

**THE MEETING OF CREDITORS IS BEING HELD OPEN TO \_\_\_\_\_ AT 10:00 A.M. THE MEETING WAS HELD OPEN PURSUANT TO 11 U.S.C. §1308 BECAUSE THERE ARE OUTSTANDING TAX RETURNS THAT MUST BE FILED.**

***IF THE OUTSTANDING RETURNS ARE FILED WITH THE PROPER TAXING AUTHORITIES BEFORE THE CONTINUED MEETING DATE PLEASE FOLLOW THESE INSTRUCTIONS:***

- 1. FILL OUT THE AFFIDAVIT ON THE BACK OF THIS FORM.**
- 2. SEND THE AFFIDAVIT TO OUR OFFICE BY FAX (617) 723-2998 OR BY EMAIL ([taxes@ch13boston.com](mailto:taxes@ch13boston.com)) WITH A REQUEST THAT THE MEETING BE CONCLUDED. DO NOT SEND THE AFFIDAVIT TO ANY OTHER EMAIL ADDRESS.**
- 3. DO NOT FILE THE AFFIDAVIT OR THE TAX RETURN WITH THE COURT.**
- 4. DO NOT SEND THE TRUSTEE THE TAX RETURN. WE ONLY NEED THE AFFIDAVIT.**
- 5. IF YOU HAVE FOLLOWED THE INSTRUCTIONS ABOVE, THERE IS NO NEED TO APPEAR AT THE CONTINUED MEETING DATE.**

***IF THE OUTSTANDING RETURNS HAVE NOT BEEN FILED WITH THE PROPER TAXING AUTHORITIES BEFORE THE CONTINUED MEETING DATE, YOU MUST DO ONE OF THE FOLLOWING:***

- 1. APPEAR AT THE CONTINUED MEETING DATE TO EXPLAIN WHY THE RETURNS HAVE NOT BEEN FILED.**
- 2. CONTACT THE TRUSTEE'S OFFICE TO REQUEST THAT THE MEETING BE HELD OPEN TO A LATER DATE. PLEASE NOTE THAT PURSUANT TO 11 U.S.C. §1308, THE TRUSTEE CAN ONLY HOLD A MEETING OPEN FOR 120 DAYS FROM THE DATE OF THE 1<sup>ST</sup> MEETING OF CREDITORS. IF THE TRUSTEE CAN, WE WILL GIVE YOU A NEW DATE.**
- 3. IF THE TRUSTEE CANNOT GIVE YOU A NEW DATE, YOU CAN FILE A MOTION WITH THE COURT UNDER §1308 REQUESTING AN ADDITIONAL 30 DAYS TO FILE THE TAX RETURN. PLEASE REFER TO §1308 FOR FURTHER DETAILS.**

***FAILURE TO FOLLOW THE INSTRUCTIONS ABOVE AND/OR TO APPEAR AT THE CONTINUED MEETING OF CREDITORS WILL RESULT IN THE MEETING BE CONCLUDED.***

**UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS**

In re:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Chapter 13

Case Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Debtor(s).

**UPDATED CERTIFICATION AND AFFIDAVIT**

The undersigned, being the Debtor(s) referenced above, do hereby certify under oath, that I have now filed all Federal, State and local tax returns required by law to be filed for all taxable periods ending within the 4-year period prior to the filing of this bankruptcy.

**By signing this affidavit, I acknowledge that all of the statements contained herein are true and accurate, and the Trustee and Court may rely on these statements for purposes of determining if confirmation of my proposed Plan is allowed under the provisions of the Bankruptcy Code. Any inaccuracy in this affidavit may be grounds for revocation or denial of my confirmation.**

**Signed and sworn to this**

Dated this the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_.

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Debtor

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Debtor