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United States Bankruptcy Court District of New Jersey					Voluntary Petition		
Name of Debtor (if individual, enter Last, First 39 Franklin Realty, LLC	, Middle):		Name	of Joint De	ebtor (Spouse	) (Last, First	, Middle):
All Other Names used by the Debtor in the last (include married, maiden, and trade names):	8 years				used by the J maiden, and		in the last 8 years ):
Last four digits of Soc. Sec. or Individual-Taxp (if more than one, state all)  22-2811800	ayer I.D. (ITIN)/Com	plete EIN	Last fo	our digits of than one, state	f Soc. Sec. or	Individual-	Taxpayer I.D. (ITIN) No./Complete EIN
Street Address of Debtor (No. and Street, City, 39 Franklin Avenue Nutley, NJ	and State):	ZIP Code	Street	Address of	Joint Debtor	(No. and St	reet, City, and State):  ZIP Code
County of Residence or of the Principal Place of		07110	Count	v of Reside	nce or of the	Principal Pl	ace of Business:
Essex	i Dusiliess.		Count	y of Reside	ince of of the	i ilicipai i i	ace of Business.
Mailing Address of Debtor (if different from str	eet address):		Mailir	ng Address	of Joint Debte	or (if differe	nt from street address):
	Г	ZIP Code					ZIP Code
Location of Principal Assets of Business Debtor (if different from street address above):	:						
Type of Debtor (Form of Organization) (Check one box)		of Business					otcy Code Under Which iled (Check one box)
☐ Individual (includes Joint Debtors)  See Exhibit D on page 2 of this form.  Corporation (includes LLC and LLP)  Partnership  Other (If debtor is not one of the above entities, check this box and state type of entity below.)	☐ Health Care Bu☐ Single Asset R in 11 U.S.C. § ☐ Railroad☐ Stockbroker☐ Commodity Br☐ Clearing Bank☐ Other	usiness eal Estate as o 101 (51B)	defined	☐ Chapt ☐ Chapt ☐ Chapt ☐ Chapt ☐ Chapt ☐ Chapt	er 7 er 9 er 11 er 12	☐ C of ☐ C of	hapter 15 Petition for Recognition a Foreign Main Proceeding hapter 15 Petition for Recognition a Foreign Nonmain Proceeding
Chapter 15 Debtors Country of debtor's center of main interests: Each country in which a foreign proceeding by, regarding, or against debtor is pending:	Tax-Exe	the United Stat	tion tes	defined	are primarily co I in 11 U.S.C. § ed by an indivi- nal, family, or I	(Checknown (Checknown)) (Checknown) (Check	business debts.
Filing Fee (Check one box  Full Filing Fee attached  Filing Fee to be paid in installments (applicable to attach signed application for the court's considerat debtor is unable to pay fee except in installments. Form 3A.  Filing Fee waiver requested (applicable to chapter attach signed application for the court's considerate.	individuals only). Musion certifying that the Rule 1006(b). See Offic 7 individuals only). Museum of the control of the contro	t Check if	ebtor is a si ebtor is not : ebtor's agg e less than I applicable plan is bein	a small busing regate nonco \$2,490,925 (as boxes: ag filed with	debtor as defin ness debtor as d ntingent liquida amount subject this petition.	defined in 11 to ted debts (exc to adjustment	
C4-4:-4:1/4 ]:4					S.C. § 1126(b).		
Statistical/Administrative Information  ■ Debtor estimates that funds will be available □ Debtor estimates that, after any exempt proper there will be no funds available for distribut	erty is excluded and	administrativ		es paid,		THIS	S SPACE IS FOR COURT USE ONLY
Estimated Number of Creditors	1,000- 5,001- 5,000 10,000	10,001-	□ 25,001- 50,000	50,001- 100,000	OVER 100,000		
Estimated Assets  Stopping to \$50,001 to \$100,001 to \$100,001 to \$1 million	\$1,000,001 \$10,000,001 to \$10 to \$50 million million	\$50,000,001 S to \$100	\$100,000,001 to \$500 million	\$500,000,001 to \$1 billion			
Estimated Liabilities	\$1,000,001 \$10,000,001 to \$10 to \$50	\$50,000,001	\$100,000,001 to \$500	\$500,000,001 to \$1 billion	More than \$1 billion		

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**B1** (Official Form 1)(04/13) Page 2 Name of Debtor(s): Voluntary Petition 39 Franklin Realty, LLC (This page must be completed and filed in every case) All Prior Bankruptcy Cases Filed Within Last 8 Years (If more than two, attach additional sheet) Case Number: Location Date Filed: Where Filed: - None -Location Case Number: Date Filed: Where Filed: Pending Bankruptcy Case Filed by any Spouse, Partner, or Affiliate of this Debtor (If more than one, attach additional sheet) Name of Debtor: Case Number: Date Filed: - None -District: Relationship: Judge: Exhibit B Exhibit A (To be completed if debtor is an individual whose debts are primarily consumer debts.) (To be completed if debtor is required to file periodic reports (e.g., I, the attorney for the petitioner named in the foregoing petition, declare that I forms 10K and 10Q) with the Securities and Exchange Commission 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 pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 under each such chapter. I further certify that I delivered to the debtor the notice and is requesting relief under chapter 11.) required by 11 U.S.C. §342(b). ☐ Exhibit A is attached and made a part of this petition. Signature of Attorney for Debtor(s) (Date) 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 with 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(1)).

Document **B1** (Official Form 1)(04/13)

## **Voluntary Petition**

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

#### 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.

Signature of Debtor

Signature of Joint Debtor

Telephone Number (If not represented by attorney)

Date

#### Signature of Attorney\*

#### X /s/ Melinda D. Middlebrooks, Esq.

Signature of Attorney for Debtor(s)

#### Melinda D. Middlebrooks, Esq. 4186

Printed Name of Attorney for Debtor(s)

#### Middlebrooks Shapiro, P.C.

Firm Name

841 Mountain Avenue First Floor Springfield, NJ 07081

Address

#### middlebrooks@middlebrooksshapiro.com (973) 218-6877 Fax: (973) 218-6878

Telephone Number

## April 15, 2015

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 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/ John Catelli

Signature of Authorized Individual

#### John Catelli

Printed Name of Authorized Individual

#### President

Title of Authorized Individual

#### April 15, 2015

Date

#### Signature of a Foreign Representative

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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.)

Name of Debtor(s):

39 Franklin Realty, LLC

- ☐ 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.

Signature of Foreign Representative

Printed Name of Foreign Representative

Date

#### 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 bankrutpcy 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.)

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Date

Address

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.

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### United States Bankruptcy Court District of New Jersey

In re	39 Franklin Realty, LLC	Case No.		
		Debtor(s)	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]
Banco Popular North America c/o Rosner, Nocera & Ragone 4105 US Highway 1, Suite 16 Monmouth Junction, NJ 08852	Banco Popular North America c/o Rosner, Nocera & Ragone 4105 US Highway 1, Suite 16 Monmouth Junction, NJ 08852	39 Franklin Avenue, Nutley NJ 07110		317,980.64 (0.00 secured)
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#### 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]
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## 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	April 15, 2015	Signature	/s/ John Catelli
		-	John Catelli
			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.

Banco Popular North America c/o Rosner, Nocera & Ragone 4105 US Highway 1, Suite 16 Monmouth Junction, NJ 08852 Case 15-16879-VFP Doc 1 Filed 04/15/15 Entered 04/15/15 17:55:56 Desc Main Document Page 7 of 7

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		Debtor(s)	Chapter	11
	CORPORA	TE OWNERSHIP STATEMENT (	(RULE 7007.1)	
recusa a (are	al, the undersigned counsel for 39 let) corporation(s), other than the debte	Procedure 7007.1 and to enable the Justin Realty, LLC in the above castor or a governmental unit, that directlests, or states that there are no entities	ptioned action, y or indirectly o	certifies that the following is own(s) 10% or more of any
■ No	one [Check if applicable]			
April	15, 2015	/s/ Melinda D. Middlebrooks, Es	q.	
Date		Melinda D. Middlebrooks, Esq.	4	
		Signature of Attorney or Litiga Counsel for 39 Franklin Realt		
		Middlebrooks Shapiro, P.C.		
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		Springfield, NJ 07081		
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