposition 20 65 and this Consent Judgment if warnings are provided on the product label or packaging in 21 accordance with Sections 2.3 and 2.4.

22 2.3 Product Labeling. Warnings that are affixed to the packaging, labeling, or
23 directly on each Covered Product sold at retail in California, shall state:

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<sup>1</sup> Brass alloy containing 0.25% or less lead is known as "low lead" brass, as opposed to the more typical alloy which contains 5% lead.

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# **CALIFORNIA PROPOSITION 65 WARNING:**

2 WARNING: This product contains lead, a chemical known to the State of California to
3 cause cancer and birth defects or other reproductive harm.

2.4 4 Warning Placement. Each warning shall be prominently placed with such 5 conspicuousness as compared with other words, statements, designs, or devices as to render it 6 likely to be read and understood by an ordinary individual under customary conditions of 7 purchase or use. The warning must be at least the same size as the largest of any other health or 8 safety warnings appearing on the product label, as applicable, of such product. To the extent any subsequent revisions to Proposition 65 or its implementing regulations require additional or 9 different warning language, Settling Defendant may revise the above warning to comply with 10 11 such new law or regulations.

12 2.5 Sell Through Period. Settling Defendant will have six (6) months from the
13 Effective Date sell any inventory of Covered Products that does not comply with the warning
14 requirements above.

- 15 3. SETTLEMENT PAYMENTS
  - 3.1 Payment from Defendant. Within ten (10) business days of the EffectiveDate, Defendant shall make the Total Settlement Payment of \$25,000.00
  - 3.2 Allocation of Payments. The Total Settlement Payment shall be paid in three(3) separate checks made payable and allocated as follows:

20 Civil Penalty. Defendant shall pay \$2,500.00 as a civil penalty 3.2.1 21 pursuant to Health & Safety Code § 25249.7(b). The civil penalty 22 shall be apportioned in accordance with Health & Safety Code § 23 25249.12 (25% to Shefa and 75% to the State of California's Office of 24 Environmental Health Hazard Assessment ("OEHHA")). 25 Accordingly, the OEHHA portion of the civil penalty payment in the amount of \$1,875.00 shall be made payable to OEHHA and associated 26

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1	with taxpayer identification number 68-0284486. This payment shall
2	be delivered as follows:
3	For United States Postal Service Delivery: Attn: Mike Gyurics
4	Fiscal Operations Branch Chief
5	Office of Environmental Health Hazard Assessment P.O. Box 4010, MS #19B
6	Sacramento, CA 95812-4010
7	For Non-United States Postal Service Delivery:
8	Attn: Mike Gyurics Fiscal Operations Branch Chief
9	Office of Environmental Health Hazard Assessment 1001 I Street, MS #19B
10	Sacramento, CA 95814
11	The Shefa portion of the civil penalty payment in the amount of
12	\$625.00 shall be made payable to Shefa LMV, Inc. and associated with
13	taxpayer identification number 81-0907002. This payment shall be delivered
14	to the Law Office of Daniel N. Greenbaum, 7120 Hayvenhurst Ave, Suite
15	320, Van Nuys, CA 91406.
16	3.2.2 Attorneys' fees and Costs. A reimbursement of Shefa's attorney's fees
17	and costs in the amount of \$22,500.00 payable to the "Law Office of
18	Daniel N. Greenbaum," and associated with taxpayer identification
19	number 46-4580172. This payment shall be delivered to the Law Office
20	of Daniel N. Greenbaum, 7120 Hayvenhurst Ave, Suite 320, Van Nuys,
21	CA 91406.
22	4. CLAIMS COVERED AND RELEASED
23	4.1 Full and Binding Resolution of Proposition 65 Allegations: This Consent
24	Judgment is a full, final, and binding resolution between:
25	(i) Shefa on behalf of itself and the public interest; and
26	(ii) Settling Defendant and its affiliates ("affiliate"" means a person or entity who
27	directly or indirectly owns or controls, is owned or controlled by, or is under common ownership
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or control with, Settling Defendant), former affiliates, and its current and past directors, officers, 1 2 shareholders, employees and attorneys ("Defendant Releasees"), and each entity to whom (or 3 from whom) any of them directly or indirectly distribute, receive for distribution and/or sell Covered Products, including but not limited to distributors, wholesalers, customers, retailers 4 (including, but not limited to, Amazon.com, Inc.), franchisees, cooperative members, licensors, 5 and licensees ("Distributor Releasees"); of any violation of Proposition 65 that was or could 6 have been asserted in the Complaint against Settling Defendant, Defendant Releasees, and 7 Distributor Releasees, based on failure to warn about alleged exposure to lead contained in 8 Covered Products shipped, distributed or sold by Settling Defendant prior to ninety (90) days 9 after the Effective Date. 10

Individual Release: Shefa, on behalf of itself, its past and current agents, 11 4.2 representatives, attorneys, and successors and/or assignees, and not in its representative 12 capacity, hereby provides a release that shall be effective as a full and final accord and 13 satisfaction, as a bar to all Claims under Proposition 65, Bus. & Prof. Code §§ 17200 et seq., or 14 15 any other statutory or common law, that are or may be asserted against Settling Defendant, Defendant Releasees, and Distributor Releasees, whether known or unknown, suspected or 16 unsuspected, arising out of alleged exposures to, and/or failure to warn of alleged exposures to, 17 lead in Covered Products shipped, distributed or sold by Settling Defendant and that were 18 manufactured less than ninety (90) days after the Effective Date. 19

General Release: It is possible that other Claims not known to the Parties arising 20 4.3 out of the facts alleged in the Notice or the Complaint will develop or be discovered. Shefa, on 21 behalf of itself, its past and current agents, representatives, attorneys, and successors and/or 22 assigns, and **not** in its representative capacity, acknowledges that this Consent Judgment is 23 expressly intended to cover and include all such Claims, including all rights of action therefor. 24 Shefa has full knowledge of the contents of Civil Code § 1542. Shefa acknowledges that the 25 26 Claims released in Sections 4.1 and 4.2 include unknown Claims, and Shefa nevertheless waives 27 Civil Code § 1542 as to any such unknown Claims. Civil Code § 1542 reads as follows: Page 6 28

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1 2 3	THE CREDITOR DOES NOT KNOW OR SUSPECT TO EXIST IN HIS OR HER FAVOR AT THE TIME OF EXECUTING THE RELEASE, WHICH IF KNOWN BY HIM OR HER MUST HAVE MATERIALLY AFFECTED HIS OR HER SETTLEMENT WITH THE DEBTOR.			
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5	successors and/or assignees, and <b>not</b> in its representative capacity, acknowledges and			
6	understands the significance and consequences of this specific waiver of Civil Code § 1542.			
7	4.4 Compliance with the terms of this Consent Judgment by Settling Defendant shall			
8	constitute compliance with Proposition 65 by Settling Defendant, Defendant Releasees, and			
9	Distributor Releasees with respect to any alleged failure to warn about lead in Covered Products			
10	that were distributed or sold by Settling Defendant and that were manufactured more than ninety			
11	(90) days after the Effective Date.			
12	4.5 Nothing in this Section 4 affects Shefa's right to commence or prosecute an action			
13	under Proposition 65 against any person other than Settling Defendant, Defendant Releasees, or			
14	Distributor Releasees.			
15	5. ENFORCEMENT			
16	5.1 The Parties may, by motion or application for an order to show cause before the			
17	Superior Court of Los Angeles County, enforce the terms and conditions contained in this			
18	Consent Judgment.			
19	5.2 Prior to bringing any motion or application to enforce the requirements of Section			
20	2 above, Shefa shall provide Settling Defendant with a Notice of Violation and proof of purchase			
21	and a copy of any test results which purportedly support the Notice of Violation.			
22	5.3 The Parties shall then meet and confer regarding the basis for the anticipated			
23	motion or application in an attempt to resolve it informally, including providing Settling			
24	Defendant with a reasonable opportunity of at least thirty (30) days to cure any alleged violation.			
25	5.4 Should such attempts at informal resolution fail, Shefa may file an enforcement			
26	motion or application.			
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1	1 6. ATTORNEYS' FEES			
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	each Party shall bear its			
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4	6.2 Nothing in this Section 6 shall preclude a Party from seeking an award of			
5	sanctions pursuant to law.			
6	7. NOTICE			
7	7.1 When Shefa is entitled to receive any notice under this Consent Judgment, the			
8	notice shall be sent by first class and electronic mail to:			
9	Daniel N. Greenbaum			
10	Law Office of Daniel N. Greenbaum			
11	7120 Hayvenhurst Ave., Suite 320 Van Nuys CA 91406			
12	dgreenbaum@greenbaumlawfirm.com			
13	7.2 When Settling Defendant is entitled to receive any notice under this Consent			
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15	Edward N. Boehm, Esq.			
16	MILLER & MARTIN PLLC			
17	832 Georgia Ave. Volunteer Building, Suite 1200 Chattanaan TDI 27102			
18	Chattanooga TN 37402 Email: Ned.Boehm@millermartin.com			
19	7.3 Any Party may modify the person and address to whom the notice is to be sent by			
20	sending the other Party notice by electronic mail.			
21	8. MODIFICATION			
22	8.1 Written Consent. This Consent Judgment may be modified from time to time by			
23	express written agreement of the Parties with the approval of the Court, or by an order of this			
24	Court upon motion and in accordance with law.			
25	8.2 Meet and Confer. Any Party seeking to modify this Consent Judgment shall			
26	attempt in good faith to meet and confer with all affected Parties prior to filing a motion to			
27	modify the Consent Judgment.			
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1	9. COMPLIANCE WITH HEALTH AND SAFETY CODE § 25249.7(f)			
2	9.1 Shefa agrees to comply with the reporting form requirements referenced in H			
3	and Safety Code § 25249.7(f).			
4	10. COURT APPROVAL			
5	10.1 This Consent Judgment shall become effective upon entry by the Court.			
6	10.2 The Parties acknowledge that, pursuant to Health & Safety Code § 25249.7, a			
7	noticed motion is required to obtain judicial approval of this Consent Judgment. Shefa shall			
8	prepare and file such motion, and Settling Defendant shall not oppose it.			
9	10.3 If this Consent Judgment is not entered by the Court, it shall be of no force or			
10	effect and shall never be introduced into evidence or otherwise used in any proceeding for any			
11	purpose other than to allow the Court to determine if there was a material breach of Section 10.2.			
12	11. OTHER TERMS			
13	11.1 The terms of this Consent Judgment shall be governed by the laws of the State of			
14	California.			
15	11.2 This Consent Judgment shall apply to and be binding upon Shefa, Settling			
16	Defendant, its affiliates, and successors or assigns of any of them.			
17	11.3 This Consent Judgment contains the sole and entire agreement and understanding			
18	of the Parties with respect to the entire subject matter hereof, and any and all prior discussions,			
19	negotiations, commitments, or understandings related thereto, if any, are hereby merged herein			
20	and therein.			
21	11.4 There are no warranties, representations, or other agreements between the Parties			
22	except as expressly set forth herein.			
23	11.5 No representations, oral or otherwise, express or implied, other than those			
24	specifically referred to in this Consent Judgment have been made by any Party hereto.			
25	11.6 This Court shall retain jurisdiction of this matter to implement or modify the			
26	Consent Judgment.			
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1 11.7 The stipulations to this Consent Judgment may be executed in counterparts and
 2 by means of facsimile or portable document format (pdf), which taken together shall be deemed
 3 to constitute one document.

4 11.8 Each signatory to this Consent Judgment certifies that he or she is fully
5 authorized by the Party he or she represents to stipulate to this Consent Judgment and to enter
6 into and execute the Consent Judgment on behalf of the Party represented and legally to bind
7 that Party.

8 11.9 The Parties, including their counsel, have participated in the preparation of this
9 Consent Judgment and this Consent Judgment is the result of the joint efforts of the Parties.

10 11.10 This Consent Judgment was subject to revision and modification by the Parties
11 and has been accepted and approved as to its final form by all Parties and their counsel.

12 11.11 Accordingly, any uncertainty or ambiguity existing in this Consent Judgment
13 shall not be interpreted against any Party as a result of the manner of the preparation of this
14 Consent Judgment.

15 11.12 Each Party to this Consent Judgment agrees that any statute or rule of
16 construction providing that ambiguities are to be resolved against the drafting Party should not
17 be employed in the interpretation of this Consent Judgment and, in this regard, the Parties hereby
18 waive Civil Code § 1654.

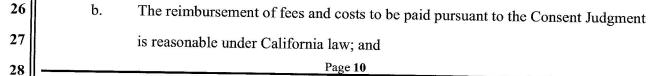
# 19 12. REQUEST FOR FINDINGS, APPROVAL OF SETTLEMENT AND ENTRY OF 20 CONSENT JUDGMENT

12.1 This Consent Judgment will be brought before this Court upon the request of the
Parties. The Parties request the Court to review this Consent Judgment and to make the
following findings pursuant to Health & Safety Code § 25249.7(f)(4):

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a. The injunctive relief required by the Consent Judgment complies with Health & Safety Code § 25249.7;



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The civil penalty amount to be paid pursuant to Consent Judgment is reasonable. c. AGREED TO: Dated: 04/18/2017 SHEFA LMV, LLC Thorne By: Dated: 4/13/2017 WEAVER LEATHER, LLC By: CIMA Carlos Mullet Chief Financial Officer Page 11 [PROPOSED] CONSENT JUDGMENT AS TO WEAVER LEATHER, LLC

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#### [PROPOSED] JUDGMENT

Please note that on \_\_\_\_\_, 2017 at \_\_\_\_\_, Plaintiff Shefa LMV Inc.'s ("Plaintiff") Motion for Court Approval of Settlement Agreement and Entry of Consent Judgment as to Defendant Weaver Leather LLC came for hearing before this Court in Department 36, the Honorable Gregory Alarcon presiding. Counsel for Plaintiff did [not] appear; counsel for Defendant did [not] appear.

After full consideration of the points and authorities and related pleadings submitted, the Court GRANTED Plaintiff's Motion pursuant to and in accordance with Health & Safety Code \$25249.7(f)(4). The Court reviewed the above Settlement Agreement and makes the following findings pursuant to Health & Safety Code \$25249.7(f)(4):

a. The injunctive relief required by the Settlement Agreement complies with Health & Safety Code § 25249.7;

b. The reimbursement of fees and costs to be paid pursuant to the Settlement Agreement is reasonable under California law; and

The civil penalty amount to be paid pursuant to Settlement Agreement is reasonable.

The Settlement Agreement is hereby approved, and the clerk is directed to ENTER JUDGMENT in accordance with the terms of the Settlement Agreement above.

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Date

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# GREGORY W. ALARCON

Judge of the Superior Court

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