

1 STATE OF CALIFORNIA  
2 BUSINESS, CONSUMER SERVICES AND HOUSING AGENCY  
3 DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS OVERSIGHT

4 TO: Americans Helping America, Inc., d.b.a. AHA, AHA-Chamber of Commerce  
5 Community Independent Business Owner, Inc., d.b.a. CIBO  
6 www.americanshelpingamerica.com  
7 Jeffrey A. Sevier  
8 Helaman Hansen

9 9795 Business Park Drive, Suite A  
10 Sacramento, CA 95827

11 8359 Elk Grove Florin Road  
12 Elk Grove, CA 95829

13 8464 Banyon Tree Court  
14 Elk Grove, CA 95624

15 **DESIST AND REFRAIN ORDER**  
16 **(For violations of section 25110 of the Corporations Code)**

17 The Commissioner of Business Oversight finds that:

18 1. At all relevant times, Americans Helping America, Inc., d.b.a. AHA, AHA-Chamber  
19 of Commerce (“AHA”) is a non-profit mutual benefit corporation with a principal place of business  
20 at 9795 Business Park Drive, Suite A, Sacramento, CA 95827 and at 8464 Banyon Tree Court, Elk  
21 Grove, CA 95624. AHA conducts business by way of their website at  
22 www.americanshelpingamerica.com, telephone number (916) 382-4839 and email at  
23 admin@aha.us. AHA purports to assist small and medium sized American companies to promote  
24 and market their products in America and internationally. AHA also purports to offer immigration  
25 and adult adoption services, business marketing products or services, and educational training  
26 programs. AHA finally purports to provide television and radio programming for marketing  
27 purposes that may be accessed by consumers at any time of the day or night through video streaming.

28 2. At all relevant times, Community Independent Business Owner, Inc., d.b.a. CIBO  
29 (“CIBO”) is a corporation with a principal place of business at 8359 Elk Grove Florin Road, Elk  
30 Grove, CA 95829. CIBO conducts business by way of AHA’s website at

1 www.americanshelpingamerica.com and telephone number (916) 382-4839. CIBO represents that it  
2 is the parent company of AHA. CIBO engages in various business activities including, but not  
3 limited to, retail and marketing activities. CIBO represents to consumers that it is also an “import  
4 export company.”

5 3. At all relevant times, Jeffrey A. Sevier (“Sevier”) asserts to investors that he is the  
6 “CEO” or chief executive officer of AHA. However, AHA’s Statement of Information for 2015 as  
7 filed with the California Secretary of State asserts that Sevier is the chief financial officer of AHA  
8 and Helaman Hansen is the “CEO” or chief executive officer of AHA. Sevier also does business at  
9 9795 Business Park Drive, Suite A, Sacramento, CA 95827 and at 8464 Banyon Tree Court, Elk  
10 Grove, CA 95624. Sevier conducts business on behalf of AHA and CIBO by way of telephone  
11 number (916) 382-4839 and email at jeffrey.sevier@aha.us.

12 4. At all relevant times, Helaman Hansen is the “CEO” or chief executive officer and  
13 representative of CIBO (“Hansen”). Hansen is also the “CEO” or chief executive officer and a  
14 representative of AHA. Hansen also does business at 8359 Elk Grove Florin Road, Elk Grove, CA,  
15 95829. Helaman conducts business on behalf of AHA and CIBO by way of telephone number (916)  
16 382-4839.

17 5. Beginning in at least July, 2015 to present, AHA, CIBO, Sevier, and Hansen offered  
18 or sold securities in the form of stock in CIBO. AHA, CIBO, Sevier, and Hansen offered or sold  
19 these securities to consumers from their website at www.americanshelpingamerica.com by way of the  
20 following terms: Consumers pay to AHA, CIBO, Sevier, or Hansen an annual fee varying in  
21 amounts. In exchange for this fee, consumers receive stock in CIBO. Consumers also receive the  
22 option to purchase between two thousand (2,000) to ten thousand (10,000) more shares of stock,  
23 presumably common stock, in CIBO at one dollar (\$1) per share each year thereafter. In addition to  
24 the CIBO stock and option to purchase more CIBO stock, consumers receive access to radio or  
25 television events, photos and videos, and other business marketing services. AHA, CIBO, Sevier or  
26 Hansen represent to consumers that “as the company [ C I B O ] grows and expands the stock will  
27 go up. So the stocks you receive now will have more value in the coming years.”  
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