

Fill in this information to identify your case:

United States Bankruptcy Court for the:

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Case number (if known) Chapter 11

☐ Check if this an amended filing

Official Form 201

Voluntary Petition for Non-Individuals Filing for Bankruptcy

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If more space is needed, attach a separate sheet to this form. On the top of any additional pages, write the debtor's name and case number (if known). For more information, a separate document, *Instructions for Bankruptcy Forms for Non-Individuals*, is available.

1. Debtor's name CL AND MEW COMPANY, LLC

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) 82-3886044

4. Debtor's address	Principal place of business	Mailing address, if different from principal place of business
	<u>2316 Southern Avenue, SE</u> <u>Washington, DC 20020</u> Number, Street, City, State & ZIP Code	<u></u> P.O. Box, Number, Street, City, State & ZIP Code
	<u>District of Columb</u> County	<u>Location of principal assets, if different from principal place of business</u> <u>2628 Martin Luther King, Jr. Avenue, SE</u> <u>Washington, DC 20020</u> Number, Street, City, State & ZIP Code

5. Debtor's website (URL)

6. Type of debtor

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

☐ Partnership (excluding LLP)

☐ Other. Specify:

Debtor **CL AND MEW COMPANY, LLC**
Name

Case number (if known)

7. Describe debtor's business

A. Check one:

- ☐ 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 defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(53A))
- ☐ Commodity Broker (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(6))
- ☐ Clearing Bank (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 781(3))
- ☐ None of the above

B. Check all that apply

- ☐ Tax-exempt entity (as described in 26 U.S.C. § 501)
- ☐ Investment company, including hedge fund or pooled investment vehicle (as defined in 15 U.S.C. § 80a-3)
- ☐ Investment advisor (as defined in 15 U.S.C. § 80b-2(a)(11))

C. NAICS (North American Industry Classification System) 4-digit code that best describes debtor.
See <http://www.uscourts.gov/four-digit-national-association-naics-codes>.

8. Under which chapter of the Bankruptcy Code is the debtor filing?

Check one:

- ☐ Chapter 7
- ☐ Chapter 9

☒ Chapter 11. Check all that apply:

- ☐ Debtor's aggregate noncontingent liquidated debts (excluding debts owed to insiders or affiliates) are less than \$2,725,625 (amount subject to adjustment on 4/01/22 and every 3 years after that).
- ☐ The debtor is a small business debtor as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(51D). If the debtor is a small business debtor, attach the most recent balance sheet, statement of operations, cash-flow statement, and federal income tax return or if all of these documents do not exist, follow the procedure in 11 U.S.C. § 1116(1)(B).
- ☐ A plan is being filed with this petition.
- ☐ Acceptances of the plan were solicited prepetition from one or more classes of creditors, in accordance with 11 U.S.C. § 1126(b).
- ☐ The debtor is required to file periodic reports (for example, 10K and 10Q) with the Securities and Exchange Commission according to § 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. File the attachment to Voluntary Petition for Non-Individuals Filing for Bankruptcy under Chapter 11 (Official Form 201A) with this form.
- ☐ The debtor is a shell company as defined in the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 Rule 12b-2.

☐ Chapter 12

9. Were prior bankruptcy cases filed by or against the debtor within the last 8 years?

- ☒ No.
- ☐ Yes.

If more than 2 cases, attach a separate list.

District	_____	When	_____	Case number	_____
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10. Are any bankruptcy cases pending or being filed by a business partner or an affiliate of the debtor?

- ☒ No
- ☐ Yes.

List all cases. If more than 1, attach a separate list

Debtor	_____	Relationship	_____
District	_____	When	_____
		Case number, if known	_____

Debtor **CL AND MEW COMPANY, LLC**
Name

Case number (if known)

11. Why is the case filed in this district?

Check all that apply:

- ☒ Debtor has had its domicile, 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.
- ☐ A bankruptcy case concerning debtor's affiliate, general partner, or partnership is pending in this district.

12. Does the debtor own or have possession of any real property or personal property that needs immediate attention?

☒ No

☐ Yes. Answer below for each property that needs immediate attention. Attach additional sheets if needed.

Why does the property need immediate attention? (Check all that apply.)

☐ It poses or is alleged to pose a threat of imminent and identifiable hazard to public health or safety.

What is the hazard?

☐ It needs to be physically secured or protected from the weather.

☐ It includes perishable goods or assets that could quickly deteriorate or lose value without attention (for example, livestock, seasonal goods, meat, dairy, produce, or securities-related assets or other options).

☐ Other

Where is the property?

Number, Street, City, State & ZIP Code

Is the property insured?

☐ No

☐ Yes. Insurance agency

Contact name

Phone

Statistical and administrative information

13. Debtor's estimation of available funds

Check one:

- ☒ Funds will be available for distribution to unsecured creditors.
- ☐ After any administrative expenses are paid, no funds will be available to unsecured creditors.

14. Estimated number of creditors

☒ 1-49

☐ 50-99

☐ 100-199

☐ 200-999

☐ 1,000-5,000

☐ 5001-10,000

☐ 10,001-25,000

☐ 25,001-50,000

☐ 50,001-100,000

☐ More than 100,000

15. Estimated Assets

☐ \$0 - \$50,000

☐ \$50,001 - \$100,000

☐ \$100,001 - \$500,000

☐ \$500,001 - \$1 million

☒ \$1,000,001 - \$10 million

☐ \$10,000,001 - \$50 million

☐ \$50,000,001 - \$100 million

☐ \$100,000,001 - \$500 million

☐ \$500,000,001 - \$1 billion

☐ \$1,000,000,001 - \$10 billion

☐ \$10,000,000,001 - \$50 billion

☐ More than \$50 billion

16. Estimated liabilities

☐ \$0 - \$50,000

☐ \$50,001 - \$100,000

☐ \$100,001 - \$500,000

☐ \$500,001 - \$1 million

☒ \$1,000,001 - \$10 million

☐ \$10,000,001 - \$50 million

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Debtor **CL AND MEW COMPANY, LLC**
Name

Case number (if known)

Request for Relief, Declaration, and Signatures

WARNING -- Bankruptcy fraud is a serious crime. Making a false statement 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.

**17. Declaration and signature
of authorized
representative of debtor**

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

I have been authorized to file this petition on behalf of the debtor.

I have examined the information in this petition and have a reasonable belief that the information is true and correct.

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

Executed on **September 30, 2019**
MM / DD / YYYY

X **/s/ Carlton Warner**
Signature of authorized representative of debtor

Title **Managing Member**

Carlton Warner
Printed name

18. Signature of attorney

X **/s/ Craig A. Butler**
Signature of attorney for debtor

Date **September 30, 2019**
MM / DD / YYYY

Craig A. Butler
Printed name

The Butler Law Group, PLLC
Firm name

1455 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Suite 400
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Number, Street, City, State & ZIP Code

Contact phone **202-587-2773** Email address **cbutler@blgnow.com**

451320 DC
Bar number and State

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 United States Bankruptcy Court for the: **DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA**
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Official Form 204

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

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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	Nature of claim (for example, trade debts, bank loans, professional services, and government contracts)	Indicate if claim is contingent, unliquidated, or disputed	Amount of claim If the claim is fully unsecured, fill in only unsecured claim amount. If claim is partially secured, fill in total claim amount and deduction for value of collateral or setoff to calculate unsecured claim.		
				Total claim, if partially secured	Deduction for value of collateral or setoff	Unsecured claim
-NONE-						

LOCAL OFFICIAL FORM NO. 10

**IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA**

In re
CL AND MEW COMPANY, LLC

Debtor(s).

)
) Case No.
)
) Chapter 11
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DISCLOSURE OF COMPENSATION OF ATTORNEY FOR DEBTOR

1. Pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 329(a) and Fed. Bankr. P. 2016(b), I certify that I am the attorney for the above named debtor(s) and that compensation paid to me within one year before the filing of the petition in bankruptcy, or agreed to be paid to me, for services rendered or to be rendered on behalf of the debtor(s) in contemplation of or in connection with the bankruptcy case is as follows:

☒ **Flat Fee**

For legal services, I have agreed to accept _____	\$	<u>2,000.00</u>
Prior to the filing of this statement I have received _____	\$	<u>1,083.00</u>
Balance Due _____	\$	<u>917.00</u>

☐ **Hourly Fee**

For legal services, I have agreed to accept and received a retainer of _____ \$ _____

The undersigned shall bill against the retainer at an hourly rate of _____ \$ _____

[Or attach firm hourly rate schedule.] as such rate may change over time based on periodic increases.

Debtor has agreed to pay all approved fees and expenses exceeding the amount of the retainer, subject to those fees and expenses being approved by the court (when court approval is required) for work performed in a chapter 11 case or chapter 13 case. Payments of fees and expenses exceeding the retainer, other than payment of amounts approved for payment by court order, will be disclosed by a supplemental Rule 2016(b) statement.

☐ **Pro Bono Representation**

I have agreed to provide services without compensation

The debtor ☐ has ☒ has not agreed to reimburse expenses.

2. The source of the compensation paid to me was:

☒ Debtor ☐ Other (specify):

3. The source of compensation to be paid to me is:

☒ Debtor ☐ Other (specify):

3. With respect to the compensation described herein:

☒ I have not agreed to share the above-disclosed compensation with any other person unless they are members and associates of my law firm.

☐ I have agreed to share the above-disclosed compensation with a person or persons who are not members or associates of my law firm. A copy of the agreement, together with a list of the names of the people sharing in the compensation is attached.

5. In return for the above-disclosed fee, I have agreed to render legal service for all aspects of the bankruptcy case, including:

- a. Analysis of the debtor's financial situation, and rendering advice to the debtor in determining whether to file a petition in bankruptcy;
- b. Preparation and filing of any petition, schedules, statement of affairs and plan which may be required;
- c. Representation of the debtor at the meeting of creditors and confirmation hearing, and any adjourned hearings thereof;
- d. [Other provisions as needed]

Negotiations with secured creditors to reduce to market value; exemption planning; preparation and filing of reaffirmation agreements and applications as needed; preparation and filing of motions pursuant to 11 USC 522(f)(2)(A) for avoidance of liens on household goods.

6. By agreement with the debtor(s), the above-disclosed fee does not include the following service:

Representation of the debtors in any dischargeability actions, judicial lien avoidances, relief from stay actions or any other adversary proceeding.

CERTIFICATION

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

September 30, 2019

Date

/s/ Craig A. Butler

Craig A. Butler

Signature of Attorney

The Butler Law Group, PLLC

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Name of law firm

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LIST OF CREDITORS AND MAILING MATRIX

1. 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 1 pages and a total of 2 entities listed.

2. 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;

• 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: September 30, 2019

/s/ Carlton Warner

Carlton Warner/Managing Member

Signer/Title

Steven M. Buckman, Esq.
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Washington, DC 20016

Walnut Street Finance, LLC
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Fairfax, VA 22030

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CORPORATE OWNERSHIP STATEMENT (RULE 7007.1)

Pursuant to Federal Rule of Bankruptcy Procedure 7007.1 and to enable the Judges to evaluate possible disqualification or recusal, the undersigned counsel for **CL AND MEW COMPANY, LLC** in the above captioned action, certifies that the following is a (are) corporation(s), other than the debtor or a governmental unit, that directly or indirectly own(s) 10% or more of any class of the corporation's(s') equity interests, or states that there are no entities to report under FRBP 7007.1:

☒ None [*Check if applicable*]

September 30, 2019

Date

/s/ Craig A. Butler

Craig A. Butler

Signature of Attorney or Litigant

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