BEFORE THE

MAHARASHTRA REAL ESTATE REGULATORY AUTHORITY

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- 1. COMPLAINT NO. CC00600000057076 Rosy S Petters
- 2. COMPLAINT NO. CC00600000078285 Yogesh Shivaji Deshmukh
- 3. COMPLAINT NO. C00600000078288 Goraksha Genu Tandale
- COMPLAINT NO. CC00600000078290 Dilip Balkrishna Uplekar
- 5. COMPLAINT NO. CC00600000078292 Amita Mukesh Shinde
- 6. COMPLAINT NO. CC00600000078293 Ashish Prakash Sutar
- 7. COMPLAINT NO. CC00600000078297 Kiran Ramkrishna Satav
- 8. COMPLAINT NO. CC00600000078299 Priyanka Pravin Mane
- 9. COMPLAINT NO. CC00600000078302 Sachin Shrikant Puranik
- 10. COMPLAINT NO. CC00600000078303 Sanju Manohar Makawana
- 11. COMPLAINT NO. CC00600000078446 Rupesh Rajaram Mohite
- 12. COMPLAINT NO. CC00600000078479 Rajkiran Gangaram Ingole
- 13. COMPLAINT NO. CC00600000078500 Balkrishna Vilas Tare
- 14. COMPLAINT NO. CC00600000078535 Rajesh Suresh Shevare

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15. COMPLAINT NO. CC00600000078539 Rajendra Balu Phuke	
16. COMPLAINT NO. CC00600000078542 Pandharinath Daulat Raut	
17. COMPLAINT NO. CC00600000078543 Gayatri Mahadev Prasad Sharm	
18. COMPLAINT NO. CC00600000078609 The Consumer's Guidance & Protection Society	
	 Complainants
Versus	
Assets Reality MahaRERA Regn. No. P51700008568	 Respondent

Corum: Shri. Gautam Chatterjee, Chairperson, MahaRERA

Complainant no. 1 was represented by Ms. Kiran Shinde, Adv. and Mr. Usha Singh, Adv. a/w Ms. Vidhya Kulkarni, Adv. (i/b NKS Legal). Complainat nos. 2 - 12 were represented by Mr. R. M. Deshmukh, Adv. Complainant nos. 13 - 18 did not appear.

Respondent was represented by Mr. Ritesh Mishra, Partner.

Order

May 09, 2019

- 1. The Complainants have purchased apartments in the Respondent's project 'THE CHALETS AVENUE' situated at Badlapur, Thane via registered agreements for sale. The Complainants have alleged that the date of possession as stipulated by the said agreements is long over. Therefore, they prayed *interalia* that since the Respondent has failed to hand over the possession of the apartments within the stipulated period, they be directed to pay interest, on delay or refund the amounts paid as per the provisions of section 18 of the Real Estate (Regulation and Development) Act, 2016 (*hereinafter referred to as the said Act*).
- The learned Counsel for the Respondent submitted that the project work is 85% completed and that outer plastering and plumbing work is pending. Further, he

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explained that the construction work of the project could not be completed because of reasons which were beyond the Respondent's control. Specifically, he submitted that the due to financial constraints, internal issues between the Promoter partnership firm, stop work notice issued by the Planning Authority the project has got stalled. However, he added, that the Respondent is now in process of vacating the stop work notice issued by the Planning Authority. He also submitted that 90% of the allottees are in arrears of payments of their due consideration amounts.

- 3. On review of the Respondent's registration webpage it is observed that the extended project registration timeline granted under section 6 of the said Act, has also expired on November 30, 2018. Therefore, during the course of the hearing, it was explained to the Complainants that since the project registration has lapsed, the allottees should explore the possibility of invoking the provisions of section 7/8 of the said Act to complete the project through the association of allottees.
- 4. At this stage when the project is at stand still due to stop work notice of the Planning Authority and since the association of allottees is already formed, the only way forward would be to protect the right of the allottees.
- 5. In view of the above facts, the allottees are advised to take an informed decision pertaining to the said project and proceed under Section 7/8 of the Act as per the MahaRERA Order no. 8/2019 dated March 29, 2019 on Revocation of Registration of Project.
- 6. The Respondent may seek the approval of the association of allottees for order under Section 7(3) of the said Act, as per MahaRERA Order no 7/2019 dated February 8, 2019 on Revocation of Registration of Project for reviving and completing the said project.
- 7. Consequently, the matters are hereby disposed of.

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(Gautam Chatterjee) Chairperson, MahaRERA