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BEFORE THE DEPARTMENT OF CORPORATIONS

OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Accusation/Statement of Issues of THE CALIFORNIA CORPORATIONS COMMISSIONER, Complainant, vs. MEREDIAN FINANCIAL CORPORATION, PAUL A. FERRIS, and JAMES T. ASSALI, Respondents.	NMLS No.: 23042 Sponsor File No.: 413-0963 ORDER DENYING THE APPLICATION OF PAUL A. FERRIS FOR A MORTGAGE LOAN ORIGINATOR LICENSE

Pursuant to the Settlement Agreement entered into between Paul A. Ferris and the California Corporations Commissioner on April 7, 2011, attached and incorporated herein as Exhibit 1, the application for a mortgage loan originator license filed by Paul A. Ferris with the California Corporations Commissioner on or about January 11, 2011 is hereby denied.

Dated: April 7, 2011
Los Angeles, CA

PRESTON DuFAUCHARD
California Corporations Commissioner

By_____
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