## UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT MIDDLE DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA

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In re:

PROCEDURES IN AID OF THE ADMINISTRATION OF CASES FILED UNDER CHAPTERS 7, 11 AND 12

## STANDING ORDER

Having concluded that the following new or revised procedures are needed in order to implement the provisions of the United States Bankruptcy Code as amended by the Bankruptcy Abuse Prevention and Consumer Protection Act of 2005 (Pub. L 109-8), it is hereby ORDERED as follows with respect to cases filed on or after October 17, 2005 under Chapters 7, 11 and 12:

## A. PROCEDURES PURSUANT TO SECTION 521(a)(1)(B)(iv) RELATED TO PAYMENT ADVICES AND OTHER EVIDENCE OF PAYMENT RECEIVED WITHIN 60 DAYS BEFORE THE PETITION DATE. The following procedures shall apply with respect to documents referred to in § 521(a)(1)(B)(iv) of the Bankruptcy Code as amended:

1. Debtors shall not be required to file the documents referred to in § 521(a)(1)(B)(iv) unless otherwise ordered by the court.

2. Unless requested by the trustee or a creditor to do so at an earlier date, debtors shall produce copies of the documents referred to in § 521(a)(1)(B)(iv) at the § 341 meeting of creditors for examination by the trustee or any creditor requesting examination of such documents at the meeting of creditors.

3. If the trustee or any creditor shall make a timely written request for copies of the documents referred to in § 521(a)(1)(B)(iv), the debtor shall provide copies of such documents to the parties making the request at least seven (7) days prior to the date first set for the meeting of creditors under § 341. To be considered timely, a creditor's request must be received at least fifteen (15) days before the date first set for the meeting of creditors under section 341.

**B. PROTECTION OF TAX INFORMATION.** The procedure for requesting and obtaining access to tax information filed with the court shall be as follows:

1. Federal tax returns or other tax information filed with the court by debtors in Chapters 7, 11 and 12 cases shall be subject to the restrictions and procedures for safeguarding the confidentiality of tax information established by the Director of the Administrative Office of the United States Courts pursuant to  $\S 315(c)(1)$  of the Bankruptcy Abuse Prevention and Consumer Protection Act of 2005, except that the procedures for requesting and obtaining access to tax information contained in the procedures for safeguarding the confidentiality of tax information established by the Director of the

Administrative Office of the United States shall not be apply to the Bankruptcy Administrator or to the trustee serving in the case.

C. DISCLOSURE OF VALUATION METHOD. If a value is stated for property listed in a schedule of Official Form 6 (Schedules A through J), the method of valuation used shall be stated in such schedule.

**D. FILING OF REAFFIRMATION AGREEMENTS.** Agrooments of the type described in § 524(c) of the Bankruptcy Code shall be filed with the court no later than 60 days after the first date sot for the meeting of creditors under § 341(a).

This 2 day of October, 2005.

WILLIAM L. STOCKS

United States Bankruptoy Judge

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CATHARINE R. CARRUTHERS United States Bankruptcy Judge

THOMAS W. WALDREP, JR.

United States Bankruptcy Judge