HEARING DATE AND TIME: September 24, 2012 at 9:45 a.m. (Eastern Time) RESPONSE DEADLINE: September 17, 2012 at 4:00 p.m. (Eastern Time)

# PLEASE CAREFULLY REVIEW THIS OBJECTION AND THE ATTACHMENTS HERETO TO DETERMINE WHETHER THIS OBJECTION AFFECTS YOUR CLAIM(S)

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### UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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: Chapter 11 Case No.

In re : 09-50026 (REG)

MOTORS LIQUIDATION COMPANY, et al. :

f/k/a General Motors Corp., et al., :

(Jointly Administered)

Debtors.

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# NOTICE OF 283rd OMNIBUS OBJECTION TO CLAIMS (New GM Claims)

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that on August 22, 2012, the Motors Liquidation Company GUC Trust (the "GUC Trust"), formed by the above-captioned debtors (collectively, the "Debtors") in connection with the Debtors' Second Amended Joint Chapter 11 Plan, dated March 18, 2011, filed an omnibus objection to expunge certain claims (the "283rd Omnibus Objection to Claims"), and that a hearing (the "Hearing") to consider the 283rd Omnibus Objection to Claims will be held before the Honorable Robert E. Gerber, United States Bankruptcy Judge, in Room 621 of the United States Bankruptcy Court for the

Southern District of New York, One Bowling Green, New York, New York 10004, on **September 24, 2012 at 9:45 a.m.** (Eastern Time), or as soon thereafter as counsel may be heard.

PARTIES RECEIVING THIS NOTICE SHOULD REVIEW THE 283rd OMNIBUS OBJECTION TO CLAIMS TO SEE IF THEIR NAME(S) AND/OR CLAIM(S) ARE LOCATED IN THE OMNIBUS OBJECTION AND/OR IN EXHIBIT "A" ANNEXED THERETO.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that any responses to the 283rd Omnibus Objection to Claims must be in writing, shall conform to the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure and the Local Rules of the Bankruptcy Court, and shall be filed with the Bankruptcy Court (a) electronically in accordance with General Order M-399 (which can be found at www.nysb.uscourts.gov) by registered users of the Bankruptcy Court's filing system, and (b) by all other parties in interest, on a CD-ROM or 3.5 inch disk, in text-searchable portable document format (PDF) (with a hard copy delivered directly to Chambers), in accordance with the customary practices of the Bankruptcy Court and General Order M-399, to the extent applicable, and served in accordance with General Order M-399 and on (i) Dickstein Shapiro LLP, attorneys for the GUC Trust, 1633 Broadway, New York, New York 10019 (Attn: Barry N. Seidel, Esq. and Stefanie Birbrower Greer, Esq.); (ii) the Debtors, c/o Motors Liquidation Company, 401 South Old Woodward Avenue, Suite 370, Birmingham, Michigan 48009 (Attn: Thomas Morrow); (iii) General Motors LLC, 400 Renaissance Center, Detroit, Michigan 48265 (Attn: Lawrence S. Buonomo, Esq.); (iv) Cadwalader, Wickersham & Taft LLP, attorneys for the United States Department of the Treasury, One World Financial Center, New York, New York 10281 (Attn: John J. Rapisardi, Esq.); (v) the United States Department of the Treasury, 1500 Pennsylvania Avenue NW, Room 2312, Washington, D.C. 20220 (Attn: Joseph Samarias, Esq.); (vi) Vedder Price, P.C., attorneys for Export Development Canada, 1633 Broadway, 47th Floor, New York, New York 10019 (Attn: Michael J. Edelman, Esq. and Michael L. Schein, Esq.);

(vii) Kramer Levin Naftalis & Frankel LLP, attorneys for the statutory committee of unsecured creditors, 1177 Avenue of the Americas, New York, New York 10036 (Attn: Thomas Moers Mayer, Esq., Robert Schmidt, Esq., Lauren Macksoud, Esq., and Jennifer Sharret, Esq.); (viii) the Office of the United States Trustee for the Southern District of New York, 33 Whitehall Street, 21st Floor, New York, New York 10004 (Attn: Tracy Hope Davis, Esq.); (ix) the U.S. Attorney's Office, S.D.N.Y., 86 Chambers Street, Third Floor, New York, New York 10007 (Attn: David S. Jones, Esq. and Natalie Kuehler, Esq.); (x) Caplin & Drysdale, Chartered, attorneys for the official committee of unsecured creditors holding asbestos-related claims, 375 Park Avenue, 35th Floor, New York, New York 10152-3500 (Attn: Elihu Inselbuch, Esq. and Rita C. Tobin, Esq.) and One Thomas Circle, N.W., Suite 1100, Washington, DC 20005 (Attn: Trevor W. Swett III, Esq. and Kevin C. Maclay, Esq.); (xi) Stutzman, Bromberg, Esserman & Plifka, A Professional Corporation, attorneys for Dean M. Trafelet in his capacity as the legal representative for future asbestos personal injury claimants, 2323 Bryan Street, Suite 2200, Dallas, Texas 75201 (Attn: Sander L. Esserman, Esq. and Robert T. Brousseau, Esq.), (xii) Gibson, Dunn & Crutcher LLP, attorneys for Wilmington Trust Company as GUC Trust Administrator and for Wilmington Trust Company as Avoidance Action Trust Administrator, 200 Park Avenue, 47th Floor, New York, New York 10166 (Attn: Keith Martorana, Esq.); (xiii) FTI Consulting, as the GUC Trust Monitor and as the Avoidance Action Trust Monitor, One Atlantic Center, 1201 West Peachtree Street, Suite 500, Atlanta, Georgia 30309 (Attn: Anna Phillips); (xiv) Crowell & Moring LLP, attorneys for the Revitalizing Auto Communities Environmental Response Trust, 590 Madison Avenue, 19th Floor, New York, New York 10022-2524 (Attn: Michael V. Blumenthal, Esq.); and (xv) Kirk P. Watson, Esq., as the Asbestos Trust Administrator, 2301 Woodlawn Boulevard, Austin, Texas 78703, so as to be

received no later than September 17, 2012, at 4:00 p.m. (Eastern Time) (the "Response

Deadline").

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that if no responses are timely filed and

served with respect to the 283rd Omnibus Objection to Claims or any claim set forth

thereon, the GUC Trust may, on or after the Response Deadline, submit to the Bankruptcy Court

an order substantially in the form of the proposed order annexed to the 283rd Omnibus

Objection to Claims, which order may be entered with no further notice or opportunity to be

heard offered to any party.

Dated: August 22, 2012

New York, New York

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### 283rd OMNIBUS OBJECTION TO CLAIMS

(New GM Claims)

THIS OBJECTION SEEKS TO DISALLOW AND EXPUNGE CERTAIN FILED PROOFS OF CLAIM. CLAIMANTS RECEIVING THIS OBJECTION SHOULD LOCATE THEIR NAMES AND CLAIMS ON THE EXHIBIT ANNEXED TO THIS OBJECTION.

### TO THE HONORABLE ROBERT E. GERBER, UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY JUDGE:

The Motors Liquidation Company GUC Trust (the "GUC Trust"), formed by the above-captioned debtors (collectively, the "Debtors") in connection with the Debtors' Second Amended Joint Chapter 11 Plan, dated March 18, 2011 (as may be amended, supplemented, or modified from time to time, the "Plan"), respectfully represents:

#### Relief Requested

- 1. The GUC Trust files this 283rd omnibus objection to certain claims (the "283rd Omnibus Objection to Claims"), pursuant to section 502(b) of title 11, United States Code (the "Bankruptcy Code"), Rule 3007(d) of the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure (the "Bankruptcy Rules"), and this Court's order approving procedures for the filing of omnibus objections to proofs of claim filed in these chapter 11 cases (the "Procedures Order") (ECF No. 4180), seeking entry of an order disallowing and expunging the claims listed on Exhibit "A" annexed hereto (collectively, the "New GM Claims").
- 2. Representatives of the GUC Trust have examined the New GM Claims identified on **Exhibit "A"** and have determined that such proofs of claim seek recovery for obligations assumed by General Motors, LLC ("**New GM**"), to the extent they are valid and remain unsatisfied. As such, the New GM Claims are not entitled to recovery under the terms of the Plan.
- 3. Pursuant to section 502(b) of the Bankruptcy Code, Bankruptcy Rule 3007, and the Procedures Order, the GUC Trust seeks entry of an order disallowing and expunging the New GM Claims from the claims register. Further, the GUC Trust reserves the right to object on an alternative basis to any of the New GM Claims as to which the Court does not grant the relief requested herein.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Creditors can obtain copies of the cover page of any proof of claim against the Debtors' bankruptcy estates on the Debtors' claims register on the website (<u>www.motorsliquidation.com</u>) maintained by the Debtors' claims agent. A link to the claims register is located under the "Claims Information" tab. Creditors without access to the internet may request a copy of the cover page of any proof of claim by mail to The Garden City Group, Inc., Motors Liquidation Company Claims Agent, P.O. Box 9386, Dublin, Ohio 43017, or by phone at 1-703-286-6401.

#### **Jurisdiction**

4. This Court has jurisdiction to consider this matter pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 157 and 1334. This is a core proceeding pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 157(b).

#### **Background**

- 5. On June 1, 2009, four of the Debtors (the "Initial Debtors")<sup>2</sup> commenced with this Court voluntary cases under chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code, and on October 9, 2009, two additional Debtors (the "REALM/ENCORE Debtors")<sup>3</sup> commenced with this Court voluntary cases under chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code, which cases are jointly administered with those of the Initial Debtors under Case Number 09-50026 (REG).
- 6. On October 6, 2009, this Court entered the Procedures Order, which authorizes parties in interest to, among other things, file omnibus objections to claims under various grounds, including those set forth in Bankruptcy Rule 3007(d) and those additional grounds set forth in the Procedures Order. The Procedures Order specifically authorizes parties in interest to file omnibus objections to claims that "seek recovery of amounts for which the Debtors are not liable." (Procedures Order at 2.)

#### The Relief Requested Should Be Approved by the Court

7. On March 29, 2011, this Court entered an order confirming the Plan (ECF No. 9941). Section 6.2 of Article VI of the Plan, entitled "*The GUC Trust*," provides for the creation of the GUC Trust to administer certain responsibilities after the Effective Date (as

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The Initial Debtors are Motors Liquidation Company (f/k/a General Motors Corporation), MLCS, LLC (f/k/a Saturn, LLC), MLCS Distribution Corporation (f/k/a Saturn Distribution Corporation), and MLC of Harlem, Inc. (f/k/a Chevrolet-Saturn of Harlem, Inc.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> The Realm/Encore Debtors are Remediation and Liability Management Company, Inc., and Environmental Corporate Remediation Company, Inc.

defined in the Plan), including resolving outstanding Disputed General Unsecured Claims (as defined in the Plan). All conditions to the occurrence of the Effective Date were met or waived on March 31, 2011, thereby making the Plan effective as of that date.

- 8. A filed proof of claim is "deemed allowed, unless a party in interest . . . objects." 11 U.S.C. § 502(a). If an objection refuting at least one of the claim's essential allegations is asserted, the claimant has the burden to demonstrate the validity of the claim. *See In re Oneida Ltd.*, 400 B.R. 384, 389 (Bankr. S.D.N.Y. 2009); *In re Adelphia Commc'ns Corp.*, Ch. 11 Case No. 02-41729 (REG), 2007 Bankr. LEXIS 660 at \*15 (Bankr. S.D.N.Y. Feb. 20, 2007); *In re Rockefeller Ctr. Props.*, 272 B.R. 524, 539 (Bankr. S.D.N.Y. 2000). Section 502(b)(1) of the Bankruptcy Code provides, in relevant part, that a claim may not be allowed to the extent that "such claim is unenforceable against the debtor and property of the debtor, under any agreement or applicable law." 11 U.S.C. § 502(b)(1).
- 9. The New GM Claims reflect obligations assumed by New GM under the terms of that certain Amended and Restated Master Sale and Purchase Agreement (the "Master Purchase Agreement"), dated as of June 26, 2009, by and among General Motors Corporation, Saturn LLC, Saturn Distribution Corporation, Chevrolet-Saturn of Harlem, Inc., and New GM.
- 10. Specifically, the New GM Claims are for liabilities arising under contracts that were assumed and assigned to New GM under the Master Purchase Agreement. As such, each of those claims are obligations of New GM under the Master Purchase Agreement. Master Purchase Agreement § 2.3(a)(ii).
- 11. Because the New GM claims reflect obligations assumed by New GM (to the extent they are valid and remain unsatisfied), as opposed to obligations of the Debtors, they should be disallowed and expunged.

**Notice** 

Notice of this 283rd Omnibus Objection to Claims has been provided to 12.

each claimant listed on Exhibit "A" and parties in interest in accordance with the Sixth

Amended Order Pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 105(a) and Fed. R. Bankr. P. 1015(c) and 9007

Establishing Notice and Case Management Procedures, dated May 5, 2011 (ECF No. 10183).

The GUC Trust submits that such notice is sufficient and no other or further notice need be

provided.

13. No previous request for the relief sought herein has been made by the

GUC Trust to this or any other Court.

WHEREFORE the GUC Trust respectfully requests entry of an order granting

the relief requested herein and such other and further relief as is just.

Dated: August 22, 2012.

New York, New York

/s/ Stefanie Birbrower Greer

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#### Exhibit A

Motors Liquidation Company, et al.

Case No. 09-50026 (REG), Jointly Administered

#### CLAIMS TO BE DISALLOWED AND EXPUNGED

Name and Address of Claimant	Claim #	Debtor	Claim Amount and Priority (1)	Grounds For Objection	Objection Page Reference
LAKELAND BANK	6120	Motors Liquidation Company	\$0.00 (S)	New GM Claims	Pg. 5
250 OAK RIDGE RD			\$0.00 (A)		
OAK RIDGE, NJ 07438			\$0.00 (P)		
			\$191,869.67 (U)		
			\$191,869.67 (T)		
LINDE LLC	70576	Motors Liquidation	\$0.00 (S)	New GM Claims	Pg. 5
ATTN: JEFFREY J. JOHNS 575 MOUNTAIN AVE		Company	\$35,700.00 (A)		
MURRAY HILL, NJ 07974			\$0.00 (P)		
			\$0.00 (U)		
			\$35,700.00 (T)		
SCG CAPITAL CORPORATION	66745	Motors	\$0.00 (S)	New GM Claims	Pg. 5
ATTN CYNTHIA DWELLE ESQ	Liquidation Company	Liquidation	\$0.00 (A)		-
74 WEST PARK PLACE STAMFORD, CT 06901		сотрану	\$0.00 (P)		
			\$390,290.24 (U)		
			\$390,290.24 (T)		
			Unliquidated		
SCG CAPITAL CORPORATION	70955	Motors	\$0.00 (S)	New GM Claims	Pg. 5
ATTN: CYNTHIA DWELLE, ESQ. 74 WEST PARK PLACE	, 0, 20	Liquidation Company	\$20,085.15 (A)		
STAMFORD, CT 06901	EST PARK PLACE	\$0.00 (P)			
			\$0.00 (U)		
			\$20,085.15 (T)	-	
SCG CAPITAL CORPORATION	70984	Motors	\$0.00 (S)	New GM Claims	Pg. 5
ATTN: CYNTHIA DWELLE, ESQ 74 WEST PARK PLACE		Liquidation Company	\$20,085.15 (A)		
STAMFORD, CT 06901			\$0.00 (P)		
			\$0.00 (U)		
			\$20,085.15 (T)		

<sup>(1)</sup> In the "Claim Amount and Priority" column, (S) = secured claim, (A) = administrative expense claim, (P) = priority claim, (U) = unsecured claim and (T) = total claim. The amounts listed are taken directly from the proofs of claim, and thus replicate any mathematical errors on the proofs of claim. Where the claim amount is zero, unliquidated, unidentified, or otherwise cannot be determined, the amount listed is "0.00".

<sup>(2)</sup> Claims on the exhibit are sorted in alphabetical order based on the creditor name as listed on proof of claim form.

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#### Exhibit A

Motors Liquidation Company, et al.

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#### CLAIMS TO BE DISALLOWED AND EXPUNGED

Name and Address of Claimant	Claim#	Debtor	Claim Amount and Priority (1)	Grounds For Objection	Objection Page Reference
CLAIMS TO BE DISALLOWED AND EXPUNGED	5		<b>\$0.00</b> (S)		
			\$75,870.30 (A)		
			<b>\$0.00</b> (P)		
			\$582,159.91 (U)		
			\$658,030.21 (T)		

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# ORDER GRANTING 283rd OMNIBUS OBJECTION TO CLAIMS (New GM Claims)

Upon the 283rd Omnibus Objection to expunge certain claims, dated August 22, 2012 (the "283rd Omnibus Objection to Claims"), of the Motors Liquidation Company GUC Trust (the "GUC Trust"), formed by the above-captioned debtors (collectively, the "Debtors") in connection with the Debtors' Second Amended Joint Chapter 11 Plan, dated March 18, 2011 (as may be amended, supplemented, or modified from time to time, the "Plan"), pursuant to section 502(b) of title 11, United States Code (the "Bankruptcy Code"), Rule 3007(d) of the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure (the "Bankruptcy Rules"), and this Court's order approving procedures for the filing of omnibus objections to proofs of claim filed in these chapter 11 cases (the "Procedures Order") (ECF No. 4180), seeking entry of an order disallowing and expunging the New GM Claims on the grounds that such claims seek recovery for obligations assumed by General Motors, LLC ("New GM"), to the extent they are valid and remain unsatisfied, all as more fully described in the 283rd Omnibus Objection to Claims; and due and proper notice of the 283rd Omnibus Objection to Claims having been provided, and it appearing that no other or further notice

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Capitalized terms used herein and not otherwise defined herein shall have the meanings ascribed to such terms in the 283rd Omnibus Objection to Claims.

need be provided; and the Court having found and determined that the relief sought in the 283rd

Omnibus Objection to Claims is in the best interests of the Debtors, their estates, creditors, and all

parties in interest and that the legal and factual bases set forth in the 283rd Omnibus Objection to

Claims establish just cause for the relief granted herein; and after due deliberation and sufficient

cause appearing therefore, it is:

ORDERED that the relief requested in the 283rd Omnibus Objection to Claims is

granted to the extent provided herein; and it is further

ORDERED that, pursuant to section 502(b) of the Bankruptcy Code, the claims

listed on Exhibit "A" annexed hereto are disallowed and expunged; and it is further

ORDERED, that nothing contained in this Order or in Exhibit "A" annexed hereto

shall in any way modify or limit New GM's rights to contest any claim listed on Exhibit "A"

attached hereto on any grounds; and it is further

ORDERED that this Order has no res judicata, estoppel, or other effect on the

validity, allowance, or disallowance of, and all rights to object on any basis are expressly reserved

with respect to any claim listed on Exhibit "A" annexed to the 283rd Omnibus Objection to claims

that is not listed on the Order Exhibit annexed hereto; and it is further

ORDERED that this Court shall retain jurisdiction to hear and determine all matters

arising from or related to this Order.

Dated: New York, New York, 2012

United States Bankruptcy Judge