IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE

In re:	)	
	)	**Chapter 11**
EXIDE TECHNOLOGIES, et al.	)	**Case No. 02-11125 (JCA)**
	)	**(Jointly Administered)**
Debtors[1],	)	

AFFIDAVIT OF SUPPLEMENTAL SERVICE RE:

1. **NOTICE OF DEADLINE FOR CREDITORS TO FILE PROOFS OF CLAIM**
2. **PROOF OF CLAIM**

I, Yvette Hassman, state as follows:

1. I am over eighteen years of age and I believe the statements contained herein are true based on my personal knowledge. My business address is c/o Bankruptcy Management Corporation, 1330 East Franklin Avenue, El Segundo, California 90245.

2. On March 20, 2003, at the direction of Pachulski, Stang, Ziehl, Young Jones & Weintraub, P.C., co-counsel to the Debtors and Debtors in Possession, I caused service of the documents attached hereto as Exhibit 1 to be effected on the party listed in Exhibit 2.

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[1] The Debtors in these proceedings are: Exide Technologies f/k/a Exide Corporation; Exide Delaware, L.L.C.; Exide Illinois, Inc. and RBD Liquidation, L.L.C.

3. Such service was effected via first-class mail and deposited with the United States Postal Service with postage thereon fully prepaid.

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

DATED: March 24, 2003
El Segundo, California

Yvette Hassman

State of California)
) ss
County of Los Angeles)

Personally appeared before me on March 24, 2003, Yvette Hassman, an individual, known to me to be the person who executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged the same.

James H. Myers
My Commission Expires July 19, 2005

JAMES H. MYERS
Commission # 1313901
Notary Public - California
Los Angeles County
My Comm. Expires Jul 19, 2005

EXHIBIT 1

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NOTICE OF DEADLINE FOR
CREDITORS TO FILE PROOFS OF CLAIM

DEADLINE: April 23, 2003, at 4:00 p.m. Eastern Time

TO: ALL PERSONS *(EXCEPT THOSE ALLEGING PERSONAL INJURY OR PROPERTY DAMAGE CLAIMS RESULTING FROM CONTAMINANT EXPOSURE)* OR ENTITIES WHO MIGHT WISH TO ASSERT CLAIMS AGAINST: Exide Technologies a/k/a Exide Corporation a/k/a Evanite Fiber Corporation a/k/a General Battery Corporation a/k/a Refinded Metals Batteries Unlimited a/k/a Batteries West a/k/a ESB Incorporated a/k/a Exide Battery a/k/a Exide & General Batteries Corporation a/k/a Prices Battery a/k/a Price Battery a/k/a Price & Price Battery a/k/a General Battery & Ceramic Corporation a/k/a Gould National Battery a/k/a Gould Battery a/k/a National Battery a/k/a Pacific Chloride a/k/a Schuylkill Metals a/k/a States Battery Company a/k/a States Battery a/k/a The Electric Storage Battery Company a/k/a Exide Delaware, L.L.C. a/k/a Exide Investments; Exide Illinois, Inc. a/k/a, Exide Investments; RBD Liquidation, L.L.C. a/k/a Royal Battery Distributors, L.L.C., Dixie Metals Company; and Refined Metals Corporation

On April 15, 2002 (the "Original Petition Date"), Exide Technologies a/k/a/ Exide Corporation, Exide Delaware, L.L.C., Exide Illinois and RBD Liquidation, L.L.C. (the "Original Debtors") filed voluntary petitions for relief under chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code. On November 21, 2002 (the "Additional Petition Date"), Dixie Metals Company and Refined Metals Corporation each an afiliate of the Original Debtors, (the "Additional Debtors") filed voluntary petitions for relief under chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code. An order consolidating the cases for the Original Debtors and Additional Debtors (collectively, the "Debtors") (collectively, the "Chapter 11 Cases") was entered by the Court on November 29, 2002.

An order of the United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Delaware (the "Court") has established a deadline (sometimes referred to as a "Bar Date") for the filing of claims against the Debtors.

The order provided, in substance, that every person or entity (including every individual, partnership, corporation, estate or trust) except those described herein, who wishes to assert a claim against an Original Debtor that arose prior to April 15, 2002 and/or assert a claim against an Additional Debtor that arose prior to November 21, 2002 must file a written proof of claim ("Proof of Claim"), as described below, on or before 4:00 p.m., Eastern time, April 23, 2003 (the "Deadline").

The order does not establish a deadline for parties holding equity security interests in any of the Debtors to file a "Proof of Interest" pursuant to Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure 2002(D) or 3003(C)(2). Accordingly, if your only connection with the Debtors is that you hold stock in Exide

Technologies, or any of the other Debtors, then you need not file a Proof of Claim or a Proof of Interest at this time.

IF YOU FAIL TO FILE A PROOF OF CLAIM BY THE DEADLINE, YOU WILL BE FOREVER BARRED FROM (A) ASSERTING A CLAIM AGAINST THE DEBTORS, AND (B) VOTING UPON, OR RECEIVING DISTRIBUTIONS UNDER ANY PLAN OF REORGANIZATION OF THE DEBTORS, (C) FILING A PROOF OF CLAIM WITH RESPECT TO SUCH CLAIM, (D) ASSERTING SUCH CLAIM AGAINST THE DEBTORS OR THEIR ESTATES OR PROPERTY, (E) VOTING ON ANY PLAN OR PLANS OF REORGANIZATION FILED IN THESE CASES, AND (F) PARTICIPATING IN ANY DISTRIBUTION IN THE DEBTORS' CHAPTER 11 CASES ON ACCOUNT OF SUCH CLAIM, AND THE DEBTORS AND THEIR PROPERTY SHALL BE DISCHARGED FOREVER FROM ANY AND ALL INDEBTEDNESS OR LIABILITY WITH RESPECT TO SUCH CLAIM.

The Debtors have filed their schedules of assets, and liabilities (the "Schedules") and amended schedule of assets and liabilities ("Amended Schedules") as well as their statement of financial affairs. The Schedules/Amended Schedules are available for inspection (A) during regular business hours at the Office of the Clerk of the Bankruptcy Court, United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Delaware, 824 Market Street, 5th Floor, Wilmington, Delaware 19801; or (b) at the offices of the co-counsel for the Debtors, Pachulski, Stang, Ziehl, Young, Jones & Weintraub P.C., located at 919 Market Street, Suite 1600, Wilmington, Delaware 19899-8705. The Schedules/Amended Schedules may be viewed at http:// www.bmccorp.net/exide. The amount and stature of your claim, as scheduled by the Debtors, appears on the proof of claim form enclosed with this notice.

IF YOUR CLAIM:

- **IS NOT LISTED IN THE SCHEDULES, OR**
- **IS LISTED IN AN AMOUNT OR CATEGORY WITH WHICH YOU DISAGREE, OR**
- **IS LISTED AS "DISPUTED", "CONTINGENT" OR "UNLIQUIDATED", WHETHER OR NOT A CLAIM AMOUNT IS SHOWN,**

AND YOU DESIRE TO PARTICIPATE IN THESE CHAPTER 11 CASES AND SHARE IN ANY DISTRIBUTION, YOU MUST FILE A PROOF OF CLAIM ON OR BEFORE THE DEADLINE.

If it is unclear whether your claim is disputed, contingent or unliquidated, or whether it otherwise is properly listed (as to its category, its amount, or otherwise), you must file a Proof of Claim prior to the Deadline. If you desire to rely on the Schedules/Amended Schedules, you have the responsibility for determining that any claims you might want to assert are fully, accurately and unequivocally listed there.

If your claim against a Debtor is a personal injury or property damage claim based on alleged exposure to contaminants ("Contaminant-Related PI Claims"[1] and "Contaminant-Related PD

[1] A "Contaminant-Related PI Claim," as used in this Motion, shall mean any claim alleging, arising out of, or in any way relating to personal injury, including wrongful death, for which any Debtor is alleged to be liable, arising out of or relating to exposure to lead, cadmium, arsenic, sulfate, chromium, aluminum, nickel, barium, copper, manganese, beryllium, heavy metals, sulfuric acid or other acidic contaminants, or any other toxic or hazardous substances, pollutants, or substances (a "Contaminant"), and any claims in any way related to such claims. Contaminant-Related PI Claims include all such claims whether in tort, contract, warranty, restitution, conspiracy, contribution, guarantee, indemnity, subrogation or any other theory of law, equity or admiralty; whether seeking compensatory, special, economic and non-economic, punitive, exemplary, administrative, or any other costs or damages; or whether seeking any legal, equitable or other relief of any kind whatsoever. Contaminant-Related PI Claims include any such claims that have been resolved or are subject to resolution pursuant to any agreement, or any such claims that are based on a judgment or verdict.

Claims"[2]) you need not file a proof of claim by the Deadline. A deadline for filing proofs of claim for Contaminant-Related PI Claims and Contaminant Related PD Claims (collectively, "Contaminant Claims") has not been established by the Court as of the mailing of this notice. Proper notice of the deadline for filing such claims will be provided when a Bar Date is established by the Court for Contaminant Claims.

YOU MAY, BUT NEED NOT, FILE A PROOF OF CLAIM:

(a) If you have already properly filed a proof of claim in the Debtors' Chapter 11 Cases with the Clerk of the Bankruptcy Court for the District of Delaware; or

(b) If your claim is listed in the Schedules/Amended Schedules in an amount and classification with which you agree, and your claim is not listed in the Schedules/Amended Schedules as disputed, contingent, or unliquidated;

(c) If your claim against a Debtor has previously been allowed by, or paid pursuant to, an order of the Court; and/or if you are

(d) Any of the Debtors, including any of the Debtors that hold claims against one or more of the Debtors;

(e) Any entity whose claim is limited exclusively to a claim for repayment by the applicable Debtor of principal, interest, or any claim based on an equity interest;

(f) Any entity whose claim against any of the Debtors is limited to an administrative expense of any Debtor's chapter 11 case under section 503(b) of the Bankruptcy Code;

(g) Any person or entity (other than an indenture trustee) seeking to assert a claim for principal and interest due on a bond issued by the Debtors; provided however that any bond holders holding any other type of claim, or alleging damages or asserting causes of action based upon or arising from a bond, must file a proof of claim by the General Bar Dateand it is further

(h) Any person or entity (other than Credit Suisse First Boston, as administrative agent (the "Prepetition Agent")) seeking to assert a claim arising out of that certain Amended and Restated Credit and Guarantee Agreement dated as of September 29, 2000, among the Debtors, the Prepetition Agent, the lenders from time to time party thereto and others (as heretofore amended, restated, supplemented or otherwise modified) (the "Prepetition Credit Agreement")

OTHERWISE, YOU MUST FILE A PROOF OF CLAIM ON OR PRIOR TO THE DEADLINE IF YOU WISH TO ASSERT A CLAIM AGAINST THE DEBTORS (except for Contaminant Claims see paragraph number 9 above).

The Deadline, or claims Bar Date, for any person or entity whose claim arises from, or as a consequence of, the rejection of an executory contract or unexpired lease shall be as follows: (a) If the Court has entered an Order fixing the date by which such

[2] A "Contaminant-Related PD Claim," as used in this Motion, shall mean any claim alleging, arising out of, or in any way relating to physical, economic, or any other damage or injury to any property or property interest for which any Debtor is alleged to be liable, arising out of or in any way relating to the installation, presence, removal of, or release of a Contaminant from any facility of any Debtor or from any products or materials containing a Contaminant. Contaminant-Related PD Claims include all such claims whether in tort, contract, warranty, restitution, conspiracy, contribution, indemnity, guarantee, subrogation, or any other theory of law, equity or admiralty; whether seeking compensatory, special, economic and non-economic, punitive, exemplary, administrative, or any other costs or damages; or whether seeking any legal, equitable or other relief of any kind whatsoever. Contaminant-Related PD Claims include any such claims that have been resolved or are subject to resolution pursuant to any agreement, or any such claims that are based on a judgment or verdict.

claims must be filed, the Order shall govern, and (b) if the Court has not entered an Order fixing the date by which such claims must be filed then the claims bar date shall be the later of (i) the Deadline or (ii) thirty (30) days from date of the service of the order rejecting said contract or lease.

Proofs of Claim should conform substantially to Form No. 10 of the Official Bankruptcy Forms (or use the form enclosed with this notice, which is modeled on that form) and must be received on or before the Deadline by:

Bankruptcy Management Corporation
as Agent for the U.S. Bankruptcy Court
re: Exide
P.O. Box 1063
El Segundo, CA 90245-1063 (for mailed deliveries)

or

1330 E. Franklin Avenue
El Segundo, CA 90245 (for hand delivery or courier delivery)

Exide Case Support may be contacted at (888) 909-0100 for assistance with any questions concerning the filing or processing of a proof of claim. Information can also be obtained at http://www.bmccorp.net.

A CLAIMANT SHOULD CONSULT AN ATTORNEY REGARDING ANY OTHER INQUIRIES, SUCH AS WHETHER THE CLAIMANT SHOULD FILE A PROOF OF CLAIM.

ALL PROOFS OF CLAIM WILL BE DEEMED FILED ONLY WHEN RECEIVED. PROOFS OF CLAIM WILL BE DEEMED TIMELY FILED ONLY IF THE PROOF OF CLAIM (I) IS SIGNED, (II) IDENTIFIES THE ENTITY AGAINST WHICH IT IS ASSERTED, AND (III) IS ACTUALLY RECEIVED BY BANKRUPTCY MANAGEMENT CORPORATION ON OR BEFORE THE DEADLINE.

Dated: February 27, 2003

KIRKLAND & ELLIS
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200 East Randolph Drive
Chicago, IL 60601
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and

PACHULSKI, STANG, ZIEHL, YOUNG, JONES & WEINTRAUB P.C.
/s/

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Counsel for the Debtors and Debtors in Possession

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE

PROOF OF CLAIM

In re:

Case Number:

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 and Address:

Creditor Telephone Number ( )

☐ 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.

☐ Check box if you have never received any notices from the bankruptcy court in this case.

☐ Check box if this address differs from the address on the envelope sent to you by the court.

If you have already filed a proof of claim with the Bankruptcy Court or BMC, you do not need to file again.

CREDITOR TAX I.D. #:	ACCOUNT OR OTHER NUMBER BY WHICH CREDITOR IDENTIFIES DEBTOR:	Check here if this claim ☐ replaces or ☐ amends a previously filed claim dated: _____

1. BASIS FOR CLAIM

☐ Goods sold
☐ Services performed
☐ Money loaned
☐ Personal injury/wrongful death
☐ Taxes
☐ Other (describe briefly)
☐ Retiree benefits as defined in 11 U.S.C § 1114(a)
☐ Wages, salaries, and compensation (Fill out below)

Your social security number: _____

Unpaid compensation for services performed from: _____ (date) to _____ (date)

2. DATE DEBT WAS INCURRED:

3. IF COURT JUDGMENT, DATE OBTAINED:

4. TOTAL AMOUNT OF CLAIM AS OF PETITION DATE: $ _____ (unsecured) $ _____ (secured) $ _____ (unsecured priority) $ _____ (total)

If all or part of your claim is secured or entitled to priority, also complete Item 5 or 6 below.

☐ 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

☐ Check this box if your claim is secured by collateral (including a right of setoff).

Brief description of collateral:

☐ Real Estate
☐ Motor Vehicle
☐ Other _____

Value of collateral: $ _____

Amount of arrearage and other charges at time case filed included in secured claim above, if any $_____

6. UNSECURED PRIORITY CLAIM

☐ Check this box if you have an unsecured priority claim

Specify the priority of the claim:

☐ Wages, salaries, or commissions (up to $4,650*), 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)

☐ Contributions to an employee benefit plan - 11 U.S.C. § 507(a)(4)

☐ Up to $2,100* of deposits toward purchase, lease, or rental of property or services for personal, family, or household use - 11 U.S.C. § 507(a)(6)

☐ Alimony maintenance or support owed to a spouse, former spouse, or child -11 U.S.C. § 507(a)(7)

☐ Taxes or penalties owed to governmental units - 11 U.S.C. § 507(a)(8)

☐ Other - Specify applicable paragraph of 11 U.S.C. § 507(a) _____

** Amounts are subject to adjustment on 4/1/01 and every 3 years thereafter with respect to cases commenced on or after the date of adjustment.*

7. CREDITS: The amount of all payments on this claim has been credited and deducted for the purpose of making this proof of claim.

8. 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.

9. DATE-STAMPED COPY: To receive an acknowledgment of your claim, please enclose a self-addressed stamped envelope and an additional copy of this proof of claim.

The original of this completed proof of claim form must be sent by mail or hand delivered (FAXES NOT ACCEPTED) so that it is received on or before 4:00 pm, Eastern Time on April 23, 2003

THIS SPACE FOR COURT USE ONLY

BY MAIL TO:
Bankruptcy Management Corporation
P.O. BOX 1063
El Segundo, CA 90245-1063

BY HAND OR OVERNIGHT DELIVERY TO:
Bankruptcy Management Corporation
1330 East Franklin Avenue
El Segundo, CA 90245

DATE SIGNED:	**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).

Penalty for presenting fraudulent claim is a fine of up to $500,000 or imprisonment for up to 5 years, or both. 18 U.S.C. §§ 152 AND 3571

INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILING PROOF OF CLAIM FORM

The instructions and definitions below are general explanations of the law. In particular types of cases or circumstances, such as bankruptcy cases that are not filed voluntarily by a debtor, there may be exceptions to the general rules.

DEFINITIONS

DEBTOR
The person, corporation, or other entity that has filed a bankruptcy case is called the debtor.

CREDITOR
A creditor is any person, corporation, or other entity to whom the debtor owed a debt on the date that the bankruptcy case was filed.

PROOF OF CLAIM
A form telling the bankruptcy court how much the debtor owed a creditor at the time the bankruptcy case was filed (the amount of the creditor's claim). This form must be filed with the court appointed Claims Agent, Bankruptcy Management Corporation, at the address listed on the reverse side of this page.

SECURED CLAIM
A claim is a secured claim to the extent that the creditor has a lien on the property of the debtor (collateral) that gives the creditor the right to be paid from that property before creditors who do not have liens on the property.

Examples of liens are a mortgage on real estate and a security interest in a car, truck, boat, television set, or other item of property. A lien may have been obtained through a court proceeding before a bankruptcy case began; in some states a court judgment is a lien. In addition, to the extent a creditor also owes money to the debtor (has a right of setoff), the creditor's claim may be a secured claim. (See also Unsecured Claim.)

UNSECURED CLAIM
If a claim is not a secured claim it is an unsecured claim. A claim may be partly secured and partly unsecured if the property on which a creditor has a lien is not worth enough to pay the creditor in full.

UNSECURED PRIORITY CLAIM
Certain types of unsecured claims are given priority, so they are to be paid in bankruptcy cases before most other unsecured claims (if there is sufficient money or property available to pay these claims). The most common types of priority claims are listed on the proof of claim form. Unsecured claims that are not specifically given priority status by the bankruptcy laws are classified as *Unsecured Nonpriority Claims*.

ITEMS TO BE COMPLETED IN PROOF OF CLAIM FORM (IF NOT ALREADY PROPERLY FILLED IN)

Court, Name of Debtor, and Case Number:
Fill in the name of the federal judicial district where the bankruptcy case was filed, the name of the debtor in the bankruptcy case, and the bankruptcy case number. If you received a notice of the case from the Claims Agent, Bankruptcy Management Corporation, all of this information is near the top of the notice.

Information about Creditor:
If not already accurately pre-printed, complete the section giving the name, address, and telephone number of the creditor to whom the debtor owes money or property, and the debtor's account number, if any. If (a) anyone else has already filed a proof of claim relating to this debt, (b) if you never received notices from the Claims Agent, Bankruptcy Management Corporation, about this case, (c) if your address differs from that to which the Claims Agent sent this notice, or (d) if this proof of claim replaces or amends a proof of claim that was already filed, check the appropriate boxes on the form.

1. Basis for Claim:
Check the type of debt for which the proof of claim is being filed. If the type of debt is not listed, check "Other" and briefly describe the type of debt. If you were an employee of the debtor, fill in your social security number and the dates of work for which you were not paid.

2. Date Debt Incurred:
Fill in the date when the debt first was owed by the debtor.

3. Court Judgments:
If you have a court judgment for this debt, state the date the court entered the judgment.

4. Total Amount of Claim at Time Case Filed:
FILL IN THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF THE ENTIRE CLAIM. If interest or other charges in addition to the principal amount of the claim are included, check the appropriate place on the form and attach an itemization of the interest and charges.

5. Secured Claim:
If your claim is a secured claim, check the appropriate boxes in this section. You must state the type and value of property that is collateral for the claim, attach copies of the documentation of your lien, and state the amount past due on the claim as of the date the bankruptcy case was filed. A claim may be partly secured and partly unsecured (See DEFINITIONS, above).

6. Unsecured Priority Claim:
If your claim is an unsecured priority claim (See DEFINITIONS, above), check the appropriate boxes in this section, and state the amount entitled to priority. A claim may be partly priority and partly nonpriority if, for example, the claim is for more than the amount given priority by the law. Check the appropriate place to specify the type of priority claim.

7. Credits:
By signing this proof of claim, you are stating under oath that in calculating the amount of your claim you have given the debtor credit for all payments received from the debtor.

8. Supporting Documents:
You must attach to this proof of claim form copies of documents that show the debtor owes the debt claimed or, if the documents are too lengthy, a summary of those documents. If documents are not available, you must attach an explanation of why they are not available.

Please read – important information: upon completion of this claim form, you are certifying that the statements herein are true.

Be sure to date the claim and place original signature of claimant or person making the claim for creditor where indicated at the bottom of the claim form. Please type or print name of individual under the signature. Be sure all items are answered on the claim form. If not applicable, insert "Not Applicable."

Return claim form and attachments, if any, and a second copy with any attachments to the Claims Agent, Bankruptcy Management Corporation, at the address on the front of this form.

EXHIBIT 2

Bar Date Notice/Proof of Claim for Exide

Total number of parties: 1
Preferred Mode of Service: US Mail (1st Class)

Exhibit 2 - Bar Date Notice/Proof of Claim

Svc Lst	Name and Address of Served Party
2811	ROSITA VINKOVIC, MINISTRY OF FINANCE, BANKRUPTCY & INSOLVENCY UNIT, COLLECTIONS AND COMPLIANCE BRANCH, 33 KING STREET WEST, 6TH FLOOR, OSHAWA, ON L1H 8H5CANADA

Subtotal for this group: 1