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8 **BEFORE THE**
REGISTRAR OF CONTRACTORS
CONTRACTORS' STATE LICENSE BOARD
9 **DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS**
10 **STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

11 In the Matter of the Accusation Against:

Case No. N2014-298

12 **STRBAAK AIR SYSTEMS INC.,**
HEZEKIAH KAREEM GRAY, RMO
13 850 South Van Ness Ave., Ste 6
San Francisco, CA 94110
14 **Contractor's License No. 976603, B, C-20,**

A C C U S A T I O N

15 and,

16 **FREEWAY MECHANICAL, HEZEKIAH**
KAREEM GRAY, SOLE OWNER
17 P.O. Box 4954
Oakland, CA 94605
18 **Contractor's License 979656, B, C-20,**

19 Respondents,

20 **FREEWAY MECHANICAL, HEZEKIAH**
KAREEM GRAY, RMO
21 614 West Sunset Blvd.
Hayward, CA 94541
22 **Contractor's License 847932, B, C-20,**

23 **DENMULLER MECHANICAL, INC.,**
EMMANUEL CHIWETA DENCHUKWU,
24 **RMO**
P.O. Box 5067
25 Hercules, CA 94547
26 **Contractor's License No. 910979, C-20,**

27 and,

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1 **Q4 MECHANICAL CORPORATION,**
2 **EMMANUEL CHIWETA DENCHUKWU,**
3 **RMO/CEO/PRES.**

4 850 South Van Ness Avenue, Ste. 24
5 San Francisco, CA 94110

6 **Contractor's License No. 1006003, C-20,**

7 **Affiliated Licensees.**

8 Complainant alleges:

9 **PARTIES**

10 1. Wood Robinson (Complainant) brings this Accusation solely in his official capacity
11 as the Enforcement Supervisor I of the Contractors' State License Board, Department of
12 Consumer Affairs.

13 2. On or about September 13, 2012, the Registrar of Contractors issued Contractor's
14 License Number 976603, B, C-20, to Strbaak Air Systems, Inc., Hezekiah Kareem Gray, RMO
15 (Respondent Strbaak). The Contractor's License will expire on September 30, 2016, unless
16 renewed.

17 3. On or about December 19, 2012, the Registrar of Contractors issued Contractor's
18 License Number 979656, B, C-20, to Freeway Mechanical, Hezekiah Kareem Gray, Sole Owner
19 (Respondent New Freeway). The Contractor's License will expire on December 31, 2016, unless
20 renewed.

21 4. On or about October 7, 2004, the Registrar of Contractors issued Contractor's License
22 Number 847932, B, C-20, to Freeway Mechanical, Hezekiah Kareem Gray, Sole Owner
23 (Affiliated Old Freeway). The Contractor's License was reassigned to a corporation, with
24 Hezekiah Kareem Gray as RMO, on December 20, 2010. The Contractor's License was cancelled
25 on November 5, 2012.

26 5. On or about February 20, 2008, the Registrar of Contractors issued Contractor's
27 License Number 910979, C-20, to Denmuller Mechanical Inc., Emmanuel Chiweta Denchukwu,
28 RMO (Affiliated Denmuller). The license was cancelled on February 6, 2010.

6. On or about July 30, 2015, the Registrar of Contractors issued Contractor's License
Number 1006003, C-20, to Q4 Mechanical Corporation, Emmanuel Chiweta Denchukwu,

1 RMO/CEO/Pres. (Affiliated Q4). The license is in full force and effect and will expire on
2 October 31, 2017, unless renewed.

3 **PRIOR LICENSE**

4 7. On or about October 4, 2007, the Registrar of Contractors issued Contractor's License
5 Number 904376, C-20, to Superhall Mechanical Inc., Hezekiah Kareem Gray, RMO; Vivian
6 Obiageli Denchukwu, Officer; Emmanuel Chiweta Denchukwu, Officer (Prior Licensee
7 Superhall). All personnel of record have since disassociated. The Contractor's License was
8 cancelled under suspensions on October 1, 2013.

9 **JURISDICTION**

10 8. This Accusation is brought before the Registrar of Contractors (Registrar) for the
11 Contractors' State License Board, Department of Consumer Affairs, under the authority of the
12 following laws. All section references are to the Business and Professions Code (Code) unless
13 otherwise indicated.

14 9. Section 7090 of the Code provides, in pertinent part, that the Registrar may suspend
15 or revoke any license or registration if the licensee or registrant is guilty of or commits any one or
16 more of the acts or omissions constituting cause for disciplinary action.

17 10. Section 7106.5 of the Code provides, in pertinent part, that the expiration,
18 cancellation, forfeiture, or suspension of a license by operation of law or by order or decision of
19 the registrar, or a court of law, or the voluntary surrender of the license shall not deprive the
20 registrar of jurisdiction to proceed with any investigation of or action or disciplinary proceeding
21 against the license, or to render a decision suspending or revoking the license.

22 11. Section 118(b) of the Code provides, in pertinent part, that the expiration of a license
23 shall not deprive the Registrar of jurisdiction to proceed with a disciplinary action during the
24 period within which the license may be renewed, restored, reissued or reinstated. Under Code
25 section 7076.1, the Registrar may reinstate a cancelled license if the licensee pays all of the fees
26 and meets all of the qualifications and requirements for obtaining an original license.

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1 associate, or otherwise, of an unlicensed person with the intent to evade the provisions of this
2 chapter constitutes a cause for disciplinary action.

3 "(b) A licensee who is found by the registrar to have violated subdivision (a) shall, in
4 accordance with the provisions of this article, be subject to the registrar's authority to order
5 payment of a specified sum to an injured party, including, but not limited to, payment for any
6 injury resulting from the acts of the unlicensed person."

7 17. Section 7115 of the Code provides, in pertinent part, that failure in any material
8 respect to comply with the provisions of the Contractors' State License Law (Business and
9 Professions Code, § 7000, et seq.), or any rule or regulation adopted pursuant to this chapter,
10 constitutes a cause for disciplinary action.

11 18. Section 7117 of the Code states that "[a]cting in the capacity of a contractor under any
12 license issued hereunder except: (a) in the name of the licensee as set forth upon the license, or (b)
13 in accordance with the personnel of the licensee as set forth in the application for such license, or
14 as later changed as provided in this chapter [the Contractors' License Law], constitutes a cause for
15 disciplinary action."

16 19. Section 7117.5 of the Code states:

17 "(a) Acting in the capacity of a contractor under any license which has been made inactive,
18 as provided in Section 7076.5, constitutes a cause for disciplinary action.

19 "(b) Acting in the capacity of a contractor under any license that has been suspended for any
20 reason constitutes a cause for disciplinary action.

21 "(c) Acting in the capacity of a contractor under any license that has expired constitutes a
22 cause for disciplinary action if the license is subject to renewal pursuant to Section 7141. The
23 actions authorized under this section shall be separate from, and in addition to, all other remedies
24 either civil or criminal."

25 20. Section 7121 of the Code states:

26 "A person who has been denied a license for a reason other than failure to document
27 sufficient satisfactory experience for a supplemental classification for an existing license, or who
28 has had his or her license revoked, or whose license is under suspension, or who has failed to

1 renew his or her license while it was under suspension, or who has been a partner, officer,
2 director, manager, or associate of any partnership, corporation, limited liability company, firm, or
3 association whose application for a license has been denied for a reason other than failure to
4 document sufficient satisfactory experience for a supplemental classification for an existing
5 license, or whose license has been revoked, or whose license is under suspension, or who has
6 failed to renew a license while it was under suspension, and while acting as a partner, officer,
7 director, manager, or associate had knowledge of or participated in any of the prohibited acts for
8 which the license was denied, suspended, or revoked, shall be prohibited from serving as an
9 officer, director, associate, partner, manager, qualifying individual, or member of the personnel of
10 record of a licensee, and the employment, election, or association of this type of person by a
11 licensee in any capacity other than as a nonsupervising bona fide employee shall constitute
12 grounds for disciplinary action."

13 21. Section 7121.5 of the Code states:

14 "A person who was the qualifying individual on a revoked license, or of a license under
15 suspension, or of a license that was not renewed while it was under suspension, shall be
16 prohibited from serving as an officer, director, associate, manager, or qualifying individual of a
17 licensee, whether or not the individual had knowledge of or participated in the prohibited acts or
18 omissions for which the license was revoked, or suspended, and the employment, election, or
19 association of that person by a licensee shall constitute grounds for disciplinary action."

20 22. Section 7145.5 of the Code states, in pertinent part:

21 "(a) The registrar may refuse to issue, reinstate, reactivate, or renew a license or may
22 suspend a license for the failure of the licensee to resolve all outstanding final liabilities, which
23 include taxes, additions to tax, penalties, interest, and any fees that may be assessed by the board,
24 the Department of Industrial Relations, the Employment Development Department, the Franchise
25 Tax Board, or the State Board of Equalization.

26 "(1) Until the debts covered by this section are satisfied, the qualifying person and any other
27 personnel of record named on a license that has been suspended under this section shall be
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1 prohibited from serving in any capacity that is subject to licensure under this chapter, but shall be
2 permitted to act in the capacity of a nonsupervising bona fide employee.

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4 **BACKGROUND**

5 **A. Prior Licensee Superhall**

6 23. Hezekiah Kareem Gray (Gray), Vivian Obiageli Denchukwu (Vivian), and Emmanuel
7 Chiweta Denchukwu (Emmanuel) applied for and were issued the contractor's license for Prior
8 Licensee Superhall in 2007. Gray disassociated from the license that same year, leaving
9 Emmanuel (as RMO) and Vivian (as Officer) to continue operating Prior Licensee Superhall over
10 the next four years.

11 24. Effective July 30, 2011, Prior Licensee Superhall's bond company cancelled its bond.
12 The Registrar suspended the license for Prior Licensee Superhall on that ground, effective July
13 30, 2011.

14 25. On October 6, 2011, a civil judgment against Prior Licensee Superhall was entered in
15 the United States District Court for the Northern District of California, in the case entitled *Board*
16 *of Trustees of the Sheet Metal Workers Health Care Plan of Northern California v. Superhall*
17 *Mechanical, Inc.*, No. C-10-2212. The judgment was not paid.

18 26. Following the judgment, bond cancellation, and bond-related license suspension,
19 Vivian disassociated from Prior Licensee Superhall, effective October 15, 2011.¹

20 27. Thereafter, the Registrar added the unpaid judgment as an additional ground for
21 license suspension against Prior Licensee Superhall. A wave of additional, unpaid judgments
22 against Prior Licensee Superhall followed, in amounts totaling nearly \$1 Million. The Registrar
23 added each of these unpaid judgments as additional causes for suspension of the license.

24 28. Ultimately, on June 15, 2014, Emmanuel disassociated from Prior Licensee Superhall,
25 and the license was thereafter cancelled under suspensions.

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27 ¹ The Disassociation Request was filed December 23, 2011, with the effective date
28 retroactive to October 15, 2011.

1 **B. Gray's License Applications, Unpaid Judgment, and Related Suspension**

2 29. In the meantime, Gray operated under the Affiliated Old Freeway license.

3 30. On August 16, 2011, the Labor Commissioner obtained a judgment against Affiliated
4 Old Freeway, in the amount of \$12,787.25. The judgment was not paid.

5 31. Gray then applied for a new license, for what would become Respondent Strbaak. On
6 April 15, 2012, Gray signed the licensure application, certifying under penalty of perjury that all
7 "statements, answers, and representations made in this application, including all supplementary
8 statements attached hereto, are true and accurate."

9 32. Gray checked the box for "No" with respect to the question: "To the best of your
10 knowledge, is anyone listed on this application (or any company the person is or was a part of, or
11 any immediate family member of the applicant) named in or responsible for any entered and
12 unsatisfied judgments, liens, and/or claims against any bond or cash deposit pertaining to a
13 construction project?"

14 33. On September 13, 2012, the Registrar issued the license for Respondent Strbaak.

15 34. Gray then applied for another new license, this time for Respondent New Freeway.
16 On September 18, 2012, Gray signed the licensure application, certifying under penalty of perjury
17 that all "statements, answers, and representations made in this application, including all
18 supplementary statements attached hereto, are true and accurate."

19 35. Gray again checked the box for "No" with respect to the question: "To the best of
20 your knowledge, is anyone listed on this application (or any company the person is or was a part
21 of, or any immediate family member of the applicant) named in or responsible for any entered and
22 unsatisfied judgments, liens, and/or claims against any bond or cash deposit pertaining to a
23 construction project?"

24 36. On November 5, 2012, while the application for Respondent New Freeway was
25 pending, Gray cancelled the license for Affiliated Old Freeway.

26 37. On December 19, 2012, the Registrar issued the license for Respondent New
27 Freeway.

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1 38. On June 20, 2013, the Registrar sent Respondent New Freeway and Respondent
2 Strbaak notices. The notices stated that the Contractors' State License Board had learned about
3 the Labor Commissioner's outstanding judgment against Affiliated Old Freeway. The Registrar
4 informed Gray, who was the qualifier for Affiliated Old Freeway, Respondent New Freeway, and
5 Respondent Strbaak, that if proof of satisfaction of the liability against Affiliated Old Freeway
6 was not received by August 20, 2013, Gray's other two licenses (Respondent New Freeway and
7 Respondent Strbaak) would be suspended.

8 39. On August 20, 2013, the Registrar suspended the licenses of Respondent New
9 Freeway and Respondent Strbaak.

10 40. On August 27, 2013, the Registrar received proof that Gray had entered a payment
11 plan to pay off the Labor Commissioner's judgment. The Registrar lifted the suspensions that
12 same day.

13 41. During the 7-day suspension, Respondent Strbaak continued work on a construction
14 project at Finley Senior Center in Santa Rosa, California.

15 **C. Emmanuel, Vivian, and Respondent Strbaak**

16 42. After the Registrar issued the license for Respondent Strbaak, Gray placed Emmanuel
17 in charge of running its operations. Emmanuel negotiated and executed, for example, the contract
18 for Respondent Strbaak's work on the Finley Senior Center in Santa Rosa, California. Emmanuel
19 signed that contract as "VP" of Respondent Strbaak.

20 43. Gray also hired Vivian as the Secretary and office manager of Respondent Strbaak.
21 Gray took the approach that Emmanuel and Vivian would handle commercial construction using
22 the Respondent Strbaak license, and Gray would handle residential construction using the
23 Respondent New Freeway license.

24 44. Respondent Strbaak did not notify the Contractors' State License Board that
25 Emmanuel and Vivian were now officers of -- and running the operations of -- Respondent
26 Strbaak. Indeed, their employment other than as bona fide nonsupervisory employees was
27 prohibited, due to their history with Prior Licensee Superhall.

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1 **COSTS AND RESTITUTION**

2 45. Section 125.3 of the Code provides, in pertinent part, that the Registrar may request
3 the administrative law judge to direct a licentiate found to have committed a violation or
4 violations of the licensing act to pay a sum not to exceed the reasonable costs of the investigation
5 and enforcement of the case.

6 46. Section 11519(d) of the Government Code provides, in pertinent part, that the
7 Registrar may require restitution of damages suffered as a condition of probation in the event
8 probation is ordered.

9 **FIRST CAUSE FOR DISCIPLINE**

10 **AGAINST RESPONDENT STRBAAK**

11 **(Omission or Misrepresentation on Application)**

12 47. Respondent Strbaak is subject to disciplinary action under Code section 7112 in that
13 Gray omitted or misrepresented a material fact in the application for licensure for Respondent
14 Strbaak. The circumstances are described above in "Background."

15 **SECOND CAUSE FOR DISCIPLINE**

16 **AGAINST RESPONDENT NEW FREEWAY**

17 **(Omission or Misrepresentation on Application)**

18 48. Respondent New Freeway is subject to disciplinary action under Code section 7112 in
19 that Gray omitted or misrepresented a material fact in the application for licensure for Respondent
20 New Freeway. The circumstances are described above in "Background."

21 **THIRD CAUSE FOR DISCIPLINE**

22 **AGAINST RESPONDENT STRBAAK**

23 **(Acting as Contractor During Period of Suspension)**

24 49. Respondent Strbaak is subject to disciplinary action under Code section 7117.5(b) in
25 that Respondent Strbaak acted in the capacity of a contractor under a license that had been
26 suspended. Specifically, Respondent Strbaak continued working on the project at Finley Senior
27 Center in Santa Rosa, California, from August 20-27, 2013, while the license was suspended.
28 The circumstances are more fully described above in "Background."

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FOURTH CAUSE FOR DISCIPLINE

AGAINST RESPONDENT STRBAAK

(Improper Employment -- Unpaid Liability)

50. Respondent Strbaak is subject to disciplinary action under Code sections 7145.5(a)(1) and 7115 in that Respondent Strbaak employed, in a capacity other than as a "nonsupervising bona fide employee," the qualified person of a licensee suspended for failure to pay an outstanding final liability. Specifically, Respondent Strbaak permitted Emmanuel to run the operations of, and/or to act as an officer of, Respondent Strbaak. Emmanuel was the qualifier for Prior Licensee Superhall, which license had been suspended for failure to pay multiple outstanding final liabilities. The circumstances are more fully described above in "Background."

FIFTH CAUSE FOR DISCIPLINE

AGAINST RESPONDENT STRBAAK

(Improper Employment -- Suspended Qualifier)

51. Respondent Strbaak is subject to discipline under Code sections 7121 and/or 7121.5 in that Respondent Strbaak employed Emmanuel in a capacity other than as a "nonsupervising bona fide employee." Emmanuel was the qualifying individual for Prior Licensee Superhall, which license was under suspension for various reasons. The circumstances are more fully described above in "Background."

SIXTH CAUSE FOR DISCIPLINE

AGAINST RESPONDENT STRBAAK

(Personnel Variation)

52. Respondent Strbaak is subject to disciplinary action under Code section 7117(b) in that Respondent Strbaak acted in the capacity of a contractor other than in accordance with the personnel of the record on the license as reported to the Contractors' State License Board. Specifically, Respondent Strbaak operated (A) with Emmanuel as VP and in charge of the operations of Respondent Strbaak, and/or (B) with Vivian as the Secretary. Neither Emmanuel nor Vivian were listed as personnel of record for Respondent Strbaak. The circumstances are more fully described above in "Background."

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SEVENTH CAUSE FOR DISCIPLINE

AGAINST RESPONDENT STRBAAK

(Aiding and Abetting Unlicensed Activity)

53. Respondent Strbaak is subject to disciplinary action under Code section 7114 in that Gray aided or abetted Emmanuel and/or Vivian to evade the provisions of the Contractor's Law, and/or combined with Emmanuel and/or Vivian, and/or allowed Emmanuel and/or Vivian to use Gray's license. Specifically, Gray permitted Emmanuel and Vivian to run and manage the operations of Respondent Strbaak. The circumstances are more fully described above in "Background."

EIGHTH CAUSE FOR DISCIPLINE

AGAINST RESPONDENT STRBAAK

(Improper Employment -- Officer of Suspended Licensee)

54. Respondent Strbaak is subject to disciplinary action under Code section 7121 in that Respondent Strbaak employed Vivian other than as a nonsupervising bona fide employee. Vivian had been an officer of Prior Licensee Superhall when its license was initially suspended, and the license remained under suspension until its cancellation. The circumstances are more fully described above in "Background."

NINTH CAUSE FOR DISCIPLINE

AGAINST RESPONDENT STRBAAK

(Failure to Notify Registrar of Change in Personnel)

55. Respondent Strbaak is subject to disciplinary action under Code section 7083 in that Respondent Strbaak failed to notify the Registrar within 90 days of a change to information recorded with the Registrar. Specifically, Respondent Strbaak failed to notify the Registrar within 90 days of the change in personnel to include (A) Emmanuel and/or (B) Vivian, as officers. The circumstances are more fully described above in "Background."

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OTHER MATTERS

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2 56. Pursuant to sections 7097 and 7098 of the Code, if license number 976603, B, C-20,
3 issued to Respondent Strbaak is suspended or revoked, the Registrar may suspend or revoke,
4 without notice, any other license issued in the name of Gray or for which Gray furnished the
5 qualifying experience and appearance.

6 57. Pursuant to sections 7097 and 7098 of the Code, if license number 979656, B, C-20,
7 issued to Respondent New Freeway is suspended or revoked, the Registrar may suspend or
8 revoke, without notice, any other license issued in the name of Gray or for which Gray furnished
9 the qualifying experience and appearance.

10 58. Pursuant to Sections 7121 and/or 7121.5 of the Code, if discipline is imposed on
11 license number 976603, B, C-20, issued to Respondent Strbaak, Gray shall be prohibited from
12 serving as an officer, director, associate, partner, manager, or qualifying individual of any licensee
13 during the time the discipline is imposed, whether or not he had knowledge or participated in the
14 acts or omissions constituting grounds for discipline, and any licensee which employs, elects, or
15 associates Gray shall be subject to disciplinary action.

16 59. Pursuant to Sections 7121 and/or 7121.5 of the Code, if discipline is imposed on
17 license number 979656, B, C-20, issued to Respondent New Freeway, Gray shall be prohibited
18 from serving as an officer, director, associate, partner, manager, or qualifying individual of any
19 licensee during the time the discipline is imposed, whether or not he had knowledge or
20 participated in the acts or omissions constituting grounds for discipline, and any licensee which
21 employs, elects, or associates Gray shall be subject to disciplinary action.

22 60. Emmanuel, while serving as Vice President and/or a manager of Respondent Strbaak,
23 had knowledge of or participated in the acts or omissions which constitute cause for discipline
24 against Respondent Strbaak.

25 61. Pursuant to section 7121 of the Code, if discipline is imposed on license number
26 976603, B, C-20, issued to Respondent Strbaak, Emmanuel shall be prohibited from serving as an
27 officer, director, associate, partner, manager, or qualifying individual, or member of the personnel
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1 of record of a licensee of any licensee during the time the discipline is imposed, and any licensee
2 which employs, elects, or associates Emmanuel shall be subject to disciplinary action.

3 62. Vivian, while serving as Secretary and/or a manager of Respondent Strbaak, had
4 knowledge of or participated in the acts or omissions which constitute cause for discipline against
5 Respondent Strbaak.

6 63. Pursuant to section 7121 of the Code, if discipline is imposed on license number
7 976603, B, C-20, issued to Respondent Strbaak, Vivian shall be prohibited from serving as an
8 officer, director, associate, partner, manager, or qualifying individual, or member of the personnel
9 of record of a licensee of any licensee during the time the discipline is imposed, and any licensee
10 which employs, elects, or associates Vivian shall be subject to disciplinary action.

11 64. Pursuant to Section 7122.5 of the Code, the causes for discipline established as to
12 Respondent Strbaak likewise constitutes cause for discipline against Respondent New Freeway,
13 regardless of whether Gray had knowledge of or participated in the acts or omissions which
14 constitute cause for discipline against Respondent Strbaak.

15 65. Section 7095 of the Code provides, in pertinent part, that the Registrar in making his
16 order may:

17 (a) Provide for the immediate complete suspension by the licensee of all operations as a
18 contractor during the period fixed by the decision.

19 (b) Permit the licensee to complete any or all contracts shown by competent evidence taken
20 at the hearing to be then uncompleted.

21 (c) Impose upon the licensee compliance with such specific conditions as may be just in
22 connection with its operations as a contractor disclosed at the hearing, and may further provide
23 that until such conditions are complied with, no application for restoration of the suspended or
24 revoked licensee shall be accepted by the Registrar.

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1 PRAYER

2 WHEREFORE, Complainant requests that a hearing be held on the matters herein alleged,
3 and that following the hearing, the Registrar of Contractors issue a decision:

4 1. Revoking or suspending Contractor's License Number 976603, B, C-20, issued to
5 Strbaak Air Systems, Inc., Hezekiah Kareem Gray, RMO;

6 2. Revoking or suspending Contractor's License Number 979656, B, C-20, issued to
7 Freeway Mechanical, Hezekiah Kareem Gray, Sole Owner;

8 3. Revoking or suspending Contractor's License Number 847932, B, C-20, issued to
9 Freeway Mechanical, Hezekiah Kareem Gray, RMO;

10 4. Revoking or suspending Contractor's License Number 910979, C-20, issued to
11 Denmuller Mechanical Inc., Emmanuel Chiweta Denchukwu, RMO;

12 5. Revoking or suspending Contractor's License Number 1006003, C-20, issued to Q4
13 Mechanical Corporation, Emmanuel Chiweta Denchukwu, RMO/CEO/Pres.;

14 6. Revoking or suspending any other license for which Hezekiah Kareem Gray is
15 furnishing the qualifying experience or appearance;

16 7. Prohibiting Hezekiah Kareem Gray from serving as an officer, director, associate,
17 partner, or qualifying individual of any licensee during the period that discipline is imposed on
18 Contractor's License Number 976603, B, C-20, issued to Strbaak Air Systems, Inc., Hezekiah
19 Kareem Gray, RMO;

20 8. Prohibiting Hezekiah Kareem Gray from serving as an officer, director, associate,
21 partner, or qualifying individual of any licensee during the period that discipline is imposed on
22 Contractor's License Number 979656, B, C-20, issued to Freeway Mechanical, Hezekiah Kareem
23 Gray, Sole Owner;

24 9. Prohibiting Emmanuel Chiweta Denchukwu from serving as an officer, director,
25 associate, partner, or qualifying individual of any licensee during the period that discipline is
26 imposed on Contractor's License Number 976603, B, C-20, issued to Strbaak Air Systems, Inc.,
27 Hezekiah Kareem Gray, RMO;

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1 10. Prohibiting Vivian Obiageli Denchukwu from serving as an officer, director,
2 associate, partner, or qualifying individual of any licensee during the period that discipline is
3 imposed on Contractor's License Number 976603, B, C-20, issued to Strbaak Air Systems, Inc.,
4 Hezekiah Kareem Gray, RMO;

5 11. Ordering Strbaak Air Systems, Inc., Hezekiah Kareem Gray, RMO, to pay the
6 Registrar of Contractors her costs in the investigation and enforcement of the case according to
7 proof at the hearing, pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 125.3;

8 12. Ordering Freeway Mechanical, Hezekiah Kareem Gray, Sole Owner, to pay the
9 Registrar of Contractors her costs in the investigation and enforcement of the case according to
10 proof at the hearing, pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 125.3;

11 13. Ordering Strbaak Air Systems, Inc., Hezekiah Kareem Gray, RMO, to provide the
12 Registrar with a listing of all contracting projects in progress and the anticipated completion date
13 of each;

14 14. Ordering Freeway Mechanical, Hezekiah Kareem Gray, Sole Owner, to provide the
15 Registrar with a listing of all contracting projects in progress and the anticipated completion date
16 of each;

17 15. Ordering Q4 Mechanical Corporation, Emmanuel Chiweta Denchukwu,
18 RMO/CEO/Pres., to provide the Registrar with a listing of all contracting projects in progress and
19 the anticipated completion date of each;

20 16. Taking such other and further action as deemed necessary and proper.

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22 DATED: March 11, 2016

Heather Robinson

23 WOOD ROBINSON
24 Enforcement Supervisor I
25 Contractors' State License Board
26 Department of Consumer Affairs
27 State of California
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