

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
WESTERN DIVISION**

KELLIE BLACK, individually and on behalf of all others similarly situated,

Plaintiff,

VS.

SNAP INC., EVAN SPIEGEL, and
JEREMI GORMAN,

Defendants.

) No. 2:21-cv-08892-GW (RAO)
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) CLASS ACTION
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) DECLARATION OF LESTER R.
) HOOKER IN SUPPORT OF LEAD
) PLAINTIFFS' UNOPPOSED MOTION
) FOR PRELIMINARY APPROVAL OF
) CLASS ACTION SETTLEMENT
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1 I, Lester R. Hooker, declare as follows:

2 1. I am a member in good standing of the Bar of the State of California, and a
3 Director at the law firm Saxena White, P.A. (“Saxena White”), counsel of record for
4 Lead Plaintiff Oklahoma Firefighters Pension and Retirement System (“Lead Plaintiff”)
5 in the above-captioned action. I submit this declaration in support of Lead Plaintiff’s
6 Unopposed Motion for Preliminary Approval of Class Action Settlement. The following
7 statements are based on my personal knowledge and information, and if called on to do
8 so, I could and would testify competently thereto.

9 2. Attached hereto as Exhibit 1 is a true and correct copy of the Stipulation of
10 Settlement, dated October 27, 2025 (the “Stipulation”).

11 3. Attached to the Stipulation as Exhibit A is a true and correct copy of the
12 [Proposed] Order Preliminarily Approving Settlement and Providing for Notice.

13 4. Attached to the Stipulation as Exhibit A-1 is a true and correct copy of the
14 Notice of: (i) Pendency of Class Action, Certification of Class, and Proposed Settlement;
15 (ii) Settlement Fairness Hearing; and (iii) Motion for an Award of Attorneys’ Fees and
16 Litigation Expenses.

17 5. Attached to the Stipulation as Exhibit A-2 is a true and correct copy of the
18 Proof of Claim and Release form.

19 6. Attached to the Stipulation as Exhibit A-3 is a true and correct copy of the
20 Summary Notice.

21 7. Attached to the Stipulation as Exhibit A-4 is a true and correct copy of the
22 Postcard Notice of: (i) Pendency of Class Action, Certification of Class, and Proposed
23 Settlement; (ii) Settlement Fairness Hearing; and (iii) Motion for an Award of Attorneys’
24 Fees and Litigation Expenses.

25 8. Attached to the Stipulation as Exhibit B is a true and correct copy of the
26 [Proposed] Final Judgment and Order of Dismissal with Prejudice.

27 9. Attached hereto as Exhibit 2 is a true and correct copy of the Declaration

1 of Eric A. Nordskog in Support of Lead Plaintiffs' Unopposed Motion for Preliminary
2 Approval of Class Action Settlement.

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4 Executed this 27th day of October, 2025, at Boca Raton, Florida.

5 /s/ Lester R. Hooker
6 Lester R. Hooker