

EXHIBIT A

PROPOSED FORM OF NOTICE

**UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO
EASTERN DIVISION**

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In re: :
: Case No. 06-61796
CEP HOLDINGS, LLC, et al.,¹ : (Jointly Administered)
: :
Debtors. : Chapter 11
: :
: Honorable Russ Kendig
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**NOTICE OF (A) COMMENCEMENT OF CHAPTER 11 CASES;
(B) MEETING OF CREDITORS PURSUANT TO BANKRUPTCY CODE
SECTION 341; AND (C) APPLICABILITY OF THE AUTOMATIC STAY**

TO ALL INTERESTED PARTIES:

COMMENCEMENT OF CASES: On September 20, 2006, CEP Holdings, LLC and its affiliated debtors and debtors in possession (each a “**Debtor**” and collectively, the “**Debtors**” or “**CEP**”) in the above-captioned Chapter 11 cases (the “**Cases**”) filed voluntary petitions for relief under chapter 11 of title 11 of the United States Code (the “**Bankruptcy Code**”) with the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Northern District of Ohio (the “**Court**”). The Debtors’ addresses and federal tax identification number are listed below.

CEP Holdings, LLC

Address: 3650 West Market Street,
Suite 340
Akron Ohio 44333

Federal Tax ID Number: 20-330088

**Creative Engineered Polymer
Products, LLC**

Address: 3650 West Market Street,
Suite 340
Akron Ohio 44333

Federal Tax ID Number: 20-3210816

Thermoplastics Acquisition, LLC

Address: 3650 West Market Street,
Suite 340
Akron Ohio 44333

Federal Tax ID Number: 20-3851291

¹ The Debtors include: CEP Holdings, LLC, Creative Engineered Polymer Products, LLC and Thermoplastics Acquisition, LLC.

AUTOMATIC STAY: A creditor is anyone to whom the Debtor owes money or property or who has a claim against property of the Debtor's estate. Under the Bankruptcy Code, the Debtor is granted certain protection against creditors. UNDER BANKRUPTCY CODE SECTION 362(a), ENTITLED "AUTOMATIC STAY," THE FILING OF A BANKRUPTCY PETITION OPERATES AS STAY THAT PROTECTS THE DEBTOR AND PROPERTY OF THE DEBTOR'S ESTATE. COMMON EXAMPLES OF PROHIBITED ACTIONS BY CREDITORS, ARE CONTACTING THE DEBTOR TO DEMAND REPAYMENT, TAKING ACTION AGAINST THE DEBTOR TO COLLECT MONEY OWED TO CREDITORS OR TO TAKE PROPERTY OF THE DEBTOR, AND STARTING OR CONTINUING COLLECTION ACTIONS, FORECLOSURE ACTIONS, OR REPOSSESSIONS. IF A CREDITOR VIOLATES THE AUTOMATIC STAY, THE COURT MAY HOLD THE CREDITOR IN CONTEMPT OF COURT AND ASSESS COMPENSATORY AND PUNITIVE DAMAGES WITH ATTENDANT POSSIBILITY OF COSTS AND OTHER EXPENSES. A creditor who is considering taking action against the Debtor or property of the Debtor's estates should review Bankruptcy Code Section 362 and may wish to seek legal advice.

MEETING OF CREDITORS: A representative of the Debtor, as specified in Rule 9001(5) of the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure (the "**Bankruptcy Rules**"), is required to appear at the Bankruptcy Code Section 341 meeting of creditors on the date and at the place set forth below to be examined under oath. Attendance by creditors at the meeting is welcomed, but not required. At the meeting, creditors may examine the Debtor and transact other business as may properly come before the meeting. The meeting may be continued or adjourned from time to time by notice at the meeting, without further written notice to creditors.

MEETING OF CREDITORS

Date: [____], 2006

Location: [_____]

Time: ____:_____.m. (prevailing Eastern Time)

PROOF OF CLAIM: The Debtors will file schedules of creditors pursuant to Bankruptcy Rule 1007. Any creditor holding a scheduled claim not listed as disputed, contingent, or unliquidated as to amount may, but is not required to, file a proof of claim in these cases. Creditors whose claims are not scheduled or whose claims are listed as disputed, contingent, or unliquidated as to amount and who desire to participate in these cases or share in any distribution must file their proofs of claim. A creditor who desires to rely on the schedules of creditors has the responsibility for determining that the claim is listed accurately. A proof of claim form and the deadline notice will be sent to you later. A deadline for the last day for filing proofs of claim has not yet been established.

PURPOSE OF CHAPTER 11 FILING: Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code enables a debtor to reorganize pursuant to a plan. A plan of reorganization is not effective unless confirmed by the Court after a confirmation hearing. Creditors will be given notice concerning any plan, or if these cases are dismissed or converted to another chapter of the Bankruptcy Code. The Debtor will remain in possession of its properties and will continue to operate its business

unless a trustee is appointed.

NOTICE PROCEDURES: On September ___, 2006, the Court entered an Order Establishing Certain Notice, Case Management, And Administrative Procedures (the "Notice Procedures Order"). The Notice Procedures Order describes the notice procedures that apply in this chapter 11 case. All parties who desire to participate in these chapter 11 cases must follow the procedures set forth in the Notice Procedures Order. Parties can obtain a copy of the Notice Procedures Order and all other documents filed electronically with the Court in this case by: (i) accessing the Debtors' bankruptcy website www.bmcgroup.com/cep, or (ii) contacting the Clerk of the Court at the Frank T. Bow Building, 201 Cleveland Ave SW, Canton, OH 44702.

Dated: September ___, 2006
Cleveland, OH

CEP HOLDINGS, LLC, et al.,
Debtors and Debtors-in-possession

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