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with the County Clerk-Recorder of Alameda County on 2/1/2019.

AS 1539 2/7, 2/14, 2/21, 2/28/2019
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE #554697

The following individual is doing business as: **Specialized Automotive Services** at 1366 Doolittle Dr., Ste. 4, San Leandro, Alameda County, CA 94577 is hereby registered by the following owner(s) **GCF Automotive Inc.** at 1366 Doolittle Dr., Ste. 4, San Leandro, CA 94577. Business conducted as a Corporation. The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name listed above on 1/1/2019. This statement was filed with the County Clerk-Recorder of Alameda County on 1/31/2019.

AS 1541 2/7, 2/14, 2/21, 2/28/2019
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE #553762

The following individual is doing business as: **ARIO** at 31150 Brooklyn St., Union City, Alameda County, CA 94587 is hereby registered by the following owner(s) **Keyvan Ashkanifar** at 31150 Brooklyn St., Union City, CA 94587. Business conducted as an Individual. The registrant has not yet begun to transact business using the fictitious business name listed above. This statement was filed with the County Clerk-Recorder of Alameda County on 1/8/2019.

AS 1542 2/7, 2/14, 2/21, 2/28/2019
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME CASE NUMBER: RG19005107

PETITION OF: An Chieh Cheng
 TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:

1. Petitioner: **An Chieh Cheng** filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows: Present name: **An Chieh Cheng**. Proposed name: **Angel Cheng Fong**.
 2. THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter appear before the court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name change described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.
 NOTICE OF HEARING a. Date: 4/5/2019, Time: 11:30 a.m., Dept. 24 b. The address of the court is 1221 Oak St., Oakland, CA 94612. c. A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once each week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this County: Alameda. This statement was filed with the County on 2/4/2019. Wynne S. Carvill, Judge of the Superior Court

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ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME CASE NUMBER: RG19005458

PETITION OF: Sofia Betteo Sidoine
 TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:
 1. Petitioner: **Sofia Betteo Sidoine** filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows: Present name: **Sofia Betteo Sidoine**. Proposed name: **Sofia Alisandra Betteo**.

2. THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter appear before the court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name change described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.
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AS 1544 2/7, 2/14, 2/21, 2/28/2019
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE #553903

The following individual is doing business as: **Hella Succulent** at 1805 Lincoln Ave. Apt. A, Alameda, Alameda County, CA 94501 is hereby registered by the following owner(s) **Rochelle Brown** at 1805 Lincoln Ave. Apt. A, Alameda, CA 94501. Business conducted as an Individual. The registrant has not yet begun to transact business using the fictitious business name listed above. This statement was filed with the County Clerk-Recorder of Alameda County on 1/10/2019.

AS 1545 2/7, 2/14, 2/21, 2/28/2019
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE #554666

The following individual is doing business in Alameda County as: **CleanerOne Services** at 9000 Crow Canyon Rd., Danville, Contra Costa County, CA 94506 is hereby registered by the following owner(s) **Alexander Atwood, Inc.** at 9000 Crow Canyon Rd., Danville, CA 94506. Business conducted as a Corporation. The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name listed above on 10/15/2018. This statement was filed with the County Clerk-Recorder of Alameda County on 1/30/2019.

AS 1546 2/14, 2/21, 2/28, 3/7/2019
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE #554661

The following individual is doing business in Alameda County as: **Lincoln Harris CSG** at 2000 McKinney Ave., Ste. 1000, Dallas, Dallas County, TX 75201 is hereby registered by the following owner(s) **Lincoln Property Company Commercial Service Enterprises, Inc.** at 2000 McKinney Ave., Ste. 1000, Dallas, TX 75201. Business conducted as a Corporation. The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name listed above on 1/27/2014. This statement was filed with the County Clerk-Recorder of Alameda County on 1/30/2019.

AS 1547 2/14, 2/21, 2/28, 3/7/2019
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME CASE NUMBER: RG19003311

PETITION OF: Dealband Christine Soufastai
 TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:

1. Petitioner: **Dealband Christine Soufastai** filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows: Present name: **Dealband Christine Soufastai**. Proposed name: **Christine Dealband Soufastai Chugh**.
 2. THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter appear before the court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name change described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.
 NOTICE OF HEARING a. Date: 4/12/2019, Time: 11:30 a.m., Dept. 24 b. The address of the court is 1221 Oak St., Oakland, CA 94612. c. A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once each week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this County: Alameda. This statement was filed with the County on 1/18/2019. Wynne S. Carvill, Judge of the Superior Court

AS 1548 2/14, 2/21, 2/28, 3/7/2019
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE #554826

The following individual is doing business as: **Cancilla Creative** at 1719 Ninth St., Alameda, Alameda County, CA 94501 is hereby registered by the following owner(s) **Monika Cancilla** at 1719 Ninth St., Alameda, CA 94501. Business conducted as an Individual. The registrant has not yet begun to transact business using the fictitious business name listed above. This statement was filed with the County Clerk-Recorder of Alameda County on 2/4/2019.

AS 1549 2/14, 2/21, 2/28, 3/7/2019
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE #554799

The following individual is doing business as: **4th World Press** at 646 Kennedy St., Ste. 111, Oakland, Alameda County, CA 94606 is hereby registered by the following owner(s) **Andy An Phuc Nguyen** at 646 Kennedy St., Ste. 111, Oakland, CA 94606. Business conducted as an Individual. The registrant has not yet begun to transact business using the fictitious business name listed above. This statement was filed with the County Clerk-Recorder of Alameda County on 2/1/2019.

AS 1552 2/14, 2/21, 2/28, 3/7/2019
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE #554869

The following individual is doing business as: **Fire Wings Alameda** at 1620 Park St., Alameda, Alameda County, CA 94501 is hereby registered by the following owner(s) **Fire Wings Alameda, LLC** at 1620 Park St., Alameda, CA 94501. Business conducted as a Limited Liability Company. The registrant has not yet begun to transact business using the fictitious business name listed above. This statement was filed with the County Clerk-Recorder of Alameda County on 2/4/2019.

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Valentine's Advice for Old Grouches

Gil Michaels

My sainted sister and I recently endured a lengthy and cruel no-cause eviction from our beloved Grand Street Station-area apartment. Suddenly homeless, we were forced to sift through all we'd accumulated during a perfect 11-year tenancy. Most of our possessions wound up in garbage bags, including clothes, hundreds of books and my CD collection.

As I dejectedly perused the cds for the last time, I found a few that I'd never listened to: "Perez Prado Mambo Mania," "Johnny and the Hurricanes Rockin' Goose" and "Connie Francis's Greatest Hits."

Francis was a golden-voiced singer of the 1950s and '60s romantic, schmaltzy, hook-heavy hits like "Lipstick On Your Collar," "Who's Sorry Now" and one that intrigued me, "Stupid Cupid." As Cupid's activities have caused great misery in my life, I avidly listened to the tune: "Stupid Cupid, you're a real mean guy, I'm going to clip your wings so you can't fly!"

Needless to say, I eased the agony of the move to our new home in far-east "Siberialameda" by continuously humming the tune.

One morning, while deep into a gratitude meditation for the miracle of finding another affordable apartment in Alameda, I inadvertently hummed the tune.

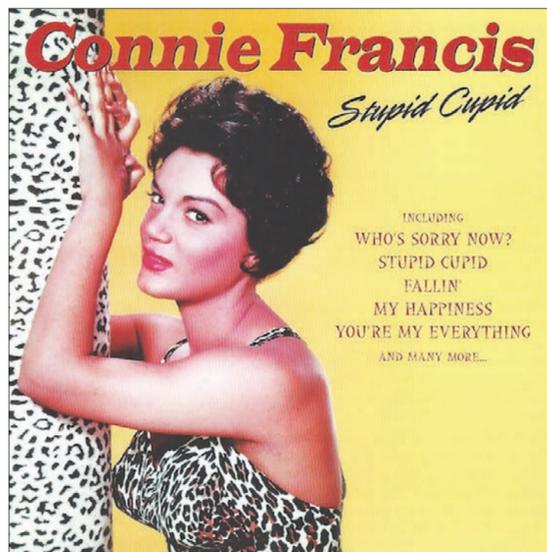
Suddenly, a sound like a giant leaf blower rocked the place. There was a thunderous, heavy plop and then a pounding on the door. I opened it, and there stood an ancient, three-foot, morbidly obese, curly haired boy dressed only in a tiny, red speedo. It was Cupid, the Roman God of Love, himself. His little wings beat furiously, causing the deafening noise.

I was horrified. "Turn those off and get in here!" I yelled. The wings quit, and Cupid stepped in. "I don't want to be rude, but I just moved into this place, and the last thing I want is for my new, multi-cultural neighbors to see a 350-pound guy in a red speedo pounding on my door. Don't you mythical entities have any common sense?"

Cupid got angry. "Talk about common sense," he squeaked, in his little munchkin voice. "What common sense do you have, humming that terrible song, calling me stupid and threatening to assault me! I should have you arrested!"

"Well, to me, you are stupid!" I defended myself. "Check my records, and look at the pain you've caused me! Go back 46 years, to my first love, cute little Jeannie, and see what happened!"

Cupid snapped his fingers and an iPad magically appeared. He scrolled for a minute, then chirped, "Oh dear! You're right! What a disaster! You worked up the nerve to call her, and asked her out to see Kiss's very first Bay Area appearance at the old Winterland Ballroom. But she stood you up by having her roommate tell you she'd been kidnapped — very creative of her!" He chuckled.



Courtesy image

After "Stupid Cupid" became a hit for Connie Francis in 1958, she likely forgave the little cherub for all his painful trickery.

I was incensed. "It's not funny, I was traumatized for weeks!"

"I make no guarantees in love, my friend." He said, smugly. "I only create opportunities."

"How about Big Susan, the blind date from hell you arranged?" I continued in my defense. "I met her on Valentine's Day at Frizzy O'Leary's, a popular restaurant in Oakland. I saw her at the bar. She looked like comedian Jerry Lewis's Nutty Professor in drag."

"Halloween on Valentine's Day!" laughed Cupid.

"It's not funny!" I bellowed. "So I approached her, and said 'Hello Susan, let's sit down and have a drink."

"She looked at me contemptuously and barked, 'I am sitting down!'"

"I asked a waiter to seat us. I reached into my jacket pocket and produced a single white rose. I handed it to Big Susan."

"Happy Valentine's Day, beautiful," I lied.

"She glared at me and grunted, 'One rose? Are you kidding?'"

"I knew the date was doomed, and tried to end it quickly, but it got worse. I tried to order an aperitif, and she thought I was making fun of her teeth."

"The waiter suggested Asti Spumante and Big Susan said, 'I ain't drinkin' no assed tea!'"

"When I tried to order an

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expensive bottle of Schramberg Champagne, she said 'A whole bottle? You drink too much!'"

"When I tried to order dinner, she had no idea what I meant by broccoli. And she hated everything on the menu in general."

"Another disaster! How did it end?" asked Cupid.

"I ordered her the only things she wanted, pie and a glass of milk. Then I paid the bill, left her \$40 for cab fare, said goodbye and split."

Her parting words were "See ya, fatso!"

Cupid grimaced. "Well I suppose I have made things rough on you, but that's just love's capricious nature, as they say." With that, his wings started beating and he moved to the door. He reached up, touched my hand and whispered, "I apologize for my stupidity, and the pain that I've caused. But here's some Valentine's Day advice for old grouches like you: To love and win is the best thing. To love and lose, the next best. Think about it!"

He snickered at my confusion, stepped out the door and flew away with a roar.

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