

**United States Bankruptcy Court
Eastern District of Texas**

Voluntary Petition

Name of Debtor (if individual, enter Last, First, Middle): Empirical Networks LTD	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) 20-4531211	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): 3329 Dunes Street Denton, TX	Street Address of Joint Debtor (No. and Street, City, and State):
ZIP Code 76209	ZIP Code
County of Residence or of the Principal Place of Business: Denton	County of Residence or of the Principal Place of Business:
Mailing Address of Debtor (if different from street address): PO Box 796 Denton, TX	Mailing Address of Joint Debtor (if different from street address):
ZIP Code 76202	ZIP Code

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

<p align="center">Type of Debtor (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 type="checkbox"/> Corporation (includes LLC and LLP) <input checked="" 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 align="center">Nature of Business (Check one box)</p> <input type="checkbox"/> Health Care Business <input 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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other	<p align="center">Chapter of Bankruptcy Code Under Which the Petition is Filed (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 align="center">Tax-Exempt Entity (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 align="center">Nature of Debts (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 align="center">Filing Fee (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 align="center">Chapter 11 Debtors</p> Check one box: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Debtor is a small business debtor as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(51D). <input type="checkbox"/> Debtor is not a small business debtor as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(51D). Check if: <input 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). Check all applicable boxes: <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 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"/>
\$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 checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input 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

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

Location Where Filed: - None -	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: - None -	Case Number:	Date Filed:
District:	Relationship:	Judge:

<p style="text-align: center;">Exhibit A</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;">Exhibit 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>X _____ 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):
Empirical Networks LTD

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/ Mark A. Weisbart
Signature of Attorney for Debtor(s)

Mark A. Weisbart 21102650
Printed Name of Attorney for Debtor(s)

The Law Offices of Mark A. Weisbart
Firm Name

12770 Coit Road, Suite 541
Dallas, TX 75251

Address

(972) 628-3694 Fax: (972) 628-3687
Telephone Number

October 20, 2011
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

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/ Cliff Crowder
Signature of Authorized Individual

Cliff Crowder
Printed Name of Authorized Individual

Member of Empirical Networks Management LLC
Title of Authorized Individual

October 20, 2011
Date

United States Bankruptcy Court
Eastern District of Texas

In re Empirical Networks LTD

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>
Ally/GMAC PO Box 9001948 Louisville, KY 40290	Ally/GMAC PO Box 9001948 Louisville, KY 40290			19,387.63
Ally/GMAC PO Box 9001948 Louisville, KY 40290	Ally/GMAC PO Box 9001948 Louisville, KY 40290	Car		0.00 (Unknown secured)
American Express PO Box 650448 Dallas, TX 75265	American Express PO Box 650448 Dallas, TX 75265			20,000.00
AT&T PO Box 5001 Carol Stream, IL 60197	AT&T PO Box 5001 Carol Stream, IL 60197			80.00
Cogent Communications PO Box 791087 Baltimore, MD 21279	Cogent Communications PO Box 791087 Baltimore, MD 21279			1,600.00
Dallas County Tax Office PO Box 139066 Dallas, TX 75313	Dallas County Tax Office PO Box 139066 Dallas, TX 75313			1,061.07
Dell Financial Services PO Box 5292 Carol Stream, IL 60197	Dell Financial Services PO Box 5292 Carol Stream, IL 60197			325.25
Fort Worth-Tarrant Sunbelt Inc 5525 N MacArthur Blvd Ste 560 Irving, TX 75038	Fort Worth-Tarrant Sunbelt Inc 5525 N MacArthur Blvd Ste 560 Irving, TX 75038			Unknown
Global Capacity 180 N LaSalle St, Suite 2430 Chicago, IL 60601	Global Capacity 180 N LaSalle St, Suite 2430 Chicago, IL 60601			7,755.01
Grande Communications PO Box 671259 Dallas, TX 75267	Grande Communications PO Box 671259 Dallas, TX 75267			8,500.00
Innercity Fibernet 9202 Briarcrest Rowlett, TX 75089	Innercity Fibernet 9202 Briarcrest Rowlett, TX 75089			197,231.66 (0.00 secured)

Debtor(s) _____

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>
Progressive County Mutual 6300 Wilson Mills Road Mayfield Village, OH 44143-2182	Progressive County Mutual 6300 Wilson Mills Road Mayfield Village, OH 44143-2182			216.92
Spirit Bank 1800 S Baltimore Tulsa, OK 74119	Spirit Bank 1800 S Baltimore Tulsa, OK 74119			100,006.43 (0.00 secured)
Spirit Bank 1800 S Baltimore Tulsa, OK 74119	Spirit Bank 1800 S Baltimore Tulsa, OK 74119			11,968.55 (0.00 secured)
TELX Dallas LLC PO Box 10167 Uniondale, NY 11555	TELX Dallas LLC PO Box 10167 Uniondale, NY 11555			63,788.16
The Hartford PO Box 5556 Hartford, CT 06102	The Hartford PO Box 5556 Hartford, CT 06102			Unknown
Verizon PO Box 920041 Dallas, TX 75392	Verizon PO Box 920041 Dallas, TX 75392			75.00
Verizon PO Box 920041 Dallas, TX 75392	Verizon PO Box 920041 Dallas, TX 75392			72.62
Verizon Wireless PO Box 660108 Dallas, TX 75266	Verizon Wireless PO Box 660108 Dallas, TX 75266			390.00

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

I, the Member of Empirical Networks Management LLC of the partnership 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 **October 20, 2011**

Signature **/s/ Cliff Crowder**
Cliff Crowder
Member of Empirical Networks Management LLC

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.

**RESOLUTIONS OF EMPIRICAL NETWORKS MANAGEMENT, LLC
AS GENERAL PARTNER OF EMPIRICAL NETWORKS, LTD**

The undersigned, hereby certifies:

1. The undersigned is the sole member of Empirical Networks Management, LLC (the "Corporation"), the general partner of Empirical Networks LTD (the "Partnership").
2. The General Partner is hereby authorized to file a Petition under Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code for the Partnership to execute all documents and take all steps necessary to successfully prosecute the Chapter 11, including the retention of professionals.

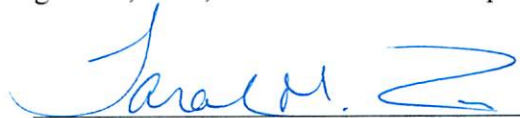
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 20th day of October, 2011.



Name: Cliff Crowder
Title: Member

STATE OF TEXAS §
 §
COUNTY OF DALLAS §

This instrument was acknowledged before me on the 20th day of October, 2011, by Cliff Crowder, sole member of Empirical Networks Management, LLC, on behalf of said corporation.



NOTARY PUBLIC IN AND FOR
THE STATE OF TEXAS

My Commission Expires:



**United States Bankruptcy Court
Eastern District of Texas**

In re **Empirical Networks LTD**
Debtor(s)

Case No. _____
Chapter **11**

VERIFICATION OF CREDITOR MATRIX

I, the Member of Empirical Networks Management LLC of the partnership 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.

Creditor Matrix Format (check one):

Diskette: _____
Paper: **X**

Ally/GMAC
PO Box 9001948
Louisville KY 40290

American Express
PO Box 650448
Dallas TX 75265

AT&T
PO Box 5001
Carol Stream IL 60197

Cogent Communications
PO Box 791087
Baltimore MD 21279

Dallas County Tax Office
PO Box 139066
Dallas TX 75313

Dell Financial Services
PO Box 5292
Carol Stream IL 60197

Digital - Bryan Street Partnership
Attn: Property Manager
c/o Digital Realty Trust LP
2323 Bryan Street Ste 2350

Digital Realty Trust LP
Attn: Glenn Benoist
2323 Bryan Street Ste 2350
Dallas TX 75201

Fort Worth-Tarrant Sunbelt Inc
5525 N MacArthur Blvd Ste 560
Irving TX 75038

Global Capacity
180 N LaSalle St, Suite 2430
Chicago IL 60601

Grande Communications
PO Box 671259
Dallas TX 75267

Innercity Fibernet
9202 Briarcrest
Rowlett TX 75089

Progressive County Mutual
6300 Wilson Mills Road
Mayfield Village OH 44143-2182

Spirit Bank
1800 S Baltimore
Tulsa OK 74119

TELX
1 State Street
21st Floor
New York NY 10004

TELX Dallas LLC
PO Box 10167
Uniondale NY 11555

The Associate Equity Group
5525 MacArthur Blvd Ste 560
Irving TX 75038

The Hartford
PO Box 5556
Hartford CT 06102

Verizon
PO Box 920041
Dallas TX 75392

Verizon Wireless
PO Box 660108
Dallas TX 75266