| UNITED STATES<br>BANKRUPTCY COURT | SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS<br>HOUSTON DIVISION |  |  |
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| In re:                            | §  |  |  |
| III IC.                           | § Bankr. Case No. 20-32564-DRJ                 |  |  |
| STAGE STORES, INC., et al.,       | § Chapter 11                                   |  |  |
| , , ,                             | § Jointly Administered                         |  |  |
| $Debtors.^1$                      | §  |  |  |
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| AMY STUMPF, et al.,               | §  |  |  |
|                                   | §  |  |  |
| Plaintiffs,                       | §  |  |  |
|                                   | §  |  |  |
| v.                                | § Adv. Proc. No. 20-03303                      |  |  |
|                                   | §  |  |  |
| STAGE STORES, INC., et al.        | §  |  |  |
|                                   | §  |  |  |
| Defendants.                       | §  |  |  |

## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Curt Hesse, certify that I am, and at all times during the service of process was, not less than 18 years of age and not a party to the matter concerning which service of process was made. I further certify that the service of the Summons in an Adversary Proceeding (Doc. 5) issued on Specialty Retailers, Inc. and a copy of the Complaint (Doc. 1) was made on July 21, 2020, by:

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The debtors in these Chapter 11 cases, along with the last four digits of each debtor's federal tax identification number are: Stage Stores, Inc. (6900) and Specialty Retailers, Inc. (1900). The debtors' headquarters is: 2425 West Loop South, Houston, Texas 77027-4205.



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Mail service: Regular, first class United States mail, postage fully pre-paid, addressed to:

Specialty Retailers, Inc. 2425 West Loop South Houston, Texas 77027

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Personal Service: By leaving the process with defendant or with an officer or agent of defendant at:

Residence Service: By leaving the process with the following adult at:

Publication: The defendant was served as follows: [Describe briefly]

State Law: The defendant was served pursuant to the laws of the State of Texas, as follows: [Describe briefly]

Under penalty of perjury, I declare that the foregoing is true and correct.

July 21, 2020

Curt C. There

Date

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