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Fill	in this information to ident	ify your case:			
Uni	ited States Bankruptcy Court	for the:			
DIS	STRICT OF DISTRICT OF CO	DLUMBIA			
Ca	se number (if known)		Chapter 11		
				☐ Check if this an amended filing	
V(ore space is needed, attach	on for Non-Individua a separate sheet to this form. On the top te document, Instructions for Bankruptcy	of any additional pages, write the	debtor's name and case number (4/19 f known).
1.	Debtor's name	Worldwatch Institute			
2.	All other names debtor used in the last 8 years				
	Include any assumed names, trade names and doing business as names				
3.	Debtor's federal Employer Identification Number (EIN)	23-7367468			
4.	Debtor's address	Principal place of business	Mailing addres business	ss, if different from principal place	of
		1725 I Street, N.W., Suite 300 Washington, DC 20006			
		Number, Street, City, State & ZIP Code	P.O. Box, Numb	ber, Street, City, State & ZIP Code	
		District of Columb	•	incipal assets, if different from pri	ncipal
		County	place of busine	ess	

Debtor's website (URL)

Type of debtor

■ Corporation (including Limited Liability Company (LLC) and Limited Liability Partnership (LLP))

☐ Partnership (excluding LLP)

☐ Other. Specify:

Number, Street, City, State & ZIP Code

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Debt	or Worldwatch Institute			Case numb	per (if known)			
	Name							
-	Describe debtede business	A Charleson						
7.	Describe debtor's business		/	404(074))				
		Health Care Business (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(27A))						
		☐ Single Asset Real Estate (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(51B))						
		☐ Railroad (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(44))						
		☐ Stockbroker (as def	ined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(53A))				
		☐ Commodity Broker (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(6))						
		☐ Clearing Bank (as d	efined in 11 U.S.C. § 781(3)))				
		■ None of the above						
		B. Check all that apply						
		■ Tax-exempt entity (a	s described in 26 U.S.C. §50	1)				
		☐ Investment compan	y, including hedge fund or po	ooled investment	vehicle (as defined in 15 U.S.C. §80a-3)			
		☐ Investment advisor	(as defined in 15 U.S.C. §80	b-2(a)(11))				
			can Industry Classification S urts.gov/four-digit-national-a		le that best describes debtor.			
								
8.	Under which chapter of the	Check one:						
	Bankruptcy Code is the debtor filing?	☐ Chapter 7						
	3	☐ Chapter 9						
		■ Chapter 11. Check	all that apply:					
			Debtor's aggregate noncor	ntingent liquidated	d debts (excluding debts owed to insiders or affiliates)			
					adjustment on 4/01/22 and every 3 years after that).			
					fined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(51D). If the debtor is a small			
					ance sheet, statement of operations, cash-flow if all of these documents do not exist, follow the			
			procedure in 11 U.S.C. § 1		in all of alloco accumente act not exist, follow the			
			A plan is being filed with th	is petition.				
			Acceptances of the plan w	ere solicited prep	etition from one or more classes of creditors, in			
			accordance with 11 U.S.C.	§ 1126(b).				
			Exchange Commission acc	cording to § 13 or	s (for example, 10K and 10Q) with the Securities and 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. File the lividuals Filing for Bankruptcy under Chapter 11			
			(Official Form 201A) with the	nis form.				
			The debtor is a shell comp	any as defined in	the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 Rule 12b-2.			
		☐ Chapter 12						
9.	Were prior bankruptcy	■ No.						
	cases filed by or against the debtor within the last 8	☐ Yes.						
	years?	□ 1e3.						
	If more than 2 cases, attach a	District	Wh	en	Case number			
	separate list.	District	Wh		Case number			
		District	VVIII		Case number			
10.	Are any bankruptcy cases	■ No						
	pending or being filed by a business partner or an	_						
	affiliate of the debtor?	☐ Yes.						
	List all cases. If more than 1,	Debtor			Relationship			
	attach a separate list		1.6 //-	on	·			
		District	vvn	en	Case number, if known			

	Name				
11.	Why is the case filed in	Check a	ll that apply:		
	this district?			ncipal place of business, or principal assets	
		_ '	· ·	debtor's affiliate, general partner, or partners	•
12.	Does the debtor own or	■ No			
	have possession of any real property or personal	■ No □ Yes.	Answer below for each proper	erty that needs immediate attention. Attach	additional sheets if needed.
	property that needs immediate attention?		Why does the property nee	ed immediate attention? (Check all that a	oply.)
				oose a threat of imminent and identifiable ha	• • •
			☐ It needs to be physically s	secured or protected from the weather.	
				ods or assets that could quickly deteriorate s, meat, dairy, produce, or securities-related	or lose value without attention (for example, l assets or other options).
			Other		
			Where is the property?	Number Street City State 9 7ID Code	
			Is the property insured?	Number, Street, City, State & ZIP Code	
			□ No		
			Yes. Insurance agency		
			Contact name		
			Phone		
	Statistical and admin	istrative i	nformation		
13.	Debtor's estimation of	. (Check one:		
	available funds	I	Funds will be available for d	distribution to unsecured creditors.	
		[☐ After any administrative exp	penses are paid, no funds will be available t	o unsecured creditors.
14.	Estimated number of	■ 1-49		□ 1,000-5,000	□ 25,001-50,000
	creditors	□ 50-99	e	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
		☐ 100-1		□ 10,001-25,000	☐ More than100,000
		□ 200-9	999		
15.	Estimated Assets	\$0 - \$	\$50.000	☐ \$1,000,001 - \$10 million	□ \$500,000,001 - \$1 billion
			001 - \$100,000	☐ \$10,000,001 - \$50 million	□ \$1,000,000,001 - \$10 billion
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16.	Estimated liabilities	□ \$0 - \$	\$50,000	■ \$1,000,001 - \$10 million	□ \$500,000,001 - \$1 billion
			001 - \$100,000	□ \$10,000,001 - \$50 million	□ \$1,000,000,001 - \$10 billion
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	Request for Relief, De	eclaration, and	d Signature	s				
	NG - Bankruptcy fraud is imprisonment for uparation and signature			false statement in c J.S.C. §§ 152, 1341,			case can result in fir	nes up to \$500,000 or
of au	aration and signature uthorized esentative of debtor	The debtor re	quests relie	f in accordance with	the chapte	er of title 11, United	States Code, spec	ified in this petition.
		I have been a	uthorized to	file this petition on I	behalf of th	e debtor.		
		I have examir	ned the infor	mation in this petitio	on and have	e a reasonable bel	ief that the informati	on is trued and correct.
		I declare unde	er penalty of	f perjury that the fore	egoing is tr	ue and correct.		
		Executed on	May 17 MM / DD	·				

X /s/ Richard R	osenblatt		Date	May 17, 2019
Signature of att	orney for debtor			MM / DD / YYYY
Richard Ros	enblatt			
Printed name				
Law Offices	of Richard B. Rosen	blatt, PC		
Firm name				
Suite 302				
30 Courthou	se Square			
Rockville, MI	D 20850			
Number, Street	, City, State & ZIP Code			
Contact phone	301.838.0098	Email address	rrosenbla	tt@rosenblattlaw.com

Stefan Muller

Printed name

415797 - DC DC Bar number and State

✗ /s/ Stefan Muller

Title President & CEO

Signature of authorized representative of debtor

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Official Form 202

Declaration Under Penalty of Perjury for Non-Individual Debtors

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An individual who is authorized to act on behalf of a non-individual debtor, such as a corporation or partnership, must sign and submit this form for the schedules of assets and liabilities, any other document that requires a declaration that is not included in the document, and any amendments of those documents. This form must state the individual's position or relationship to the debtor, the identity of the document, and the date. Bankruptcy Rules 1008 and 9011.

WARNING -- Bankruptcy fraud is a serious crime. Making a false statement, concealing property, or obtaining money or property by fraud in connection with a bankruptcy case can result in fines up to \$500,000 or imprisonment for up to 20 years, or both. 18 U.S.C. §§ 152, 1341, 1519, and 3571.

Declaration and signature

I am the president, another officer, or an authorized agent of the corporation; a member or an authorized agent of the partnership; or another individual serving as a representative of the debtor in this case.

I have examin	ed the information in the doo	cuments checked below and I have a reasonable belief that the information is true and correct:
□ Sche □ Sche □ Sche □ Sche □ Sumi □ Amer □ Chap □ Other	dule D: Creditors Who Have dule E/F: Creditors Who Have dule E/F: Creditors Who Have dule G: Executory Contracts dule H: Codebtors (Official Finary of Assets and Liabilities and Schedule offer 11 or Chapter 9 Cases: It is document that requires a different forms.	s for Non-Individuals (Official Form 206Sum) List of Creditors Who Have the 20 Largest Unsecured Claims and Are Not Insiders (Official Form 204)
Executed on	May 17, 2019	X /s/ Stefan Muller
Executed on	May 17, 2019	Signature of individual signing on behalf of debtor Stefan Muller Printed name
		President & CEO Position or relationship to debtor

Official Form 202

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Case number (if known):		amended filing

Official Form 204

Chapter 11 or Chapter 9 Cases: List of Creditors Who Have the 20 Largest Unsecured Claims and Are Not Insiders

A list of creditors holding the 20 largest unsecured claims must be filed in a Chapter 11 or Chapter 9 case. Include claims which the debtor disputes. Do not include claims by any person or entity who is an insider, as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(31). Also, do not include claims by secured creditors, unless the unsecured claim resulting from inadequate collateral value places the creditor among the holders of the 20 largest unsecured claims.

Name of creditor and complete mailing address, including zip code	Name, telephone number and email address of creditor contact	(for example, trade debts, bank loans, professional services,	Indicate if claim is contingent, unliquidated, or disputed	claim is partially secure value of collateral or se	ecured, fill in only unsecured, fill in total claim amour	nt and deduction for ed claim.
		and government contracts)		Total claim, if partially secured	Deduction for value of collateral or setoff	Unsecured claim
Barbara Fallin 1450 Foxtail Lane Prince Frederick, MD 20678						\$9,390.00
Barbara Fallin 1450 Foxtail Lane Prince Frederick, MD 20678		Wages - accrued vacation time				\$4,622.26
Crane Service Company 9310 D'Arcy Road Upper Marlboro, MD 20774		storage				\$7,650.00
Edward Groark 8201 Old Dominion Drive Mc Lean, VA 22102		Loan to Debtor				\$417,126.00
Gary Gardener 4676B 36th Street, South Arlington, VA 22206		Wages - accrued vacation time				\$1,595.00
Haibing Ma 102 Winter Walk Drive Gaithersburg, MD 20878		Wages - accrued vacation time				\$3,346.80
John Robbins P.O. Box 518 Cornelius, NC 28031		Loan to Debtor				\$403,200.00
K Street Consulting, LLC 1432 K. Street Suite 1000 Washington, DC 20005		IT consulting services				\$76,000.00
Marsha K. Harmon 10211 Howe Lane Leawood, KS 66206		Loan to Debtor	Disputed			\$25,000.00

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Name of creditor and complete mailing address, including zip code	Name, telephone number and email address of creditor contact	Nature of claim (for example, trade debts, bank loans, professional services,	Indicate if claim is contingent, unliquidated, or disputed	claim is partially secu	secured, fill in only unsecur red, fill in total claim amour setoff to calculate unsecure	nt and deduction for
				Total claim, if partially secured	Deduction for value of collateral or setoff	Unsecured claim
MBO Partners, Inc. 13454 Sunrise Valley Dr, #300 Herndon, VA 20171		Consulting services				\$68,645.16
Michael Renner 245 East 63rd Street Apt 710 New York, NY 10065		Wages - accrued vacation time				\$1,971.99
Resources & Conservation Cente c/o Stout and Teague 8001 Forbes Place, Suite 305 Springfield, VA 22151		Judgment for rent at prior space				\$109,312.90
Riverbend Consulting 8201 Old Dominion Drive Mc Lean, VA 22102		Deferred compensation for Ed Groak as director	Disputed			\$350,000.00
Robert Friese 1 Martime Plz, 18fl San Francisco, CA 94111		Loan to Debtor	Disputed			\$50,000.00
SEM Group, Inc. 1725 I Street NW Suite 300 Washington, DC 20006		Deferred compensation for Stefan Muller as director				\$40,064.51
Steve Harmon 10211 Howe Lane Leawood, KS 66206		Loans to Debtor	Contingent			\$50,000.00
Steve Harmon 10211 Howe Lane Leawood, KS 66206		Loan to Debtor	Disputed			\$25,000.00
Sughrue Mion, PLLC 2100 Pennsylvania Ave, NW #800 Washington, DC 20037		Patent lawyer for trademark renewal				\$3,501.00
SunTrust Bank P.O. Box 305183 Nashville, TN 37230-5183		Credit card				\$19,338.18
Thomas Prugh 218 Orchard Drive Dayton, OH 45419		accrued vacation time				\$2,548.79

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LIST	DERS			
ollowing is the list of the Debtor's equity security ho	olders which is prepar	red in accordance with	rule 1007(a)(3) fo	r filing in this Chapter 11 Ca
Name and last known address or place of business of holder	Security Class	Number of Secur	ities K	ind of Interest
David Orr 1725 I Street, NW, Suite 300 Washington, DC 20006			D	irector at Large
Edith Eddie 1725 I Street, NW, Suite 300 Washington, DC 20006			D	irector at Large
Edward Groark 1725 I Street, N.W., Suite 300 Washington, DC 20006			D	irector at large
John Robbins 1725 I Street, NW, Suite 300 Washington, DC 20006			Т	reasurer
Stefan Muller 1725 I Street, NW, Suite 300 Washington, DC 20006			Р	resident & CEO

DECLARATION UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY ON BEHALF OF CORPORATION OR PARTNERSHIP

I, the **President & CEO** 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	May 17, 2019	Signature	/s/ Stefan Muller
			Stefan Muller

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

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LIST OF CREDITORS AND MAILING MATRIX

- The attached list, serving both as the list required by Rule
 1007(a)(1) of the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure and as the mailing matrix required by the court's local Bankruptcy Rules, consists of __3_ pages and a total of __25_ entities listed.
- The attached list contains a true and correct name and address of:
 each of my creditors (those entities required to be scheduled on
 Schedules D, E, and F, the Schedules of Creditors Holding
 Claims, in this case),
 - each of the parties required to be listed on Schedule G Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases, that is, the parties
 other than myself, to any unexpired lease of real or personal
 property to which I am a party;

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each entity required to be listed on Schedule H - Codebtors (any entity, other than my spouse in a joint case, that is also liable on any debts owed to any of my listed creditors, including all guarantors and co-signers).

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

Date:	May 17, 2019	/s/ Stefan Muller	
		Stefan Muller/President & CEO	
		Signer/Title	

Barbara Fallin 1450 Foxtail Lane Prince Frederick, MD 20678

Crane Service Company 9310 D'Arcy Road Upper Marlboro, MD 20774

District of Columbia Governmen Office of Tax & Revenue 941 N. Capital Street NE Suite 400 Washington, DC 20002

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Elizabeth Mastny 3007 East 7th Ave Durango, CO 81301

Gary Gardener 4676B 36th Street, South Arlington, VA 22206

Haibing Ma 102 Winter Walk Drive Gaithersburg, MD 20878

Internal Revenue Service Special Procedures Branch 31 Hopkins Plaza, Room 1140 Baltimore, MD 21201-2881

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CORPO	DRATE OWNERSHIP STATEMENT	(RULE 7007.1)	
recusal, the undersigned counsel for (are) corporation(s), other than the de	tcy Procedure 7007.1 and to enable the Jumber of the Morldwatch Institute in the above captebtor or a governmental unit, that directly interests, or states that there are no entities	tioned action, cer or indirectly ov	rtifies that the following is a vn(s) 10% or more of any
■ None [Check if applicable]			
May 17, 2019	/s/ Richard Rosenblatt		
Date	Signature of Attorney or Litig		
	Counsel for Worldwatch Inst		
	Suite 302	, -	
	30 Courthouse Square Rockville, MD 20850		
	301.838.0098 Fax:301.838.3498 rrosenblatt@rosenblattlaw.con		