

**MONTEREY COUNTY CLERK**

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NOTICE – IN ACCORDANCE WITH SUBDIVISION (a) OF SECTION 17920, A FICTITIOUS NAME STATEMENT GENERALLY EXPIRES AT THE END OF FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE ON WHICH IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK, EXCEPT, AS PROVIDED IN SUBDIVISION (b) OF SECTION 17920, WHERE IT EXPIRES 40 DAYS AFTER ANY CHANGE IN THE FACTS SET FORTH IN THE STATEMENT PURSUANT TO SECTION 17913 OTHER THAN A CHANGE IN THE RESIDENCE ADDRESS OF A REGISTERED OWNER. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED BEFORE THE EXPIRATION.

THE FILING OF THIS STATEMENT DOES NOT OF ITSELF AUTHORIZE THE USE IN THIS STATE OF A FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME IN VIOLATION OF THE RIGHTS OF ANOTHER UNDER FEDERAL, STATE, OR COMMON LAW (SEE SECTION 14411 ET SEQ., BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONS CODE.)

FILING STAMP ONLY

FILE NUMBER

FILING FEE

\$30.00 – FOR FIRST BUSINESS NAME ON STATEMENT  
 \$ 7.00 – FOR EACH ADDITIONAL BUSINESS NAME FILED ON SAME STATEMENT AND DOING BUSINESS AT THE SAME LOCATION  
 \$ 7.00 – FOR EACH ADDITIONAL OWNER IN EXCESS OF ONE OWNER

Submit Original and 3 copies. Please type or print legibly, in black ink.

Provide self addressed stamped envelope, if mailed.

- ORIGINAL FILING (Publication Required)
- NEW FILING – with CHANGE(S) from the previous filing (Publication Required)
- RENEWAL FILING – filed within 40 days of the expiration date and no CHANGE(S) from the previous filing (No Publication Required)

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT**

THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS(ARE) DOING BUSINESS AS:

*	Fictitious Business Name(s)	2.	
	1.	3.	
**	Street Address, City & State of Principal place of Business in California (P.O. BOX ALONE NOT ACCEPTABLE)	Zip Code	COUNTY
***	Full name of Registrant (if corporation or limited liability company – in which state)		
	Residence Street Address	City	State Zip Code
	<small>P.O. BOX IS NOT ACCEPTABLE</small>		
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	Residence Street Address	City	State Zip Code
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****	(CHECK ONE ONLY) This business is conducted by <input type="checkbox"/> an individual <input type="checkbox"/> a general partnership <input type="checkbox"/> a limited partnership <input type="checkbox"/> a limited liability company <input type="checkbox"/> an unincorporated association other than a partnership <input type="checkbox"/> a corporation <input type="checkbox"/> a trust <input type="checkbox"/> co-partners <input type="checkbox"/> husband and wife <input type="checkbox"/> joint venture <input type="checkbox"/> state or local registered domestic partners <input type="checkbox"/> a limited liability partnership		
*****	Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on _____ (Insert N/A above if you haven't started to transact business)		
	I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime.)		
	SIGNATURE OF REGISTRANT _____		
	_____		
	Print name of person signing. If corporation, also print corporate title of officer. If LLC, also print title of officer or manager.		
	<b>This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on date indicated by file stamp above.</b>		

**CERTIFICATION:** I hereby certify that the foregoing is a correct copy of the original on file in my office.

Stephen L. Vagnini,

By \_\_\_\_\_ Deputy

## INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETION OF STATEMENT

Business and Professions Code Section 17913:

\* Where one asterisk appears in the form:

- (a) Insert the fictitious business name or names
- (b) Only those businesses operated at the same address and under the same ownership may be listed on one statement.

\*\* Where two asterisks appear in the form:

- (a) If the registrant has a place of business in this state, insert the **street address and county** of his or her **principal** place of business in this state
- (a) If the registrant has no place of business in this state, insert the **street address and county** of his or her **principal** place of business outside this state and file with the Clerk of Sacramento County (B&P 17915)
- (b) Mail Box and Post Office Box Numbers **are not acceptable** as a business address when used alone without a street address

\*\*\* Where three asterisks appear in the form:

- (a) If the registrant is an **individual**, insert his or her full name and residence address
- (b) If the registrants are **husband and wife**, insert the full name and residence address of both the husband and wife
- (c) If the registrant is a **general partnership, copartnership, joint venture, limited partnership, limited liability partnership, or unincorporated association other than a partnership**, insert the full name and residence address of each general partner
- (d) If the registrant is a **limited liability company**, insert the name and address of the limited liability company, as set out in its articles of organization on file with the CA Secretary of State, and the state of organization
- (e) If the registrant is a **trust**, insert the full name and residence address of each trustee
- (f) If the registrant is a **corporation**, insert the name and address of the corporation, as set out in its articles of incorporation on file with the CA Secretary of State, and the state of incorporation
- (g) If the registrants are **state or local registered domestic partners**, insert the full name and residence address of each domestic partner

\*\*\*\* Where four asterisks appear in the form:

- (a) Check whichever of the terms listed on the front of the form best describes the nature of the business

\*\*\*\*\* Where five asterisks appear in the form:

- (a) Insert the date on which the registrant first commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed,  
If already transacting business under that name or names
- (b) Insert N/A if you have not yet commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed

Business and Professions Code Section 17914

The statement shall be signed as follows:

- (a) If the registrant is an individual, by the individual
- (b) If the registrants are husband and wife, by the husband or wife
- (c) If the registrant is a general partnership, limited partnership, limited liability partnership, copartnership, joint venture, or unincorporated association other than a partnership, by a general partner
- (d) If the registrant is a limited liability company, by a manager or officer
- (e) If the registrant is a trust, by a trustee
- (f) If the registrant is a corporation, by an officer
- (g) If the registrant is a state or local registered domestic partnership, by one of the domestic partners

Business and Professions Code Section 17915

The fictitious business names statement **shall** be filed with the clerk of the county in which the registrant has his or her **principal place** of business in this state or, if the registrant has no place of business in this state, with the Clerk of Sacramento County. Nothing in this chapter shall preclude a person from filing a fictitious business name statement in a county other than that where the principal place of business is located, as long as the requirements of this subdivision are also met.

Business and Professions Code Section 17917

Publication for Original and New Filings – with change(s) from previous filing

- (a) Within 30 days after a fictitious business name has been filed, the registrant shall cause it to be published in a newspaper of general circulation in the county where the fictitious business name statement was filed. If the registrant does not have a place of business in this state, the notice shall be published in a newspaper of general circulation in Sacramento County. The publication must once a week for four successive weeks and an affidavit of publication must be filed with the county clerk where the fictitious business name was filed within 30 days after the completion of the publication.
- (b) If a renewal filing, no publication is required.

Business and Professions Code Section 17922

Abandonment of Fictitious Business Name

- (a) Upon ceasing to transact business in this state under a fictitious business name that was filed in the previous five years, a person who has filed a fictitious business name statement **shall** file a statement of abandonment of use of a fictitious business name. The statement shall be executed and published in the same manner as a fictitious business name state and **shall** be filed with the county clerk of the county in which the person has filed his or her fictitious business name statement.

Business and Professions Code Section 17930

Any person who executes, files, or publishes any statement under this chapter, knowing that such statement is false, in whole or in part, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1000).