#### UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA FORT LAUDERDALE DIVISION

| Case No   | 0.:     |
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| ALBERTO RODRIGUEZ, and other similarly situated individuals,  | )       |
| Plaintiffs,   | )       |
| v.  | )       |
| COLLATERAL MANAGEMENT<br>APPRAISAL LLC d/b/a COLLATERA<br>MANAGEMENT LLC, a Wyoming Lin<br>Liability Company, and JESSICA MAS<br>an individual, | nited ) |
| Defendants.   | )       |

# COMPLAINT (OPT-IN PURSUANT TO 29 U.S.C § 216(B))

Plaintiffs ALBERTO RODRIGUEZ ("Plaintiff") and other similarly situated individuals sue Defendants COLLATERAL MANAGEMENT APPRAISAL LLC and JESSICA MASSAD (collectively, "Defendants") and allege:

#### **JURISDICTION**

1. This is an action to recover money damages for unpaid overtime wages under the laws of the United States. This Court has jurisdiction pursuant to the Fair Labor Standards Act, 29 U.S.C. § 201-219 (Section 216 for jurisdictional placement) ("the Act").

#### **VENUE**

2. Plaintiff is a resident of Broward County, Florida, within the jurisdiction of this Honorable Court. Plaintiff is a covered employee for purposes of the Act.

3. COLLATERAL MANAGEMENT APPRAISAL LLC (the "Corporate Defendant") and JESSICA MASSAD (the "Individual Defendant") are a Florida company and a Florida resident, respectively, having their main place of business in Broward County, Florida, where Plaintiff worked for Defendants, and at all times material hereto were and are engaged in interstate commerce. The Individual Defendant, upon information and belief, resides in Broward County, Florida.

## COUNT I: WAGE AND HOUR VIOLATION BY COLLATERAL MANAGEMENT APPRAISAL LLC (OVERTIME)

- 4. Plaintiff re-adopts each and every factual allegation as stated in paragraphs 1-3 above as if set out in full herein.
- 5. This action is brought by Plaintiff and those similarly situated to recover from the Corporate Defendant unpaid overtime compensation, as well as an additional amount as liquidated damages, costs, and reasonable attorneys' fees under the provisions of 29 U.S.C. § 201 et seq., and specifically under the provisions of 29 U.S.C. § 207. Section 207(a)(1) of the Act states: "No employer shall employ any of his employees . . . for a work week longer than 40 hours unless such employee receives compensation for his employment in excess of the hours above-specified at a rate not less than one and a half times the regular rate at which he is employed."
- 6. Jurisdiction is conferred on this Court by Title 28 U.S.C. § 1337 and by Title 29 U.S.C. § 216(b). The Corporate Defendant is and, at all times pertinent to this Complaint, was engaged in interstate commerce. At all times pertinent to this Complaint, the Corporate Defendant operated as an organization which sells and/or markets its services and/or goods to customers from throughout the United States and also provides its services for goods sold and transported from across state lines of other states, and the Corporate Defendant obtains and

solicits funds from non-Florida sources, accepts funds from non-Florida sources, uses telephonic transmissions going over state lines to do its business, transmits funds outside the State of Florida, and otherwise regularly engages in interstate commerce, particularly with respect to its employees. Upon information and belief, the annual gross revenue of the Corporate Defendant was at all times material hereto in excess of \$500,000 per annum, and/or Plaintiff and those similarly situated, by virtue of working in interstate commerce, otherwise satisfy the Act's requirements.

- 7. By reason of the foregoing, the Corporate Defendant is and was, during all times hereafter mentioned, an enterprise engaged in commerce or in the production of goods for commerce as defined in §§ 3(r) and 3(s) of the Act, 29 U.S.C. § 203(r) and 203(s) and/or Plaintiff and those similarly situated were engaged in interstate commerce for the Corporate Defendant. The Corporate Defendant's business activities involve those to which the Act applies. The Corporate Defendant is an appraisal management company and, through its business activity, affects interstate commerce. The Plaintiff's work for the Corporate Defendant likewise affected interstate commerce. Plaintiff was employed by the Corporate Defendant as an Audit Specialist for the Corporate Defendant's business.
- 8. While employed by the Corporate Defendant, Plaintiff worked approximately an average of 51 hours per week in 2016 and 44 hours per week in 2017 without being properly compensated at the rate of not less than one and one half times the regular rate at which he was employed. Plaintiff was employed as an Audit Specialist, performing the same or similar duties as that of those other similarly situated Audit Specialists whom Plaintiff observed working in excess of 40 hours per week without overtime compensation.

- 9. Plaintiff worked for the Corporate Defendant from approximately February 22, 2016, to March 19, 2017. In total, Plaintiff worked approximately 56 compensable weeks under the Act, or 56 compensable weeks if counted 3 years back from the filing of the instant action.
- 10. The Corporate Defendant paid Plaintiff on average approximately \$20.67 per hour.
- 11. However, the Corporate Defendant did not properly compensate Plaintiff for hours that Plaintiff worked in excess of 40 per week.
- 12. Plaintiff seeks to recover unpaid overtime wages accumulated from the date of hire and/or from 3 (three) years back from the date of the filing of this Complaint.
- 13. Prior to the completion of discovery and to the best of Plaintiff's knowledge, at the time of the filing of this Complaint, Plaintiff's good faith estimate of his unpaid overtime wages is as follows:

#### a. Actual Damages: \$15,763.30

- i. <u>February 22, 2016, through November 27, 2016</u>: \$19.23 (hourly pay) x 1.5 (overtime rate) x 11 (approximate number of overtime hours) x 40 (compensable weeks) = \$12,691.80
- ii. November 28, 2016, through December 31, 2016: \$20.67 (hourly pay) x 1.5 (overtime rate) x 11 (approximate number of overtime hours) x 5 (compensable weeks) =  $\frac{1,707.28}{}$
- iii.  $\underline{2017 \text{ Calculation}}$ : \$20.67 (hourly pay) x 1.5 (overtime rate) x 4 (approximate number of overtime hours) x 11 (compensable weeks) =  $\underline{$1,364.22}$
- b. Liquidated Damages: \$15,763.30
- c. Total Damages: \$31,526.60 plus reasonable attorneys' fees and costs of suit.

- 14. At all times material hereto, the Corporate Defendant failed to comply with Title 29 U.S.C. §§ 201-219 and 29 C.F.R. § 516.2 and § 516.4 et seq. in that Plaintiff and those similarly situated performed services and worked in excess of the maximum hours provided by the Act but no provision was made by the Corporate Defendant to properly pay them at the rate of time and one half for all hours worked in excess of forty hours (40) per workweek as provided in the Act. The additional persons who may become Plaintiffs in this action are weekly-paid employees and/or former employees of the Corporate Defendant who are and who were subject to the unlawful payroll practices and procedures of the Corporate Defendant and were not paid time and one half of their regular rate of pay for all overtime hours worked in excess of forty.
- 15. The Corporate Defendant knew and/or showed reckless disregard of the provisions of the Act concerning the payment of overtime wages and remains owing Plaintiff and those similarly situated these overtime wages since the commencement of Plaintiff's and those similarly situated employees' employment with the Corporate Defendant as set forth above, and Plaintiff and those similarly situated are entitled to recover double damages. The Corporate Defendant never posted any notice, as required by Federal Law, to inform employees of their federal rights to overtime and minimum wage payments.
- 16. The Corporate Defendant willfully and intentionally refused to pay Plaintiff overtime wages as required by the laws of the United States as set forth above and remains owing Plaintiff these overtime wages since the commencement of Plaintiff's employment with the Corporate Defendant as set forth above.
- 17. Plaintiff has retained the law offices of the undersigned attorney to represent him in this action and is obligated to pay a reasonable attorneys' fee.

#### PRAYER FOR RELIEF

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff and those similarly situated request that this Honorable Court:

- A. Enter judgment for Plaintiff and others similarly situated and against the Corporate Defendant on the basis of the Corporate Defendant's willful violations of the Fair Labor Standards Act, 29 U.S.C. § 201 et seq. and other Federal Regulations; and
- B. Award Plaintiff actual damages in the amount shown to be due for unpaid wages and overtime compensation for hours worked in excess of forty weekly; and
- C. Award Plaintiff an equal amount in double damages/liquidated damages; and
- D. Award Plaintiff reasonable attorneys' fees and costs of suit; and
- E. Grant such other and further relief, as this Court deems equitable and just.

#### **JURY DEMAND**

Plaintiff and those similarly situated demand trial by jury of all issues so triable as of right.

## COUNT II: WAGE AND HOUR VIOLATION BY JESSICA MASSAD (OVERTIME)

- 18. Plaintiff re-adopts each and every factual allegation as stated in paragraphs 1-17 above as if set out in full herein.
- 19. At the times mentioned, the Individual Defendant was, and is now, the Owner and/or Officer of the Corporate Defendant. The Individual Defendant was an employer of Plaintiff and others similarly situated within the meaning of Section 3(d) of the Act, in that this defendant acted directly or indirectly in the interests of the Corporate Defendant in relation to the employees of the Corporate Defendant, including Plaintiff and others similarly situated. The Individual Defendant had operational control of the Corporate Defendant, was involved in the day-to-day functions of the Corporate Defendant, provided Plaintiff with his work schedule, and is jointly liable for Plaintiff's damages.

20. The Individual Defendant is and was at all times relevant a person in control of

the Corporate Defendant's financial affairs and could cause the Corporate Defendant to

compensate (or not to compensate) its employees in accordance with the Act.

The Individual Defendant willfully and intentionally caused Plaintiff not to 21.

receive overtime compensation as required by the laws of the United States as set forth above

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right.

Dated: August 9, 2017.

#### Respectfully submitted,

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| ALBERTO RODRIGUEZ, and other similarly situated individuals,                 |  |  |             | COLLATERAL MANAGEMENT APPRAISAL LLC d/b/a COLLATERAL MANAGEMENT LLC, a Wyoming Limited Liability Company, and JESSICA MASSAD, an individual, |                           |   |   |
| (b) County of Residence of   | f First Listed Plaintiff                       | Broward                                      |             | County of Residence  |                           |   | viduai,   |
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| (c) Attorneys (Firm Name, 2  | Address, and Telephone Numbe                   | r)   |             | Attorneys (If Known)   |                           |   |   |
| R. Martin Saenz, Esq.; S<br>Ste. 800, Aventura, FL 3                         |  | LC, 20900 NE 30th                            | Ave.,       |  |                           |   |   |
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#### INSTRUCTIONS FOR ATTORNEYS COMPLETING CIVIL COVER SHEET FORM JS 44

Authority For Civil Cover Sheet

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- **L(a) Plaintiffs-Defendants.** Enter names (last, first, middle initial) of plaintiff and defendant. If the plaintiff or defendant is a government agency, use only the full name or standard abbreviations. If the plaintiff or defendant is an official within a government agency, identify first the agency and then the official, giving both name and title.
  - (b) County of Residence. For each civil case filed, except U.S. plaintiff cases, enter the name of the county where the first listed plaintiff resides at the time of filing. In U.S. plaintiff cases, enter the name of the county in which the first listed defendant resides at the time of filing. (NOTE: In land condemnation cases, the county of residence of the "defendant" is the location of the tract of land involved.)
  - (c) Attorneys. Enter the firm name, address, telephone number, and attorney of record. If there are several attorneys, list them on an attachment, noting in this section "(see attachment)".
- II. Jurisdiction. The basis of jurisdiction is set forth under Rule 8(a), F.R.Cv.P., which requires that jurisdictions be shown in pleadings. Place an "X" in one of the boxes. If there is more than one basis of jurisdiction, precedence is given in the order shown below.

United States plaintiff. (1) Jurisdiction based on 28 U.S.C. 1345 and 1348. Suits by agencies and officers of the United States are included here. United States defendant. (2) When the plaintiff is suing the United States, its officers or agencies, place an "X" in this box.

Federal question. (3) This refers to suits under 28 U.S.C. 1331, where jurisdiction arises under the Constitution of the United States, an amendment to the Constitution, an act of Congress or a treaty of the United States. In cases where the U.S. is a party, the U.S. plaintiff or defendant code takes precedence, and box 1 or 2 should be marked.

Diversity of citizenship. (4) This refers to suits under 28 U.S.C. 1332, where parties are citizens of different states. When Box 4 is checked, the citizenship of the different parties must be checked. (See Section III below; **NOTE: federal question actions take precedence over diversity cases.)** 

- III. Residence (citizenship) of Principal Parties. This section of the JS 44 is to be completed if diversity of citizenship was indicated above. Mark this section for each principal party.
- IV. Nature of Suit. Place an "X" in the appropriate box. If the nature of suit cannot be determined, be sure the cause of action, in Section VI below, is sufficient to enable the deputy clerk or the statistical clerk(s) in the Administrative Office to determine the nature of suit. If the cause fits more than one nature of suit, select the most definitive.
- V. Origin. Place an "X" in one of the six boxes.

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- VI. Cause of Action. Report the civil statute directly related to the cause of action and give a brief description of the cause. **Do not cite jurisdictional** statutes unless diversity. Example: U.S. Civil Statute: 47 USC 553 Brief Description: Unauthorized reception of cable service
- VII. Requested in Complaint. Class Action. Place an "X" in this box if you are filing a class action under Rule 23, F.R.Cv.P. Demand. In this space enter the actual dollar amount being demanded or indicate other demand, such as a preliminary injunction. Jury Demand. Check the appropriate box to indicate whether or not a jury is being demanded.
- VIII. Related Cases. This section of the JS 44 is used to reference related pending cases, if any. If there are related pending cases, insert the docket numbers and the corresponding judge names for such cases.

Date and Attorney Signature. Date and sign the civil cover sheet.

## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

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| Defendant(s)   | )                                  |  |  |  |
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| SUMMONS IN   | A CIVIL ACTION                     |  |  |  |
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| A lawsuit has been filed against you.  |                                    |  |  |  |
| are the United States or a United States agency, or an offic   |                                    |  |  |  |
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| Plaintiff(s)  V.  COLLATERAL MANAGEMENT APPRAISAL LLC d/b/a COLLATERAL MANAGEMENT LLC, a Wyoming Limited Liability Company, and JESSICA MASSAD, an individual,  Defendant(s)  | ) Civil Action No. ) ) ) ) ) ) ) ) ) ) ) ) ) ) ) ) ) ) ) |  |  |  |  |
| SUMMONS IN  | A CIVIL ACTION   |  |  |  |  |
| To: (Defendant's name and address) MASSAD, JESSICA 200 SW 1ST AVE #1270 Fort Lauderdale, FL 33301   |  |  |  |  |  |
| A lawsuit has been filed against you.  Within 21 days after service of this summons on you (not counting the day you received it) — or 60 days if you are the United States or a United States agency, or an officer or employee of the United States described in Fed. R. Civ. P. 12 (a)(2) or (3) — you must serve on the plaintiff an answer to the attached complaint or a motion under Rule 12 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure. The answer or motion must be served on the plaintiff or plaintiff's attorney, whose name and address are:  R. Martin Saenz, Esq.  Saenz & Anderson, PLLC  20900 NE 30th Ave., Ste. 800  Aventura, FL 33180 |  |  |  |  |  |
| If you fail to respond, judgment by default will be entered against you for the relief demanded in the complaint. You also must file your answer or motion with the court.  |  |  |  |  |  |
|   | CLERK OF COURT   |  |  |  |  |
| Date:   | Signature of Clerk or Deputy Clerk                       |  |  |  |  |

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|         | This summons for (nat   | me of individual and title, if a | my)  |             |  |  |
|---------|---|----------------------------------|--|-------------|--|--|
| was rec | eeived by me on (date)  |                                  |  |             |  |  |
|         | ☐ I personally served   | I the summons on the inc         | dividual at (place)                                |             |  |  |
|         | _   |                                  | on (date)  | ; or        |  |  |
|         | ☐ I left the summons  | at the individual's resid        | ence or usual place of abode with (name)           |             |  |  |
|         |   |                                  | , a person of suitable age and discretion who resi | ides there, |  |  |
|         | on (date), and mailed a copy to the individual's last known address; or |                                  |  |             |  |  |
|         | ☐ I served the summons on (name of individual)                          |                                  |  |             |  |  |
|         | designated by law to  | accept service of proces         | s on behalf of (name of organization)              |             |  |  |
|         |   |                                  | on (date)  | ; or        |  |  |
|         | ☐ I returned the sum  | mons unexecuted because          | se   | ; or        |  |  |
|         | ☐ Other ( <i>specify</i> ):   |                                  |  |             |  |  |
|         |   |                                  |  |             |  |  |
|         | My fees are \$  | for travel and                   | \$ for services, for a total of \$                 | 0.00        |  |  |
|         | I declare under penalty of perjury that this information is true.       |                                  |  |             |  |  |
|         |   |                                  |  |             |  |  |
| Date:   |   | -                                | Server's signature                                 |             |  |  |
|         |   | -                                | Printed name and title                             |             |  |  |
|         |   |                                  |  |             |  |  |
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