IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA
WESTERN DIVISION
Civil Action No. 5:21-CV-251-BO

BERINGER COMMERCE, INC. d/b/a BLUE ACORN iCi,

Plaintiff,

v.

FIN CAP, INC. d/b/a "BLUEACORN.CO," BLUE ACORN PPP, LLC, BLUE OAK FOREST, LLC, MICHAEL S. COTA, JAMES FLORES, STEPHANIE HOCKRIDGE REIS, and NATHAN REIS,

Defendants.

AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE OF JAMES FLORES REGARDING VERIFIED COMPLAINT FILED ON JUNE 10, 2021

I, Jennifer Reynolds, being duly sworn, deposes and says:

1. I am not a party to this action, I am over 18 years of age and I am a Paralegal at Forrest Firm, P.C.

2. On June 14, 2021, a copy of the Verified Complaint, Summons, Notices of Appearance, Proposed Sealed Exhibits to the Verified Complaint, Motion to Seal and Memorandum in Support, Motion for Temporary Restraining Order and Preliminary Injunctive Relief and Memorandum in Support and [DE-1 to -13] ("Complaint Package") was served by FedEx, signature requested, pursuant to Rule 4 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure to the following Defendant:

James Flores
7833 E. Harvard Street
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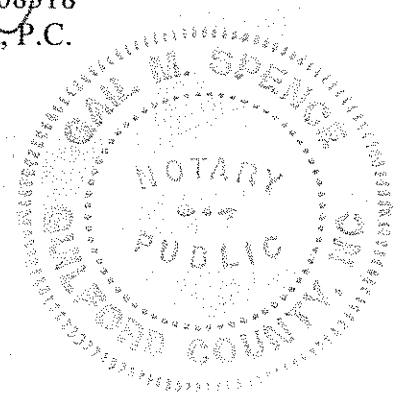
3. Service of the Complaint on Defendant James Flores, was made on June 16, 2021 via FedEx with tracking number 773988883039, as shown by the true and correct copy of the delivery receipt which is attached as **Exhibit A**.

This the 15 July, 2021.

Jennifer Reynolds
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Sworn to and subscribed before me
This the 15 day of July, 2021.

Notary Public
My Commission Expires: May 31, 2025



Respectfully submitted, this the 16th day of July, 2021.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned does hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing **AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE OF JAMES FLORES REGARDING VERIFIED COMPLAINT FILED ON JUNE 10, 2021** has been filed with the Clerk for the United States District Court, Eastern District of North Carolina, using the electronic filing system of the Court which will send notification to the following counsel of record:

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✓ By placing a copy, contained in a first-class, postage paid wrapper, into a depository under the exclusive custody of the United States Postage Service, addressed to the parties as indicated below

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