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CHARTER OF THE CITY OF TORRANCE PREPARED AND PROPOSED BY A BOARD OF FREEHOLDERS ELECTED APRIL 14, 1936

GENERAL PROVISIONS

Section 1. NAME. The municipal corporation now existing and known as the "City of Torrance" shall remain and continue a body politic and corporate, as at present, in fact and in law, by the name of the "City of Torrance," and by such name shall have perpetual succession.

Section 2. BOUNDARIES. The boundaries of the City of Torrance shall continue as now established until changed as authorized by law.

(a) Without denial, restriction or limitation upon the provisions of the foregoing section, the City of Torrance shall have the power:

(1) To license for the purpose of regulation and revenue all and every kind of business not prohibited by law, ordinance or this charter, to be transacted or carried on in the City; to fix the rates of licenses upon the same and to provide for the collection thereof by suit or cherwise.

(2) To contract with the United States Government, the State of California or any political subdivision thereof, for the performance of any municipal function competent for the City to carry out under this charter; or to perform any function for the United States Government, the State of California or for any political subdivision thereof.

Section 4. CONTINUING OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES. All officers and employees in office or employed when this charter takes effect shall continue to hold office and exercise their respective offices or employment under the terms of this charter until the election or appointment and qualification of their successors, with the powers and duties vested in and imposed upon them by the charter, provided that all elective offices of the city shall continue to hold their respective offices of the city shall continue to hold their respective offices of the city shall eventually the terms for which they were originally elected or appointed shall expire.

The various offices and departments of the city government established by this charter shall be the successors of the corresponding offices and departments existing and in effect under the government of this City immediately preceding the date this charter shall take effect, and not inconsistent with its charter shall take effect, and not inconsistent with its charter shall take effect, and not inconsistent with its charter shall take effect, and not inconsistent with its charter shall take effect, and not inconsistent with its charter shall take effect, and not inconsistent with its charter shall take effect, and not inc

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Section 7. OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES. The officers of the City of Torrance shall consist of five members of the Council, one of which Council shall be the Mayor, a City Clerk, a City Treasurer, a City Attorney, a City Engineer, a Street Superintendent, a Judge of the City Court, a Chief of Police and a Fire Chief. The Council may by ordinance provide for such subordinate loards, commissions, officers, assistants, deputies, clerks and employees as they deem necessary and fix their respective powers, duties and compensation. All officers, assistants, deputies, clerks and employees shall be appointed as provided in this charter, or, in the absence of such provision, then as may be provided by ordinance and they shall hold their respective offices or positions at the pleasure of the appointing power. Where the appointment of any officers, assistants, deputies, clerks or employees is vested in the Council, the appointment and removal must be made by a three-fifths vote of the members of such body.

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All officers, clerks and assistants of the City and the various partments thereof, and all employees except such as may be applyed for temporary and special purposes, must be citizens the United States of America, and residents of the City of prarance, California, during their respective periods of employent, except as herein otherwise provided, or as otherwise protects by ordinarce.

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City of Torrance shall be vested in a city Court consisting of one City Judge.

(b) The City Court of the City of Torrance shall have jurisdiction concurrently with the Justice Court of the township in which the City of Torrance is located in all actions and proceedings, both civil and criminal, arising within the corporate (c) All pleadings in actions commenced in the City Court shall be in writing and shall otherwise be in manner and form as required by statute of pleadings in Justice Courts.

(d) The City Judge shall preside over the City Court of the City of Torrance and shall have such powers and such duties as are conferred upon him by this charter and by ordinance and shall have such further powers and duties as are conferred upon him by this charter and by ordinance and shall have such further powers and duties as are conferred upon him by this charter and by ordinance and shall have such further powers and duties as are conferred upon him by this charter and by ordinance and shall have such further powers and duties as are conferred upon him by this charter and by ordinance and shall have such further powers and duties as are conferred upon him by this charter and by ordinance and shall have such further powers and duties as are conferred upon him by this charter and by ordinance and shall have such further powers and duties as are conferred upon him by this charter and by ordinance and shall have such further powers and duties as are conferred upon him by this charter and by ordinance and shall have such further powers and duties as are conferred upon him by this charter and by ordinance and shall have such further powers and duties as are conferred upon him by this charter and by ordinance and shall have such further powers and duties as are conferred upon him by this charter and form and the court of the case of selections.

and as executive head of the Torrance City School System. The compensation of such Superintendent of Schools shall be fixed by the Board of Education.

(d) The Board of Education shall meet within thirty days, following its election and select one of its members president of the Board.

Section 15. TAXATION. The system of municipal taxation now in effect in the City of Torrance, California, shall continue under this Charter and the officials of the County of Los Angeles, California, shall continue to assess and collect such municipal taxes, levies, and assessments in and for said City in the same manner, in all particulars and every way whatsoever, as at present.

Section 16, CASH BASIS FUND. The Council shall provide

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Section 17. MANNER AND TIME OF CONDUCTING. All municipal elections at which City officials or members of the School Board are to be voted for shall be held and conducted in accordance with the general laws providing for the governing of elections in cities of the sixth class. A municipal election at which all members of the Board of Education shall be elected shall be held on the first Tuesday following the expiration of twenty-five (25) days after ratification, of this charter by the legislature. A general municipal election shall be held on the first Tuesday of April in each even numbered year.

(b) The City Clerk shall, at least ten days prior to each general or special municipal election, mail to each qualified elector within the City of Torrance a notice setting forth the time of the election and the polling place of each such elector.

Section 18. SAVING CLAUSE. If any section or part of any section of this charter is held to be unconstitutional, such decision shall not affect the validity or force of the remaining sections of this charter.

pared and does now propose the foregoing as and not the charce, California, for the government of said city, and

Be it further known, that the said Board of Freeholders hereby requests said legislative body of the City of Torrance to cause the publication of the said proposed charter as provided in Section 8 Article XI of said Constitution, and fixes Tuesday, the 16th day of March, 1937, as the date of holding a special municipal election in said City, at which the proposed charter shall be submitted to the qualified electors of the said City of Torrance for their ratification and adoption.

If the Legislature of the State of California approves this charter, it shall thereupon become the charter and organic law of the City of Torrance.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we, the duly elected, qualified, and undersigned Freeholders of the City of Torrance, County of Los Angeles, State of California, have hereto set our hands on this 4th day of January, 1937, at the City of Torrance, County of Los Angeles, State of California.

Precholders of the City of Torrance, County of Los Angeles, State of California.

CHARLES E. ACKLEY, WILLIAM K. ADOLPH, CARLETON B. BELL, J. ORRIN BISHOP, JACK O. BOYD, JANE M. BURGER, JAMES CORBETT, CHARLES A. CURTISS, SILMA C. KEEFFER, OTTO A. KRESSE.

NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S
SALE ON FORECLOSURE.
No. 408 965
In the Superior Court of the
State of California, in and for
the County of Los Angeles.
HOME OWNERS' LOAN CORPOBATION. a Corporation,
Frintistif, vs.
ROBERT' H. BARCLAY, ETC.,
et al., Defendants.

there to 1 and commanded to sell at public auction all of the following described premises, stuttate, lying and being in the City of Torrance, County of Los Angeles, State of California, and bounded and described as follows:

At a cares (exclusive of the Sart 2.75 acres (exclusive of road, of the Morthwest quarter of Lot 53 of the McDonald Tract, in the City of Torrance, County of Los Angeles, State of California, as per map recorded in Book 15, Pages 21 and 22, Missellancours of the County of Los Angeles, State of California, as per map recorded in Book 15, Pages 21 and 22, Missellancours of the Morthwest quarter of Lot 53 of the McDonald Tract, in the City of Los Angeles, County of Los Angeles, State of California, Los Angeles, County of Los Angeles, State of California, County of Los Angeles, State

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY
OF LOS ANGELES
No. 410107
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE ON
APPLICATION FOR CHANGE
In the Matter of the Application
of EN CA R NA CI ON JOSE
AMAIR for Change of Name.
WHEREAS, ENCARNACION
JOSE AMAIR has filed his petition with the clerk of this court
for permission to change his
name from Enearnacion Jose
Amair to Michel Dunia;
NOW, THEREFORE, it is
hereby ordered that all persons
interested in the matter aforesaid appear at Department 1 of
the said Superior Court, in the
City of Los Angeles, County-of
Los Angeles, State of California,
on the 26th day of January,
1987, at the hour of 2 o'clock
P. M. of said day, and then and
there to show cause if any they
may have, why said application
for change of name should not
be granted.
The FURTHER ORDERED
that a copy of this order to
show cause the published in the
Torrance Herald, a newspaper
of general circutation, published
in the City of Torrance, County
of Los Angeles, State of California, for four a uccessive
weeks, next preceding the date
set for the hearing thereof.
Dated December 21, 1986
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ords in the office of the County, Recorder of Los Angeles County, California; and
WHEREAS, the said Long Beach Building and Loan Association by reason of default as aforesaid has elected and declared that the sums unpaid and secured by said deed of trust be immediately due and payable and has demanded that the Trustee shall sell the premises granted by the said deed of trust to accomplish the objects of the trust therein created.
NOW, THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that the undersigned by virtue of the authority vested in him as Trustee by the said deed of trust will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, in lawful money of the United States of America, on January 25, 1937, at the hour of ten o'clock A. M., at the Broadway entrance of the City Hall, Long Beach, California, the interest conveyed to him by the aforesaid deed of trust in and to the real property therein described situated in Torrance, County of Los Angeles, State of California, and described as follows:

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along the Easterly line of
Block Nine (9), of Walteria,
in the City of Torrance,
County of Los Angeles,
State of California, as per
map recorded in Book 17,
Pages 56 and 56 of Miscellaneous Records of said
County, the Southerly line
thereof being parallel with
the Northerly line of said
Block.
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HONOLULU, (U.P.)—Thanks to the activities of Mauna Loa, during its latest eruption, American soil was increased by 62 acres. The addition was made by the pouring out of 15,000,000 he pouring out of 15,000.

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(7506).

PARCEL 2: Also that portion of the Northeasterly half of California Avenue, vacated and abandoned by order of the Board of Supervisors of said Los Angeles County, adjoining said Parcel 1, on the West, lying South of the South line of Newton Avenue, as shown on map of Tract Number Seventy-five Hundred Six (7506), Sheet No. 3, recorded in Book 90, Page 33 of Maps, and North of the Westerly prolongation of the South line of the premises described in Parcel I above.

PARCEL 3: That portion of the Northeasterly one half of California Avenue, vacated, adjoining Block Nine (9), of the said Walterla, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the center of line of said California Avenue, vacated, at its intersection with a line distant Fifty (50) feet. South and parallel with the Northerly line of Block Nine (9), produced Westerly; thence Easterly along said parallel line to the Northeasterly line of said California Avenue; the nee Southerly parallel with the Easterly line of Block Nine (9), to the center line of California Avenue; the nee Northewsterly along the eenter line of Said California Avenue; the ne of Northewsterly along the eenter line of Said California Avenue, the ne of Northewsterly along the eenter line of Said California Avenue, the net of California Avenue, the net of California Avenue, the net of Northewsterly along the eenter line of said California Avenue, the net of California Avenue,

as said Trustee, By J. HERBERT JOHNSON, Assistant Secretary. Date: December 26, 1936. Publish: December 31, 1936, and January 7 and 14, 1937.

Lomita Matron to Share In Estate

Mrs. Opal Murray, of 25105 Walnut street, Lomita, is to share in the estate of her late father, R. S. Tharp, who died at Ventura, according to the petition for probate of his will, filed this week.

Real estate in Mexico and Ventura county are the principal items in the estate. Value of the estate may not exceed \$10,000, it was stated.

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

No. L-3568-LWL-L

WHEREAS, Clayton H. Carroll and Hester M. Carroll, husband and wife, by deed of trust dated March 10, 1930, and recorded March 10, 1930, and recorder of Los Angeles County, California, did grant and convey the premises therein and as hereinafter described to California First National Bank of Long Beach, a National Banking Association, as Truste, to secure among other things the payment of one certain promissory note in favor of Long Beach, a National Banking Association, as Truste, to secure among other things the payment of one certain promissory note in favor of Long Beach Building and Loan Association, a Corporation, and other sums of money advanced and interest thereon; and

WHEREAS, Lyman W. Lough, whose address is 201 East First St., Long Beach, California, is now Trustee under said deed of trust in that the sum of principal and the sum of principal and the sum of principal and the payment of the payment of the payment of the principal and the maturity date of said note, and that interest on said \$1500.00 principal as not been paid since June 5, 1935; and in that the sum of \$153.14 advanced and paid by beneficiary on April 26, 1935, to the County Treasurer of Los Angeles, California, to redeem the property described in said deed of trust from tax sale was not immediately repaid to beneficiary on has any part thereof

Dollars (\$1,241.15) and interest thereon at the rate of 7.2 per cent per annum, from March 15, 1936, to date of sale, together with the expenses of sale sale and also the costs, fee, charges and expenses of the trust created by said deed of trust, including compensation to the Trustee and all other sums secured thereby. Said sale will-be made without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession or encumbrances.

Date of the United States of America, payable, at sime of America, payable, at time of sale.

LYMAN W. LOUGH,
Trustee

Dec. 31—Jan. 7:14: