9150 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite 270 **EL DORADO CO. SUPERIOR CT.** Beverly Hills, California 90212 2 (310) 247-8676JUL 09 2003 3 FILED Attorney of Record: Eli J. Karpeles 4 Bar No.: 105838 Attorney for Plaintiff 6 SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA 8 COUNTY OF EL DORADO, STATE OF CALIFORNIA 9 CASE NO. P C L 2 0 0 3 0 3 7 6 CALIFORNIA WHOLESALE MATERIAL 10 SUPPLY, INC. DBA CALPLY, A COMPLAINT FOR: CORPORATION, 11 \$3,635.02 1. GOODS SOLD 12 Plaintiff, AND DELIVERED - AGREED PRICE 2. OPEN BOOK ACCOUNT vs. 3. ACCOUNT STATED 14 4. STATUTORY CAUSE OF MARK J. BIXBY, INDIVIDUALLY DBA MJB/BIXBY CONSTRUCTION; MARTY ACTION 15 (B.P.C. Section 7071.5) DEPAOLI, INDIVIDUALLY; AND DOES 5. BREACH OF CONTRACT 1 THROUGH 50, INCLUSIVE 16 6. FORECLOSURE OF MECHANICS LIEN 17 Defendants 18 19 FIRST CAUSE OF ACTION 20 AS TO DEFENDANT MARK J. BIXBY, INDIVIDUALLY DBA MJB/BIXBY 21 CONSTRUCTION: 22 Plaintiff was at all times mentioned, and now is a corporation authorized to do business and doing business in 23

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- 3. Plaintiff is informed and believes and thereon alleges that all times herein mentioned, Defendants, and each of them, were residents and/or doing business within the County of El Dorado, State of California, and within this judicial district; and further, that the activities complained of and/or obligations sued upon herein, arose within this judicial district, and that Defendants, and each of them, are indebted to Plaintiff on the obligation sued herein.
- 4. Plaintiff is ignorant of the true names and capacities of Defendants sued herein as DOES 1 through 50, inclusive, and therefore sues these Defendants by such fictitious names. Plaintiff will amend this complaint to allege their true names and capacities when ascertained. Plaintiff is informed and believes, and thereon alleges, that each of the fictitiously named Defendants is indebted to Plaintiff as hereinafter alleged, and that the Plaintiff's rights against such fictitiously named Defendants arises from such indebtedness.
- 5. At all times herein mentioned, each of the Defendants was the agent and employee of each of their co-Defendants, and, in doing the things herein mentioned, were acting in the scope of their authority as such agents

and employees and with the permission and consent of their co-Defendants.

- 6. Plaintiff is informed and believes and on such information and belief alleges that at all times herein mentioned, DOES 6 through 10, and each of them, were and are corporations duly organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of California and/or authorized to engage and engaged in the surety and insurance business in the State of California.
- 7. Within the last two years, Defendants, and each of them, became indebted to Plaintiff in the agreed sum of for \$3,635.02 for the furnishing of acoustical ceiling materials, roofing materials, drywall and related materials delivered to the Defendants, and each of them, by Plaintiff; and Defendants, and each of them, then and there agreed to pay the amount.
- 8. A copy of the document evidencing the indebtedness of Defendants, and each of them, to Plaintiff is attached hereto, marked Exhibit "A" and incorporated herein by reference.
- 9. Neither the whole nor any part of the above sum has been paid, although demand therefor has been made, and there is now due, owing and unpaid the sum of \$3,635.02 together with interest thereon at the legal rate from March 6, 2003, until paid.

SECOND CAUSE OF ACTION

AS TO DEFENDANT MARK J. BIXBY, INDIVIDUALLY DBA MJB/BIXBY CONSTRUCTION;

- 10. Plaintiff refers to and incorporates herein by reference as though fully set forth below, its allegations contained in paragraphs 1 through 9 inclusive, of the First Cause of Action.
- 11. Within the last two years at El Dorado Hills
 California, Defendants, and each of them, became indebted to
 Plaintiff on an open book account for money due in the sum
 of \$3,635.02 for the furnishing of acoustical ceiling
 materials, roofing materials, drywall and related materials
 delivered by Plaintiff to Defendants, and each of them, at
 Defendants', and each of their, special instance and request
 and for which Defendants and each of them, agreed to pay the
 above sum.
- 12. Neither the whole nor any part of the above sum has been paid, although demand therefore has been made, and there is now due, owing and unpaid the sum of \$3,635.02, together with interest thereon at the legal rate from March 6, 2003 until paid including reasonable attorney fees.

THIRD CAUSE OF ACTION

AS TO DEFENDANT MARK J. BIXBY, INDIVIDUALLY DBA MJB/BIXBY CONSTRUCTION;

13. Plaintiff refers to and incorporates herein by reference as though fully set forth below, its allegations

contained in paragraphs 1 through 9, inclusive, of its First Cause of Action.

- 14. Within the last four years in the County of El Dorado, State of California, an account was stated in writing by and between Plaintiff and Defendants, wherein it was agreed that Defendants, and each of them, were indebted to Plaintiff in the sum of \$3,635.02.
- 15. Neither the whole nor any part of the above sum has been paid, although demand therefore has been made, and there is now due, owing and unpaid the sum of \$3,635.02, together with interest thereon at the legal rate from March 6, 2003, until paid.

FOURTH CAUSE OF ACTION

- 16. Plaintiff refers and incorporates by reference as though fully set forth below, its allegations contained in paragraphs 1 through 9, inclusive, of its First Cause of Action herein.
- 17. Plaintiff is informed and believes and thereon alleges that Defendant, MARK J. BIXBY, INDIVIDUALLY DBA MJB/BIXBY CONSTRUCTION, (hereinafter referred to as BIXBY CONSTRUCTION) and DOES 16 through 20, inclusive, and each of them, as principal, and DOES 11 through 15, surety, made, executed and delivered to the State of California, their

in the foregoing causes of action of this complaint have been used and consumed at various sites of construction by the Defendants, and each of them, in the County of El Dorado. The failure of the Defendants, MJB/BIXBY CONSTRUCTION and DOES 16 through 20, inclusive, and each of them, to perform as more particularly alleged in this complaint, constitute violations of Chapter 9 of Division 3 of the Business and Professions Code.

19. By reason of the foregoing, Defendants, DOES 11 through 15, inclusive, and each of them, are, and each of them is, indebted to Plaintiff in the amount of \$7,500.00, plus reasonable attorney's fees and costs.

FIFTH CAUSE OF ACTION

- 20. Plaintiff sets forth and incorporates by reference as though fully set forth below, its allegations contained in paragraphs 1 through 9, of its First Cause of Action.
 - 21. Plaintiff has performed all the conditions and

obligations to be performed on its part.

- 22. On or about October 25, 2002 Plaintiff and
 Defendant MARK J. BIXBY, INDIVIDUALLY DBA MJB/BIXBY
 CONSTRUCTION, (hereinafter referred to as MJB/BIXBY
 CONSTRUCTION) entered into a written credit agreement, under which Plaintiff agreed to sell, and Defendant, MJB/BIXBY
 CONSTRUCTION agreed to buy certain goods from Plaintiff. A true and correct copy of said agreement is attached hereto, marked Exhibit "B" and incorporated herein by reference.
- 23. The Exhibit "B" agreement, provides, in part, that in the event that credit is extended to Defendant MJB/BIXBY, payment will be made on all invoices, by the 25th of the month following the receipt of the Plaintiff's goods.
- 24. Pursuant to said agreement, Exhibit "B," Plaintiff extended credit to Defendant MJB/BIXBY CONSTRUCTION, and accordingly sold and delivered to Defendant MJB/BIXBY CONSTRUCTION, numerous quantities of goods, from July 10, 1996, through and including March 6, 2003.
- 25. Subsequent to such sale and delivery of goods, Plaintiff sent Defendant MJB/BIXBY CONSTRUCTION, a statement which specifically listed the amount due and owing from Defendant, MJB/BIXBY CONSTRUCTION, to Plaintiff for such goods.
- 26. Defendant, MJB/BIXBY CONSTRUCTION, has defaulted in the performance of the aforementioned agreement, in that Defendant MJB/BIXBY CONSTRUCTION has failed and refused,

despite repeated demands, to pay any part of the \$3,635.02 balance due and owing on said agreement, Exhibit "B."

- 27. By reason of the default of Defendant, MJB/BIXBY CONSTRUCTION, as hereinabove alleged, is indebted to Plaintiff in the sum of \$3,635.02, plus interest thereon at the legal rate from March 6, 2003.
- 28. The aforesaid agreement, Exhibit "B," also provides that Defendant MJB/BIXBY CONSTRUCTION, shall pay reasonable attorney's fees incurred in the enforcement of any rights under the agreement, Exhibit "B." Plaintiff has necessarily engaged attorneys to prosecute this action.

SIXTH CAUSE OF ACTION

AS TO DEFENDANT MARTY DEPAOLI, INDIVIDUALLY

- 29. Plaintiff sets forth and incorporates by reference as though fully set forth below, its allegations contained in paragraphs 1 through 9, of its First Cause of Action.
- 30. Plaintiff alleges that on or about March 13, 2003
 MARK J. BIXBY, INDIVIDUALLY DBA MJB/BIXBY CONSTRUCTION as
 sub-contractor, and MARTY DEPAOLI, INDIVIDUALLY, as
 owner/developer, (hereinafter referred to as OWNER) entered
 into a written contract, whereby MJB/BIXBY CONSTRUCTION
 agreed to furnish labor, services, equipment and materials
 for a certain work of improvement located at "31 Guadalue
 Drive, El Dorado Hills, California.
 - 31. Between March 1, 2003 and March 6, 2003 at the

special instance and request of MJB/BIXBY CONSTRUCTION, Plaintiff furnished various materials, including but not limited to acoustical ceiling materials, including but not limited to roofing materials, drywall and related materials which were used and intended to be used on the work of improvement referred to hereinabove. The reasonable value of the materials delivered by Plaintiff and subsequently used on the above referenced project were in the sum of \$3,635.02.

- 32. Neither the whole nor any part of the above sum has been paid, although demand therefore has been made, and there is now due, owing and unpaid the sum of \$3,635.02 together with interest thereon at the legal rate from March 6, 2003.
- 33. Within the time prescribed by law on or about March 13, 2003, Plaintiff served Defendant, OWNER in the manner prescribed by law, with a Preliminary 20 Day Notice, a copy of which is attached as Exhibit "C" and is incorporated herein by this reference.
- 34. Plaintiff is informed and believes and thereon alleges that at all times mentioned herein Defendant, OWNER was and now is the reputed owner of the real property referred to in Paragraph #30 herein. Plaintiff is further informed and believes and thereon alleges that Defendants Does 6 through 10, inclusive, and each of them, claimed to have some right, title or interest in the above real

property, the exact nature of which claim or claims is unknown to Plaintiff, which claim or claims are subject and subordinate to the claim of lien of Plaintiff.

35. Within the time prescribed by law, Plaintiff recorded a verified claim of lien in the office of the County Recorder of the county where the property is located.

County Recorder of the county where the property is located A copy of said lien is attached as Exhibit "D" and incorporated herein by reference. At the time of recording the claim of liens, the amount of \$3,635.02 remained due,

owing and unpaid for acoustical ceiling materials, including

but not limited to roofing materials, drywall and related materials delivered by Plaintiff and intended to be used on and used on the real property referred to in this Cause of Action.

36. On or about March 6, 2003, the amount remaining due, owing and unpaid by Defendant OWNER to Plaintiff herein for the use and delivery of its materials on the above referenced project was in the sum of \$3,635.02 no part of which has been paid.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff prays judgment against Defendants, and each of them, as follows:

AS TO THE FIRST CAUSE OF ACTION:

- 1. For the principal sum of \$3,635.02;
- 2. For interest thereon at the legal rate from March

6, 2003 until paid;

AS TO THE SECOND CAUSE OF ACTION:

AS TO DEFENDANT MARK J. BIXBY, INDIVIDUALLY DBA MJB/BIXBY CONSTRUCTION;

- 3. For the principal sum of \$3,635.02;
- 4. For interest thereon at the legal rate from March6, 2003 until paid;
 - 5. For reasonable attorney fees.

AS TO THE THIRD CAUSE OF ACTION:

AS TO DEFENDANT MARK J. BIXBY, INDIVIDUALLY DBA MJB/BIXBY CONSTRUCTION;

- For the principal sum of \$3,635.02;
- 7. For interest thereon at the legal rate from March6, 2003 until paid;

AS TO THE FOURTH CAUSE OF ACTION:

AS TO DEFENDANT MARK J. BIXBY, INDIVIDUALLY DBA MJB/BIXBY CONSTRUCTION;

- 8. For the principal sum of \$7,500.00;
- 9. For reasonable attorneys fees.

AS TO THE FIFTH CAUSE OF ACTION:

- 10. For the principal sum of \$3,635.02;
- 11. For interest thereon at the legal rate from March6, 2003 until paid;
 - 12. For reasonable attorneys fees.

AS TO THE SIXTH CAUSE OF ACTION:

AS TO DEFENDANT MARTY DEPAOLI, INDIVIDUALLY;

13. For the sum of \$3,635.02 to be declared a lien against the real property referred to in this Complaint, superior to the claim, title, lien, or interest of any other Defendant, and that said real property be decreed sold by the Sheriff of El Dorado County, California according to law, and all proceeds of such sale to be applied to Plaintiff's claim and to the costs of these proceedings, and the sale of said property.

AS TO ALL CAUSES OF ACTION:

- 14. For costs of suit incurred herein;
- 15. For such other and further relief as the Court deems just and proper.

DATED: July 8, 2003

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