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BUSINESS BANKRUPTCY FORMS

ATTORNEY - CLIENT CONTRACT

The undersigned, on payment of the required fee and/or retainer, hereby retain(s) and employ(s) LAW OFFICES OF D. BLAIR CLARK PLLC to represent the undersigned in a case initiated under the Bankruptcy Code.

A. SERVICES TO BE PROVIDED:

The legal services to be rendered are as follows:

1. Preparation and filing of a Petition, Statement of Affairs and Schedules;
2. Attendance at the first meeting of creditors;
3. Preparation and filing of any pleadings and attendance at any hearings under 11 USC 362 for Relief from Stay by any creditor during the four months after the filing of the Bankruptcy Petition.
4. Preparation and filing of any necessary motions to avoid liens on your exempt assets;
5. Assistance in filing of any pleading required to reaffirm any debt.
6. In a Chapter 11, 12 and 13 cases, the filing of a Chapter plan, attendance at the confirmation hearing(s), and preparation of the Confirmation Order.

B. CHARGES FOR SUCH SERVICES

In consideration of the legal services to be rendered to the undersigned, the undersigned agrees to pay as follows:

1. The court filing fees listed on the attached page.
2. Attorney fees will be assessed either in a flat fee plus court costs or in the sum of \$230.00 per hour for D. Blair Clark, \$175.00 per hour for Jeffrey Kaufman or \$75.00 per hour for all Paralegal work necessary for bankruptcy case, plus costs and fees, whichever is most appropriate for your particular case. In Chapter 11 and 12 cases, we can only charge an hourly rate, which must be approved by the Court. In this matter, we have determined that you will be:
 - a. _____ Billed hourly, plus costs and court fees.
 - b. _____ Billed a flat rate of \$ _____ plus costs and court fees.

3. If the case is billed on an hourly basis, a retainer will be required. The retainer must be paid before the bankruptcy is filed with the Court. The amount of the retainer will vary depending on the type of bankruptcy filed and the complexity of the case. Your retainer quoted is \$ _____.

C. FURTHER TERMS.

The undersigned further agrees and understands the following:

1. Counsel in no way guarantees or represents that the bankruptcy filing will resolve all of the financial problems of the undersigned;

2. The undersigned has provided to counsel true and correct information which has been used for preparation of all bankruptcy schedules;

3. The undersigned is to keep his\her\their financial agreement with counsel. If this is not done, such will be grounds for counsel to withdraw from the case.

Date _____

Date _____
