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DARNICE GREEN, ET AL.,
PLAINTIFFS,
VS.
MITCHELL L. MORGAN
MANAGEMENT, INC., ET AL.,
DEFENDANTS.

SUPERIOR COURT OF
NEW JERSEY
LAW DIVISION, CIVIL PART
CAMDEN COUNTY
DOCKET NO.: L-4158-10
CIVIL ACTION

ORDER

This matter having been opened to the Court by counsel for plaintiffs LEWIS G. ADLER and PAUL DEPETRIS via a motion for preliminary approval of class action settlement and the Court, having reviewed the papers submitted herewith and any opposition thereto and for good cause shown; **It is** on this 26 day of April, 2019, ordered:

1. Plaintiffs' instant motion for preliminary approval of class action settlement is hereby **granted**.
2. This Court has jurisdiction over the parties and the subject matter herein.

3. The Court finds that for purpose of preliminarily approving the settlement only that the requirements of Rule 4:32 are satisfied.
4. The Court preliminarily approves the proposed class action settlement entered into between the parties, finding that the settlement was arrived at after extensive arm's length negotiations conducted in good faith by the parties' respective counsel.
5. The Court preliminarily finds that the proposed class action settlement is fair, reasonable and adequate given the complexity, expense and duration of this litigation and the risks inherent and involved in establishing liability and damages and in maintaining the class action through trial and appeal.
6. This case presents difficult and complex issues as to liability and the relief to be afforded members of the settlement class, as to which there are substantial grounds for difference of opinion.
7. The settlement is also fair, reasonable and adequate when weighing the benefits afforded to the settlement class against the expense and length of time necessary to prosecute these proceedings through trial, the uncertainties of the outcome of the proceedings and the fact that resolution of the class claims, whenever and however determined, would likely be submitted for appellate review.
8. In addition, there have been extensive arm's length negotiations between counsel for the parties and the exchange of detailed information about the claims alleged in the complaint.

9. The promises and commitments of the parties under the terms of the settlement, including payments to the settlement class members, constitute fair value given in exchange for the releases of the released claims against the released party in the light of such factors and the information that the parties possessed when they negotiated and agreed to the settlement.

10. No later than May 31, 2019, notices to the class members shall be mailed thereto per the parties' settlement agreement and notice forms attached hereto as exhibits.

11. Objections to the proposed settlement must be filed with the Court by mailing copies to:

Clerk of Court, Law Division, Civil Part
Superior Court of New Jersey
Camden County Hall of Justice, 101 S. 5th St., Ste. 150
Camden, NJ 08103

12. A copy of the objection must also be mailed to each of the following plaintiffs and defense counsel:

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2 Penn Center Plaza, Suite 910, Philadelphia, PA 19102
Attorneys for defendant Mitchell L. Morgan Management, Inc.

13. To be considered by the Court, objections must be postmarked by the objection deadline, which is July 15, 2019.

14. The failure to make and serve an objection in the manner prescribed by this Order may cause the objection to be waived.

15. Anyone wishing to opt out of the proposed class must file opt out forms with the Court by mailing copies to:

Clerk of Court, Law Division, Civil Part
Superior Court of New Jersey
Camden County Hall of Justice, 101 S. 5th St., Ste. 150
Camden, NJ 08103

16. A copy of the opt out forms must also be mailed to each of the following plaintiffs and defense counsel:

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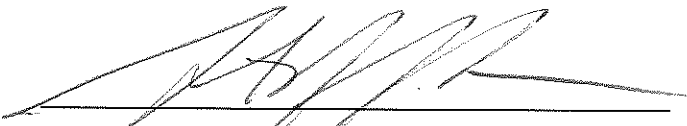
17. To be considered by the Court, opt out forms must be postmarked by the opt out deadline, which is July 15, 2019

18. The failure to make and serve opt out forms in the manner prescribed by this Order may cause such efforts to opt out to be waived.

19. On August 16, 2019, at 130pm, the Court will hold a hearing for final approval of class action certification and final approval of class action settlement and for an award of fees and costs to class counsel. *in connection 34*

FOR THE COURT

OPPOSED
 UNOPPOSED



Steven J. Polansky, P.J.Cv.

"Reasons Set Forth on Record"
4-26-19