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12 **SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA**  
13 **IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO**

14 CARLA BLACKSHEAR, an individual,  
15 on behalf of herself and on behalf of all  
16 persons similarly situated,

17 Plaintiff,

18 vs.

19 CALIFORNIA FINE WINE & SPIRITS  
20 LLC, a Limited Liability Company; and  
21 DOES 1 through 100, inclusive,

22 Defendants.

CASE No. 34-2018-00245842

**NOTICE OF MOTION AND MOTION  
FOR PRELIMINARY APPROVAL OF  
CLASS SETTLEMENT**

Hearing Date: July 30, 2020  
Hearing Time: 9:00 a.m.  
Reservation #2512197

Judge: Hon. Christopher E. Krueger  
Dept.: 54

Complaint Filed: December 5, 2018  
Trial date: None Set

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26 **TO ALL THE PARTIES AND THEIR RESPECTIVE ATTORNEYS OF RECORD:**

27 YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED THAT at 9:00 a.m. on July 30, 2020, or as soon  
28 thereafter as the matter can be heard, in Department 54 of the above entitled Court before

1 the Honorable Christopher E. Krueger, Plaintiff Carla Blackshear ("Plaintiff") will apply for  
2 an order: (1) preliminarily approving the proposed settlement of this class action with  
3 Defendant California Fine Wine & Spirits LLC ("Defendant"); (2) for settlement purposes  
4 only, conditionally certifying the following Class: "all individuals who are or previously  
5 were employed by Defendant in California, and classified as a non-exempt employee at any  
6 time during the Class Period"; (3) provisionally appointing Plaintiff as the representative of  
7 the Class; (4) provisionally appointing Norman B. Blumenthal, Kyle R. Nordrehaug, and  
8 Aparajit Bhowmik of Blumenthal Nordrehaug Bhowmik De Blouw LLP as Class Counsel  
9 for the Class; (5) approving the form and method for providing class-wide notice;  
10 (6) directing that notice of the proposed settlement be given to the class; (7) appointing  
11 ILYM Group as the Settlement Administrator, and (8) scheduling a final approval hearing  
12 date to consider Plaintiff's motion for final approval of the settlement and entry of the  
13 Judgment, and Plaintiff's motion for approval of attorney's fees and litigation expenses.

14 This motion for preliminary approval of the class settlement is brought pursuant to  
15 California Rules of Court, rule 3.769. Plaintiff's motion will be based on this notice of  
16 motion and motion, the accompanying points and authorities, the Declaration of Kyle  
17 Nordrehaug, the Joint Stipulation of Class Lawsuit and PAGA Settlement Agreement  
18 ("Agreement") between the parties, and the complete files and records in this action.  
19 Because all parties have agreed to the proposed class settlement, this motion is not opposed  
20 by Defendant.

21 Respectfully submitted,

22 Dated: June 15, 2020

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