UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE

In re:

SCHOOL SPECIALTY, INC. et al.,¹

Debtors.

Chapter 11

Case No. 13-10125 (KJC)

Jointly Administered

Ref. Docket Nos. 5, 9, 11, 71, 75, & 79

OMNIBUS NOTICE OF PLEADINGS AND HEARING THEREON

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that on January 28, 2013, School Specialty, Inc., *et al.* (collectively, the "<u>Debtors</u>"), the debtors and debtors-in-possession in the above captioned cases, filed the following pleadings with this Court (collectively, the "<u>First Day Pleadings</u>):

- 1. Motion for an Order Pursuant to Section 366 of the Bankruptcy Code (I) Prohibiting Utility Companies from Altering, Refusing, or Discontinuing Utility Services, (II) Deeming Utility Companies Adequately Assured of Future Performance, (III) Establishing Procedures for Determining Adequate Assurance of Payment; and (IV) Setting a Final Hearing Related Thereto [D.I. 5; 1/28/13]
- 2. Debtors' Motion for an Order (A) Authorizing, But Not Directing, The Debtors to Pay Certain Prepetition Wages, Compensation, and Employee Benefits and Continue Payment of Wages, Compensation, and Employee Benefits in the Ordinary Course of Business; and (B) Authorizing and Directing Applicable Banks and Other Financial Institutions to Process and Pay All Checks Presented for Payment and to Honor All Funds Transfer Requests Made by the Debtors Relating to the Foregoing [D.I. 9; 1/28/13]
- 3. Debtors' Motion for Entry of Interim and Final Orders Authorizing the Debtors to Pay Prepetition Claims of Certain Critical Vendors, Foreign Suppliers, Freight Carriers and Section 503(b)(9) Claimants [D.I. 11; 1/28/13]

¹ The Debtors in these cases, along with the last four digits of each Debtor's federal tax identification number and state of incorporation, are: School Specialty, Inc. (Wisc.; 1239), Bird-In-Hand Woodworks, Inc. (N.J.; 8811), Califone International, Inc. (Del.; 3578), Childcraft Education Corp. (N.Y.; 9818), ClassroomDirect.com, LLC (Del.; 2425), Delta Education, LLC (Del.; 8764), Frey Scientific, Inc. (Del.; 3771), Premier Agendas, Inc. (Wash.; 1380), Sax Arts & Crafts, Inc. (Del.; 6436), and Sportime, LLC (Del.; 6939). The address of the Debtors' corporate headquarters is W6316 Design Drive, Greenville, Wisconsin 54942.



PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that a hearing on the First Day Pleadings was held on January 30, 2013, at which time the Court approved the First Day Pleadings on an interim basis [Docket Nos. 71, 75, and 79].

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that a hearing to consider final approval of the First Day Pleadings is scheduled for <u>February 25, 2013 at 11:00 a.m. (ET)</u> at the United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Delaware, 824 Market Street, 5th Floor, Courtroom 5, Wilmington, Delaware 19801 before The Honorable Kevin J. Carey, United States Bankruptcy Judge for the District of Delaware.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that any responses or objections to the First Day Pleadings must be in writing, filed with the Clerk of the Bankruptcy Court, 824 Market Street, 3rd Floor, Wilmington, Delaware 19801, and served upon and received by the undersigned proposed counsel for the Debtors on or before **February 15, 2013 at 4:00 p.m.** (ET) (the "Objection Deadline").

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that the Debtors intend to file proposed orders granting the relief requested in the First Day Pleadings on a final basis in advance of the Objection Deadline. Copies of the proposed orders will be available, free of charge, from the website of the Court appointed claims agent, Kurtzman Carson Consultants, LLC (www.kccllc.net/SchoolSpecialty).

IF NO OBJECTIONS TO ANY OF THE FIRST DAY PLEADINGS ARE TIMELY FILED, SERVED AND RECEIVED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THIS NOTICE, THE COURT MAY GRANT THE RELIEF REQUESTED IN CONNECTION WITH SUCH FIRST DAY PLEADINGS WITHOUT FURTHER NOTICE OR HEARING.

Dated: January 31, 2013 Wilmington, Delaware

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