## BEFORE THE REGISTRAR OF CONTRACTORS CONTRACTORS STATE LICENSE BOARD DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Accusation Against:

CASE NO. N2024-235

MULTITASKR CONSTRUCTION, INC. 2756 Catamaran Way Chula Vista. CA 91914

ORDER TO ADOPT DEFAULT DECISION

PATRICIO AMAYA-PADILLA, RMO

ISMAEL DEL PINO BERMEJO, OFFICER

[Gov. Code, § 11520]

**GUILLERMO ROBERTSON, OFFICER** 

JOSE FRAUSTO, UNDISCLOSED OFFICER

Contractor's License No. 1074209, B

Respondents.

The attached Default Decision is hereby adopted by the Registrar of Contractors as his Decision in the above-entitled matter.

Contractor's License Number 1074209 issued to MULTITASKR CONSTRUCTION INC is revoked.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that pursuant to Section 7102 of the Business and Professions Code and Section 870 of Title 16 of the California Code of Regulations, GUILLERMO ROBERTSON, ISMAEL DEL PINO BERMEJO, PATRICIO AMAYA-PADILLA and JOSE FRAUSTO shall not apply for reissuance or reinstatement of said license or any new license and/or registration, for <u>five</u> year(s) from the effective date of this decision.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that unless **PATRICIO AMAYA-PADILLA AND ISMAEL DEL PINO BERMEJO**, disassociates from **MAIN GROUP CONSTRUCTION INC**, on or before the effective date of this Decision, License Number **1028130** shall be revoked pursuant to and in accordance with Sections 7097 and 7098 of the Contractors' License Law.

Pursuant to Government Code section 11520, subdivision (c), Respondent may serve a written motion requesting that the Decision be vacated and stating the grounds relied on within seven (7) days after service of the Decision on Respondent. The agency in its discretion may vacate the Decision and grant a hearing on a showing of good cause, as defined in the statute.

This Decision shall become effective on June 16, 2025.

IT IS SO ORDERED May 16, 2025.

David Fogt Registr Registrar of Contractors

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13	MULTITASKR CONSTRUCTION, INC.	DEFAULT DECISION	
14	2756 Catamaran Way Chula Vista, CA 91914	[Gov. Code, § 11520]	
15	PATRICIO AMAYA-PADILLA, RMO		
16	ISMAEL DEL PINO BERMEJO, OFFICER		
17	GUILLERMO ROBERTSON, OFFICER		
18	JOSE FRAUSTO, UNDISCLOSED OFFICER		
19	Contractor License No. 1074209 (B Classif.)		
20	Respondents.		
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22	FINDINGS OF FACT		
23	1. On or about April 9, 2025, Accusation and Notice of Automatic License Suspension		
24	No. N2024-235 was filed against Multitaskr Construction, Inc., Patricio Amaya-Padilla, RMO;		
25	Ismael Del Pino Bermejo, Officer; Guillermo Robertson, Officer; Jose Frausto, Undisclosed		
26	Officer (Respondents); before the Registrar of Contractors (Registrar) for the Contractors' State		
27	License Board (Board). (Accusation attached as Exhibit A.)		
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- 2. On or about March 23, 2021, the Registrar issued Contractor License No. 1074209, Classification B (General Building Contractor) to Respondents. The Contractor License expired on March 31, 2025, and has not been renewed. This lapse in licensure, however, pursuant to Business and professions Code section 7106.5, does not deprive the Board of its authority to institute or continue this disciplinary proceeding.<sup>1</sup>
- 3. On or about April 10, 2025, Respondents were served by Certified and First Class Mail copies of the Accusation and Notice of Automatic License Suspension No. N2024-235, Statement to Respondent, Notice of Defense (2 copies), Request for Discovery, and Government Code sections 11507.5, 11507.6, and 11507.7) at Respondent Multitaskr Construction, Inc.'s address-of-record which, pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 136, is required to be reported and maintained with the Board. Respondent Corporation address of record was and is: 2576 Catamaran Way, Chula Vista, CA 91914.
- 4. Service of the Accusation was effective as a matter of law under the provisions of Government Code section 11505, subdivision (c), and/or Business and Professions Code section 124.
- 5. On April 21, 2025, all First-Class Mail copies to all Respondents were returned as undeliverable. On April 21 and 22, 2025, all Certified-Mail copies to all Respondents were returned as undeliverable.
  - 6. Government Code section 11506, subdivision (c), states, in part:

The respondent shall be entitled to a hearing on the merits if the respondent files a notice of defense ... and the notice shall be deemed a specific denial of all parts of the accusation ... not expressly admitted. Failure to file a notice of defense ... shall constitute a waiver of respondent's right to a hearing, but the agency in its discretion may nevertheless grant a hearing.

7. The Registrar takes official notice of the Board's records and the fact that the Secretary of State records reflect that effective February 3, 2025, Respondent Multitaskr Construction, Inc.'s corporate status is "Suspended – FTB," and that its powers, rights, and

With limited exceptions, a corporation is disqualified from exercising any right, power, or privilege while its corporate status is suspended. (Rev. & Tax Code, §§ 23301 & 23301.5; Cal-Western Services, Inc. v. Corning Capital Group (2013) 221 Cal.App.4th 304, 310; Timberline, Inc. v. Jaisinghani (1977) 54 Cal.App.4th 361, 1367.) Accordingly, during the period of suspension, and absent revivor, Respondent's license is invalid due to its lack of capacity and qualification to engage in licensed conduct.

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If the respondent either fails to file a notice of defense ... or to appear at the hearing, the agency may take action based upon the respondent's express admissions or upon other evidence and affidavits may be used as evidence without any notice to

- Pursuant to its authority under Government Code section 11520, the Registrar finds Respondent Multitaskr Construction, Inc. in default. The Registrar will take action without further hearing and, based on the relevant evidence contained in the Default Decision Investigatory Evidence Packet in this matter, as well as taking official notice of all the investigatory reports, exhibits and statements contained therein on file at the Board's offices regarding the allegations contained in Accusation and Notice of Automatic License Suspension No. N2024-235, finds that the charges and allegations in Accusation and Notice of Automatic License Suspension No. N2024-235, are separately and severally, found to be true and correct by
- The Registrar finds that the actual costs for investigation and prosecution are
- The Registrar finds that the loss to the Poway homeowners caused by the acts or omissions of Respondent is \$424,953.75.
- The Registrar finds that the loss to the San Marcos homeowners caused by the acts or omissions of Respondent is \$300,000.00.

## **DETERMINATION OF ISSUES**

- Based on the foregoing findings of fact, Respondent Multitaskr Construction, Inc.; Patricio Amaya-Padilla, RMO; Ismael Del Pino Bermejo, Officer; Guillermo Robertson, Officer; Jose Frausto, Officer; has subjected entity Contractor License No. 1074209 to discipline.
  - 2. The agency has jurisdiction to adjudicate this case by default.
- 3. The Registrar of Contractors is authorized to revoke Respondent's Multitaskr Construction, Inc.'s contractor license based upon the following violations alleged in the Accusation and Notice of Automatic License Suspension which are supported by the evidence

contained in the Default Decision Investigatory Evidence Packet in this case:

- a. Respondent Multitasker Construction, Inc.'s license is subject to automatic suspension under Section 7076.2, subdivision (a), because it failed to do business as a corporation in California while registered and in good standing with the Secretary of State. Respondent Multitaskr Construction, Inc.'s license shall be automatically suspended by operation of law thirty days from the date of this notice if it does not provide proof satisfactory to the Registrar that it is properly registered and in good standing with the Secretary of State.
- b. Respondent Multitaskr Construction, Inc. has subjected its contractor license to disciplinary action under Code section 7083, in that Respondent Multitaskr Construction, Inc. failed to notify the Registrar of changes in personnel of record in writing, within ninety days.
- c. Respondent Multitaskr Construction, Inc. has subjected its contractor license to disciplinary action under Code section 7076.2, subdivision (a), and section 7115, in that Respondent Multitaskr Construction, Inc. was not registered and was not in good standing with the Secretary of State while doing business as a corporation and was suspended by the Secretary of State as of February 3, 2025.

## **Poway Project:**

- d. Violation of Business and Profession Code 7107, in that Respondent Multitaskr Construction, Inc. abandoned the Poway project without legal excuse, failing to commence the project after receiving most or all of the \$424,953.75.
- e. Violation of Business and Professions Code section 7108, in that Respondent Multitaskr Construction, Inc. diverted or misapplied most or all of \$424,953.75 it received for the Poway Project from the homeowners.
- f. Violation of Business and Professions Code section 7111.1, in that Respondent Multitaskr Construction, Inc.'s officers failed to cooperate in the Board's investigation.
- g. Violation of Business and Professions Code section 7116, in that Respondent Multitaskr Construction, Inc. committed willful and fraudulent acts injuring the Poway Project homeowners when Respondent Multitaskr Construction, Inc. received most or all of \$424,953.75 from the homeowners but never began their project.

	h.	Violation of Business and Professions Code section 7117, subdivision (a), in that	
Resp	onden	Multitasker Construction, Inc. entered into the Poway Project contract under the	
namestyle Modern Market Technologies, Inc., dba Multitaskr, a Delaware corporation, when th			
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- i. Violation of Business and Professions Code section 7117, subdivision (b), in that Respondent Multitasker Construction, Inc. acted as a contractor for the Poway project with personnel not associated with the contractor license.
- j. Violation of Business and Professions Code section 7159.5, for failing to comply with the Home Improvement Contract Requirements by requesting and accepting an excessive down payment and excessive progress payments from the Poway Project homeowners.
- k. Violation of Business and Professions Code section 7161, subdivision (b), in that Respondent Multitaskr Construction, Inc. made substantial misrepresentations to the Poway Project homeowners in the procurement of the project contract.

## San Marcos Project:

- 1. Violation of Business and Professions Code section 7107, in that Respondent Multitaskr Construction, Inc. abandoned the San Marcos Project without legal excuse, and never commenced the project after receiving \$300,000.00 from the homeowners.
- m. Violation of Business and Professions Code section 7108, in that on the San Marcos Project, Respondent Multitaskr Construction, Inc. diverted or misapplied \$300,000.00 in funds received from the homeowners.
- n. Violation of Business and Professions Code section 7111.1, in that Respondent Multitaskr Construction, Inc.'s officers failed to cooperate in the Board's investigation of the San Marcos Project.
- o. Violation of Business and Professions Code section 7116, in that on the San Marcos Project, Respondent Multitaskr Construction, Inc. committed willful and fraudulent acts injuring the homeowners when Respondent Multitaskr Construction, Inc. received \$300,000.00 from the homeowners and never began the San Marcos Project.
  - p. Violation of Business and Professions Code section 7117, subdivision (a), in that

Respondent Multitasker Construction, Inc. entered into the San Marcos Project contract under the namestyle Modern Market Technologies, Inc., dba Multitaskr, when the contractor license is issued as Multitaskr Construction, Inc.

- q. Violation of Business and Professions Code section 7117, subdivision (b), in that on the San Marcos project, Respondent Multitasker Construction, Inc. acted as a contractor with personnel not listed on the contractor license application or later changed.
- r. Violation of Business and Professions Code section 7159.5, for failing to comply with the Home Improvement Contract Requirements by requesting and accepting an excessive down payment and excessive progress payments from the San Marcos Project homeowners.
- s. Violation of Business and Professions Code section 7161, subdivision (b), in that Respondent Multitaskr Construction, Inc. made substantial misrepresentations to the San Marcos Project homeowners in the procurement of the project contract.
- 4. Pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 7122.5, the performance by an individual, partnership, corporation, limited liability company, firm, or association of an act or omission constituting a cause for disciplinary action constitutes a cause for disciplinary action against a licensee who at the time that the act or omission occurred was the qualifying individual of that individual, partnership, corporation, limited liability company, firm, or association, whether or not he or she had knowledge of or participated in the prohibited act or omission.

  Therefore, pursuant to section 7122.5, Patricio Amaya-Padilla, is subject to discipline regardless of whether or not he had knowledge of or participated in the act(s) or omissions(s) in Accusation No. N2024-235.
- 5. Pursuant to its authority under California Government Code section 11520, and based on the relevant evidence before it contained in the Default Decision Investigatory Evidence Packet, the Registrar hereby finds by clear and convincing evidence that Ismael Del Pino Bermejo had knowledge of or participated in the prohibited act(s) or omission(s) that warranted the filing of Accusation No. N2024-235.
- 6. Pursuant to its authority under California Government Code section 11520, and based on the relevant evidence before it contained in the Default Decision Investigatory Evidence

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