

B1 (Official Form 1)(12/11)

**United States Bankruptcy Court  
District of Connecticut**

**Voluntary Petition**

Name of Debtor (if individual, enter Last, First, Middle): <b>KNB Properties, LLC</b>	Name of Joint Debtor (Spouse) (Last, First, Middle):
All Other Names used by the Debtor in the last 8 years (include married, maiden, and trade names):	All Other Names used by the Joint Debtor in the last 8 years (include married, maiden, and trade names):
Last four digits of Soc. Sec. or Individual-Taxpayer I.D. (ITIN) No./Complete EIN (if more than one, state all) <b>06-1637723</b>	Last four digits of Soc. Sec. or Individual-Taxpayer I.D. (ITIN) No./Complete EIN (if more than one, state all)
Street Address of Debtor (No. and Street, City, and State): <b>291 Hope Street Apt. B4 Stamford, CT</b> <div style="text-align: right; margin-top: 5px;">ZIP Code <b>06906</b></div>	Street Address of Joint Debtor (No. and Street, City, and State): <div style="text-align: right; margin-top: 5px;">ZIP Code</div>
County of Residence or of the Principal Place of Business: <b>Fairfield</b>	County of Residence or of the Principal Place of Business:
Mailing Address of Debtor (if different from street address): <div style="text-align: right; margin-top: 5px;">ZIP Code</div>	Mailing Address of Joint Debtor (if different from street address): <div style="text-align: right; margin-top: 5px;">ZIP Code</div>

Location of Principal Assets of Business Debtor (if different from street address above):

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Type of Debtor</b> (Form of Organization) (Check one box)</p> <input type="checkbox"/> Individual (includes Joint Debtors) <i>See Exhibit D on page 2 of this form.</i> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Corporation (includes LLC and LLP) <input type="checkbox"/> Partnership <input type="checkbox"/> Other (If debtor is not one of the above entities, check this box and state type of entity below.)	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Nature of Business</b> (Check one box)</p> <input type="checkbox"/> Health Care Business <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Single Asset Real Estate as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101 (51B) <input type="checkbox"/> Railroad <input type="checkbox"/> Stockbroker <input type="checkbox"/> Commodity Broker <input type="checkbox"/> Clearing Bank <input type="checkbox"/> Other	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Chapter of Bankruptcy Code Under Which the Petition is Filed</b> (Check one box)</p> <input type="checkbox"/> Chapter 7 <input type="checkbox"/> Chapter 9 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Chapter 11 <input type="checkbox"/> Chapter 12 <input type="checkbox"/> Chapter 13  <input type="checkbox"/> Chapter 15 Petition for Recognition of a Foreign Main Proceeding <input type="checkbox"/> Chapter 15 Petition for Recognition of a Foreign Nonmain Proceeding
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Chapter 15 Debtors</b></p> <p>Country of debtor's center of main interests:</p> <p>Each country in which a foreign proceeding by, regarding, or against debtor is pending:</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Tax-Exempt Entity</b> (Check box, if applicable)</p> <input type="checkbox"/> Debtor is a tax-exempt organization under Title 26 of the United States Code (the Internal Revenue Code).	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Nature of Debts</b> (Check one box)</p> <input type="checkbox"/> Debts are primarily consumer debts, defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(8) as "incurred by an individual primarily for a personal, family, or household purpose." <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Debts are primarily business debts.

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Filing Fee</b> (Check one box)</p> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Full Filing Fee attached <input type="checkbox"/> Filing Fee to be paid in installments (applicable to individuals only). Must attach signed application for the court's consideration certifying that the debtor is unable to pay fee except in installments. Rule 1006(b). See Official Form 3A. <input type="checkbox"/> Filing Fee waiver requested (applicable to chapter 7 individuals only). Must attach signed application for the court's consideration. See Official Form 3B.	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Chapter 11 Debtors</b></p> <p>Check one box:</p> <input type="checkbox"/> Debtor is a small business debtor as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(51D). <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Debtor is not a small business debtor as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(51D). <p>Check if:</p> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Debtor's aggregate noncontingent liquidated debts (excluding debts owed to insiders or affiliates) are less than \$2,343,300 (amount subject to adjustment on 4/01/13 and every three years thereafter). <p>Check all applicable boxes:</p> <input type="checkbox"/> A plan is being filed with this petition. <input type="checkbox"/> Acceptances of the plan were solicited prepetition from one or more classes of creditors, in accordance with 11 U.S.C. § 1126(b).
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**Statistical/Administrative Information**

Debtor estimates that funds will be available for distribution to unsecured creditors.  
 Debtor estimates that, after any exempt property is excluded and administrative expenses paid, there will be no funds available for distribution to unsecured creditors.

**Estimated Number of Creditors**

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
1-49	50-99	100-199	200-999	1,000-5,000	5,001-10,000	10,001-25,000	25,001-50,000	50,001-100,000	OVER 100,000

**Estimated Assets**

<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
\$0 to \$50,000	\$50,001 to \$100,000	\$100,001 to \$500,000	\$500,001 to \$1 million	\$1,000,001 to \$10 million	\$10,000,001 to \$50 million	\$50,000,001 to \$100 million	\$100,000,001 to \$500 million	\$500,000,001 to \$1 billion	More than \$1 billion

**Estimated Liabilities**

<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
\$0 to \$50,000	\$50,001 to \$100,000	\$100,001 to \$500,000	\$500,001 to \$1 million	\$1,000,001 to \$10 million	\$10,000,001 to \$50 million	\$50,000,001 to \$100 million	\$100,000,001 to \$500 million	\$500,000,001 to \$1 billion	More than \$1 billion

THIS SPACE IS FOR COURT USE ONLY

<b>Voluntary Petition</b> <i>(This page must be completed and filed in every case)</i>	Name of Debtor(s): <b>KNB Properties, LLC</b>
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**All Prior Bankruptcy Cases Filed Within Last 8 Years** (If more than two, attach additional sheet)

Location Where Filed: <b>- None -</b>	Case Number:	Date Filed:
Location Where Filed:	Case Number:	Date Filed:

**Pending Bankruptcy Case Filed by any Spouse, Partner, or Affiliate of this Debtor** (If more than one, attach additional sheet)

Name of Debtor: <b>- None -</b>	Case Number:	Date Filed:
District:	Relationship:	Judge:

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Exhibit A</b></p> <p>(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.)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Exhibit A is attached and made a part of this petition.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Exhibit B</b></p> <p>(To be completed if debtor is an individual whose debts are primarily consumer debts.)</p> <p>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 delivered to the debtor the notice required by 11 U.S.C. §342(b).</p> <p><b>X</b> _____ Signature of Attorney for Debtor(s) (Date)</p>
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**Exhibit C**

Does the debtor own or have possession of any property that poses or is alleged to pose a threat of imminent and identifiable harm to public health or safety?

Yes, and Exhibit C is attached and made a part of this petition.

No.

**Exhibit D**

(To be completed by every individual debtor. If a joint petition is filed, each spouse must complete and attach a separate Exhibit D.)

Exhibit D completed and signed by the debtor is attached and made a part of this petition.

If this is a joint petition:

Exhibit D also completed and signed by the joint debtor is attached and made a part of this petition.

**Information Regarding the Debtor - Venue**

(Check any applicable box)

Debtor has been domiciled or has had a residence, principal place of business, or principal assets in this District for 180 days immediately preceding the date of this petition or for a longer part of such 180 days than in any other District.

There is a bankruptcy case concerning debtor's affiliate, general partner, or partnership pending in this District.

Debtor is a debtor in a foreign proceeding and has its principal place of business or principal assets in the United States in this District, or has no principal place of business or assets in the United States but is a defendant in an action or proceeding [in a federal or state court] in this District, or the interests of the parties will be served in regard to the relief sought in this District.

**Certification by a Debtor Who Resides as a Tenant of Residential Property**

(Check all applicable boxes)

Landlord has a judgment against the debtor for possession of debtor'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 any rent that would become due during the 30-day period after the filing of the petition.

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

**Voluntary Petition**

*(This page must be completed and filed in every case)*

Name of Debtor(s):  
**KNB Properties, LLC**

**Signatures**

**Signature(s) of Debtor(s) (Individual/Joint)**

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 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 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, specified in this petition.

**X** \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Debtor

**X** \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Joint Debtor

\_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone Number (If not represented by attorney)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**Signature of a Foreign Representative**

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.

(Check only one box.)

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.

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.

**X** \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Foreign Representative

\_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Name of Foreign Representative

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**Signature of Attorney\***

**X** /s/ Craig I. Lifland  
Signature of Attorney for Debtor(s)

Craig I. Lifland ct00976  
Printed Name of Attorney for Debtor(s)

Zeisler & Zeisler, P.C.  
Firm Name

P.O. Box 3186  
Bridgeport, CT 06605

\_\_\_\_\_  
Address

(203) 368-4234 Fax: (203) 367-9678  
Telephone Number

January 23, 2013  
Date

\*In 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 Non-Attorney Bankruptcy Petition Preparer**

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 debtor with a copy of this document 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 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 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 attached.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Name and title, if any, of Bankruptcy Petition Preparer

\_\_\_\_\_  
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 the bankruptcy petition preparer.)(Required by 11 U.S.C. § 110.)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Address

**X** \_\_\_\_\_  
Date

Signature of bankruptcy petition preparer or officer, principal, responsible person, or partner whose Social Security number is provided above.

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 individual:

If more than one person prepared this document, attach additional sheets conforming to the appropriate official form 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.*

**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.

The debtor requests relief in accordance with the chapter of title 11, United States Code, specified in this petition.

**X** /s/ Nicholas Bakes  
Signature of Authorized Individual

Nicholas Bakes  
Printed Name of Authorized Individual

Managing Member  
Title of Authorized Individual

January 23, 2013  
Date

**CORPORATE RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED BY**  
**KNB PROPERTIES, LLC**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that (i) I am a member of KNB Properties, LLC, a Connecticut limited liability company (hereinafter referred to as the "Company"), (ii) the following is a true and correct copy of resolutions duly adopted by the Board of the Company on January 22, 2013, (the "Resolutions"), and (iii) the Resolutions neither conflict with any order of any court or Bylaw or regulation of the Company nor have the Resolutions been in any way altered, amended or repealed and are in full force and effect, unrevoked and unrescinded as of this date;

RESOLVED, that the Company (i) file a voluntary petition for reorganization pursuant to Chapter 11 of Title 11, United States Code (the "Bankruptcy Code"), (ii) if the circumstance arises prior to filing such a petition making necessary or convenient (a) consent to the entry of an order for relief in an involuntarily commenced Chapter 11 case, or (b) consent to the entry of an order for relief and convert an involuntarily commenced Chapter 7 case to a case under Chapter 11, and (iii) perform any and all such acts as are reasonable, advisable, expedient, convenient, proper or necessary to effect any of the foregoing;

FURTHER RESOLVED, that, Nicholas Bakes (the "Officer"), shall be, and hereby is, authorized and empowered to execute and deliver or cause to be filed, on behalf of the Company, (i) the voluntary petition of the Company pursuant to Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code, (ii) the consent to the entry of an order for relief in an involuntarily commenced Chapter 11 case, or (iii) the consent to the entry of an order for relief and conversion of an involuntarily commenced Chapter 7 case to a case under Chapter 11, and (iv) any and all other documents necessary or appropriate in connection therewith in such form or forms as the Officer or Officers so acting may approve;

FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Company, as Debtor and Debtor in possession under Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code, borrow funds in such amounts, from such lenders and on such terms as may be approved by the Officer as reasonably necessary for the continuing conduct of the affairs of the Company and grant security interests in and liens upon all or substantially all of the Company's assets as may be deemed necessary by any one or more of the Officers in connection with such borrowings;

FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Officer shall be, and hereby is, authorized and empowered to execute and deliver for and on behalf of the Company, as Debtor and Debtor in possession, such agreements, instruments and any and all other documents necessary or appropriate to facilitate the transactions contemplated by the foregoing resolution (the "Financing Documents") and that Financing Documents containing such provisions, terms, conditions, covenants, warranties and representations as may be deemed necessary or appropriate by the Officer or Officers so acting hereby are approved.

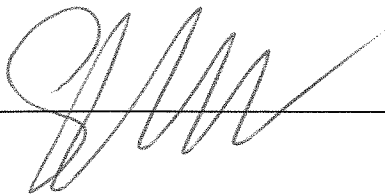
FURTHER RESOLVED, that the law firm of Zeisler & Zeisler, P.C. shall be, and it hereby is, authorized and empowered to represent the Company, as Debtor and Debtor in possession, in connection with any case commenced by or against it under the Bankruptcy Code;

FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Officer shall be, and hereby is, authorized and empowered to retain, on behalf of the Company, Zeisler & Zeisler, P.C. and such other attorneys, financial advisors and accountants as the Officer or Officers so acting shall deem appropriate in his or their judgment;

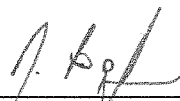
FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Officer shall be authorized and empowered to take or cause to be taken any and all such further action, to execute and deliver any and all such further instruments and documents and to pay all such fees and expenses, as the Officer so acting shall deem appropriate in his judgment to fully carry out the intent and accomplish the purposes of the Resolutions; and

FURTHER RESOLVED, that all of the acts and transactions of any one or more of the Officers or Board of Directors of the Company, which have been taken, caused to have been taken or made prior to the effective date of the Resolutions in connection with the matters set forth in the Resolutions, are hereby ratified, confirmed and approved.

Attest:

  
\_\_\_\_\_

KNB PROPERTIES, LLC

By:   
\_\_\_\_\_  
Nicholas Bakes, Managing Member  
Duly Authorized

Dated: January 22, 2013

B4 (Official Form 4) (12/07)

**United States Bankruptcy Court  
District of Connecticut**

In re **KNB Properties, LLC**

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)
<i>Name of creditor and complete mailing address including zip code</i>	<i>Name, telephone number and complete mailing address, including zip code, of employee, agent, or department of creditor familiar with claim who may be contacted</i>	<i>Nature of claim (trade debt, bank loan, government contract, etc.)</i>	<i>Indicate if claim is contingent, unliquidated, disputed, or subject to setoff</i>	<i>Amount of claim [if secured, also state value of security]</i>
<b>NCB, Savings Bank, FSB Attn: David Schallich 2011 Chrystal Drive Suite 800 Arlington, VA 22202</b>	<b>NCB, Savings Bank, FSB c/o Ford &amp; Paulekas, LLP Attn: Lawrence A. Dvorin, Esq. 280 Trumbull Street Hartford, CT 06103</b>	<b>Loan</b>		<b>988,600.78  (425,000 approximate secured)</b>

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In re KNB Properties, LLC  
Debtor(s)

Case No. \_\_\_\_\_

**LIST OF CREDITORS HOLDING 20 LARGEST UNSECURED CLAIMS**  
(Continuation Sheet)

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
<i>Name of creditor and complete mailing address including zip code</i>	<i>Name, telephone number and complete mailing address, including zip code, of employee, agent, or department of creditor familiar with claim who may be contacted</i>	<i>Nature of claim (trade debt, bank loan, government contract, etc.)</i>	<i>Indicate if claim is contingent, unliquidated, disputed, or subject to setoff</i>	<i>Amount of claim [if secured, also state value of security]</i>

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

I, the Managing Member 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 January 23, 2013

Signature /s/ Nicholas Bakes  
**Nicholas Bakes**  
**Managing Member**

*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  
District of Connecticut**

In re **KNB Properties, LLC**

Debtor(s)

Case No.  
Chapter

**11**

**VERIFICATION OF CREDITOR MATRIX**

I, the Managing Member of the corporation named as the debtor in this case, hereby verify that the attached list of creditors is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Date: **January 23, 2013**

**/s/ Nicholas Bakes**

**Nicholas Bakes/Managing Member**

Signer/Title



Internal Revenue Services  
Department of the Treasury  
11601 Roosevelt Blvd.  
PO Box 21126  
Philadelphia, PA 19114-0326

State of CT  
Dept of Revenue Services  
C&E Div, Bankruptcy Section  
25 Sigourney St.  
Hartford, CT 06106

City of Waterbury (Tax Coll.)  
Attn: President, Gen. Partner  
or Managing Member  
235 Grand Street  
Waterbury, CT 06702

Internal Revenue Services  
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Hartford, CT 06103

Marshal Sanford Sheftel  
Agent for City of Waterbury  
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Meriden, CT 06451

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c/o Ford & Paulekas, LLP  
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