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12 **UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT**  
13 **CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**  
14 **SANTA ANA DIVISION**

15 In re:

16 CAMEO HOMES, INC.,  
17 a California corporation,

18 Alleged Debtor.

19 Case No. **8:08-13151 RK**

20 Chapter 7

21 **DEBTOR'S RESPONSE TO INVOLUNTARY**  
22 **PETITION**

23 DATE: July 15, 2008

24 TIME: 1:30 p.m.

25 CTRM: 5D

26 **TO THE HONORABLE ROBERT KWAN, UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY JUDGE:**

27 Cameo Homes, Inc., a California corporation, and the Alleged Chapter 7 Debtor herein,  
28 hereby consents to the entry of an Order for Relief, as indicated on the Alleged Debtor's  
(1) Consent to Entry of Order for Relief; and (2) Election to Convert Chapter 7 Case to a Case  
Under Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code, a true copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit "1"  
and incorporated herein by this reference.

DATED: June 30, 2008

**WINTHROP COUCHOT**  
**PROFESSIONAL CORPORATION**

By: 

Paul J. Couchot

[proposed] Attorneys for Debtor and  
Debtor in Possession

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**ALLEGED DEBTOR'S**  
**(1) CONSENT TO ENTRY OF ORDER FOR RELIEF; AND**  
**(2) ELECTION TO CONVERT CHAPTER 7 CASE TO A CASE UNDER CHAPTER 11 OF THE BANKRUPTCY CODE.**


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22 hereby consents to the entry of an Order for Relief, as indicated on the Alleged Debtor's  
23 (1) Consent to Entry of Order for Relief; and pursuant to the provisions of §706 of the Bankruptcy  
24 Code, elects to convert this Chapter 7 case to a case under Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code.

25 DATED: June 30, 2008

CAMEO HOMES, INC. 

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27 By:   
28 James C. Gianulias, President

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I, Guy Shaw, declare as follows:

I am employed in the County of Orange, State of California; I am over the age of eighteen years and am not a party to this action; and my business address is 660 Newport Center Drive, Fourth Floor, Newport Beach, California 92660, in said County and State.

On July 1, 2008 I served the following document: **DEBTOR'S RESPONSE TO INVOLUNTARY PETITION** on each of the interested parties as follows:

**SEE ATTACHED SERVICE LIST**

by the following means of service:

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<b>BY MAIL:</b> I placed a true copy in a sealed envelope addressed as indicated above, on the above-mentioned date. I am familiar with the firm's practice of collection and processing correspondence for mailing. It is deposited with the U.S. Postal Service on that same day in the ordinary course of business. Under that practice it would be deposited with the U.S. Postal Service on that same date with postage thereon fully prepaid at Newport Beach, California in the ordinary course of business I am aware that on motion of party served, service is presumed invalid if postal cancellation date or postage meter date is more than one day after date of deposit for mailing in affidavit.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	I am employed in the office of Winthrop Couchot Professional Corporation. Paul J. Couchot is a member of the bar of this Court.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<b>(FEDERAL)</b> I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on July 1, 2008 at Newport Beach, California.

  
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Guy Shaw



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