**UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT**

**DISTRICT OF VERMONT**

**\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

In re:

 **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, Chapter \_\_**

 **Debtor(s). Case # \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

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**Initial Request**

**for Copy of Debtor’s Federal Income Tax Return(s),**

**Pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 521(e)(2)**

I, \_\_[*name*]\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, hereby certify under penalty of perjury that I am a creditor or party in interest in the above-captioned case. Pursuant to § 521(e)(2) of the Bankruptcy Code, ***I hereby request that the above-captioned debtor(s) send a copy of their most recent federal income tax return to me*** at the following address:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ ZIP Code: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

***NOTICE TO DEBTOR: Failure to timely provide the requested federal income tax return can result in dismissal of this case without a discharge of debts. See 11 U.S.C. § 521(e)(2)(B)&(C).***

I, \_\_[*name*]\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, hereby certify under penalty of perjury that on this date I provided copies of this request, by \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (*describe method of service* (e.g.*, first-class mail, postage prepaid)*), to the parties or attorneys of record listed below:

[*List names and addresses (and/or e-mail addresses) of those served, together with method of service. Include debtor, debtor’s attorney, if any, debtor’s spouse, if any, case trustee, and the Office of the U.S. trustee.*]

***This request must also be filed with the Court****.*

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ By: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

 [*Signature*]

[*typed name, with address, e-mail address, and telephone number*]