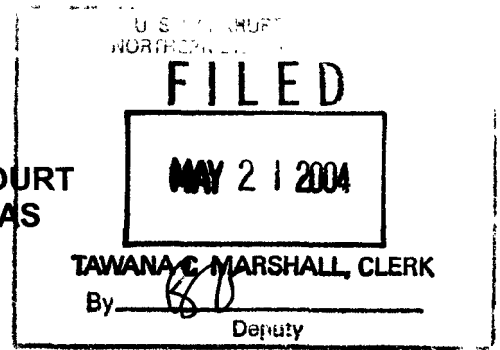


IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
(DALLAS)



In re: *
CEI ROOFING, INC., et al., * Case No. 04-35113-HDH-11
Debtors. * (Jointly Administered)

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NOTICE OF APPEARANCE AND REQUEST FOR NOTICES

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that Lisa Bittle Tancredi and Venable LLP enter their appearance in the above-captioned case and request, pursuant to Bankruptcy Rules 2002(g), 2002 (l) and 9010 and Section 1109 of the Bankruptcy Code, that the Clerk of this Court enter the following name and address on the general matrix for this case, and on all special or limited matrices, and request that copies of all notices, whether given pursuant to Bankruptcy Rule 2002 or otherwise, and all orders and other pleadings and papers in this case be given and sent to the following:

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PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that the foregoing request includes not only notices and papers referred to in the Bankruptcy Rules specified above, but also includes, without limitation, any or all other orders,

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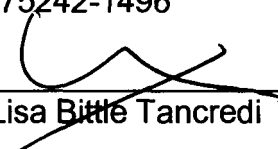
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I HEREBY CERTIFY that on the 20th day of May, 2004, a copy of the foregoing Notice of Appearance and Request for Notices was sent by first-class mail, postage prepaid, to the following:

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