IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
HOUSTON DIVISION

In re:	)	Chapter 11
ASCEND ELEMENTS, INC., *et al.*,[1]	)	Case No. 26-90440 (CML)
Debtors.	)	(Jointly Administered)

NOTICE OF VIRTUAL HEARING ON THE DEBTORS' COMBINED DISCLOSURE STATEMENT AND JOINT PLAN OF LIQUIDATION

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that, on April 9, 2026 (the "Petition Date"), the above-captioned debtors and debtors in possession (collectively, the "Debtors") filed voluntary petitions for relief under chapter 11 of title 11 of the United States Code (the "Bankruptcy Code") with the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of Texas, Houston Division (the "Court").

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that, on July 8, 2026, the Debtors filed the *Combined Disclosure Statement and Joint Plan of Liquidation for Ascend Elements, Inc., et al.* [Docket No. 550] (the "Combined Disclosure Statement and Plan").

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that a hearing to consider the conditional approval of the adequacy of the Combined Disclosure Statement and Plan for solicitation purposes is scheduled for **July 15, 2026, at 9:00 a.m. (prevailing Central Time)** before the Honorable Judge Christopher M. Lopez, United States Bankruptcy Judge, and will be conducted by videoconference.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that the hearing will be conducted **virtually only**. Audio communication will be by use of the Court's dial-in facility. You may access the facility at **832-917-1510.** Once connected, you will be asked to enter the conference room number. Judge Lopez's conference room number is **590153**. Video communication will be by use of the GoToMeeting platform. Connect via the free GoToMeeting application or click the link on Judge Lopez's homepage. The meeting code is "**JudgeLopez**". Click the settings icon in the upper right corner and enter your name under the personal information setting.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that hearing appearances must be made electronically in advance of both electronic and in-person hearings. To make your appearance,

[1] The Debtors in these chapter 11 cases, along with the last four digits of each Debtor's federal tax identification number, are: Ascend Elements, Inc. (2893) and Ascend Elements US, LLC (8309). The location of the Debtors' service address is: 133 Flanders Road, Westborough, MA 01581.

click the "Electronic Appearance" link on Judge Lopez's homepage. Select the case name, complete the required fields and click "Submit" to complete your appearance.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that all documents filed in these chapter 11 cases are available free of charge by visiting https://www.veritaglobal.net/ascend. Copies of any pleadings or papers filed with the Court may also be obtained by visiting the Court's website at https://ecf.txsb.uscourts.gov in accordance with the procedures and fees set forth therein.

Dated: July 8, 2026

Respectfully submitted,

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Certificate of Service

I certify that on July 8, 2026, 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. .

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