LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF * SUIT NO. C-61180

HEALTH

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* THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT

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VERSUS * PARISH OF LINCOLN

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WANG'S LLC and * STATE OF LOUISIANA

ZHONG XIONG WANG

STIPULATED JUDGMENT

This matter came before this Honorable Court on August 21, 2020, pursuant to a previously set hearing on the Louisiana Department of Health's ("LDH") Petition for Preliminary Injunction against defendants, Wang's LLC and Zhong Xiong Wang (collectively "Defendants"). Present in court were:

Edward M. Brossette, David L. McCay, and Neal R. Elliott, Jr., counsel for LDH; and

Aaron D. Lawrence and James M. Wilkerson, counsel for Wang's, LLC and Zhong Xiong Wang;

The parties informed the court that they have conferred and agreed to a stipulated injunction.

Considering the law and said stipulation:

IT IS ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that an injunction issue herein, and that Wang's LLC, its officers, agents, and representatives, and Zhong Xiong Wang be and are hereby enjoined and prohibited from allowing customers to utilize a self-service buffet at the premises where they are doing business as Peking Restaurant and/or Peking Buffet, located at 1300 North Vienna Street, Ruston, Louisiana 71270, until such time as the restrictions on self-service buffets contained in Governor John Bel Edward's Proclamation Number 101 JBE 2020, or any renewals thereof, expire or are rescinded, or until subsequent rulings of this court.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that pursuant to the parties' stipulation, Defendants will be deemed in compliance with the "All buffets or other common food stations shall remain closed" provision of Proclamation Number 101 JBE 2020, or any renewals thereof, if they operate in the following manner:

- Alter the service of the buffet from self-service to service by Peking staff, who shall wear face coverings over the mouth and nose while serving customers, as required by applicable Proclamations or Executive Orders from the Governor's office;
- The restaurant customers, who shall comply with the Governor's Proclamations regarding face coverings over the mouth and nose, as applicable, will travel the buffet line and indicate to the staff what food to put on the plate. The staff, located on the opposite side of the buffet, will fill the plates for the customers, which will be handed to the customer only

at the end of the buffet. This prevents customers from coming in contact with the same serving utensils;

- Establish a one-way flow of traffic requiring customers to enter the buffet line at a marked location and move in a single direction toward the end of the buffet line. This will prevent excessive congregating of customers;
- Add markers down the buffet line six feet apart so that customers can use the markers to social distance accordingly. This will prevent excessive congregating and assist customers with social distancing; and
- The customer side of the buffet counter will employ full plexiglass or similar solid barriers.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that this court shall retain jurisdiction to hold subsequent hearings as necessary, if properly requested by either party.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that this court shall retain jurisdiction to issue an ex parte TRO completely prohibiting the Defendants from operating (i.e. serving, selling, or preparing any "food" as that term is defined in La. Administrative Code Title 51 Part XXIII §101) if LDH files an application therefor that includes appropriate affidavits or verifications showing that Defendants are again allowing use of a self-service buffet at the above described premises in violation of Proclamation Number 101 JBE 2020, or any renewals thereof. In such case, the right of LDH to file a Rule for Contempt against Defendants is also expressly reserved.

THUS DONE and SIGNED this 21st day of August, 2020, in open court at Ruston, Lincoln Parish, Louisiana.

BRUCE E. HAMPTON, Judge THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT

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