IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SEP 2 9 2000 FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA CHARLOTTE DIVISION U.S. DISTRICT COURT

EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

COMMISSION,

Plaintiff,

W. DIST. OF N.C.

CIVIL ACTION NO. 3:00cv490-A

v. COMPLAINT

KNIFE AND FORK)
ON SHARON AMITY, INC.,

JURY TRIAL DEMAND

Defendant.

NATURE OF THE ACTION

This is an action under Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 and Title I of the Civil Rights Act of 1991 to correct unlawful employment practices on the basis of sex and to provide appropriate relief to Debra Hunter, Tamara R. Kelly and other similarly-situated female employees of Defendant, who were adversely affected by such practices. As alleged with more particularity below, certain female employees were subjected to unwelcome sexual harassment by a male supervisor of Knife and Fork on Sharon Amity, Inc. ("Knife and Fork") and were forced to resign because of the harassment.

JURISDICTION AND VENUE

1. Jurisdiction of this Court is invoked pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 451, 1331, 1337, 1343 and 1345. This action is authorized and instituted pursuant to Section 706(f)(1) and (3) of Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 ("Title VII"), as amended, 42 U.S.C. § 2000e-5(f)(1) and (3), and pursuant to

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The Commission requests a jury trial on all questions of fact raised by its complaint.

Dated this _____ day of September, 2000.

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