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Subject: RE: WHM Companies

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To: Sgs615@aol.com

Message Body

Steve,

Thank you for the update. I will be in contact with you in the next couple of weeks concerning the future of WHM Companies.

John Verbos

From: Steve Sues [[mailto: Sgs615@aol.com](mailto:Sgs615@aol.com)]
Sent: Tuesday, May 14, 2002 12:06 PM
To: John Verbos [[mailto: j_verbos@horizonpropane.com](mailto:j_verbos@horizonpropane.com)]
Subject: RE: WHM Companies

John,

I have spoken to several individuals associated with the Bank and Attorney team about the future of WHM Companies and they all agree that they will need to force WM into Chapter 7 or Chapter 11 in the next 30 to 60 days. Once this is accomplished, you will then be appointed and the Owner and President of the company and will have the bid to purchase the company.

I will keep in contact with these individuals and update you if anything changes between now and then.

Steve Sues

From: Steve Sues [[mailto: Sgs615@aol.com](mailto:Sgs615@aol.com)]
Sent: Tuesday, April 9, 2002 3:06 PM
To: John Verbos [[mailto: j_verbos@horizonpropane.com](mailto:j_verbos@horizonpropane.com)]
Subject: RE: WHM Companies

John,

I have looked over all the information that you have sent over to me in regards to the Level Propane, BV Technology, Park Place, and the several other companies that are owned by William Maloof. I will stand by you and even testify against WM, if necessary, to prove that he was not a very wise business man, and that you were the only one who kept all of his companies operating. I also agree that you need to force your hand with the Bank board members and Benesch, Friedlander, Coplan and Aronoff to make sure they force WM into

Chapter 7 or Chapter 11. Once Wm is forced into bankruptcy, you will be appointed the owner of his companies, and you will also be the first individual to submit a quote to purchase the company for yourself.

Steven G. Sues

From: John Verbos[<mailto:jverbos@horizonpropane.com>]
Sent: Wednesday, April 3, 2002 9:56 AM
To: Steve Sues [[mailto: Sgs615@aol.com](mailto:Sgs615@aol.com)]
Subject: WHM Companies

Steve,

Per our meeting yesterday, I would like to get your thoughts on how I could convince the members of the Bank Board and Benesch, Friedlander, Coplan, and Aronoff to force WM into Chapter 7 or Chapter 11 bankruptcy. If somehow we could accomplish this, I would then ask that the proper people to allow me to act as Owner or President of WHM Companies. Also, with me appointed as President and/or Owner, would this give me the right to bid on the company myself?

Please advise.

John Verbos