IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE

In re: Chapter 11

EXIDE TECHNOLOGIES, INC., et al.,

Case No. 02-11125 (KJC)

a Delaware corporation,

Jointly Administered

Debtors.

CERTIFICATION OF COUNSEL REGARDING SCHEDULING AND DISCOVERY ORDER

I, David B. Stratton, a partner with the law firm of Pepper Hamilton LLP, co-counsel for the Official Committee of Unsecured Creditors (the "Committee") in the above-captioned Chapter 11 proceedings, hereby certify:

- Attached hereto is a form of Order Pursuant to Rule 2004 of the Federal 1. rules of Bankruptcy Procedure Authorizing the Examination of R² Parties and Directing Document Production (the "Order") together with Exhibits A and B to the Order.
- 2. The Order has been agreed upon by the undersigned counsel for the Official Committee of Unsecured Creditors and R² Investments, LDC and its affiliates and it is respectfully submitted that it may be entered without further notice or a hearing.

Date: October 1, 2003

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, David B. Stratton, do hereby certify that on October 1, 2003, I did serve the foregoing
Certification of Counsel Regarding Scheduling and Discovery Order by causing true and correct
copies thereof to be served via United States mail, first class, postage pre-paid upon those parties
listed on the attached service list.
David B. Stratton