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United States Bankruptcy Court Central District of California, Los Angeles Division					Volunta	ry Petition			
Name of Debtor (if individual, enter Last, First, Paradise Growers, Inc. a California	,			Name	of Joint De	ebtor (Spouse) (Last, First,	Middle):	
	•								
All Other Names used by the Debtor in the last 8 years (include married, maiden, and trade names):						used by the J maiden, and		in the last 8 years :	
Last four digits of Soc. Sec. or Individual-Taxpa (if more than one, state all) 20-3921068	yer I.D. (ITIN) N	lo./Com	plete EIN	Last fo	our digits of than one, state	f Soc. Sec. or all)	· Individual-T	Taxpayer I.D. (ITIN	N) No./Complete EIN
Street Address of Debtor (No. and Street, City, a 2055 Midwick Drive Altadena, CA	nd State):	7	ZID Co to	Street	Address of	Joint Debtor	(No. and Str	eet, City, and State	,
		910	CIP Code 001	-					ZIP Code
County of Residence or of the Principal Place of Los Angeles	Business:			Count	y of Reside	ence or of the	Principal Pla	ce of Business:	
Mailing Address of Debtor (if different from stre	et address):			Mailin	g Address	of Joint Debt	or (if differer	nt from street addre	ess):
		Z	CIP Code	4					ZIP Code
Location of Principal Assets of Business Debtor (if different from street address above):									
Type of Debtor			usiness			-	-	tcy Code Under	
(Form of Organization) (Check one box)	(C Health Care	heck one Busine			Chapte		Petition is Fil	led (Check one bo	x)
Individual (includes Joint Debtors)	Single Asse	t Real E	Estate as d	efined				napter 15 Petition f	
See Exhibit D on page 2 of this form.	in 11 U.S.C	. § 101	(316)		Chapt			a Foreign Main Pr apter 15 Petition f	e
Corporation (includes LLC and LLP)	☐ Stockbroker				Chapt			a Foreign Nonmai	
Partnership	Clearing Ba				_ 1				
☐ Other (If debtor is not one of the above entities, check this box and state type of entity below.)	Other							of Debts	
			t Entity applicable)			re primarily co	onsumer debts,	I I	Debts are primarily
	Debtor is a under Title Code (the In	26 of th	e United S	States	"incurr	l in 11 U.S.C. § ed by an indivi nal, family, or	dual primarily	for	pusiness debts.
Filing Fee (Check one box)		Check on	e box:	1	Chap	ter 11 Debto	ors	
Full Filing Fee attached						debtor as defir		C. § 101(51D). J.S.C. § 101(51D).	
Filing Fee to be paid in installments (applicable to attach signed application for the court's considerati			Check if:					,	
debtor is unable to pay fee except in installments. I									insiders or affiliates) w three years thereafter).
Form 3A. Filing Fee waiver requested (applicable to chapter)	Check all applicable boxes:								
attach signed application for the court's considerati			Acc	ceptances (of the plan w	this petition. vere solicited pr S.C. § 1126(b).	repetition from	one or more classes	of creditors,
Statistical/Administrative Information			int				THIS	SPACE IS FOR CO	URT USE ONLY
 Debtor estimates that funds will be available Debtor estimates that, after any exempt prop there will be no funds available for distributi 	erty is excluded a	and adm	ninistrative		es paid,				
Estimated Number of Creditors					_	_	1		
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Voluntar		Name of Debtor(s): Paradise Growers	, Inc. a California corporation		
(This page mu	st be completed and filed in every case)		•		
	All Prior Bankruptcy Cases Filed Within Last	8 Years (If more than tw	o, attach additional sheet)		
Location Where Filed:	- None -	Case Number:	Date Filed:		
Location Where Filed:		Case Number:	Date Filed:		
Pe	nding Bankruptcy Case Filed by any Spouse, Partner, or	Affiliate of this Debtor	If more than one, attach additional sheet)		
Name of Debt - None -	or:	Case Number:	Date Filed:		
District:		Relationship:	Judge:		
forms 10K a pursuant to S and is reques	Exhibit A bleted if debtor is required to file periodic reports (e.g., nd 10Q) with the Securities and Exchange Commission Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 sting relief under chapter 11.) A is attached and made a part of this petition.	I, the attorney for the pethave informed the petitic 12, or 13 of title 11, Uniunder each such chapter. required by 11 U.S.C. §3 X			
	Exh or own or have possession of any property that poses or is alleged to Exhibit C is attached and made a part of this petition.	ibit C pose a threat of imminent an	d identifiable harm to public health or safety?		
Exhibit If this is a joi	leted by every individual debtor. If a joint petition is filed, ear D completed and signed by the debtor is attached and made	a part of this petition.			
	Information Regardin	0			
	(Check any ap Debtor has been domiciled or has had a residence, principa days immediately preceding the date of this petition or for	al place of business, or pr	ncipal assets in this District for 180 days than in any other District.		
	There is a bankruptcy case concerning debtor's affiliate, ge	e i			
	Certification by a Debtor Who Reside (Check all app		tial Property		
	Landlord has a judgment against the debtor for possession		box checked, complete the following.)		
	(Name of landlord that obtained judgment)				
	Debtor claims that under applicable nonbankruptcy law, th	ere are circumstances un	ler which the debtor would be permitted to cure		
	the entire monetary default that gave rise to the judgment f Debtor has included in this petition the deposit with the co	for possession, after the ju	dgment for possession was entered, and		
	after the filing of the petition.		and annug me so any period		

Debtor certifies that he/she has served the Landlord with this certification. (11 U.S.C. § 362(l)).

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Voluntary Petition	Name of Debtor(s):
	Paradise Growers, Inc. a California corporation
(This page must be completed and filed in every case)	
C C	atures
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.	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
[If petitioner is an individual whose debts are primarily consumer debts and	proceeding, and that I am authorized to file this petition.
has 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	(Check only one box.)
available under each such chapter, and choose to proceed under chapter 7.	☐ I request 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.
[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 the chapter of title 11, United States Code,	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
specified in this petition.	recognition of the foreign main proceeding is attached.
	X
X	X
Signature of Debtor	
X	Printed Name of Foreign Representative
X	
	Date
Telephone Number (If not represented by attorney)	Signature of Non-Attorney Bankruptcy Petition Preparer
	Signature of ton Autorney Bunkruptey Feudon Freparer
Date	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
Signature of Attorney*	compensation and have provided the debtor with a copy of this document
Signature of Attorney	and the notices and information required under 11 U.S.C. §§ 110(b), 110(h), and 342(b); and, (3) if rules or guidelines have been promulgated
X /s/ Roy C. Dickson, Esq.	pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 110(h) setting a maximum fee for services
Signature of Attorney for Debtor(s)	chargeable by bankruptcy petition preparers, I have given the debtor notice of the maximum amount before preparing any document for filing for a
Roy C. Dickson, Esg. 105583	debtor or accepting any fee from the debtor, as required in that section.
Printed Name of Attorney for Debtor(s)	Official Form 19 is attached.
DICKSON & ASSOCIATES	Printed Name and title, if any, of Bankruptcy Petition Preparer
Firm Name	Printed Name and title, if any, of Bankrupicy Petition Preparer
2323 North Tustin Avenue Suite I	
Santa Ana, CA 92705	Social-Security number (If the bankrutpcy petition preparer is not an individual, state the Social Security number of the officer,
	principal, responsible person or partner of the bankruptcy petition
Address	preparer.)(Required by 11 U.S.C. § 110.)
Email: roycd@aol.com 714-541-8080 Fax: 714-541-8090	
Telephone Number	
February 23, 2011 105583	
Date	Address
*In a case in which § $707(b)(4)(D)$ applies, this signature also constitutes a	X
certification that the attorney has no knowledge after an inquiry that the information in the schedules is incorrect.	
	Date
Signature of Debtor (Corporation/Partnership)	Signature of Bankruptcy Petition Preparer or officer, principal, responsible
I declare under penalty of perjury that the information provided in this	person, or partner whose Social Security number is provided above.
petition is true and correct, and that I have been authorized to file this petition	Names and Social-Security numbers of all other individuals who prepared or
on behalf of the debtor.	assisted in preparing this document unless the bankruptcy petition preparer is
The debtor requests relief in accordance with the chapter of title 11, United States Code, specified in this petition.	not an individual:
X /s/ Ron Lee Signature of Authorized Individual	
Signature of Authorized Individual Ron Lee	If more than one nerven present this desumant attack additional short
Ron Lee Printed Name of Authorized Individual	If more than one person prepared this document, attach additional sheets conforming to the appropriate official form for each person.
Printed Name of Authorized Individual President	
Title of Authorized Individual	A bankruptcy petition preparer's failure to comply with the provisions of title 11 and the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure may result in
February 23, 2011	fines or imprisonment or both 11 U.S.C. §110; 18 U.S.C. §156.
Date	

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United States Bankruptcy Court

Central District of California, Los Angeles Division

In re Paradise Growers, Inc. a California corporation

Debtor(s)

Case No. Chapter 11

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 guardian, such as "A.B., a minor child, by John Doe, guardian." Do not disclose the child's name. See 11 U.S.C. § 112; Fed. R. Bankr. P. 1007(m).

(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, government contract, etc.)	Indicate if claim is contingent, unliquidated, disputed, or subject to setoff	Amount of claim [if secured, also state value of security]
JPMorgan Chase Bank P.O. Box 5545 Orange, CA 92863	JPMorgan Chase Bank P.O. Box 5545 Orange, CA 92863	Single Family Residential Real Property 2055 Midwick Drive Altadena, California 91001	Unliquidated	268,083.00 (650,000.00 secured) (850,000.00 senior lien)
Select Portfolio Service P.O. Box 65250 Salt Lake City, UT 84165	Select Portfolio Service P.O. Box 65250 Salt Lake City, UT 84165	Single Family Residential Real Property 2055 Midwick Drive Altadena, California 91001	Unliquidated	850,000.00 (650,000.00 secured)

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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, government contract, etc.)	Indicate if claim is contingent, unliquidated, disputed, or subject to setoff	Amount of claim [if secured, also state value of security]

DECLARATION UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY ON BEHALF OF A CORPORATION OR PARTNERSHIP

I, the President of the corporation named as the debtor in this case, declare under penalty of perjury that I have read the foregoing list and that it is true and correct to the best of my information and belief.

Date **February 23, 2011**

Signature /s/ Ron Lee Ron Lee President

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 Central District of California, Los Angeles Division

In re	Paradise Growers, Inc. a California corporation	Case No.	
-	Debtor	,	
		Chapter	11

LIST OF EQUITY SECURITY HOLDERS

Following is the list of the Debtor's equity security holders which is prepared in accordance with Rule 1007(a)(3) for filing in this chapter 11 case.

Name and last known address	Security	Number	Kind of
or place of business of holder	Class	of Securities	Interest
Ron Lee 2055 Midwick Drive Altadena, CA 91001	Common Stock	10,000 shares	Stock ownership

DECLARATION UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY ON BEHALF OF CORPORATION OR PARTNERSHIP

I, the President of the corporation named as the debtor in this case, declare under penalty of perjury that I have read the foregoing List of Equity Security Holders and that it is true and correct to the best of my information and belief.

Date ____ February 23, 2011

Signature <u>/s/ Ron Lee</u> Ron Lee President

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

- 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).)
 None.

I declare, under penalty of perjury, that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed at _____, California.

Dated February 23, 2011

/s/ Ron Lee		
Ron Lee		
Debtor		

Joint Debtor

This form is mandatory by Order of the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Central District of California.

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MASTER MAILING LIST Verification Pursuant to Local Bankruptcy Rule 1007-2(d)

Name Roy C. Dickson, Esq. 105583

Verification of Creditor Mailing List - (Rev. 10/05)

Address 2323 North Tustin Avenue Suite I Santa Ana, CA 92705

Telephone 714-541-8080 Fax: 714-541-8090

Attorney for Debtor(s)

Debtor in Pro Per

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA, LOS ANGELES DIVISION				
List all names including trade names used by Debtor(s) within last 8 years:	Case No.:			
Paradise Growers, Inc. a California corporation	Chapter: 11			

VERIFICATION OF CREDITOR MAILING LIST

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 Rule 1007-2(d) and I/we assume all responsibility for errors and omissions.

Date:February 23, 2011/s/ Ron LeeRon Lee/President
Signer/TitleSigner/TitleDate:February 23, 2011/s/ Roy C. Dickson, Esq.Signature of Attorney
Roy C. Dickson, Esq. 105583
DICKSON & ASSOCIATES
2323 North Tustin Avenue
Suite I
Santa Ana, CA 92705
714-541-8080
Fax: 714-541-8090

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Paradise Growers, Inc. a California corporation 2055 Midwick Drive Altadena, CA 91001

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JPMorgan Chase Bank P.O. Box 5545 Orange, CA 92863

Select Portfolio Service P.O. Box 65250 Salt Lake City, UT 84165

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Attorney or Party Name, Address, Telephone & FAX Number, and California State Bar Number	FOR COURT USE ONLY
Roy C. Dickson, Esq. 2323 North Tustin Avenue Suite I Santa Ana, CA 92705 714-541-8080 Fax: 714-541-8090 California State Bar Number: 105583	
Attorney for Debtor	-
UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA	
In re: Paradise Growers, Inc. a California corporation	CASE NO.: ADV. NO.:
	CHAPTER: 11
Debtor(s),	
Plaintiff(s),	
Defendant(s).	

Corporate Ownership Statement Pursuant to FRBP 1007(a)(1) and 7007.1, and LBR 1007-4

Pursuant to FRBP 1007(a)(1) and 7007.1, and LBR 1007-4, any corporation, other than a governmental unit, that is a debtor in a voluntary case or a party to an adversary proceeding or a contested matter shall file this statement identifying all its parent corporations and listing any publicly held company, other than a governmental unit, that directly or indirectly own 10% or more of any class of the corporation's equity interest, or state that there are no entities to report. This Corporate Ownership Statement must be filed with the initial pleading filed by a corporate entity in a case or adversary proceeding. A supplemental statement must promptly be filed upon any change in circumstances that renders this Corporate Ownership Statement inaccurate.

I, Roy C. Dickson, Esq. 105583

, the undersigned in the above-captioned case, hereby declare

(Print Name of Attorney or Declarant)

under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States of America that the following is true and correct:

[Check the appropriate boxes and, if applicable, provide the required information.]

1. I have personal knowledge of the matters set forth in this Statement because:

- □ I am the president or other officer or an authorized agent of the debtor corporation
- □ I am a party to an adversary proceeding
- □ I am a party to a contested matter
- I am the attorney for the debtor corporation
- 2.a. The following entities, other than the debtor or a governmental unit, directly or indirectly own 10% or more of any class of the corporation's(s') equity interests:

[For additional names, attach an addendum to this form.]

b. There are no entities that directly or indirectly own 10% or more of any class of the corporation's equity interest.

/s/ Roy C. Dickson, Esq.

Signature of Attorney or Declarant

February 23, 2011 Date

Roy C. Dickson, Esq. 105583

Printed Name of Attorney or Declarant