

**UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF GEORGIA
ATLANTA DIVISION**

In re:

WELLMADE FLOOR COVERINGS
INTERNATIONAL, INC., *et al.*,¹

Debtors.

Chapter 11

Case No. 25-58764

(Jointly Administered)

**NOTICE OF DEADLINES FOR THE FILING OF (I) PROOFS OF CLAIM,
AND (II) REJECTION DAMAGES CLAIMS**

The chapter 11 bankruptcy cases (the “Chapter 11 Cases”) concerning the above-captioned debtors and debtors-in-possession (collectively, the “Debtors”) were filed on August 4, 2025 (the “Petition Date”). You may be a creditor of the Debtors.

On October 9, 2025, the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Northern District of Georgia (the “Bankruptcy Court”) entered an order (the “Bar Date Order”)² in the Chapter 11 Cases establishing certain dates by which parties holding prepetition claims against the Debtors must file proofs of claim (“Proofs of Claim”), and claims for damages stemming from rejection of executory contracts or unexpired leases. For your convenience, enclosed with this notice (this “Notice”) is a Proof of Claim form.

As used in this Notice, the term “entity” has the meaning given to it in 11 U.S.C. § 101(15) of Title 11 of the United States Code (the “Bankruptcy Code”), and includes all persons, estates, trusts, and governmental units. The terms “persons” and “governmental units” are defined in sections 101(41) and 101(27) of the Bankruptcy Code, respectively.

As used in this Notice, the term “claim” means, as to or against the Debtors and in accordance with section 101(5) of the Bankruptcy Code: (a) any right to payment, whether or not such right is reduced to judgment, liquidated, unliquidated, fixed, contingent, matured, unmatured, disputed, undisputed, legal, equitable, secured, or unsecured; or (b) any right to an equitable remedy for breach of performance if such breach gives rise to a right to payment, whether or not such right to an equitable remedy is reduced to judgment, fixed, contingent, matured, unmatured, disputed, undisputed, secured, or unsecured.

¹ The Debtors in these chapter 11 cases, along with the last four digits of each Debtor’s federal tax identification number, include: Wellmade Industries MFR. N.A LLC (1058) and Wellmade Floor Coverings International, Inc. (8425). The mailing address for the Debtors for purposes of these chapter 11 cases is: 1 Wellmade Drive, Cartersville, GA 30121.

² Capitalized terms used but not otherwise defined herein shall have the meaning ascribed to them in the Bar Date Order.



A. The Bar Dates

The Bar Date Order establishes the following bar dates for filing Proofs of Claim in these Chapter 11 cases (the “Bar Dates”):

- (a) The Claims Bar Date. Pursuant to the Bar Date Order, except as described below, all entities holding claims against any Debtor that arose or are deemed to have arisen prior to the commencement of these cases on the Petition Date, **are required to file Proofs of Claim so that such Proofs of Claim are received by the Claims and Noticing Agent by the Claims Bar Date (i.e., on or before November 21, 2025, at 5:00 p.m., prevailing Eastern Time).** The Claims Bar Date applies to all types of claims against any Debtor that arose prior to the Petition Date, including, without limitation, secured claims, unsecured priority claims, and unsecured non-priority claims, and claims arising under section 503(b)(9) of the Bankruptcy Code for goods delivered and received by any of the Debtors within twenty (20) days before the Petition Date.
- (b) The Governmental Bar Date. All governmental units holding claims against the Debtors that arose or are deemed to have arisen prior to the commencement of these cases on the Petition Date **are required to file proofs of claim so that such Proofs of Claim are received by the Claims and Noticing Agent by April 4, 2026, at 5:00 p.m., prevailing Eastern Time** (the “Governmental Bar Date”). The Governmental Bar Date applies to all governmental units holding claims against the Debtors (whether secured, unsecured priority, or unsecured non-priority) that arose prior to the Petition Date, including, without limitation, governmental units with claims against the Debtors for unpaid taxes, whether such claims arise from prepetition tax years or periods or prepetition transactions to which the Debtors were a party.
- (c) The Amended Schedules Bar Date. Pursuant to the Bar Date Order, all parties asserting claims against the Debtors’ estates that are affected by a previously unfiled Schedule or amendment or supplement to the Schedules **are required to file Proofs of Claim so that such Proofs of Claim are received by the Claims and Noticing Agent by the Amended Schedules Bar Date (i.e., by the later of (a) the Claims Bar Date or the Governmental Bar Date, as applicable depending on the claimant, or (b) 5:00 p.m., prevailing Eastern Time, on the date that is thirty (30) days from the date on which the Debtors provide notice of such filing, amendment or supplement).**
- (d) The Rejection Damages Bar Date. Pursuant to the Bar Date Order, all parties asserting claims against the Debtors’ estates arising from the Debtors’ rejection of an executory contract or unexpired lease **are required to file Proofs of Claim with respect to such rejection so that such Proofs of Claim are received by the Claims and Noticing Agent by the Rejection Damages Bar Date (i.e., by the later of (a)**

the Claims Bar Date or the Governmental Bar Date, as applicable, or (b) the date set by the Court in an order approving such rejection).

B. Who Must File a Proof of Claim

Except as otherwise set forth herein, the following entities holding claims against the Debtors that arose (or that are deemed to have arisen) prior to the Petition Date *must* file Proofs of Claim on or before the applicable Bar Date:

- (a) any entity whose claim against a Debtor is not listed in the applicable Debtor's Schedules or is listed as "contingent," "unliquidated," or "disputed" and if such entity desires to participate in any of these chapter 11 cases or share in any distribution in any of these chapter 11 cases;
- (b) any entity that believes that its claim is improperly classified in the Schedules or is listed in an incorrect amount and who desires to have its claim allowed in a different classification or amount other than that identified in the Schedules;
- (c) any entity that believes that any claim listed in the Schedules is not an obligation of the specific Debtor against which the claim is listed and that desires to have its claim allowed against a different Debtor;
- (d) any person or entity who asserts a claim arising from the rejection of an executory contract or unexpired lease of a Debtor and has not previously filed any such claim; and
- (e) any person or entity who asserts a claim arising from or related to pending or threatened litigation against a Debtor.

C. Parties Who Do Not Need to File Proofs of Claim

Certain parties are not required to file Proofs of Claim. The Court may, however, enter one or more separate orders at a later time requiring creditors to file Proofs of Claim for some kinds of the following claims and setting related deadlines. If the Court does enter such an order, you will receive notice of it. The following entities holding claims that would otherwise be subject to the Bar Dates shall not be required to file Proofs of Claims:

- (a) any entity that already has filed a signed Proof of Claim against the respective Debtor(s) with the Clerk of the Court or with the Claims and Noticing Agent in a form substantially similar to Official Form 410;
- (b) any entity whose claim is listed on the Schedules if: (i) the claim is not scheduled as "disputed," "contingent," or "unliquidated;" (ii) such entity agrees with the amount, nature, and priority of the claim as set forth in the Schedules; and (iii) such entity does not dispute that its claim is an obligation only of the specific Debtor against which the claim is listed in the Schedules;

- (c) the DIP Lender and the Prepetition Lender;
- (d) any entity that believes that its claim asserts administrative priority and arising in the ordinary course of business (but not, for the avoidance of doubt, claims asserting priority pursuant to section 503(b)(9) of the Bankruptcy Code);
- (e) any entity whose claim previously has been allowed by order of the Court;
- (f) any entity whose claim has been paid in full by the Debtors in accordance with an order of the Court;
- (g) any Debtor or non-Debtor subsidiary having a claim against another Debtor;
- (h) any entity whose claim is solely against any of the Debtors' non-Debtor affiliates;
- (i) any holder of an equity interest in a Debtor need not file a proof of interest with respect to the ownership of such equity interest at this time; provided, however, that any holder of an equity interest who wishes to assert a claim against a Debtor, including a claim relating to such equity interest or the purchase or sale of such interest, must file a proof of claim asserting such claim on or prior to the Claims Bar Date pursuant to procedures set forth herein;
- (j) an employee of any Debtor holding a claim for wages, commissions, or benefits if an order of this Court authorized the Debtors to honor such claim in the ordinary course of business; provided, however, that a current or former employee must submit a Proof of Claim by the Claims Bar Date for all other claims arising before the Petition Date, including claims for wrongful termination, discrimination, harassment, hostile work environment, and/or retaliation, as applicable;
- (k) any entity holding a claim for which a separate deadline is fixed by the Court;
- (l) any entity that is exempt from filing a Proof of Claim by order of the Court; and
- (m) administrative expense claims for post-petition fees and expenses incurred by any professional allowable under sections 330, 331, and 503(b) of the Bankruptcy Code.

Persons or entities who have already filed proofs of claim that comply with the procedures set forth in this Notice prior to service of this Notice shall not be required to refile such Proofs of Claim.

D. Current and Former Employees of the Debtors Filing Proofs of Claim

If you worked at Wellmade's factory in Cartersville, Georgia, USA before August 4, 2025 and believe you have a claim against Wellmade, you must file a claim you must file a proof of claim in Wellmade's bankruptcy case by no later than November 21, 2025 at 5:00 pm (local time) (the "Bar Date") or else your claim will be barred. You may file your claim either through the following

website: <https://www.veritaglobal.net/wellmade/info/14565> or by mailing in your form at the address provided in the Bar Date notice that can be found on the website. Each Proof of Claim must: (i) be legible and written in English; (ii) include a claim amount denominated in United States dollars (using the Petition Date rate of conversion, if applicable); (iii) conform with the Proof of Claim Form or Official Form 410; and (iv) be signed under penalty of perjury by the claimant or by an authorized agent or legal representative of the claimant.

如果您在2025年8月4日之前在美国佐治亚州卡特斯维尔的Wellmade工厂工作，并相信您对Wellmade可提出索赔，您必须在2025年11月21日下午5:00（当地时间）在Wellmade的破产案中进行债权登记，否则您的索赔将被禁止。您可以在以下网站上登记债权：

<https://www.veritaglobal.net/wellmade/info/14565>，或者邮寄到禁止日期通知（上述网站上可以找到该通知）上的地址。每份债权登记申请必须：（i）清晰可读且以英文书写；（ii）注明以美元计价的债权金额（如适用，使用申请日汇率）；（iii）符合债权登记表格或官方表格410的格式要求；（iv）由债权人或其授权代理人或法定代表人签署，并承担伪证法律责任。

“Si usted trabajó en la fábrica de Wellmade en Cartersville, Georgia, EE. UU., antes del 4 de agosto de 2025 y considera que tiene una reclamación contra Wellmade, deberá presentar una prueba de crédito en el proceso de quiebra de Wellmade a más tardar el 21 de noviembre de 2025 a las 5:00 p. m. (hora local) (la “Fecha Límite”), de lo contrario su reclamación no será admitida. Usted puede presentar su reclamación a través del siguiente sitio web: <https://www.veritaglobal.net/wellmade/info/14565> o enviando por correo su formulario a la dirección indicada en el aviso de la Fecha Límite que se encuentra disponible en dicho sitio web.” Cada Prueba de Crédito (*Proof of Claim*) deberá: (i) ser legible y estar redactada en inglés; (ii) incluir un monto reclamado expresado en dólares de los Estados Unidos (utilizando la tasa de conversión vigente a la Fecha de Petición (*Petition Date*)), si corresponde); (iii) ajustarse al Formulario de Prueba de Crédito (*Proof of Claim Form*) o al Formulario Oficial 410 (*Official Form 410*); y (iv) estar firmada, bajo pena de perjurio, por el reclamante o por un agente autorizado o representante legal del reclamante.

E. Instructions for Filing Proof of Claim

The following requirements shall apply with respect to filing and preparing each Proof of Claim against the first-listed Debtor.

- (a) Contents. Each Proof of Claim must: (i) be legible and written in English; (ii) include a claim amount denominated in United States dollars (using the Petition Date rate of conversion, if applicable); (iii) conform substantially with the Proof of Claim Form or Official Form 410; and (iv) be signed under penalty of perjury by the claimant or by an authorized agent or legal representative of the claimant.

- (b) Original Signatures Required. Each Proof of Claim other than an electronically submitted Proof of Claim must contain an original signature of the claimant or the claimant's authorized agent or legal representative. Copies of Proofs of Claim or Proofs of Claim sent by facsimile or electronic mail will not be accepted.
- (c) Identification of the Debtor Entity. Each Proof of Claim must clearly identify the Debtor against which the claim is being asserted, including such Debtor's individual case number. A Proof of Claim filed under the joint administration case number (No. 25-58764) or otherwise without identifying a specific Debtor, will be deemed filed only against Debtor Wellmade Floor Coverings International, Inc.
- (d) Claim Against Multiple Debtors. Each Proof of Claim must state a claim against only one Debtor. If a creditor has a claim against multiple Debtors, it must file a separate Proof of Claim against each such Debtor. If more than one Debtor is listed on a single Proof of Claim, the asserted claim will be deemed filed only against the first-listed Debtor. If the claimant asserts a claim against more than one Debtor or has claims against different Debtors, a separate Proof of Claim must be filed with respect to each Debtor.
- (e) Supporting Documentation. Each Proof of Claim must include supporting documentation in accordance with Bankruptcy Rules 3001(c) and 3001(d).
- (f) Timely Filing. Each Proof of Claim (including supporting documentation) must be filed so as to be received, on or before the applicable Bar Date by either: (i) electronically using the interface available on the Notice and Claims Agent's website at <https://www.veritaglobal.net/wellmade/info/14565> or (ii) first-class U.S. Mail, overnight or express mail (including FedEx, UPS, DHL, etc.), or other hand-delivery system, which Proof of Claim must include an original signature, at the following address:

Wellmade Claims Processing Center
c/o KCC dba Verita
222 N. Pacific Coast Hwy, Suite 300
El Segundo, CA 90245

Proofs of claim submitted by facsimile or electronic mail will not be accepted and will not be deemed timely filed.

- (g) Receipt of Service. Claimants wishing to receive acknowledgment that their Proofs of Claim were timely received by the Claims and Noticing Agent must submit (i) a copy of the Proof of Claim (in addition to the original Proof of Claim) and (ii) a self-addressed, stamped envelope.

F. Consequences of Failing to Timely File Your Proof of Claim

Pursuant to the Bar Date Order and in accordance with Bankruptcy Rule 3003(c)(2), if you are required, but fail, to file a Proof of Claim in accordance with the Bar Date Order on or before the applicable Bar Date, please be advised that:

- (a) YOU WILL BE FOREVER BARRED, ESTOPPED, AND ENJOINED FROM ASSERTING SUCH CLAIM AGAINST ANY OF THE DEBTORS (OR FILING A PROOF OF CLAIM WITH RESPECT THERETO IN THESE CHAPTER 11 CASES);
- (b) THE DEBTORS AND THEIR PROPERTY SHALL BE FOREVER DISCHARGED FROM ANY AND ALL INDEBTEDNESS OR LIABILITY WITH RESPECT TO OR ARISING FROM SUCH CLAIM;
- (c) YOU WILL NOT RECEIVE ANY DISTRIBUTION IN THESE CHAPTER 11 CASES ON ACCOUNT OF THAT CLAIM; AND
- (d) YOU WILL NOT BE PERMITTED TO VOTE ON ANY CHAPTER 11 PLAN FOR THE DEBTORS ON ACCOUNT OF THAT CLAIM OR RECEIVE FURTHER NOTICES REGARDING SUCH CLAIM.

G. Amendment to the Debtors' Schedules

If, subsequent to the date of this Notice, the Debtors file a previously unfiled Schedule or amend or supplement their Schedules to reduce the amount of your claim previously listed in the Schedules as undisputed, noncontingent, and liquidated, or to change the nature or classification of your claim reflected in the Schedules, you are required to file a Proof of Claim or amend any previously filed Proof of Claim in respect of the additional or amended scheduled claim on or before the later of (a) the Claims Bar Date or the Governmental Bar Date, as applicable to such claim, or (b) 5:00 p.m. prevailing Eastern Time on the date that is thirty (30) days after the date that on which the Debtors provide notice of the filing, amendment, or supplement to the Schedules (or another time period as may be fixed by the Court) (the "Amended Schedules Bar Date").

H. The Rejection Damages Bar Date

If you have a claim arising from the rejection of an executory contract or unexpired lease, you must submit your Proof of Claim based on such rejection on or before the later of (a) the Claims Bar Date or the Governmental Bar Date, as applicable, or (b) the date set by the Court in an order approving such rejection (the "Rejection Damages Bar Date"). The Debtors will provide notice of the Rejection Damages Bar Date to the contract or lease counterparty whose contract or lease is being rejected at the time the Debtors reject such executory contract or unexpired lease.

I. The Debtors' Schedules and Access Thereto

You may be listed as the holder of a claim against one or more of the Debtors on the Debtors' Schedules. It is your responsibility to determine that your claim is accurately listed in the Schedules.

If you agree with the nature, amount, and status of your claim as listed in the Debtors' Schedules, and if you do not dispute that your claim is only against the Debtor specified by the Debtors, and if your claim is not described as "disputed," "contingent," or "unliquidated," you

need not file a Proof of Claim. Otherwise, or if you decide to file a Proof of Claim, you must do so before the applicable Bar Date in accordance with the procedures set forth in this Notice.

J. Additional Information

Copies of the Debtors' Schedules, the Bar Date Order, and other information regarding these chapter 11 cases are available for inspection free of charge on the Claims and Noticing Agent's website at <https://veritaglobal.net/wellmade>. The Schedules and other filings in these chapter 11 cases also are available for a fee at the Court's website at <https://ecf.ganb.uscourts.gov/>. A login identification and password to the Court's Public Access to Court Electronic Records ("PACER") are required to access this information and can be obtained through the PACER Service Center at <http://www.pacer.psc.uscourts.gov>.

If you require additional information regarding the filing of a proof of claim, you may contact the Claims and Noticing Agent directly by writing to: Wellmade Claims Processing Center, c/o KCC dba Verita, 222 N. Pacific Coast Hwy, Suite 300, El Segundo, CA 90245. **Please note** that the Claims and Noticing Agent **cannot** offer legal advice or advise whether you should file a proof of claim.

THIS NOTICE IS BEING SENT TO MANY PERSONS AND ENTITIES THAT HAVE HAD SOME RELATIONSHIP WITH OR HAVE DONE BUSINESS WITH THE DEBTORS BUT MAY NOT HAVE AN UNPAID CLAIM AGAINST THE DEBTORS. THE FACT THAT YOU HAVE RECEIVED THIS NOTICE DOES NOT MEAN THAT YOU HAVE A CLAIM OR THAT THE DEBTORS OR THIS COURT BELIEVE THAT YOU HAVE ANY CLAIM. A HOLDER OF A POSSIBLE CLAIM AGAINST THE DEBTORS SHOULD CONSULT AN ATTORNEY REGARDING ANY MATTERS NOT COVERED BY THIS NOTICE, SUCH AS WHETHER THE HOLDER SHOULD FILE A PROOF OF CLAIM.

Reservation of Rights

Nothing contained in this Notice is intended or should be construed as, a waiver of the rights of the Debtors or any party in interest to: (a) dispute, or assert offsets or defenses against, any claim asserted by a Proof of Claim or listed on the Schedules, (b) subsequently designate any scheduled claim as disputed, contingent, or unliquidated; and otherwise amend or supplement the Schedules.

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Respectfully submitted,

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