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UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT

CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

Voluntary Petition

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COU CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNI	VAIINTAN PATITIAN				
Name of Debtor (if individual, enter Last, First, Middle):		Name of Joint Debtor (Spouse) (Last, First, Middle):			
Charles Butler	Sylvia Butler				
All Other Names used by the Debtor in the last 8 years (include married, maiden, ano trade names):	All Other Names used by the Joint Debtor in the last 8 years (include married, maiden, and trade names):				
Chuck Butler					
Last four digits of Soc. Sec. or Individual-Taxpayer I.D. (ITIN) No /Complete EIN		Individual-Taxpayer I.D. (ITIN) No./Complete EIN			
(if more than one, state all): -0597	(if more than one, state all):	-2339			
Street Address of Debtor (No. & Street, City, and State): 635 E. Micheltorena St.	Street Address of Joint Debtor	(No. & Street, City, and State): Itorena St.			
Santa Barbara, CA 93103	Santa Barbar				
ZIP CODE	7	ZIP CODE			
County of Residence or of the Principal Place of Business:	County of Residence or of the	Principal Place of Business:			
Santa Barbara	Santa Barbar	a			
Mailing Address of Debtor (if different from street address):	Mailing Address of Joint Debto	or (if different from street address):			
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ZIP CODE	<u></u>	ZIP CODE			
Location of Principal Assets of Business Debtor (if different from street address ab	ove):	70.000			
	AL	ZIP CODE			
Type of Debtor (Form of Organization) Nature of Business (Check one box.)	Chapter	of Bankruptcy Code Under Which the Petition is Filed			
X2 Individual (includes Joint Debtors)	v	(Check one box)			
See Exhibit D on page 2 of this form Disingle Asset Real Estate as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101 (51B)	☐ Chapter 7				
☐ Partnership ☐ Raitroad ☐ Other (if debtor is not one of the above ☐ Stockbroker	☐ Chapter	13  Chapter 15 Petition for Recognition of a Foreign Nonmain Proceeding			
entities, check this box and state type 🚨 Commodity Broker		Nature of Debts			
of entity below) 🔲 Clearing Bank 🗀 Other		(Check one box.)			
Tax-Exempt Entity	Debts are primarily consumer				
(Check one box, if applicable)	11 U.S.C. § 101(8) as "incurred by an individual primarily for a personal, family, or house-hold				
☐ Debtor is a tax-exempt organization under Title 26 of the United States Code (the Internal Revenue Code.)	purpose."				
Filing Fee (Check one box)	Chark and have	Chapter 11 Debtors:			
X₂ Full Filing Fee attached	Check one box:  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).				
Filing Fee to be paid in installments (Applicable to individuals only). Must attach signed application for the count's consideration certifying that the debtor is unable to pay fee except.		is depict as defined if 11 0.5.0. § 101 (51D).			
in installments. Rule 1006(b). See Official Form 3A.	Check if: Debtor's aggregate noncontingent liquidated debts (excluding debts owed to insiders affiliates) are less than \$2,343,300. (amount subject to adjustment on 04/01/13 and every thr				
☐ Filing Fee waiver requested (Applicable to chapter 7 individuals only). Must attach	years thereafter).	, soo. (amount subject to adjustment (an onto in 10 and every time			
signed application for the court's consideration. See Official Form 3B.	Check all applicable boxes:				
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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 3 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and is requesting relief ander chapter 11.)  Exhibit A is attached and made a part of this petition.	are prima.  I, the attorney for the petitioner nan informed the petitioner that [he or she].  II. United States Code, and have explicit her certify that I have delivered to the control of the control o	ebtor is an individual whose debts arily consumer debts.)  ned in the foregoing petition, declare that I have a many proceed under chapter 7, 11, 12, or 13 of the latest the relief available under each such chapted the debtor the notice required by 11 U.S.C. § 342(I)
Exhibit C  oes the debtor own or have possession of any property that poses or is leged to pose a threat of imminent and identifiable harm to public health or afety?  I Yes, and Exhibit C is attached and made a part of this petition.	complete and attach a separate Exhibit QX Exhibit D completed and signed petition.  If this is a joint petition:	Exhibit D debtor. If a joint petition is filed, each spouse multiplication is filed, each spouse multiplication is attached and made a part of the debtor is attached and made a part ed by the joint debtor is attached and made a part
	garding the Debtor - Venue any applicable box)	·
Debtor has been domiciled or has had a residence, principal plan of this petition or for a longer part of such 180 days than in any	ce of business, or principal assets in this other District.	District for 180 days immediately preceding the days
☐ There is a bankruptcy case concerning debtor's affiliate, genera	al partner, or partnership pending in this	District.
Debtor is a debtor in a foreign proceeding and has its principal place of business or assets in the United States but is a defenda parties will be served in regard to the relief sought in this District	ant in an action or proceeding [in a feder	the United States in this District, or has no princi al or state court] in this District, or the interests of t
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☐ Landford has a judgment against the debtor for possession of o	debtor's residence. (If box checked, cor	mplete the following.)
	(Name of landlord that obtained judgme	ent)
-	(Address of landlord)	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
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2008 USBC, Central District of California Form B1 (Official Form 1) (Rev. 04/10) FORM B1, Page 3 Name of Debtor(s): Voluntary Petition Charles and Sylvia Butler (This page must be completed and filed in every case) Signatures Signature of a Foreign Representative Signature(s) of Debtor(s) (Individual/Joint) I declare under penalty of perjury that the information provided in this petition is true and correct, 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 chosen to file that I am the foreign representative of a debtor in a foreign main proceeding, and that I am authorized to file this petition. 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. [If no attorney represents me and no bankruptcy petition preparer signs the (Check only one box.) petition] I have obtained and read the notice required by 11 U.S.C. § 342(b). Frequest relief in accordance with chapter 15 of title 11, United States Code. Certified copies of the documents required by 11 U.S.C. § 1515 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 this petition. A certified copy of the order granting recognition of the foreign main proceeding is attached. Signature of Debtor Signature of John Debtor (Signature of Foreign Representative) (805) 618-0353 Telephone Number (If not represented by attorney) (Printed Name of Foreign Representative) September 13, 2010 Date Signature of Non-Attorney Bankruptcy Petition Preparer Signature of Attorney 00 M-I declare under penalty of perjury that: (1) I am a bankruptcy petition preparer as defined in 11 Signature of Attorney for Debtor(s) U.S.C. § 110; (2) I prepared this document for compensation and have provided the debtor with a copy of this document and the notices and information required under 11 U.S.C. §§ 110(b), Debra C. Young 110(h), and 342(b); and, (3) if rules or guidelines have been promulgated pursuant to 11 U.S.C. Printed Name of Attorney for Debtor(s) Attorney at Law § 110(h) setting a maximum fee for services chargeable by bankruptcy petition preparers, I have given the debtor notice of the maximum amount before preparing any document for filing for a debtor or accepting any fee from the debtor, as required in that section. Official Form 19 is 610 Anacapa Street attached Address Santa Barbara, CA 93101 Printed Name and title, if any, of Bankruptcy Petition Preparer (805) 403-2213Social 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 the bankruptcy petition Telephone Number preparer.) (Required by 11 U.S.C. § 110.) <u>9/13/10</u> fin a case in which § 707(b)(4)(D) applies, this signature also constitutes a certification that the attorney has no knowledge after an inquiry that the information in the schedules is incorrect Signature of Debtor (Corporation/Partnership) 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 debtor. Signature of bankruptcy petition preparer or officer, principal, responsible person, or partner whose Social Security number is provided above. The debtor requests relief in accordance with the chapter of title 11, United States Code, Names and Social Security numbers of all other individuals who prepared or assisted in preparing specified in this petition. this document unless the bankruptcy petition preparer is not an individual. If more than one person prepared this document, attach additional sheets conforming to the Х appropriate official form for each person. Signature of Authorized Individual A bankruptcy petition preparer's failure to comply with the provisions of title 11 and the Federal Printed Name of Authorized Individual 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 Date

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In re:	CHAPTER: 11
Charles & Sylvia Butler Debi	r(s). CASE NO.:

### 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 14 days after your bankruptcy case is filed.

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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.

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□ 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.]
<ul> <li>Incapacity. (Defined in 11 U.S.C. § 109(h)(4) as impaired by reason of mental illness or menta deficiency so as to be incapable of realizing and making rational decisions with respect to financia responsibilities.);</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>□ 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, o through the Internet.);</li> <li>□ Active military duty in a military combat zone.</li> </ul>
5. The United States trustee or bankruptcy administrator has determined that the credit counseling

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

Signature of Debtor: Charles Butler

requirement of 11 U.S.C. § 109(h) does not apply in this district.

Date: September 13, 2010

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	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:

Sylvia Butler

Date: September 13, 2010

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2007 USBC, Central District of California Form B4 (Official Form 4) - (12/07) **UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA** CHAPTER: 11 Charles Butler and Sylvia Butler Debtor(s) CASE NO .:

#### Form 4. LIST OF CREDITORS HOLDING 20 LARGEST UNSECURED CLAIMS

Following is the list of the debtor's creditors holding the 20 largest unsecured claims. The list is prepared in accordance with Fed, R. Bankr, P. 1007(d) for filing in this chapter 11 [or chapter 9] case. The list does not include (1) persons who come within the definition of "insider" set forth in 11 U.S.C. § 101, or (2) secured creditors unless the value of the collateral is such that the unsecured deficiency places the creditor among the holders of the 20 largest unsecured claims. If a minor child is one of the creditors holding the 20 largest unsecured claims, state the child's initials and the name and address of the child's parent or quardian, such as "A.B., a minor child, by John Doe, guardian." Do not disclose the child's name. See, 11 U.S.C. §112 and Fed. R. Bankr. P. 1007(m).

(1) (2) (3) (4)	(5)
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	ount of claim [if secured also a value of security]
Carol High Note	
2411 Domingo St., Las Vegas, NV 89121 \$2	00,000
Andrew & Cheryl Adler Note	
P.O. Box 715, Pahoa, HI 96778 \$2	00,000
Christina Perez Note	
P.O. Box 14547, Las Vegas, NV 50306-3547 \$1	20,000
Daniel & Myriam Smith Note	
87 Lassen Dr., Santa Barbara, CA 93111 \$	89,207
Laura Raudenbush Note	
353 Mohawk, Santa Barbara, CA 93109 \$	78 <b>,</b> 000
Joe & Bea Butler Family Trust Note	<del></del>
287 Rosario Park, Santa Barbara, CA 93105 \$1	31,000
Stephen E. Penner Legal Services Disp.	
	33,866
Hochhauser Blatter Architects Architectural Services	
	21,655
122 E. Allellaga St., Danta Darbara, St.	

September 13, 2010 Charles B. Butler
Debtor Date:

[Declaration as in Form 2]

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UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA					
In re	CHAPTER: 11				
Charles Butler and Sylvia Butle	r Debtor(s). CASE NO.:				

#### LIST OF CREDITORS HOLDING 20 LARGEST UNSECURED CLAIMS

(Continuation Sheet)

(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, govern-ment contract, etc.)	Indicate if claim is contingent, unliquidated, disputed or subject to setoff	Amount of claim [if secured also state value of security]
Thomas Diets		Legal Servic	es	
924 Anacapa	St., Santa Barbar	a, CA 93101		\$18 <b>,</b> 589
Rosa Guerra		Note		
	to Dr., San Gabri			\$20,000
	63, Wilmington, D			\$26,434
George & Jul	ia Reyes Manch Road, Duarte	Note		\$20,000
Chase United	Mileage Plus 198, Wilmington, D	air miles E 19850-5298		\$15,475
	s Angeles, CA 900			\$14,092
	26, Wilmington, D	credit card E 19850-5026 credit card		\$13 <b>,</b> 853
	63, Wilmington, D	E 19884-5463		\$13,091
	ess 198, Wilmington, D	credit card 0E 19850-5298		\$11,861
Sears P.O. Box 628	32, Sioux Falls, S	credit card SD 51117-6282		\$11,670
Hilton P.O. Box 650	00, Sioux Falls, S	SD 57117-6500		\$9,179
Home Depot P.O. Box 653	3000, Dallas, TX 7	credit card 75265-3000		\$6,261

Party Name, Address and Telephone Number (CA State Bar No. If Applicable)  Debra C. Young  Attorney at Law  610 Anacapa Street  Santa Barbara, CA 93101  (805) 403-2213	FOR COURT USE ONLY
Attorney for Debtors	
UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA	
In re:	CHAPTER 11
Charles Butler and Sylvia Butler,	CASE NUMBER
: 	ebtor. (No Hearing Required)

# VENUE DISCLOSURE FORM FOR CORPORATIONS FILING CHAPTER 11 (Required by General Order 97-02)

NONE.

\*Attach additional sheets as necessary and indicate so in each section\*

1.	Specify the address of the principal office of the Debtor currently on file with the California Secretary of State (from Form S0100, S0200, or S0300):
2.	Specify the address of the principal office of the Debtor listed on the Debtor's most recent federal tax return:
3.	Disclose the current business address(es) for all corporate officers:
4.	Disclose the current business address(es) where the Debtor's books and records are located:

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	Debtor.	CASE NUMBER
5.	List the address(es) where the majority of the Debtor's assets are located b forth on the Debtor's most recent balance sheet:	ased on a book value determination as set
6.	Disclose any different address(es) to those listed above within six months the reasons for the change in address(es):	prior to the filing of this petition and state
7.	State the name and address of the officer signing this Statement and the (specify):	relationship of such person to the Debtor
8.	Total number of attached pages of supporting documentation:	
9. I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States of America, that the foregoing is true and correct.		
Execut	ed on the day of, 20, at	, California.
	n or Title of Officer	ire of Declarant

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Party Name, Address and Telephone Number (CA State Bar No. If Applicable) Debra C. Young Attorney at Law 610 Anacapa Street Santa Barbara, CA 93101 (805) 403-2213		FOR COURT USE ONLY
Attorney for Debtors		
UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA		
In re:		CHAPTER 11
Charles Butler and Sylvia Butler,		CASE NUMBER
	Debtor.	(No Hearing Required)

# VENUE DISCLOSURE FORM FOR PARTNERSHIPS FILING CHAPTER 11 (Required by General Order 97-02)

NONE.

\*Attach additional sheets as necessary and indicate so in each section\*

1.	Specify the address(es) of the principal office(s) of the Debtor currently on file with the California Secretary of State (from Form LP1, LP5, or GP1):
2.	Specify the address of the principal office(s) of the Debtor listed on the Debtor's most recent federal tax return:
3.	Disclose the current business address(es) for the general partner(s) and all officers of the general partner(s):
4.	Disclose the current business address(es) where the Debtor's books and records are located:

	Venue Disclosure Form for Partnerships Filing Chapter 1	1 - Page 2	VEN-P
In re		CHAPTER 11	
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5.	List the address(es) where the majority of the Debtor's assets are located forth on the Debtor's most recent balance sheet:	based on a book valu	e determination as set
6.	Disclose any different address(es) to those listed above within six month the reasons for the change in address(es):	ns prior to the filing of	this petition and state
7.	State the name and address of the individual signing this Statement at Debtor and to the General Partner of the debtor (specify):	nd the relationship of	such individual to the
8.	Total number of attached pages of supporting documentation:	-	
9.	I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States of A	merica, that the forego	oing is true and correct.
Execu	ted on the day of, 20, at		, California.
Туре		ture of Declarant of Declarant (if any)	

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## INFORMATION REQUIRED BY LOCAL BANKRUPTCY RULE 1015-2 UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT, CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

1.	A petition under the Bankruptcy Act of 1898 or the Bankruptcy Reform Act of 1978 has previously been filed by or against the debtor, his/her spouse, his or her current or former domestic partner, an affiliate of the debtor, any copartnership or joint venture of which debtor is or formerly was a general or limited partner, or member, or any corporation of which the debtor is a director, officer, or person in control, as follows: (Set forth the complete number and title of each such of prior proceeding, date filed, nature thereof, the Bankruptcy Judge and court to whom assigned, whether still pending and, if not, the disposition thereof. If none, so indicate. Also, list any real property included in Schedule A that was filed with any such prior proceeding(s).)			
	None.			
2.	(If petitioner is a partnership or joint venture) A petition under the Bankruptcy Act of 1898 or the Bankruptcy Reform Act of 1978 has previously been filed by or against the debtor or an affiliate of the debtor, or a general partner in the debtor, a relative of the general partner, general partner of, or person in control of the debtor, partnership in which the debtor is a general partner, general partner of the debtor, or person in control of the debtor as follows: (Set forth the complete number and title of each such prior proceeding, date filed, nature of the proceeding, the Bankruptcy Judge and court to whom assigned, whether still pending and, if not, the disposition thereof. If none, so indicate. Also, list any real property included in Schedule A that was filed with any such prior proceeding(s).)			
3.	(If petitioner is a corporation) A petition under the Bankruptcy Act of 1898 or the Bankruptcy Reform Act of 1978 has previously been filed by or against the debtor, or any of its affiliates or subsidiaries, a director of the debtor, an officer of the debtor, a person in control of the debtor, a partnership in which the debtor is general partner, a general partner of the debtor, a relative of the general partner, director, officer, or person in control of the debtor, or any persons, firms or corporations owning 20% or more of its voting stock as follows: (Set forth the complete number and title of each such prior proceeding, date filed, nature of proceeding, the Bankruptcy Judge and court to whom assigned, whether still pending, and if not, the disposition thereof. If none, so indicate. Also, list any real property included in Schedule A that was filed with any such prior proceeding(s).)			
4.	(If petitioner is an individual) A petition under the Bankruptcy Reform Act of 1978, including amendments thereof, has been filed by or against the debtor within the last 180 days: (Set forth the complete number and title of each such prior proceeding, date filed, nature of proceeding, the Bankruptcy Judge and court to whom assigned, whether still pending, and if not, the disposition thereof. If none, so indicate. Also, list any real property included in Schedule A that was filed with any such prior proceeding(s).)			
	eclare, under penalty of perjury, that the foregoing is true and correct.			
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UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA			
List all names including trade names, used by Debtor(s) within last 8 years:		Case No.:	
		NOTICE OF AVAILABLE CHAPTERS	
		(Notice to Individual Consumer Debtor 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.

#### 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 before 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.

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#### 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.
- 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.
- 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.

### <u>Chapter 13</u>: 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.
- 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.

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### Certificate of [Nøn-Attorney] Bankruptcy Petition Preparer

attorney
I, the [r/o/-/exto/re/ey] bankruptcy petition preparer signing the debtor's petition, hereby certify that I delivered to the debtor this notice required by § 342(b) of the Bankruptcy Code.

Debra C. Young, Attorney		
Printed name and title, if any, of Bankruptcy Petition Preparer  Delan C. Journ 7/13 10	Social Security number (If the bankruptcy Address: preparer is not an individual, st Social Security number of the officer, princ responsible person, or partner of the ban petition preparer.) (Required by 11 U.S.C. §	tate the ipal, kruptcy
Signature of Bankruptcy Petition Preparer or officer, principal, responsible person, or partner whose Social Security number is provided above.		
Certificate of the Debtor		
I (We), the debtor(s), affirm that I (we) have received and re	ad this notice.	
Charles Butler	Charles B. Butto 13/10	
Printed Name(s) of Debtor(s)	Signature of Debtor Date	
Case No. (if known)	x Sullu Signature of Joint Debtor (if any) Date	

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	Debtors.	
	VERIFICATION OF CREDIT	
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