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

ALI ASGHARI, AUGUSTINO
LAMIA, BARBARA CALVER,
SUPALAK PRASOBRATANA, and
DANIEL TRAN, individually, and on
behalf of a class of similarly situated
individuals,

Plaintiffs,

vs.

VOLKSWAGEN GROUP OF
AMERICA, INC., VOLKSWAGEN
AG, AND AUDI AG,

Defendants.

Case No.: CV13-02529-MMM-(JEMx)

CLASS ACTION

Hon. Margaret M. Morrow

**DECLARATION OF DARA
TABESH IN SUPPORT OF
PLAINTIFFS' MOTION FOR FINAL
APPROVAL OF CLASS ACTION
SETTLEMENT AND APPLICATION
FOR ATTORNEYS' FEES,
EXPENSES, AND COSTS**

Date: May 4, 2015
Time: 10:00 am
Place: Courtroom 780

1 hours litigating this action, for a total lodestar of \$83,160.

2 7. The chart below sets forth my regular billable hourly rate (which is
3 commensurate with the prevailing rates among firms that regularly litigate class
4 actions) and my hours (by category).

Name	1	2	3	4	5	6	Current Hourly Rate	Hours	Lodestar
Dara Tabesh	0.3	1.0	136.3	0.8	10.3	0.0	\$560.00	148.5	\$83,160.00

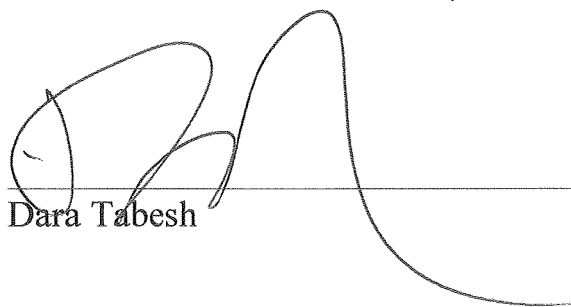
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9 **STATUS**

- 10 Partner (P)
- 11 Senior Counsel (SC)
- 12 Associate (A)
- 13 Former Associate (FA)

CATEGORIES

- 1 Pre-filing investigation and pleadings
- 2 Post-filing investigation and discovery
- 3 Motion to Dismiss/Motion to Transfer
- 4 Mediation/Settlement Negotiation/Settlement Agreement
- 5 Settlement/Fee Motions
- 6 Class Member Communication/Supervision of Settlement/Notice/Benefits

14 I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States of
15 America that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed on February 27, 2015 at
16 San Francisco, California.

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