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UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ALABAMA EASTERN DIVISION

In re: THOMAS M. GAMBLE

Case No._____

Debtor

Chapter 11

VERIFICATION OF CREDITOR MATRIX

The above named debtor(s), or debtor's attorney if applicable, do hereby certify under penalty of perjury that the attached Master Mailing List of creditors, consisting of **1** sheet(s) is complete, correct and consistent with the debtor's schedules pursuant to Local Bankruptcy Rules and I/we assume all responsibility for errors and omissions.

Dated: 11/25/2009

Signed: s/ THOMAS M. GAMBLE THOMAS M. GAMBLE

Signed: /s/ Harry P. Long Harry P. Long Attorney for Debtor(s) Bar no.: ASB-0546-N77H Harry P. Long Post Office Box 1468 10 West 11th Street, Suite 2A Anniston, AL 36202 Telephone No.: (256) 237-3266 Fax No.: (256) 237-3268 E-mail address: hlonglegal@aol.com

B 1 (Official Form 1) (1/08)						
United States Northern Dis Easterr	Bankruptcy C trict of Alabar Division	ourt ma			Voluntar	y Petition
Name of Debtor (if individual, enter Last, First, Middle): GAMBLE, THOMAS, M.		Na	me of Joint De	ebtor (Spouse) (Last	t, First, Middle):	
All Other Names used by the Debtor in the last 8 years (include married, maiden, and trade names):				used by the Joint D, maiden, and trade	Debtor in the last 8 years names):	
Last four digits of Soc. Sec. or Indvidual-Taxpayer I.D. (IT) more than one, state all): 1435	N) No./Complete EIN(ii		st four digits o an one, state al		idual-Taxpayer I.D. (ITIN)	No./Complete EIN(if more
Street Address of Debtor (No. & Street, City, and State): 5185 ALABAMA HWY. 205 N. ALBERTVILLE, AL		Str	reet Address of	f Joint Debtor (No.	& Street, City, and State):	
· ·	CODE 35950				ZIP	CODE
County of Residence or of the Principal Place of Business MARSHALL		Co	unty of Reside	ence or of the Princi	ipal Place of Business:	
Mailing Address of Debtor (if different from street address 5185 ALABAMA HWY. 205 N.):	Ma	ailing Address	of Joint Debtor (if	different from street addres	s):
	CODE 35950				ZIP	CODE
Location of Principal Assets of Business Debtor (if different	from street address abo	we):			ZIP	CODE
Type of Debtor	Nature	of Business	s	Chap	ter of Bankruptcy Code	
(Form of Organization) (Check one box.)	(Check one box)	-		ť	he Petition is Filed (Chec	ck one box)
	Health Care Bus		defined in 11	Chapter 7		er 15 Petition for gnition of a Foreign
✓ Individual (includes Joint Debtors) See Exhibit D on page 2 of this form.	U.S.C. § 101(51			Chapter 9		Proceeding
Corporation (includes LLC and LLP)	Railroad Stockbroker			Chapter 11 Chapter 12		er 15 Petition for
PartnershipOther (If debtor is not one of the above entities,	Commodity Brok	ker				gnition of a Foreign ain Proceeding
check this box and state type of entity below.)	Clearing Bank		-	Chapter 13	Nature of Deb	č
	Other				(Check one box)	
		e mpt Entity k, if applicab		debts, define	imarily consumer ed in 11 U.S.C.	Debts are primarily business debts.
	Debtor is a tax-e under Title 26 or Code (the Intern	of the United	Jnited States personal, family, or house-			
Filing Fee (Check one box)	_		Chaok one	<u> </u>	Chapter 11 Debtors	
☑ Full Filing Fee attached			Check one Debtor		labtor as defined in 11 U.S.	C & 101(51D)
☐ Filing Fee to be paid in installments (applicable to ind	ividuals only) Must att:	ech	 Debtor is a small business debtor as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(51D). Debtor is not a small business debtor as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(51D). 			
signed application for the court's consideration certifyi	ng that the debtor is	acii	Check if:			
unable to pay fee except in installments. Rule 1006(b)	See Official Form 3A.				ingent liquidated debts (ex ss than \$2,190,000.	cluding debts owed to
☐ Filing Fee waiver requested (applicable to chapter 7 in	• /				ss than \$2,190,000.	
attach signed application for the court's consideration.	See Official Form 3B.			pplicable boxes is being filed with t	his natition	
			Accepta	ances of the plan we	ere solicited prepetition from	m one or more classes
Statistical/Administrative Information			of creat	itors, in accordance	with 11 U.S.C. § 1126(b).	THIS SPACE IS FOR
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B 1 (Official Form 1) (1/08)

	Voluntary Petition Name of Debtor(s): (This page must be completed and filed in every case) THOMAS M. GAMBLE				
	All Prior Bankruntey Cases Filed Within La	St 8 Years (If more than two, attach additional sheet.)			
Location		Case Number:	Date Filed:		
Where Filed:	NONE				
Location Where Filed:		Case Number:	Date Filed:		
	Pending Bankruptcy Case Filed by any Spouse, Partner o	r Affiliate of this Debtor (If more than one, attach ad			
Name of Debtor: NONE		Case Number:	Date Filed:		
District:		Relationship:	Judge:		
Exhibit A Exhibit B (To be completed if debtor is required to file periodic reports (e.g., forms 10K and 10Q) with the Securities and Exchange Commission pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and is requesting relief under chapter 11.) (To be completed if debtor is an individual whose debts are primarily consumer debts) I, the attorney for the petitioner named in the foregoing petition, declare that I have informed the petitioner that [he or she] may proceed under chapter 7, 11, 12, or 13 of title 11, United States Code, and have explained the relief available under each such chapter. I further certify that I have delivered to the debtor the notice required by 11 U.S.C. § 342(b). X Not Applicable Signature of Attorney for Debtor(s) Date					
	ExI a or have possession of any property that poses or is alleged to pose a bit C is attached and made a part of this petition.	hibit C threat of imminent and identifiable harm to public heal	th or safety?		
	Exh	nibit D			
Exhibit D Exhibit If this is a joint petit	y every individual debtor. If a joint petition is filed, each spouse must completed and signed by the debtor is attached and made a part of the tion: also completed and signed by the joint debtor is attached and made	his petition.			
	Information Regard	ding the Debtor - Venue			
Ø	(Check any Debtor has been domiciled or has had a residence, principal place preceding the date of this petition or for a longer part of such 180 of		ays immediately		
	There is a bankruptcy case concerning debtor's affiliate. general pa	artner, or partnership pending in this District.			
	Debtor is a debtor in a foreign proceeding and has its principal pla has no principal place of business or assets in the United States but this District, or the interests of the parties will be served in regard	t is a defendant in an action or proceeding [in a federal			
		des as a Tenant of Residential Property oplicable boxes.)			
	Landlord has a judgment against the debtor for possession of debto	or's residence. (If box checked, complete the following).			
		(Name of landlord that obtained judgment)			
	 (Address of landlord) Debtor claims that under applicable nonbankruptcy law, there are circumstances under which the debtor would be permitted to cure the entire monetary default that gave rise to the judgment for possession, after the judgment for possession was entered, and 				
	Debtor has included in this petition the deposit with the court of ar filing of the petition.	ny rent that would become due during the 30-day period	l after the		
	Debtor certifies that he/she has served the Landlord with this certified	fication. (11 U.S.C. § 362(1)).			

Voluntary Petition	Name of Debtor(s):
(This page must be completed and filed in every case)	THOMAS M. GAMBLE
Sign	l natures
Signature(s) of Debtor(s) (Individual/Joint)	Signature of a Foreign Representative
I declare under penalty of perjury that the information provided in this petition is true and correct. [If petitioner is an individual whose debts are primarily consumer debts and has	I declare under penalty of perjury that the information provided in this petition is true and correct, that I am the foreign representative of a debtor in a foreign proceeding, and that I am authorized to file this petition.
chosen to file under chapter 7] I am aware that I may proceed under chapter 7, 11, 12 or 13 of title 11, United States Code, understand the relief available under each such chapter, and choose to proceed under chapter 7.	(Check only one box.)
[If no attorney represents me and no bankruptcy petition preparer signs the petition] I have obtained and read the notice required by 11 U.S.C. § 342(b).	☐ I request relief in accordance with chapter 15 of Title 11, United States Code. Certified Copies of the documents required by § 1515 of title 11 are attached.
I request relief in accordance with the chapter of title 11, United States Code, specified in this petition.	Pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 1511, I request relief in accordance with the Chapter of title 11 specified in the petition. A certified copy of the order granting recognition of the foreign main proceeding is attached.
X s/ THOMAS M. GAMBLE	X Not Applicable
Signature of Debtor THOMAS M. GAMBLE	(Signature of Foreign Representative)
X Not Applicable	
Signature of Joint Debtor	(Printed Name of Foreign Representative)
Telephone Number (If not represented by attorney)	
11/25/2009	Date
Date Signature of Attorney	Signature of Non-Attorney Petition Preparer
X /s/ Harry P. Long	Signature of Non-Attorney retuon rreparer
Signature of Attorney for Debtor(s)	I declare under penalty of perjury that: (1) I am a bankruptcy petition preparer as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 110; (2) I prepared this document for compensation and have provided the
Harry P. Long Bar No. ASB-0546-N77H	debtor with a copy of this document and the notices and information required under 11
Printed Name of Attorney for Debtor(s) / Bar No.	U.S.C. §§ 110(b), 110(h), and 342(b); and, (3) if rules or guidelines have been promulgated pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 110(h) setting a maximum fee for services chargeable by bankruptcy petition preparers, I have given the debtor notice of the maximum amount
Harry P. Long	before preparing any document for filing for a debtor or accepting any fee from the debtor,
Firm Name	as required in that section. Official Form 19 is attached.
Post Office Box 1468 10 West 11th Street, Suite 2A	
Address	Not Applicable
Anniston, AL 36202	Printed Name and title, if any, of Bankruptcy Petition Preparer
(256) 237-3266 (256) 237-3268	
(250) 257-5200 (250) 257-5200 Telephone Number	Social-Security number (If the bankruptcy petition preparer is not an individual, state the Social-Security number of the officer, principal, responsible person or partner of
11/25/2009	the bankruptcy petition preparer.) (Required by 11 U.S.C. § 110.)
Date *In a case in which § 707(b)(4)(D) applies, this signature also constitutes a	Address
certification that the attorney has no knowledge after an inquiry that the information in the schedules is incorrect.	
Signature of Debtor (Corporation/Partnership)	X Not Applicable
I declare under penalty of perjury that the information provided in this petition is true and correct, and that I have been authorized to file this petition on behalf of the	Date
debtor. The debtor requests the relief in accordance with the chapter of title 11, United States	Signature of bankruptcy petition preparer or officer, principal, responsible person, or partner whose Social-Security number is provided above.
Code, specified in this petition.	Names and Social-Security numbers of all other individuals who prepared or assisted in preparing this document unless the bankruptcy petition preparer is not an
X Not Applicable Signature of Authorized Individual	individual. If more than one person prepared this document, attach to the appropriate official form
Printed Name of Authorized Individual	for each person. A bankruptcy petition preparer's failure to comply with the provisions of title 11 and
	the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure may result in fines or imprisonment or both. 11 U.S.C. § 110; 18 U.S.C. § 156.
Title of Authorized Individual	oom. 11 0.5.0. y 110, 10 0.5.0. y 150.
Date	

In re THOMAS M. GAMBLE

Debtor

Chapter 11

_, Case No. _

LIST OF CREDITORS HOLDING 20 LARGEST UNSECURED CLAIMS

(1) Name of creditor	(2) Name, telephone number and	(3) Nature of claim	(4) Indicate if claim	(5) Amount of claim
and complete mailing address including zip code	complete mailing address, including zip code, of employee, agent, or department of creditor familiar with claim who may be contacted	(trade debt, bank loan, gov- ernment contract, etc.)	is contingent, unliquidated, disputed or subject to setoff	[if secured also state value of security]
CHASE PO BOX 94017 PALATINE IL 60097				\$10,355.82
CHASE PO BOX 94017 PALATINE IL 60097				\$17,552.91
CHASE PO BOX 94017 PALATINE IL 60097				\$15,322.10
ADVANTA BANK CORP PO BOX 8088 PHILADELPHIA PA 19101				\$20,289.62
CAPITAL ONE PO BOX 6492 CAROL STREAM, IL				\$2,186.98
HSBC PAYMENT CENTER PO BOX 17313 BALTIMORE, MD 21297				\$3,838.07

In re THOMAS M. GAMBLE

Moberly, MO 35270

Debtor

_____, Case No. ____

Chapter 11

LIST OF CREDITORS HOLDING 20 LARGEST UNSECURED CLAIMS

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Name of creditor and complete mailing address including zip code	Name, telephone number and complete mailing address, including zip code, of employee, agent, or department of creditor familiar with claim who may be contacted	Nature of claim (trade debt, bank loan, gov- ernment contract, etc.)	Indicate if claim is contingent, unliquidated, disputed or subject to setoff	Amount of claim [if secured also state value of security]
AT&T ADVERTIZING SOLUTIONS C/OFOCUS RECEIVABLES MTG PO BOX 725069 ATLANTA, GA 31139				\$4,754.87
CATERPILLAR FINANCE PO BOX 340001 NASHVILLE, TN 37203				\$38.506.15
CNH CAPITAL PO BOX 292 RACINE, WI 53401-0292				\$42,477.97
Melanie F. Gamble 6804 Candlewood Ave. Trussville, AL 35173				\$30,000.00
David Beuoy, Esq. 725 North Brindlee Mtn. Parkway Arab, AL 35016				\$9,275.65
Jackie Barow, Esq. Barrow Law Firm, LLC 1015 West Rollins Mabarky, MO 25270				\$1,098.50

Penalty for making a false statement or concealing property. Fine of up to \$500,000 or imprisonment for up to 5 years or both. 18 U.S.C §§ 152 and 3571.

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT

Northern District of Alabama

Eastern Division

In re THOMAS M. GAMBLE

Debtor

Case No.

(if known)

EXHIBIT D - INDIVIDUAL DEBTOR'S STATEMENT OF COMPLIANCE WITH CREDIT COUNSELING REQUIREMENT

Warning: You must be able to check truthfully one of the five statements regarding credit counseling listed below. If you cannot do so, you are not eligible to file a bankruptcy case, and the court can dismiss any case you do file. If that happens, you will lose whatever filing fee you paid, and your creditors will be able to resume collection activities against you. If your case is dismissed and you file another bankruptcy case later, you may be required to pay a second filing fee and you may have to take extra steps to stop creditors' collection activities.

Every individual debtor must file this Exhibit D. If a joint petition is filed, each spouse must complete and file a separate Exhibit D. Check one of the five statements below and attach any documents as directed.

□ 1. Within the 180 days **before the filing of my bankruptcy case**, I received a briefing from a credit counseling agency approved by the United States trustee or bankruptcy administrator that outlined the opportunities for available credit counseling and assisted me in performing a related budget analysis, and I have a certificate from the agency describing the services provided to me. *Attach a copy of the certificate and a copy of any debt repayment plan developed through the agency.*

□ 2. Within the **180 days before the filing of my bankruptcy case**, I received a briefing from a credit counseling agency approved by the United States trustee or bankruptcy administrator that outlined the opportunities for available credit counseling and assisted me in performing a related budget analysis, but I do not have a certificate from the agency describing the services provided to me. You must file a copy of a certificate from the agency describing the services provided to you and a copy of any debt repayment plan developed through the agency no later than 15 days after your bankruptcy case is filed.

3. I certify that I requested credit counseling services from an approved agency but was unable to obtain the services during the five days from the time I made my request, and the following exigent circumstances merit a temporary waiver of the credit counseling requirement so I can file my bankruptcy case now. [Summarize exigent circumstances here.]

If your certification is satisfactory to the court, you must still obtain the credit counseling briefing within the first 30 days after you file your bankruptcy petition and promptly file a certificate from the agency that provided the counseling, together with a copy of any debt management plan developed through the agency. Failure to fulfill these requirements may result in dismissal of your case. Any extension of the 30-day deadline can be granted only for cause and is limited to a maximum of 15 days. Your case may also be dismissed if the court is not satisfied with your reasons for filing your bankruptcy case without first receiving a credit counseling briefing.

B 1D (Official Form 1, Exh. D) (12/08) - Cont.

4. I am not required to receive a credit counseling briefing because of: [Check the applicable statement.] [Must be accompanied by a motion for determination by the court.]

□ Incapacity. (Defined in 11 U.S.C. § 109(h)(4) as impaired by reason of mental illness or mental deficiency so as to be incapable of realizing and making rational decisions with respect to financial responsibilities.);

Disability. (Defined in 11 U.S.C. § 109(h)(4) as physically impaired to the extent of being unable, after reasonable effort, to participate in a credit counseling briefing in person, by telephone, or through the Internet.);

Active military duty in a military combat zone.

5. The United States trustee or bankruptcy administrator has determined that the credit counseling requirement of 11 U.S.C. ' 109(h) does not apply in this district.

I certify under penalty of perjury that the information provided above is true and correct.

Signature of Debtor: s/ THOMAS M. GAMBLE THOMAS M. GAMBLE

Date: 11/25/2009

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Debtor

Case No.

Chapter

11

SUMMARY OF SCHEDULES

Indicate as to each schedule whether that schedule is attached and state the number of pages in each. Report the totals from Schedules A, B, D, E, F, I, and J in the boxes provided. Add the amounts from Schedules A and B to determine the total amount of the debtor's assets. Add the amounts of all claims from Schedules D, E, and F to determine the total amount of the debtor's liabilities. Individual debtors also must complete the "Statistical Summary of Certain Liabilities and Related Data" if they file a case under chapter 7, 11, or 13.

NAME OF SCHEDULE	ATTACHED (YES/NO)	NO. OF SHEETS	ASSETS		LIABILITIES	OTHER
A - Real Property	YES	2	\$	1,210,500.00		
B - Personal Property	YES	2	\$	17,720.00		
C - Property Claimed as Exempt	YES	1				
D - Creditors Holding Secured Claims	YES	1			\$ 92,755.22	
E - Creditors Holding Unsecured Priority Claims (Total of Claims on Schedule E)	YES	2			\$ 30,000.00	
F - Creditors Holding Unsecured Nonpriority Claims	YES	3			\$ 165,658.64	
G - Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases	YES	1				
H - Codebtors	YES	1				
I - Current Income of Individual Debtor(s)	YES	1				\$ 2,500.00
J - Current Expenditures of Individual Debtor(s)	YES	1				\$ 2,190.00
тот	AL	15	\$	1,228,220.00	\$ 288,413.86	

In re THOMAS M. GAMBLE

Debtor

Case No.

Debtor

(If known)

DECLARATION CONCERNING DEBTOR'S SCHEDULES

DECLARATION UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY BY INDIVIDUAL DEBTOR

I declare under penalty of perjury that I have read the foregoing summary and schedules, consisting of 17 sheets, and that they are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief.

Date: 11/25/2009

Signature: s/ THOMAS M. GAMBLE

THOMAS M. GAMBLE

[If joint case, both spouses must sign]

DECLARATION UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY ON BEHALF OF CORPORATION OR PARTNERSHIP

(NOT APPLICABLE)

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ALABAMA EASTERN DIVISION

NOTICE TO CONSUMER DEBTOR(S) UNDER § 342(b) OF THE BANKRUPTCY CODE

In accordance with § 342(b) of the Bankruptcy Code, this notice to individuals with primarily consumer debts: (1) Describes briefly the services available from credit counseling services; (2) Describes briefly the purposes, benefits and costs of the four types of bankruptcy proceedings you may commence; and (3) Informs you about bankruptcy crimes and notifies you that the Attorney General may examine all information you supply in connection with a bankruptcy case.

You are cautioned that bankruptcy law is complicated and not easily described. Thus, you may wish to seek the advice of an attorney to learn of your rights and responsibilities should you decide to file a petition. Court employees cannot give you legal advice.

Notices from the bankruptcy court are sent to the mailing address you list on your bankruptcy petition. In order to ensure that you receive information about events concerning your case, Bankruptcy Rule 4002 requires that you notify the court of any changes in your address. If you are filing a **joint case** (a single bankruptcy case for two individuals married to each other), and each spouse lists the same mailing address on the bankruptcy petition, you and your spouse will generally receive a single copy of each notice mailed from the bankruptcy court in a jointly-addressed envelope, unless you file a statement with the court requesting that each spouse receive a separate copy of all notices.

1. Services Available from Credit Counseling Agencies

With limited exceptions, § 109(h) of the Bankruptcy Code requires that all individual debtors who file for bankruptcy relief on or after October 17, 2005, receive a briefing that outlines the available opportunities for credit counseling and provides assistance in performing a budget analysis. The briefing must be given within 180 days <u>before</u> the bankruptcy filing. The briefing may be provided individually or in a group (including briefings conducted by telephone or on the Internet) and must be provided by a nonprofit budget and credit counseling agency approved by the United States trustee or bankruptcy administrator. The clerk of the bankruptcy court has a list that you may consult of the approved budget and credit counseling agencies. Each debtor in a joint case must complete the briefing.

In addition, after filing a bankruptcy case, an individual debtor generally must complete a financial management instructional course before he or she can receive a discharge. The clerk also has a list of approved financial management instructional courses. Each debtor in a joint case must complete the course.

2. The Four Chapters of the Bankruptcy Code Available to Individual Consumer Debtors

Chapter 7: Liquidation (\$245 filing fee, \$39 administrative fee, \$15 trustee surcharge: Total fee \$299)

1. Chapter 7 is designed for debtors in financial difficulty who do not have the ability to pay their existing debts. Debtors whose debts are primarily consumer debts are subject to a "means test" designed to determine whether the case should be permitted to proceed under chapter 7. If your income is greater than the median income for your state of residence and family size, in some cases, creditors have the right to file a motion requesting that the court dismiss your case under § 707(b) of the Code. It is up to the court to decide whether the case should be dismissed.

2. Under chapter 7, you may claim certain of your property as exempt under governing law. A trustee may have the right to take possession of and sell the remaining property that is not exempt and use the sale proceeds to pay your creditors.

3. The purpose of filing a chapter 7 case is to obtain a discharge of your existing debts. If, however, you are found to have committed certain kinds of improper conduct described in the Bankruptcy Code, the court may deny your discharge and, if it does, the purpose for which you filed the bankruptcy petition will be defeated.

4. Even if you receive a general discharge, some particular debts are not discharged under the law. Therefore, you may still be responsible for most taxes and student loans; debts incurred to pay nondischargeable taxes; domestic support and property settlement obligations; most fines, penalties, forfeitures, and criminal restitution obligations; certain debts which are not properly listed in your bankruptcy papers; and debts for death or personal injury caused by operating a motor vehicle, vessel, or aircraft while intoxicated from alcohol or drugs. Also, if a creditor can prove that a debt arose from fraud, breach of fiduciary duty, or theft, or from a willful and malicious injury, the bankruptcy court may determine that the debt is not discharged.

Chapter 13: Repayment of All or Part of the Debts of an Individual with Regular Income (\$235 filing fee, \$39 administrative fee: Total fee \$274)

1. Chapter 13 is designed for individuals with regular income who would like to pay all or part of

their debts in installments over a period of time. You are only eligible for chapter 13 if your debts do not exceed certain dollar amounts set forth in the Bankruptcy Code.

2. Under chapter 13, you must file with the court a plan to repay your creditors all or part of the money that you owe them, using your future earnings. The period allowed by the court to repay your debts may be three years or five years, depending upon your income and other factors. The court must approve your plan before it can take effect.

3. After completing the payments under your plan, your debts are generally discharged except for domestic support obligations; most student loans; certain taxes; most criminal fines and restitution obligations; certain debts which are not properly listed in your bankruptcy papers; certain debts for acts that caused death or personal injury; and certain long term secured obligations.

Chapter 11: Reorganization (\$1000 filing fee, \$39 administrative fee: Total fee \$1039)

Chapter 11 is designed for the reorganization of a business but is also available to consumer debtors. Its provisions are quite complicated, and any decision by an individual to file a chapter 11 petition should be reviewed with an attorney.

Chapter 12: Family Farmer or Fisherman (\$200 filing fee, \$39 administrative fee: Total fee \$239)

Chapter 12 is designed to permit family farmers and fishermen to repay their debts over a period of time from future earnings and is similar to chapter 13. The eligibility requirements are restrictive, limiting its use to those whose income arises primarily from a family-owned farm or commercial fishing operation.

3. Bankruptcy Crimes and Availability of Bankruptcy Papers to Law Enforcement Officials

A person who knowingly and fraudulently conceals assets or makes a false oath or statement under penalty of perjury, either orally or in writing, in connection with a bankruptcy case is subject to a fine, imprisonment, or both. All information supplied by a debtor in connection with a bankruptcy case is subject to examination by the Attorney General acting through the Office of the United States Trustee, the Office of the United States Attorney, and other components and employees of the Department of Justice.

WARNING: Section 521(a)(1) of the Bankruptcy Code requires that you promptly file detailed information regarding your creditors, assets, liabilities, income, expenses and general financial condition. Your bankruptcy case may be dismissed if this information is not filed with the court within the time deadlines set by the Bankruptcy Code, the Bankruptcy Rules, and the local rules of the court.

Certificate of the Debtor

I, the debtor, affirm that I have received and read this notice.

THOMAS M. GAMBLE	Xs/ THOMAS M. GAMBLE	11/25/2009
Printed Name of Debtor	THOMAS M. GAMBLE	
	Signature of Debtor	Date
Case No. (if known)		

n re	THOMAS M. GAMBLE		Case No.	
	Debtor	·······;	Chapter	11

STATISTICAL SUMMARY OF CERTAIN LIABILITIES AND RELATED DATA (28 U.S.C. § 159)

If you are an individual debtor whose debts are primarily consumer debts, as defined in § 101(8) of the Bankruptcy Code (11 U.S.C. § 101(8)), filing a case under chapter 7, 11 or 13, you must report all information requested below.

Check this box if you are an individual debtor whose debts are NOT primarily consumer debts. You are not required to report any information here.

This information is for statistical purposes only under 28 U.S.C. § 159.

Summarize the following types of liabilities, as reported in the Schedules, and total them.

Type of Liability	Amount
Domestic Support Obligations (from Schedule E)	\$ 500.00
Taxes and Certain Other Debts Owed to Governmental Units (from Schedule E)	\$
Claims for Death or Personal Injury While Debtor Was Intoxicated (from Schedule E) (whether disputed or undisputed)	\$
Student Loan Obligations (from Schedule F)	\$
Domestic Support, Separation Agreement, and Divorce Decree Obligations Not Reported on Schedule E.	\$
Obligations to Pension or Profit-Sharing, and Other Similar Obligations (from Schedule F)	\$
TOTAL	\$ 500.00

State the following:

Average Income (from Schedule I, Line 16)	\$ 2,500.00
Average Expenses (from Schedule J, Line 18)	\$ 2,190.00
Current Monthly Income (from Form 22A Line 12; OR , Form 22B Line 11; OR , Form 22C Line 20)	\$

In re THOMAS M. GAMBLE

Debtor

Case No. Chapter

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State the following:

1. Total from Schedule D, "UNSECURED PORTION, IF ANY" column		\$
2. Total from Schedule E, "AMOUNT ENTITLED TO PRIORITY" column.	\$ 500.00	
3. Total from Schedule E, "AMOUNT NOT ENTITLED TO PRIORITY, IF ANY" column		\$
4. Total from Schedule F		\$155,284.49
5. Total of non-priority unsecured debt (sum of 1, 3, and 4)		\$155,284.49

STATEMENT OF SOCIAL-SECURITY NUMBER OR INDIVIDUAL TAXPAYER-IDENTIFICATION NUMBER (ITIN)

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT Northern District of Alabama Eastern Division

Address: 5185 ALABAMA HWY. 205 N. ALBERTVILLE, AL 35950 Last four digits of Social-Security or Individual Taxpayer- Identification (ITIN) No(s).(if any): 1435 Employer Tax-Identification (EIN) No(s).(if any): 0 STATEMENT OF SOCIAL-SECURITY NUMBER(S) (or other Individual Taxpayer-Identification Number(s) (ITIN(s))) 1.Name of Debtor (Last, First, Middle): GAMBLE, THOMAS, M. (Check the appropriate box and, if applicable, provide the required information.) Debtor has a Social-Security Number and it is: 419 - 82 - 1435 (If more than one, state all.) Debtor does not have a Social-Security Number or an Individual Taxpayer-Identification Number (ITIN), and it is: (If more than one, state all.) 2.Name of Joint Debtor (Last, First, Middle): (Check the appropriate box and, if applicable, provide the required information.) 2.Name of Joint Debtor (Last, First, Middle): (Check the appropriate box and, if applicable, provide the required information.) 2.Name of Joint Debtor (Last, First, Middle): (Check the appropriate box and, if applicable, provide the required information.) (Check the appropriate box and, if applicable, provide the required information.) (Check the appropriate box and, if applicable, provide the required information.) (Check the appropriate box and, if applicable, provide the required information.) (Check the appropriate box and, if applicable, provide the required information.) (If more than one, state all.)
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 (if more than one, state all.) Joint Debtor does not have either a Social-Security Number or an Individual Taxpayer-Identification Number (ITIN).
I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.
X s/ THOMAS M. GAMBLE 11/25/2009

THOMAS M. GAMBLE Signature of Debtor

Date

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ALABAMA EASTERN DIVISION

STATEMENT OF INFORMATION REQUIRED BY 11 U.S.C. § 341

INTRODUCTION

Pursuant to the Bankruptcy Reform Act of 1994, the Office of the United States Bankruptcy Administrator has prepared this information sheet to help you understand some of the possible consequences of filing a bankruptcy petition under chapter 7 of the Bankruptcy Code. This information is intended to make you aware of -

- (1) the potential consequences of seeking a discharge in bankruptcy,
 - including the effects on credit history;
- (2) the effect of receiving a discharge of debts in bankruptcy;
- (3) the effect of reaffirming a debt; and
- (4) your ability to file a petition under a different chapter of the Bankruptcy
- Code.

There are many other provisions of the Bankruptcy Code that may affect your situation. This statement contains only general principles of law and is not a substitute for legal advice. If you have any questions or need further information as to how the bankruptcy laws apply to your specific case, you should consult with your lawyer.

WHAT IS A DISCHARGE?

The filing of a chapter 7 petition is designed to result in a discharge of most of the debts you listed in your bankruptcy schedules. A discharge is a court order that says that you do not have to repay your debts, but there are a number of exceptions. Debts which usually may not be discharged in your chapter 7 case include, for example, most taxes, child support, alimony, and student loans; court-ordered fines and restitution; debts obtained through fraud or deception; debts which were not listed in your bankruptcy schedules; and personal injury debts caused by driving while intoxicated or taking drugs. Your discharge may be denied entirely if you, for example, destroy or conceal property; destroy, conceal or falsify records; or make a false oath. Creditors cannot ask you to repay debts which have been discharged. You can only receive a chapter 7 discharge once every eight (8) years.

WHAT ARE THE POTENTIAL EFFECTS OF A DISCHARGE?

The fact that you filed bankruptcy can appear on your credit report for as long as 10 years. Thus, filing a bankruptcy petition may affect your ability to obtain credit in the future. Also, you may not be excused from repaying debts that were not listed on your bankruptcy schedules or that you incurred after you filed bankruptcy. There are exceptions to this general statement. See your lawyer if you have questions.

WHAT ARE THE EFFECTS OF REAFFIRMING A DEBT?

After you file your bankruptcy petition, a creditor may ask you to reaffirm a certain debt or you may seek to do so on your own. Reaffirming a debt means that you sign and file with the court a legally enforceable document which states that you promise to repay all or a portion of the debt that may otherwise have been discharged in your bankruptcy case. Reaffirmation agreements must generally be filed with the court sixty (60) days after the first meeting of creditors.

Reaffirmation agreements are strictly voluntary. They are not required by the Bankruptcy Code or other state or federal law. You can voluntarily repay any debt instead of signing a reaffirmation agreement, but there may be valid reasons for wanting to reaffirm a particular debt. This is particularly true when property you wish to retain is collateral for a debt.

Reaffirmation agreements must not impose an undue burden on you or your dependents and must be in your best interest. If you decide to sign a reaffirmation agreement, you may cancel it at any time before the court issues an order of discharge or within sixty (60) days after you filed the reaffirmation agreement with the court, whichever is later.

If you reaffirm a debt and fail to make the payments as required in the reaffirmation agreement, the creditor can take action against you to recover any property that was given as security for the loan and you may remain personally liable for any deficiency. In addition, creditors may seek other remedies, such as garnishment of wages.

OTHER BANKRUPTCY OPTIONS

You have a choice in deciding what chapter of the Bankruptcy Code will best suit your needs. Even if you have already filed for relief under chapter 7, you may be eligible to convert your case to a different chapter.

Chapter 7 is the liquidation chapter of the Bankruptcy Code. Under chapter 7, a trustee is appointed to collect and sell, if economically feasible, all property you own that is not exempt from these actions.

Chapter 11 is the reorganization chapter most commonly used by businesses, but it is also available to individuals. Creditors vote on whether to accept or reject a plan, which also must be approved by the court. While the debtor normally remains in control of the assets, the court can order the appointment of a trustee to take possession and control of the business.

Chapter 12 offers bankruptcy relief to those who qualify as family farmers. Family farmers must propose a plan to repay their creditors over a three-to-five year period and it must be approved by the court. Plan payments are made through a chapter 12 trustee, who also monitors the debtors' farming operations during the pendency of the plan.

Finally, chapter 13 generally permits individuals to keep their property by repaying creditors out of their future income. Each chapter 13 debtor writes a plan which must be approved by the bankruptcy court. The debtors must pay the chapter 13 trustee the amount set forth in their plan. Debtors receive a discharge after they complete their chapter 13 repayment plan. Chapter 13 is only available to individuals with regular income whose debts do not exceed \$1,000,000 (\$250,000 in unsecured debts and \$750,000 in secured debts).

AGAIN, PLEASE SPEAK TO YOUR LAWYER IF YOU NEED FURTHER INFORMATION OR EXPLANATION, INCLUDING HOW THE BANKRUPTCY LAWS RELATE TO YOUR SPECIFIC CASE.

By signing below, I/we acknowledge that I/we have received a copy of this document, and that I/we have had an opportunity to discuss the information in this document with an attorney of my/our choice.

Date 11/25/2009

s/ THOMAS M. GAMBLE THOMAS M. GAMBLE

/s/ Harry P. Long Harry P. Long

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT Northern District of Alabama Eastern Division

In re: THOMAS M. GAMBLE					Case No.				
	Debtor				Chapter				
	DISCLOSURE OF COMPENSATION OF ATTORNEY FOR DEBTOR								
1.	and th paid to	nat compensation paid to me within one year l	befor	016(b), I certify that I am the attorney for the above-na e the filing of the petition in bankruptcy, or agreed to be behalf of the debtor(s) in contemplation of or in		or(s)			
	F	or legal services, I have agreed to accept				\$	0.00		
	Prior to the filing of this statement I have received					\$	0.00		
	В	alance Due				\$	0.00		
2.	The s	ource of compensation paid to me was:							
		Debtor		Other (specify)					
3.	The s	ource of compensation to be paid to me is:							
	☑ Debtor ☐ Other (specify)								
4.	Ø	I have not agreed to share the above-disclo of my law firm.	sed o	compensation with any other person unless they are m	embers a	nd associat	es		
5.	 I have agreed to share the above-disclosed compensation with a person or persons who are not members or associates of my law firm. A copy of the agreement, together with a list of the names of the people sharing in the compensation, is attached. In return for the above-disclosed fee, I have agreed to render legal service for all aspects of the bankruptcy case, 								
including: a) Analysis of the debtor's financial situation, and rendering advice to the debtor in determining whether to file a petition in bankruptcy;									
	b)	Preparation and filing of any petition, schedules, statement of affairs, and plan which may be required;							
	c)	Representation of the debtor at the meeting of creditors and confirmation hearing, and any adjourned hearings thereof;							
	d)	[Other provisions as needed]							
	to be billed at \$325.00 per hour for Harry Long and \$200.00 per hour for Stacy Upton, subject to change January 1 and subject to Court approval								
6.	By aç	greement with the debtor(s) the above disclos	ed fe	e does not include the following services:					
		None							
				CERTIFICATION					

I certify that the foregoing is a complete statement of any agreement or arrangement for payment to me for representation of the debtor(s) in this bankruptcy proceeding.

Dated: 11/25/2009

/s/ Harry P. Long Harry P. Long, Bar No. ASB-0546-N77H

Harry P. Long Attorney for Debtor(s)