

## DISCLOSURE REGARDING REAL ESTATE AGENCY RELATIONSHIP

(As required by the Civil Code) (C.A.R. Form AD, Revised 12/24)

(If checked) This form is being provided in connection with a transaction for a leasehold interest exceeding one year as per Civil Code §§ 2079.13(j), (k), and (l).

When you enter into a discussion with a real estate agent regarding a real estate transaction, you should from the outset understand what type of agency relationship or representation you wish to have with the agent in the transaction.

## **SELLER'S AGENT**

A Seller's agent under a listing agreement with the Seller acts as the agent for the Seller only. A Seller's agent or a subagent of that agent has the following affirmative obligations:

To the Seller: A Fiduciary duty of utmost care, integrity, honesty and loyalty in dealings with the Seller.

To the Buyer and the Seller:

- (a) Diligent exercise of reasonable skill and care in performance of the agent's duties.
- (b) A duty of honest and fair dealing and good faith.
- (c) A duty to disclose all facts known to the agent materially affecting the value or desirability of the property that are not known to. or within the diligent attention and observation of, the parties. An agent is not obligated to reveal to either party any confidential information obtained from the other party that does not involve the affirmative duties set forth above.

### **BUYER'S AGENT**

A Buyer's agent can, with a Buyer's consent, agree to act as agent for the Buyer only. This includes a Buyer's agent under a buyer-broker representation agreement with the Buyer. In these situations, the agent is not the Seller's agent, even if by agreement the agent may receive compensation for services rendered, either in full or in part from the Seller. An agent acting only for a Buyer has the following affirmative obligations:

To the Buyer: A fiduciary duty of utmost care, integrity, honesty and loyalty in dealings with the Buyer.

To the Buyer and the Seller:

- (a) Diligent exercise of reasonable skill and care in performance of the agent's duties.
- (b) A duty of honest and fair dealing and good faith.
- A duty to disclose all facts known to the agent materially affecting the value or desirability of the property that are not known to, or within the diligent attention and observation of, the parties. An agent is not obligated to reveal to either party any confidential information obtained from the other party that does not involve the affirmative duties set forth above.

## AGENT REPRESENTING BOTH SELLER AND BUYER

A real estate agent, either acting directly or through one or more salespersons and broker associates, can legally be the agent of both the Seller and the Buyer in a transaction, but only with the knowledge and consent of both the Seller and the Buyer.

In a dual agency situation, the agent has the following affirmative obligations to both the Seller and the Buyer:

- (a) A fiduciary duty of utmost care, integrity, honesty and loyalty in the dealings with either the Seller or the Buyer.
- Other duties to the Seller and the Buyer as stated above in their respective sections.

In representing both Seller and Buyer, a dual agent may not, without the express permission of the respective party, disclose to the other party confidential information, including, but not limited to, facts relating to either the Buyer's or Seller's financial position, motivations, bargaining position, or other personal information that may impact price, including the Seller's willingness to accept a price less than the listing price or the Buyer's willingness to pay a price greater than the price offered.

## **SELLER AND BUYER RESPONSIBILITIES**

Either the purchase agreement or a separate document will contain a confirmation of which agent is representing you and whether that agent is representing you exclusively in the transaction or acting as a dual agent. Please pay attention to that confirmation to make sure it accurately reflects your understanding of your agent's role.

The above duties of the agent in a real estate transaction do not relieve a Seller or Buyer from the responsibility to protect their own interests. You should carefully read all agreements to assure that they adequately express your understanding of the transaction. A real estate agent is a person qualified to advise about real estate. If legal or tax advice is desired, consult a competent professional.

If you are a Buyer, you have the duty to exercise reasonable care to protect yourself, including as to those facts about the property which are known to you or within your diligent attention and observation.

Both Sellers and Buyers should strongly consider obtaining tax advice from a competent professional because the federal and state tax consequences of a transaction can be complex and subject to change.

Throughout your real property transaction you may receive more than one disclosure form, depending upon the number of agents assisting in the transaction. The law requires each agent with whom you have more than a casual relationship to present you with this disclosure form. You should read its contents each time it is presented to you, considering the relationship between you and the real estate agent in your specific transaction. This disclosure form includes the provisions of §§ 2079.13 to 2079.24, inclusive, of the Civil Code set forth on page 2. Read it carefully.

Note: Real estate broker commissions are not set by law and are fully negotiable.

/WE ACKNOWLEDGE REC	CEIPT OF A COPY OF	THIS DISCLOSURE A	ND THE PORTIONS OF	THE CIVIL CODE PRINTED ON
THE SECOND PAGE.				

☐ Buyer ☐ Seller ☐ Landlord ☐ Tenar	nt		_ Date	
☐ Buyer ☐ Seller ☐ Landlord ☐ Tenar	nt		_ Date	
Agent	Realty Executives Homes	DRE Lic.	. # <u>01220951</u>	
Ву	Real Estate Broker (Firm)	Ron Smith DRE Lic. # 01369041	_ Date	
(Salesperson or I	Broker-Associate, if any)			

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## CIVIL §§ 2079.13 - 2079.24 (2079.16 APPEARS ON THE FRONT)

2079.13. As used in this section and §§ 2079.7 and 2079.14 to 2079.24, inclusive, the following terms have the following meanings:
(a) "Agent" means a person acting under provisions of Title 9 (commencing with § 2295) in a real property transaction, and includes a person who is licensed as a real estate broker under Chapter 3 (commencing with § 10130) of Part 1 of Division 4 of the Business and Professions Code, and under whose license a listing is executed or an offer to purchase is obtained. The agent in the real property transaction bears responsibility for that agent's salespersons or broker associates who perform as agents of the agent. When a salesperson or broker associate owes a duty to any principal, or to any buyer or seller who is not a principal, in a real property transaction, that duty is equivalent to the duty owed to that party by the broker for whom the salesperson or broker associate functions. (b) "Buyer" means a transferee in a real property transaction, and includes a person who executes an offer to purchase real property from a seller through an agent, or who seeks the services of an agent in more than a casual, transitory, or preliminary manner, with the object of entering into a real property transaction. "Buyer" includes a vendee or lessee of real property. (c) "Commercial real property" means all real property in the state, except (1) single-family residential real property, (2) dwelling units made subject to Chapter 2 (commencing with § 1940) of Title 5, (3) a mobilehome, as defined in § 798.3, (4) vacant land, or (5) a recreational vehicle, as defined in § 799.29. (d) "Dual agent" means an agent acting, either directly or through a salesperson or broker associate, as agent for both the seller and the buyer in a real property transaction. (e) "Listing agreement" means a written contract between a seller of real property and an agent, by which the agent has been authorized the real property and an agent, by which the agent has been authorized. to sell the real property or to find or obtain a buyer, including rendering other services for which a real estate license is required to the seller pursuant to the terms of the agreement. (f) "Seller's agent" means a person who has obtained a listing of real property to act as an agent for compensation. (g) "Listing price" is the amount expressed in dollars specified in the listing for which the seller is willing to sell the real property through the seller's agent. (h) "Offering price" is the amount expressed in dollars specified in an offer to purchase for which the buyer is willing to buy the real property. agent. (h) "Offering price" is the amount expressed in dollars specified in an offer to purchase for which the buyer is willing to buy the real property. (i) "Offer to purchase" means a written contract executed by a buyer acting through a buyer's agent that becomes the contract for the sale of the real property upon acceptance by the seller. (j) "Real property" means any estate specified by subdivision (1) or (2) of § 761 in property, and includes (1) single-family residential property, (2) multiunit residential property with more than four dwelling units, (3) commercial real property, (4) vacant land, (5) a ground lease coupled with improvements, or (6) a manufactured home as defined in § 18007 of the Health and Safety Code, or a mobilehome as defined in § 18008 of the Health and Safety Code, when offered for sale or sold through an agent pursuant to the authority contained in § 10131.6 of the Business and Professions Code. (k) "Real property transaction" means a transaction for the sale of real property in which an agent is retained by a buyer, seller, or both a buyer and seller to act in that transaction, and includes a listing or an offer to purchase. (l) "Single-family residential real property" means any of the following: (1) Real property improved with one to four dwelling units, including a leasehold exceeding one year's duration. (2) A unit in a residential stock cooperative, condominium, or planned unit development. (3) A mobilehome or manufactured home when offered for sale or sold through a real estate broker pursuant to § 10131.6 of the Business and Professions Code. (m) "Sell," "sale," or "sold" refers to a transaction for the transfer of real property from the seller to the buyer and includes exchanges of real property between the seller and buyer, transactions for the creation of a real property transaction and includes an owner who lists real property with an agent, whether or not a transfer results, or who receives an offer to purchase real property of which he or she is the owner from an age with an agent, whether or not a transfer results, or who receives an offer to purchase real property of which he or she is the owner from an agent on behalf of another. "Seller" includes both a vendor and a lessor of real property. (o) "Buyer's agent" means an agent who represents a buyer in a real property transaction. (p) "Buyer-broker representation agreement" means a written contract between a buyer of real property and a buyer's agent by which the buyer's agent has been authorized by the buyer to provide services set forth in subdivision (a) of § 10131 of the Business and Professions Code for or on behalf of the buyer for which a real estate license is required pursuant to the terms of the contract.

2079.14. A seller's agent and buyer's agent shall provide the seller and buyer in a real property transaction with a copy of the disclosure form specified in § 2079.16, and shall obtain a signed acknowledgment of receipt from that seller and buyer, except as provided in § 2079.15, as follows: (a) The seller's agent, if any, shall provide the disclosure form to the seller prior to entering into the listing agreement. (b) The buyer's agent shall provide the disclosure form to the buyer as soon as practicable before execution of a buyer-broker representation agreement and execution of the buyer's offer to purchase. If the offer to purchase is not prepared by the buyer's agent, the buyer's agent shall present the disclosure form to the buyer not later than the next business day after receiving the offer to purchase from the buyer.

2079.15. In any circumstance in which the seller or buyer refuses to sign an acknowledgment of receipt pursuant to § 2079.14, the agent shall set forth, sign, and date a written declaration of the facts of the refusal.

2079.16 Reproduced on Page 1 of this AD form.

2079.17(a) As soon as practicable, the buyer's agent shall disclose to the buyer and seller whether the agent is acting in the real property transaction as the buyer's agent, or as a dual agent representing both the buyer and the seller. This relationship shall be confirmed in the contract to purchase and sell real property or in a separate writing executed or acknowledged by the seller, the buyer, and the buyer's agent prior to or coincident with execution of that contract by the buyer and the seller, respectively. (b) As soon as practicable, the seller's agent shall disclose to the seller whether the seller's agent is acting in the real property transaction as the seller's agent, or as a dual agent representing both the buyer and seller. This relationship shall be confirmed in the contract to purchase and sell real property or in a separate writing executed or acknowledged by the seller and the seller's agent prior to or coincident with the execution of that contract by the seller.

CONFIRMATION: (c) The confirmation required by subdivisions (a) and (b) shall be in the following form:

Seller's Brokerage Firm	DO NOT COMPLETE. SAMPLE ONLY	License Number		
Is the broker of (check one):   the se	ller; or ☐ both the buyer and seller. (dual agent)			
Seller's Agent	DO NOT COMPLETE. SAMPLE ONLY	License Number		
Is (check one):   the Seller's Agent. (	salesperson or broker associate) $\ igsqcup$ both the Buyer's and Seller's Ag	ent. (dual agent)		
Buyer's Brokerage Firm	DO NOT COMPLETE. SAMPLE ONLY	License Number		
Is the broker of (check one): ☐ the buyer; or ☐ both the buyer and seller. (dual agent)				
Buyer's Agent	DO NOT COMPLETE. SAMPLE ONLY	License Number		
Is (check one):   the Buyer's Agent. (	(salesperson or broker associate) 🔲 both the Buyer's and Seller's Ag	ent. (dual agent)		

(d) The disclosures and confirmation required by this section shall be in addition to the disclosure required by § 2079.14. An agent's duty to provide disclosure and confirmation of representation in this section may be performed by a real estate salesperson or broker associate affiliated with that broker.

**2079.18** (Repealed pursuant to AB-1289) 2079.19 The payment of compensation or the obligation to pay compensation to an agent by the seller or buyer is not necessarily determinative of a particular agency relationship between an agent and the seller or buyer. A listing agent and a selling agent may agree to share any compensation or commission paid, or any right to any compensation or commission for which an obligation arises as the result of a real estate transaction, and the terms of

any such agreement shall not necessarily be determinative of a particular relationship.

2079.20 Nothing in this article prevents an agent from selecting, as a condition of the agent's employment, a specific form of agency relationship not specifically prohibited by this article if the requirements of § 2079.14 and § 2079.17 are complied with.

2079.21 (a) A dual agent may not, without the express permission of the seller, disclose to the buyer any confidential information obtained from the seller. (b) A dual agent may not, without the express permission of the buyer, disclose to the seller any confidential information obtained from the buyer. (c) (c) "Confidential information" means facts relating to the client's financial position, motivations, bargaining position, or other personal information that may impact price, such as the seller is willing to accept a price less than the listing price or the buyer is willing to pay a price greater than the price offered. (d) This section does not alter in any way the duty or responsibility of a dual agent to any principal with respect to confidential information other than price. 2079.22 Nothing in this article precludes a seller's agent from also being a buyer's agent. If a seller or buyer in a transaction chooses to not be represented by an agent, that does not, of itself, make that agent a dual agent. 2079.23 A contract between the principal and agent may be modified or altered to change the agency relationship at any time before the performance of the act which is the object of the agency with the written consent of the parties to the agency relationship. 2079.24 Nothing in this article shall be construed to either diminish the duty of disclosure owed buyers and sellers by agents and their associate licensees, subagents, and employees or to relieve agents and their associate licensees.

subagents, and employees or to relieve agents and their associate licensees, subagents, and employees from liability for their conduct in connection with acts governed by this article or for any breach of a fiduciary duty or a duty of disclosure.



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# PROPERTY SHOWING AND REPRESENTATION AGREEMENT

(Intended for use with a limited number of properties only. Non-exclusive only.) (C.A.R. Form PSRA, Revised 12/24)

1.	PARTIES TO THE AGREEMENT	("Buver"	
••	grants	Realty Executives Homes	("Broker")
	the right to represent Buyer regard	ding the following properties only ("Property"):	
	•	123 Main St, Santa Clarita, CA 91321	(property address)
	•		(property address)
	•		(property address)
	See attached List of Prope	erties	
2.	SHOW OR TOUR PROPERTY: E	Broker agrees, virtually or in-person, to show or give a tour of	the Property(ies) identified above to

- Buyer.
- 3. RIGHT TO REPRESENT: Buyer grants Broker the non-exclusive right to represent Buyer in acquiring the Property(ies) identified above on the following terms and conditions.
- TERMS OF REPRESENTATION: The items in this paragraph are contractual terms of the Agreement. Referenced paragraphs provide further explanation. This form is 3 pages. Buyer is advised to read all 3 pages

	provide further explanation. This form is 5 pages. Buyer is advised to read all 5 pages.				
	Para #	Paragraph Title or Contract Term	Terms and Conditions		
Α		Representation Period	Beginning: (date); Ending at 11:59 P.M. on (date) (Not to exceed 30 days)		
			OR upon completion of a resulting transaction, whichever occurs first.		
В		Broker Compensation: NOTICE: The amount or rate of real estate commissions is not fixed by law. They are set by each Broker individually and may be negotiable between Buyer and Broker.			
B(1)	5	Amount of Compensation	% of the acquisition price AND, if any,   OR  \$ OR see attached Broker-created compensation schedule		
B(2)	5G	Payments received by Broker from Seller	If Broker receives compensation from Seller, or others, pursuant to a term of Buyer's offer to purchase, or otherwise, the amount shall be credited against Buyer's obligation to pay Broker.		
			Broker shall not receive any amount in excess of <b>paragraph 4B(1)</b> .		
B(3)	5C	Continued Right to Payment for Broker Involved Properties	The Continuation Period shall be calendar days after the Representation Period or any extension ("Continuation Period").		
С	6	Cancellation Rights and Notice	Effective upon receipt OR days after receipt.		
D		Other Terms			

#### **COMPENSATION TO BROKER:** 5.

Notice: The amount or rate of real estate commissions is not fixed by law. They are set by each Broker individually and may be negotiable between Buyer and Broker.

- A. ADVISORY: Real estate commissions include all compensation and fees to Broker and are fully negotiable.
- BROKER RIGHT TO COMPENSATION: Broker shall be entitled to compensation specified in paragraph 4B(1) from Buyer if during the Representation Period, or any extension, Buyer is shown the Property by Broker and Buyer enters into an agreement to purchase, lease, or otherwise acquire the Property, and the seller thereafter completes the transaction or is prevented from doing so by default of Buyer.
  - (1) NON-EXCLUSIVE REPRESENTATION; BROKER INVOLVEMENT: Compensation is payable only if there was Broker Involvement with the Property.
  - BROKER INVOLVEMENT, wherever used in this Agreement means any of the following: Buyer physically entered and was shown the Property by Broker; • Broker showed the Property to Buyer virtually; • Broker submitted to seller a signed, written offer from Buyer to acquire, lease, exchange or obtain an option on the Property; • Broker performed a market analysis related to the Property or reviewed property specific documents or disclosures with Buyer; or • The Property was introduced to Buyer by Broker or one for which Broker acted on Buyer's behalf. However, merely sending Buyer a list of properties shall not be deemed Broker Involvement without documented action on the part of Broker analyzing the Property for Buyer, specifically, or assisting Buyer in the potential acquisition of the Property, or communicating with seller or seller's agent regarding Buyer's potential acquisition of the Property.
- C. CONTINUATION OF RIGHT TO COMPENSATION FOR BROKER INVOLVED PROPERTIES:
  - (1) Broker shall be entitled to the compensation provided for in paragraph 4B(1) if, during the Continuation Period specified in paragraph 4B(3), Buyer enters into an agreement to acquire Property for which there was Broker Involvement. The timing of such payment is subject to the terms of paragraph 5D.

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Buyer's Initials **Broker's Initials** 

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(2) Broker's right to compensation pursuant to this paragraph shall only apply if, prior to expiration of this Agreement or any extension, Broker delivers Buyer a written notice of those properties for which there was Broker Involvement (C.A.R. Form NBIP).

### D. TIMING OF COMPENSATION: Compensation is payable:

- (1) Upon completion of any resulting transaction, and through escrow. Broker shall be entitled to compensation whether any escrow resulting from this Agreement closes during or after the Representation Period.
- (2) If acquisition is prevented by default of Buyer, upon Buyer's default.
- (3) If acquisition is prevented by a party to the transaction other than Buyer, when Buyer collects damages by suit, settlement or otherwise. Compensation shall equal one-half of the damages recovered, not to exceed the compensation provided for in **paragraph 4B(1)**, after first deducting the unreimbursed payments, credits and expenses of collection and suit, if any.
- E. PAYMENT THROUGH ESCROW: Buyer hereby irrevocably assigns to Broker the compensation provided for in this Agreement from Buyer funds in escrow. Buyer agrees to submit to escrow any funds needed to compensate Broker under this Agreement. Broker may submit this Agreement, as instructions to compensate Broker, to any escrow regarding Property involving Buyer and a seller or other transferor.
- F. ACCOUNTING FOR PAYMENTS TO BROKER IF BROKER ALSO REPRESENTS SELLER: If Broker has a signed listing agreement with the seller of the Property to be purchased, Buyer shall not receive a credit for the compensation seller owes broker for representing Seller.

### G. PAYMENTS RECEIVED FROM OTHERS LESS THAN BUYER COMPENSATION OBLIGATION:

- (1) If Buyer owes Broker compensation, after first deducting payments, if any, due to Broker from others, Broker and Buyer should discuss the potential benefits and detriments of including a term in any offer Buyer makes obligating the seller to pay Broker, directly or through escrow, for some or all of any remaining compensation that Buyer owes Broker.
- (2) If seller contractually agrees with Buyer to pay all or part of Broker's compensation, and seller does not pay as contractually required, Buyer assigns to Broker, as a third-party beneficiary, any rights Buyer has to pursue the seller for such compensation.

## 6. CANCELLATION OF REPRESENTATION AGREEMENT:

- A. Either Buyer or Broker may cancel this Agreement by giving written notice to the other within the time specified in paragraph 4C.
- **B.** Broker shall still be entitled to compensation if, during the Representation Period or the Continuation Period specified in **paragraph 4B(3)**, Buyer enters into contract to acquire Property for which there was Broker Involvement provided Broker delivers to Buyer a written list of those properties for which there was Broker Involvement (C.A.R. Form NBIP). The written list of Broker Involvement properties shall be delivered to Buyer within **5 calendar days** after the effective date of the cancellation. The timing of such payment is subject to the terms of **paragraph 5D**.
- C. Before, during and after the 5-day period, Buyer is advised to notify any other broker of Broker's rights under this paragraph.

## 7. AGENCY RELATIONSHIPS:

- **A. DISCLOSURE:** Broker will provide Buyer with a Disclosure Regarding Real Estate Agency Relationships (C.A.R. Form AD) as soon as practicable prior to writing an offer.
- **B. POSSIBLE DUAL AGENCY WITH SELLER:** Broker will represent Buyer in any resulting transaction. Broker may act as an agent for both Buyer and a seller. Broker, in writing, shall confirm the agency relationship with only Buyer, or both Buyer and Seller, prior to or concurrent with Buyer's execution of a contract to acquire a Property. Buyer acknowledges and consents to Broker, including agents in Broker's firm, representing other Buyers for the Property.
- 8. BROKER AUTHORIZATIONS AND OBLIGATIONS: Broker is authorized to diligently represent Buyer in any resulting transaction for the Property entered into during the Representation Period. If the Property contains residential property with one to four dwelling units, Broker will perform a reasonably competent and diligent visual inspection of the accessible areas of the Property.
- 9. BUYER OBLIGATIONS: Buyer will act timely and in good faith to communicate and cooperate with Broker regarding any material issues or factors in any resulting transaction during the representation period. If requested, Buyer shall provide relevant personal and financial information.

## **BUYERS ATTENDING AN OPEN HOUSE WITHOUT REPRESENTATION:**

- (1) You are not required to sign a representation agreement to see this Property at an open house.
- (2) If you do not want the agent holding the open house to represent you, then you should not sign this form, and you should read and understand the Open House Visitor Non-Agency Disclosure and Sign-In (C.A.R Form OHNA-SI).

## **ALL BUYERS:**

- (1) If you have already signed a representation agreement with another broker, you should inform Broker of the name of that other broker and provide a copy of that agreement to Broker or request Broker to obtain a copy from the other broker.
- (2) If you have already signed a representation agreement with another broker, and you sign this form, you may be obligated to pay two different brokers if you purchase this Property.



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Buyer acknowledges that Buyer has read, understands, received a copy of and agrees to the terms of this Agreement.

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