UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF VERMONT

In re:

Roman Catholic Diocese of Burlington, Vermont,

Case No.: 24-10205-HZC

Chapter 11 Case

Debtor.

NOTICE OF THE TIME FOR TIMELY FILING NON-SEXUAL ABUSE PROOFS OF CLAIMS

THIS IS AN IMPORTANT NOTICE. YOUR RIGHTS MIGHT BE AFFECTED.

TO ALL PERSONS WITH CLAIMS <u>OTHER THAN THOSE ARISING FROM SEXUAL</u> <u>ABUSE</u> FOR WHICH THE ROMAN CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF BURLINGTON, VERMONT MAY BE LIABLE:

APRIL 4, 2025 IS THE LAST DATE TO TIMELY FILE PROOFS OF CLAIMS

On September 30, 2024, the Roman Catholic Diocese of Burlington, Vermont (the "<u>Diocese</u>") filed a voluntary petition for relief under chapter 11 of title 11 of the United States Code (the "<u>Bankruptcy Code</u>") in the United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Vermont (the "<u>Court</u>"). The Diocese's address, the case number, proof of claim form, and other relevant information related to this chapter 11 case may be obtained at https://www.vermontcatholic.org/.

YOU SHOULD CONSULT AN ATTORNEY IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, INCLUDING WHETHER YOU SHOULD FILE A PROOF OF CLAIM.

LAST DATE FOR TIMELY FILING

The Bankruptcy Court entered an order establishing <u>April 4, 2025</u> (the "<u>Claim Filing Deadline</u>"), as the last date to timely file a proof of claim.

WHO SHOULD FILE

If you believe that you have a <u>non-sexual abuse</u> claim against the Diocese, you should file a proof of claim to maintain and preserve any claims that you have against the Diocese.

WHAT TO FILE

FILE OFFICIAL FORM 410, A COPY OF WHICH IS ENCLOSED. YOU MAY ALSO OBTAIN A COPY OF OFFICIAL FORM 410 BY FOLLOWING THE INSTRUCTIONS BELOW.

For additional copies of Official Form 410: (a) contact the Diocese between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. (Central Standard Time), Monday through Friday; (b) visit the Diocese's website at: https://www.vermontcatholic.org/; or (c) visit the website of the Claims and Noticing Agent for this case, Stretto, Inc. ("Stretto"), at https://case.stretto.com/dioceseofburlington.

Please note that Stretto's staff is not permitted to give legal advice. You should consult your own attorney for assistance regarding any such inquiries.

Return the completed Official Form 410 to Stretto at the address set forth below by the Claim Filing Deadline. Proofs of claims will be deemed timely filed only if they are **actually received** by Stretto by **April 4, 2025**. If you are returning a proof of claim form by mail, allow sufficient mailing time. Proofs of claims that are postmarked before that date, *i.e.*, the Claim Filing Deadline, but which are received by Stretto after the Claim Filing Deadline, will be considered tardy.

Proofs of claims should be delivered to the following address:

Roman Catholic Diocese of Burlington, Vermont Claims Processing c/o Stretto, Inc. 410 Exchange, Suite 100 Irvine, CA 92602.

Alternatively, you may submit a proof of claim electronically through Stretto Inc.'s case website at: https://case.stretto.com/dioceseofburlington/fileaclaim.

CONSEQUENCES OF FAILURE TO FILE A PROOF OF CLAIM

There may be consequences for failing to file a claim. Please consult your attorney.

Dated: December 31, 2024