

**BEFORE THE DIRECTOR OF THE
DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS
BUREAU OF AUTOMOTIVE REPAIR
STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

In the Matter of the Accusation Against:

MOHAMMED ALMAGHAZACHI dba BEST SMOG STATION 2

1139 Third Ave.

Chula Vista, CA 91911

Automotive Repair Dealer Registration No. ARD 305522

Smog Check Test Only Station License No. TC 305522

and

JAFAR NASER ALSALEH

24905 Pine Creek Loop

Corona, CA 92883

Smog Check Inspector License No. EO 639476

Smog Check Repair Technician License No. EI 639476

Respondents.

Case No. 79/25-2733

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OAH No. 2025110923

DECISION

The attached Stipulated Settlement and Disciplinary Order as to Mohammed Almaghazachi dba Best Smog Station 2 only is hereby accepted and adopted by the Director of the Department of Consumer Affairs as the Decision in the above-entitled matter.

This Decision shall become effective on June 30, 2026.

IT IS SO ORDERED May 18, 2026.

Signature on File
GRACE ARUPO RODRIGUEZ
Assistant Deputy Director
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20 **-and-**

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25 **639476, Smog Check Repair Technician**
26 **Number EI 639476**

27 Respondents.

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STIPULATED SETTLEMENT AND
DISCIPLINARY ORDER AS TO
RESPONDENT MOHAMMED
ALMAGHAZACHI DBA BEST SMOG
STATION 2 ONLY

28 IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED AND AGREED by and between the parties to the above-
entitled proceedings that the following matters are true:

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1 **PARTIES**

2 1. Patrick Dorais (Complainant) is the Chief of the Bureau of Automotive Repair
3 (Bureau). He brought this action solely in his official capacity and is represented in this matter by
4 Rob Bonta, Attorney General of the State of California, by Brian Lee, Deputy Attorney General.

5 2. Mohammed Almaghazachi, dba Best Smog Station 2 (Respondent) is represented in
6 this proceeding by attorney Nicole Weil, whose address is: 380 South Melrose Drive, Suite 313,
7 Vista, CA 92081-6641.

8 3. On or about April 12, 2023, the Bureau issued Automotive Repair Dealer Registration
9 No. ARD 305522 to Respondent. The Automotive Repair Dealer Registration was in full force
10 and effect at all times relevant to the charges brought in Accusation No. 79/25-2733, and will
11 expire on April 30, 2027, unless renewed.

12 4. On or about April 28, 2023, the Bureau issued Smog Check, Test-Only, station No.
13 TC 305522 to Respondent. The Smog Check, Test-Only, station was in full force and effect at
14 all times relevant to the charges brought in Accusation No. 79/25-2733, and will expire on April
15 30, 2027, unless renewed.

16 **JURISDICTION**

17 5. Accusation No. 79/25-2733 was filed before the Director of the Department of
18 Consumer Affairs (Director), and is currently pending against Respondent. The Accusation and
19 all other statutorily required documents were properly served on Respondent on July 8, 2025.
20 Respondent timely filed Respondent's Notice of Defense contesting the Accusation.

21 6. A copy of Accusation No. 79/25-2733 is attached as Exhibit A and incorporated
22 herein by reference.

23 **ADVISEMENT AND WAIVERS**

24 7. Respondent has carefully read, fully discussed with counsel, and understands the
25 charges and allegations in Accusation No. 79/25-2733. Respondent has also carefully read, fully
26 discussed with counsel, and understands the effects of this Stipulated Settlement and Disciplinary
27 Order.

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8. Respondent is fully aware of his legal rights in this matter, including the right to a hearing on the charges and allegations in the Accusation; the right to confront and cross-examine the witnesses against him; the right to present evidence and to testify on his own behalf; the right to the issuance of subpoenas to compel the attendance of witnesses and the production of documents; the right to reconsideration and court review of an adverse decision; and all other rights accorded by the California Administrative Procedure Act and other applicable laws.

9. Respondent voluntarily, knowingly, and intelligently waives and gives up each and every right set forth above.

CULPABILITY

10. Respondent understands and agrees that the charges and allegations in Accusation No. 79/25-2733, if proven at a hearing, constitute cause for imposing discipline upon his Automotive Repair Dealer Registration as well as his Smog Check, Test-Only, Station License.

11. For the purpose of resolving the Accusation without the expense and uncertainty of further proceedings, Respondent agrees that, at a hearing, Complainant could establish a factual basis for the charges in the Accusation, and that Respondent hereby gives up his right to contest those charges.

12. Respondent understands that by signing this stipulation he enables the Director to issue his order accepting the revocation of his Automotive Repair Dealer Registration and his Smog Check, Test-Only, Station License, without further process.

CONTINGENCY

13. This stipulation shall be subject to approval by the Director or the Director's designee. Respondent understands and agrees that counsel for Complainant and the staff of the Bureau of Automotive Repair may communicate directly with the Director and staff of the Department of Consumer Affairs regarding this stipulation and settlement, without notice to or participation by Respondent or Respondent's counsel. By signing the stipulation, Respondent understands and agrees that Respondent may not withdraw his agreement or seek to rescind the stipulation prior to the time the Director considers and acts upon it. If the Director fails to adopt this stipulation as the Decision and Order, the Stipulated Settlement and Disciplinary Order shall be of no force or

effect, except for this paragraph, it shall be inadmissible in any legal action between the parties, and the Director shall not be disqualified from further action by having considered this matter.

14. The parties understand and agree that Portable Document Format (PDF) and facsimile copies of this Stipulated Settlement and Disciplinary Order, including PDF and facsimile signatures thereto, shall have the same force and effect as the originals.

15. This Stipulated Settlement and Disciplinary Order is intended by the parties to be an integrated writing representing the complete, final, and exclusive embodiment of their agreement. It supersedes any and all prior or contemporaneous agreements, understandings, discussions, negotiations, and commitments (written or oral). This Stipulated Settlement and Disciplinary Order may not be altered, amended, modified, supplemented, or otherwise changed except by a writing executed by an authorized representative of each of the parties.

16. In consideration of the foregoing admissions and stipulations, the parties agree that the Director may, without further notice or formal proceeding, issue and enter the following Disciplinary Order:

DISCIPLINARY ORDER

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Automotive Repair Dealer Registration No. ARD 305522 and Smog Check, Test-Only, station No. TC 305522, issued to Respondent Mohammed Almaghazachi, dba Best Smog Station 2 are revoked.

1. The revocation of Automotive Repair Dealer Registration No. ARD 305522, Smog Check, Test Only, Station License No. TC 305522, and the acceptance of the revoked registration and license by the Bureau shall constitute imposition of discipline against Respondent. This stipulation constitutes a record of the discipline and shall become a part of Respondent's license history with the Bureau of Automotive Repair.

2. Respondent shall lose all rights and privileges as an Automotive Repair Dealer, and as a Smog Check, Test Only, Station as of the effective date of the Director's Decision and Order.

3. Respondent shall cause to be delivered to the Bureau his pocket licenses and, if any were issued, his wall certificates associated with the revoked registration and license on or before the effective date of the Decision and Order.

4. If Respondent ever applies for licensure or petitions for reinstatement in the State of California, the Bureau shall treat it as a new application for licensure. Respondent must comply with all the laws, regulations and procedures for licensure in effect at the time the application or petition is filed, and all of the charges and allegations contained in the Accusation No. 79/25-2733 shall be deemed to be true, correct and admitted by Respondent when the Director determines whether to grant or deny the application or petition.

5. Respondent shall pay the agency its costs of investigation and enforcement in the amount of \$8,359.91 prior to application of any new or reinstated license

ACCEPTANCE

I have carefully read the above Stipulated Settlement and Disciplinary Order and have fully discussed it with my attorney, Nicole Weil. I understand the stipulation and the effect it will have on my Automotive Repair Dealer Registration, and Smog Check, Test-Only, Station License. I enter into this Stipulated Settlement and Disciplinary Order voluntarily, knowingly, and intelligently, and agree to be bound by the Decision and Order of the Director of the Department of Consumer Affairs.

DATED:	April 23, 2026	Signed copy on file
		_____ MOHAMMED ALMAGHAZACHI, DBA BEST SMOG STATION 2 <i>Respondent</i>

I have read and fully discussed with Respondent Mohammed Almaghazachi, dba Best Smog Station 2 the terms and conditions and other matters contained in the above Stipulated Settlement and Disciplinary Order. I approve its form and content.

DATED:	April 23, 2026	Signed copy on file
		_____ NICOLE WEIL <i>Attorney for Respondent</i>

ENDORSEMENT

The foregoing Stipulated Settlement and Disciplinary Order is hereby respectfully submitted for consideration by the Director of the Department of Consumer Affairs.

DATED: April 24, 2026 _____

Respectfully submitted,

ROB BONTA
Attorney General of California
GREGORY J. SALUTE
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Signed copy on file

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