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To: Wallace Bell
Cc: John Chang
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Subject: OFFICIAL BANKRUPTCY FORMS

Good morning, Mr. Bell:

Mr. Chang suggested I contact you regarding a suggestion for a change to the Official BK Form B10 (Proof of Claim).

For the last several years, the form has evolved so there is not a good place to fit a date-stamp legibly (at least the type of stamp we use here in this office). I am attaching two samples of a 12-08 POC, one stamped at the top, and one at the bottom. You see the stamp is not completely legible because lack of clear space for the stamp. If a creditor has to fill in both a previously filed claim info (top) AND a priority claim amount (bottom), we'd be out of luck finding anywhere to stamp!

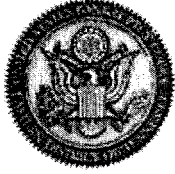
The 04-04 form (obviously pre-ECF) had plenty of space for a stamp (actually 2 "Court Use Only" spaces would probably not be necessary now). I'm attaching a sample of that as well. I would think only one space for "Court Use Only" at either the top or bottom right of the claim form would be sufficient.

The forms are fine if they are filed electronically, but since we forward these forms with the 341 Meeting Notice and we still get these POCs in hard-copy, could I suggest that the form be revised to include ONE area for "Court Use Only" that would permit a date-stamp to be clearly stamped without competing for space?

Thanks so much for your consideration!



Official Form B10 (12_08) Bottom Stamp-1.pdf Official Form B10 (04_04)-1.pdf Official Form B10 (12_08) Top stamp-1.pdf



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UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE		PROOF OF CLAIM
Name of Debtor: <u>[REDACTED]</u>		Case Number: <u>[REDACTED]</u>
NOTE: This form should not be used to make a claim for an administrative expense arising after the commencement of the case. A request for payment of an administrative expense may be filed pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 503.		
Name of Creditor (the person or other entity to whom the debtor owes money or property): 1ST FINANCIAL BANK		<input type="checkbox"/> Check this box to indicate that this claim amends a previously filed claim. Court Claim Number: _____ (If known)
Name and address where notices should be sent: 1ST FINANCIAL BANK c/o CREDITORS BANKRUPTCY SERVICE P. O. BOX 740933 DALLAS, TX 75374 Telephone number: (972) 644-1127		Filed on: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Check this box if you are aware that anyone else has filed a proof of claim relating to your claim. Attach copy of statement giving particulars. <input type="checkbox"/> Check this box if you are the debtor or trustee in this case.
Name and address where payment should be sent (if different from above): Telephone number: _____		
1. Amount of Claim as of Date Case Filed: \$ <u>2,496.01</u> If all or part of your claim is secured, complete item 4 below; however, if all of your claim is unsecured, do not complete item 4. If all or part of your claim is entitled to priority, complete item 5. <input type="checkbox"/> Check this box if claim includes interest or other charges in addition to the principal amount of claim. Attach itemized statement of interest or charges.		5. Amount of Claim Entitled to Priority under 11 U.S.C. §507(a). If any portion of your claim falls in one of the following categories, check the box and state the amount. Specify the priority of the claim. <input type="checkbox"/> Domestic support obligations under 11 U.S.C. §507(a)(1)(A) or (a)(1)(B). <input type="checkbox"/> Wages, salaries, or commissions (up to \$10,950*) earned within 180 days before filing of the bankruptcy petition or cessation of the debtor's business, whichever is earlier - 11 U.S.C. §507 (a)(4). <input type="checkbox"/> Contributions to an employee benefit plan - 11 U.S.C. §507 (a)(5). <input type="checkbox"/> Up to \$2,425* of deposits toward purchase, lease, or rental of property or services for personal, family, or household use - 11 U.S.C. §507 (a)(7). <input type="checkbox"/> Taxes or penalties owed to governmental units - 11 U.S.C. §507 (a)(8). <input type="checkbox"/> Other - Specify applicable paragraph of 11 U.S.C. §507 (a)().
2. Basis for Claim: <u>GOODS SOLD</u> (See instruction #2 on reverse side.)		
3. Last four digits of any number by which creditor identifies debtor: <u> </u> 3a. Debtor may have scheduled account as: (See instruction #3a on reverse side.)		
4. Secured Claim (See instruction #4 on reverse side.) Check the appropriate box if your claim is secured by a lien on property or a right of setoff and provide the requested information. Nature of property or right of setoff: <input type="checkbox"/> Real Estate <input type="checkbox"/> Motor Vehicle <input type="checkbox"/> Other Describe: Value of Property: \$ _____ Annual Interest Rate: % Amount of arrearage and other charges as of time case filed included in secured claim, if any: \$ _____ Basis for perfection: _____ Amount of Secured Claim: \$ _____ Amount Unsecured: \$ _____		
6. Credits: The amount of all payments on this claim has been credited for the purpose of making this proof of claim.		
7. Documents: Attach redacted copies of any documents that support the claim, such as promissory notes, purchase orders, invoices, itemized statements of running accounts, contracts, judgments, mortgages, and security agreements. You may also attach a summary. Attach redacted copies of documents providing evidence of perfection of a security interest. You may also attach a summary. (See instruction 7 and definition of "redacted" on reverse side.) DO NOT SEND ORIGINAL DOCUMENTS. ATTACHED DOCUMENTS MAY BE DESTROYED AFTER SCANNING. If the documents are not available, please explain:		Amount entitled to priority: \$ _____ *Amounts are subject to adjustment on 4/1/10 and every 3 years thereafter with respect to cases commenced on or after the date of adjustment.
Date: <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; display: inline-block;">11/24/09</div>	Signature: The person filing this claim must sign it. Sign and print name and title, if any, of the creditor or other person authorized to file this claim and state address and telephone number if different from the notice address above. Attach copy of power of attorney, if any. <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; align-items: center;"> D. M. MASON - AGENT </div>	

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT <u>Eastern</u> DISTRICT OF <u>Tennessee</u>		PROOF OF CLAIM
Name of Debtor <u>[REDACTED]</u>		Case Number <u>[REDACTED]</u>
<p>NOTE: This form should not be used to make a claim for an administrative expense arising after the commencement of the case. A "request" for payment of an administrative expense may be filed pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 503.</p>		
Name of Creditor (The person or other entity to whom the debtor owes money or property): PIONEER CREDIT COMPANY		<div style="text-align: center;"> <p>RECEIVED - 11/10/09</p> <p>CLERK OF COURT</p> </div>
Name and address where notices should be sent: Pioneer Credit Company P O BOX 578 Greeneville TN 37744 Telephone number: 423-639-8137		
Account or other number by which creditor identifies debtor: 22677/17		
1. Basis for Claim <input type="checkbox"/> Goods sold <input type="checkbox"/> Services performed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Money loaned <input type="checkbox"/> Personal injury/wrongful death <input type="checkbox"/> Taxes <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____		Check box if you are aware that anyone else has filed a proof of claim relating to your claim. Attach copy of statement giving particulars. <input type="checkbox"/> Check box if you have never received any notices from the bankruptcy court in this case. <input type="checkbox"/> Check box if the address differs from the address on the envelope sent to you by the court.
2. Date debt was incurred: 3/23/2009		Check here <input type="checkbox"/> replaces if this claim <input type="checkbox"/> amends a previously filed claim, dated: _____
3. If court judgment, date obtained:		
4. Total Amount of Claim at Time Case Filed: \$ <u>494.75</u> (unsecured) (secured) (priority) (Total)		
If all or part of your claim is secured or entitled to priority, also complete Item 5 or 7 below. <input type="checkbox"/> Check this box if claim includes interest or other charges in addition to the principal amount of the claim. Attach itemized statement of all interest or additional charges.		
5. Secured Claim. <input type="checkbox"/> Check this box if your claim is secured by collateral (including a right of setoff). Brief Description of Collateral: <input type="checkbox"/> Real Estate <input type="checkbox"/> Motor Vehicle <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ Value of Collateral: \$ _____ Amount of arrearage and other charges at time case filed included in secured claim, if any: \$ _____		7. Unsecured Priority Claim. <input type="checkbox"/> Check this box if you have an unsecured priority claim Amount entitled to priority \$ _____ Specify the priority of the claim: <input type="checkbox"/> Wages, salaries, or commissions (up to \$4,925)* earned within 90 days before filing of the bankruptcy petition or cessation of the debtor's business, whichever is earlier - 11 U.S.C. § 507(a)(3). <input type="checkbox"/> Contributions to an employee benefit plan - 11 U.S.C. § 507(a)(4). <input type="checkbox"/> Up to \$2,225* of deposits toward purchase, lease, or rental of property or services for personal, family, or household use - 11 U.S.C. § 507(a)(6). <input type="checkbox"/> Alimony, maintenance, or support owed to a spouse, former spouse, or child - 11 U.S.C. § 507(a)(7). <input type="checkbox"/> Taxes or penalties owed to governmental units - 11 U.S.C. § 507(a)(8). <input type="checkbox"/> Other - Specify applicable paragraph of 11 U.S.C. § 507(a)(____). <small>*Amounts are subject to adjustment on 4/1/07 and every 3 years thereafter with respect to cases commenced on or after the date of adjustment.</small>
6. Unsecured Nonpriority Claim \$ _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Check this box if: a) there is no collateral or lien securing your claim, or b) your claim exceeds the value of the property securing it, or if c) none or only part of your claim is entitled to priority.		
8. Credits: The amount of all payments on this claim has been credited and deducted for the purpose of making this proof of claim.		THIS SPACE IS FOR COURT USE ONLY
9. Supporting Documents: Attach copies of supporting documents, such as promissory notes, purchase orders, invoices, itemized statements of running accounts, contracts, court judgments, mortgages, security agreements, and evidence of perfection of lien. DO NOT SEND ORIGINAL DOCUMENTS. If the documents are not available, explain. If the documents are voluminous, attach a summary.		
10. Date-Stamped Copy: To receive an acknowledgment of the filing of your claim, enclose a stamped, self-addressed envelope and copy of this proof of claim		
Date 1/28/2010	Sign and print the name and title, if any, of the creditor or other person authorized to file this claim (attach copy of power of attorney, if any). <div style="text-align: right;"> R H Allen Manager </div>	

Penalty for presenting fraudulent claim: Fine of up to \$500,000 or imprisonment for up to 5 years, or both. 18 U.S.C. §§ 152 and 3571.

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT Eastern District of Tennessee		PROOF OF CLAIM
Name of Debtor: <u>[REDACTED]</u>	Case Number: <u>[REDACTED]</u>	
NOTE: This form should not be used to make a claim for an administrative expense arising after the commencement of the case. A request for payment of an administrative expense may be filed pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 503.		
Name of Creditor (the person or other entity to whom the debtor owes money or property): <u>Greeneville Collections Holley Creek Florist</u> Name and address where notices should be sent: Greeneville Collections 103 N College Street Greeneville, TN 37743-5607 PO Box 385 Greeneville, TN 37744 Telephone number: <u>(423) 639-4191</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> Check this box to indicate that this claim amends a previously filed claim. Court Claim Number: <u>[REDACTED]</u> (If known) Filed on: <u>JAN 27 2011</u>	
Name and address where payment should be sent (if different from above): Telephone number: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Check this box if you are aware that anyone else has filed a proof of claim relating to your claim. Attach copy of statement giving particulars. <input type="checkbox"/> Check this box if you are the debtor or trustee in this case.	
1. Amount of Claim as of Date Case Filed: <u>\$49.80</u> If all or part of your claim is secured, complete item 4 below; however, if all of your claim is unsecured, do not complete item 4. If all or part of your claim is entitled to priority, complete item 5. <input type="checkbox"/> Check this box if claim includes interest or other charges in addition to the principal amount of claim. Attach itemized statement of interest or charges.	5. Amount of Claim Entitled to Priority under 11 U.S.C. §507(a). If any portion of your claim falls in one of the following categories, check the box and state the amount. Specify the priority of the claim. <input type="checkbox"/> Domestic support obligations under 11 U.S.C. §507(a)(1)(A) or (a)(1)(B). <input type="checkbox"/> Wages, salaries, or commissions (up to \$10,950*) earned within 180 days before filing of the bankruptcy petition or cessation of the debtor's business, whichever is earlier - 11 U.S.C. §507(a)(4). <input type="checkbox"/> Contributions to an employee benefit plan - 11 U.S.C. §507(a)(5). <input type="checkbox"/> Up to \$2,425* of deposits toward purchase, lease, or rental of property or services for personal, family, or household use - 11 U.S.C. §507(a)(7). <input type="checkbox"/> Taxes or penalties owed to governmental units - 11 U.S.C. §507(a)(8). <input type="checkbox"/> Other - Specify applicable paragraph of 11 U.S.C. §507(a)(____).	
2. Basis for Claim: <u>Services performed</u> (See instruction #2 on reverse side.)	Amount entitled to priority: \$ _____	
3. Last four digits of any number by which creditor identifies debtor: <u>1</u> 3a. Debtor may have scheduled account as: _____ (See instruction #3a on reverse side.)	*Amounts are subject to adjustment on 4/1/10 and every 3 years thereafter with respect to cases commenced on or after the date of adjustment.	
4. Secured Claim (See instruction #4 on reverse side.) Check the appropriate box if your claim is secured by a lien on property or a right of setoff and provide the requested information. Nature of property or right of setoff: <input type="checkbox"/> Real Estate <input type="checkbox"/> Motor Vehicle <input type="checkbox"/> Other Describe: _____ Value of Property: \$ _____ Annual Interest Rate: _____ % Amount of arrearage and other charges as of time case filed included in secured claim, If any: \$ _____ Basis for perfection: _____ Amount of Secured Claim: \$ _____ Amount Unsecured: \$ _____	6. Credits: The amount of all payments on this claim has been credited for the purpose of making this proof of claim. 7. Documents: Attach redacted copies of any documents that support the claim, such as promissory notes, purchase orders, invoices, itemized statements of running accounts, contracts, judgments, mortgages, and security agreements. You may also attach a summary. Attach redacted copies of documents providing evidence of perfection of a security interest. You may also attach a summary. (See instruction 7 and definition of "redacted" on reverse side.) DO NOT SEND ORIGINAL DOCUMENTS. ATTACHED DOCUMENTS MAY BE DESTROYED AFTER SCANNING. If the documents are not available, please explain: _____	
Date: <u>1/22/10</u>	Signature: The person filing this claim must sign it. Sign and print name and title, if any, of the creditor or other person authorized to file this claim and state address and telephone number if different from the notice address above. Attach copy of power of attorney, if any. <u>Greeneville Collection Service, Inc.,</u> Agent For: <u>Holley Creek Florist/ By: L.H. Bell, Mgr</u>	
Penalty for presenting fraudulent claim: Fine of up to \$500,000 or imprisonment for up to 5 years, or both. 18 U.S.C. §§ 152 and 3571.		FOR COURT USE ONLY <u>ACK</u>