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22 SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA  
23 COUNTY OF MONTEREY

24 PEOPLE FOR THE ETHICAL TREATMENT  
25 OF ANIMALS, INC., a nonprofit corporation,  
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27 Plaintiff,  
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29 v.  
30 MONTEREY ZOOLOGICAL SOCIETY, INC.,  
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32 and CHARLIE SAMMUT,  
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34 Defendants.

35 ) Case No.: 20CV002113  
36 ) NOTICE OF APPEAL AND NOTICE  
37 ) DESIGNATING THE RECORD ON APPEAL  
38 ) [Cal. Rules of Court 8.100, 8.124, 8.130]  
39 )  
40 ) Complaint Filed: August 11, 2020  
41 ) Trial Date: None Set

1 TO THE CLERK OF THE ABOVE-ENTITLED COURT:

2 PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that Plaintiff People for the Ethical Treatment of Animals, Inc.  
3 (“PETA”) hereby appeals to the Court of Appeal of the State of California, Sixth Appellate District, from  
4 the September 28, 2020 Order on Defendants’ Special Motion to Strike Plaintiff’s Complaint. The  
5 September 28, 2020 Order granted Defendants’ Special Motion to Strike Pursuant to California Code of  
6 Civil Procedure Section 425.16 as to Plaintiff’s Complaint and is appealable pursuant to California Code  
7 of Civil Procedure sections 425.16, subdivision (i), and 904.1, subdivision (a)(13).

8 PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that PETA elects to prepare and submit, in lieu of a clerk’s  
9 transcript, an appendix pursuant to Rule 8.124 of the California Rules of Court. PETA hereby deposits  
10 with the court clerk \$100.00 pursuant to Rule 8.100(b)(2) of the California Rules of Court.

11 PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that, pursuant to Rule 8.130(a) of the California Rules of  
12 Court, PETA hereby requests the preparation of a reporter’s transcript, and also a copy of the transcript in  
13 electronic format, which transcript shall include the proceedings heard in the above-entitled case before  
14 the Honorable Thomas W. Wills, in Department 15, on September 25, 2020 at 9:00 A.M., and before the  
15 Honorable Lydia M. Villareal, in Department 15, on August 27, 2020, at 10:00 AM. The length of the two  
16 hearings were each less than one day and did not exceed three hours. Pursuant to Rule 8.130(b) of the  
17 California Rules of Court, concurrent with filing this combined notice, PETA hereby deposits with the  
18 court clerk \$650.00, the approximate cost of transcribing the proceedings described above, plus a fee of  
19 \$50.00 for the Superior Court to hold this deposit in trust. In total, PETA hereby deposits a sum of \$800.00  
20 with the court clerk.

21 This combined notice is provided pursuant to Rule 8.121(a) of the California Rules of Court.

22  
23 Date October 15, 2020

Respectfully submitted,

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