

**UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
HOUSTON DIVISION**

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In re:)	Chapter 11
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STAGE STORES, INC., <i>et al.</i> , ¹)	Case No. 20-32564 (DRJ)
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Debtors.)	(Jointly Administered)
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WITNESS AND EXHIBIT LIST FOR MAY 27, 2020 HEARING

The above-captioned Debtors and Debtors in Possession (collectively, the “Debtors”) file this Witness and Exhibit List for the hearings to be held on **May 27, 2020 at 10:30 a.m.** (prevailing Central Time) (the “Hearing”) as follows:

WITNESSES

The Debtors may call the following witnesses at the Hearing:

1. Elaine D. Crowley, Chief Restructuring Officer of Stage Stores Inc.;
2. Any witness designated or called by another party
3. Rebuttal/impeachment witness as necessary.

¹ The Debtors in these chapter 11 cases, along with the last four digits of each Debtor’s federal tax identification number, are: Stage Stores, Inc. (6900) and Specialty Retailers, Inc. (1900). The Debtors’ service address is: 2425 West Loop South, Houston, Texas 77027.



EXHIBITS

EXHIBIT	DESCRIPTION	MARK	OFFER	OBJECT	ADMIT	W/D	DISPOSITION AFTER TRIAL
1	Declaration of Elaine D. Crowley, Chief Restructuring Officer of Stage Stores, Inc., In Support of Debtors' Chapter 11 Petitions and First Day Motions [ECF NO. 26]						
4	Any document or pleading filed in the above-captioned main cases.						
5	Any exhibit necessary for impeachment and/or rebuttal purposes.						
6	Any exhibit identified or offered by any other party.						

RESERVATION OF RIGHTS

The Debtors reserve the right to call or to introduce one or more, or none, of the witnesses and exhibits listed above, and further reserve the right to supplement this Witness and Exhibit List prior to hearing.

Houston, Texas
May 22, 2020

/s/ Matthew D. Cavanaugh

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Certificate of Service

I certify that on May 22, 2020, I caused a copy of the foregoing document to be served by the Electronic Case Filing System for the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of Texas.

/s/ Matthew D. Cavanaugh

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