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10	CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA	
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12	SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE	Case No. 5:15-CV-02387-SVW (KKx)
13	COMMISSION,	DECLARATION OF RECEIVER,
14	Plaintiff,	OF EX PARTE APPLICATION FOR
15	v. ROBERT YANG; et al.,	ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE WHY CELTIC BANK SHOULD NOT BE HELD IN CIVIL CONTEMPT
16	Defendants.	[Ex Parte Application; Declaration of
17	and	Joshua A. del Castillo; and [Proposed] Order submitted concurrently herewith]
18	YANROB'S MEDICAL, INC.; et al.,	Ctrm: 6
19	Relief Defendants.	Judge: Hon. Stephen V. Wilson
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Case No. 5:15-CV-02387-SVW (KKx) DECLARATION OF STEPHEN DONELL IN SUPPORT OF EX PARTE APPLICATION

## **DECLARATION OF STEPHEN J. DONELL**

I, Stephen J. Donell, declare as follows:

- 1. I am the receiver appointed by this Court for Defendants Suncor Fontana, LLC, Suncor Hesperia, LLC, Suncor Care Lynwood, LLC, and their respective subsidiaries and affiliates (collectively, the "Receivership Entities"). I make this Declaration in support of my concurrently submitted *ex parte* Application for Order to Show Case (the "Application") and have personal knowledge of the facts set forth herein and, if called to testify, could testify competently thereto.
- 2. Shortly after my appointment as Receiver in this matter, I contacted Celtic Bank in connection with the receivership real property development project located at 7227 Oleander Avenue, Fontana, California 92336 and commonly known as the Fontana Project (the "Project"). I have confirmed that Celtic Bank is the construction lender for the Project, and that is has disbursed slightly more than \$3 million secured by the Project. On or around December 14, 2015, and presumably in accordance with the requirements of the order by which I was appointed as Receiver (the "Appointment Order"), Celtic Bank provided me with a Certified Statement confirming, among other things, that it held just over \$2 million in receivership funds in two (2) separate deposit accounts, numbered 11900821 and 13002962, respectively (collectively, the "Deposit Accounts"). A true and correct copy of the Certified Statement provided to me by Celtic Bank is attached hereto as **Exhibit A**.
- 3. Among other things, the Appointment Order granted me with exclusive authority and control over the assets of the Receivership Entities ("Receivership Assets") and charged me with undertaking an analysis necessary to identify and recover available Receivership Assets. As part of this investigation, I and my staff (including my forensic accountants) reviewed and analyzed thousands of pages of records relevant to the business and financial activities of the Receivership Entities, including materials obtained from the Plaintiff Securities and Exchange

Commission, individual Defendants Robert Yang and Claudia Kano, and other third parties. After completing a review of the relevant records, I determined that the funds in the Deposit Accounts were deposited in the name of Relief Defendant HealthPro Capital Partners, LLC ("HealthPro"), and entity that I have determined is an affiliate of the Receivership Entities, and therefore a Receivership Entity itself. I further determined that the funds in the Deposit Accounts originated exclusively with two (2) sets of investors in Suncor Fontana, LLC and HealthPro, in connection

- 4. As noted above, I commenced my discussions with Celtic Bank regarding the administration of the Project in mid-December 2015, shortly after my appointment as Receiver. During these discussions, I provided Celtic Bank personnel with a copy of the Appointment Order. While, at their inception, my discussions with Celtic Bank related in part to the condition and then ongoing construction of the Project, two (2) Celtic Bank construction loans for the Project, and outstanding contractor draw requests relating to the Loans, I also advised Celtic Bank that the \$2 million on deposit in the Deposit Accounts could be deemed to be a Receivership Asset and that, if so, the funds would have to be turned over to me in accordance with the Appointment Order. While I did not immediately request the turn-over of the funds on deposit in the Deposit Accounts, I did advise Celtic Bank that I would make a turn-over request at such time as I confirmed that the funds on deposit were derived from investors in and attributable to the Receivership Entities.
- 5. In or around late February, 2016, I completed my final review of the documents relating to the \$2 million on deposit with Celtic Bank, including bank statements, other financial information, and court documents, including a the transcript of a deposition of Defendant Yang in a San Bernardino Superior Court case styled Park v. Yang, et al., Case No. CIVDS1514417. This review led me to the inescapable conclusions that: (a) HealthPro is an affiliate of the Receivership Entities (and therefore a Receivership Entity itself); and (b) the \$2 million on

with the Project.

deposit with Celtic Bank was funded exclusively with investor funds, as follows: 1 \$1 million from overseas investors who invested in Suncor Fontana, LLC and 2 \$1 million from a San Bernardino-based investor who invested in HealthPro. I was able to account for the funds on deposit with Celtic Bank as follows: 4 5 Investors located in China invested \$4,501,155 in the Project via deposits to an Orange Community Escrow account at City 6 National Bank (the "CNB account"), and held for the benefit of 7 8 the Project. 9 A U.S.-based investor, the Shin Sook Park Trust ("Park"), 10 invested \$1 million in exchange for a percentage interest in HealthPro (which was to manage the Project). Defendant Yang 11 deposited Park's funds directly with Celtic Bank, into one of the 12 13 Deposit Accounts. Of the more than \$4.5 million invested in the Project by China-14 based investors, \$1,500,000 was transferred from the CNB 15 account to a Citizens Business Bank account (the "CBB 16 account") in the name of Receivership Entity Suncor Fontana, 17 LLC. 18 19 Of the \$1,500,000 in investor funds held in the CBB account, \$1 million was transferred to Celtic Bank, into one of the Deposit 20 21 Accounts. 22 Accordingly, and as a consequence of the above accounting, I was able to confirm that the funds on deposit with Celtic Bank originated exclusively with 23 investors and are directly attributable to the Receivership Entities. This accounting 24 25 is further illustrated in a flow-chart in the concurrently submitted Application. Based on recent correspondence and discussions with Celtic Bank and 6. 26 27 its counsel, I believe that, rather than turn over the funds in the Deposit Accounts as

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required by the Appointment Order, Celtic Bank wishes to apply those funds to any losses it suffers in connection with the Loans. I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed on April 5, 2016, at Los Angeles, California. Steve Soull Stephen J. Donell 

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## **EXHIBIT A**

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## **General Counsel - Celtic Bank Corporation**

## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA EASTERN DIVISION

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION,

Plaintiff,

VS.

ROBERT YANG, CLAUDIA KANO, SUNCOR FONTANA, LLC, SUNCOR HESPERIA, LLC, AND SUNCOR CARE LYNWOOD, LLC

Defendants,

AND

YANROB'S MEDICAL, INC., HEALTHPRO CAPITAL PARTNERS, LLC, SUNCOR CARE, INC.

Relief Defendants.

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CERTIFIED STATEMENT
OF
CELTIC BANK

Pursuant to the Preliminary Injunction, Order Appointing Receiver, Freezing Assets, and

Providing Other Ancillary Relief (the "Order"), entered by this court on December 11, 2015 (Doc

No. 18), Celtic Bank Corporation ("Celtic Bank") has been ordered to file a certified statement

setting forth for each account held by Celtic Bank the balance held in that account or a description

of the assets held in any account as of the close of business on the day Celtic Bank received notice

of that Order.

Celtic Bank received notice of the Order on Friday, December 11, 2015. As of that date it

held the following accounts and assets of Defendants:

Loan # 15009992

Current Principal Balance: \$2,374,598.66

Accrued Interest: \$2,732.42

Amount Available: \$0.00

Loan # 15010079

Current Principal Balance: \$485,593.54

Accrued Interest: \$3,064.53

Amount Available: \$1,980,660.12

Deposit Account # 13002962

Current Balance: \$1,013,964.32

Open date: 02-17-2012

Deposit Account # 11900821

Current Balance: \$1,020,933.34

Open date: 12-05-2012

I certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States of America that the

foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on December 14, 2015.

Leslie K. Rinaldi

Leslie Rinaldi

General Counsel - Celtic Bank Corporation

PROOF OF SERVICE 1 Securities and Exchange Commission v. Robert Yang, Suncor Fontana, et al. 2 USDC, Central District of California - Case No. 5:15-cv-02387-SVW (KKx) 3 I am employed in the County of Los Angeles, State of California. I am over 4 the age of 18 and not a party to the within action. My business address is 515 S. Figueroa Street, 9th Floor, Los Angeles, California 90071-3398. 5 6 A true and correct copy of the foregoing document(s) described below will be served in the manner indicated below: 7 DECLARATION OF RECEIVER, STEPHEN J. DONELL, IN SUPPORT 8 OF EX PARTE APPLICATION FOR ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE WHY 9 CELTIC BANK SHOULD NOT BE HELD IN CIVIL CONTEMPT 10 TO BE SERVED BY THE COURT VIA NOTICE OF ELECTRONIC 1. **FILING** ("NEF") – the above-described document will be served by the Court 11 via NEF. On April 5, 2016, I reviewed the CM/ECF Mailing Info For A Case 12 for this case and determined that the following person(s) are on the Electronic Mail Notice List to receive NEF transmission at the email address(es) indicated 13 below: 14 • Zachary T. Carlyle 15 carlylez@sec.gov,kasperg@sec.gov,karpeli@sec.gov, blomgrene@sec.gov,pinkstonm@sec.gov,NesvigN@sec.gov 16 • Stephen J. Donell 17 idelcastillo@allenmatkins.com • Mark T. Hiraide 18 mhiraide@hiraidelaw.com,kju@phlcorplaw.com, 19 hitabashi@phlcorplaw.com,eganous@phlcorplaw.com 20 • Leslie J. Hughes hughesLJ@sec.gov,kasperg@sec.gov,pinkstonm@sec.gov,nesvign@sec. 21 gov 22 • David J. Van Havermaat vanhavermaatd@sec.gov,larofiling@sec.gov,berryj@sec.vog, 23 irwinma@sec.gov 24 Joshua Andrew del Castillo 25 jdelcastillo@allenmatkins.com 26 SERVED BY U.S. MAIL OR OVERNIGHT MAIL and EMAIL (indicate 2. 27 method for each person or entity served): On April 5, 2016, I served the 28 following person(s) and/or entity(ies) in this case by placing a true and correct

copy thereof in a sealed envelope(s) addressed as indicated below. I am readily 1 familiar with this firm's practice of collection and processing correspondence 2 for mailing. Under that practice it is deposited with the U.S. postal service on that same day in the ordinary course of business. I am aware that on motion 3 for party served, service is presumed invalid if postal cancellation date or 4 postage meter date is more than 1 (one) day after date of deposit for mailing in 5 affidavit. Via Overnight Mail and Eric Dean 6 Straggas Dean LLP **Email:** 7 8911 Research Drive eric.dean@straggasdean.com Irvine, CA 92618 8 9 10 I declare that I am employed in the office of a member of the Bar of this Court at whose direction the service was made. I declare under penalty of perjury under the 11 laws of the United States of America that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed on April 5, 2016 at Los Angeles, California. 12 13 s/ Martha Díaz 14 Martha Diaz 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28

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