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LAKE CITY MOTORS LLC VEHICLE AUCTION

ONLINE PERSONAL PROPERTY AUCTION BY ORDER OF THE

NORTHERN DISTRICT OF INDIANA BANKRUPTCY COURT; CASE 19-11899

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- --- **BIDDING:** Bidding starts at the nominal Opening Bid(s) indicated and is open to all who registered and are approved by the way of verified identity and credit card information. The bidding will be open for minimum of 7 days. The auction ends at a predetermined time with an Overtime Period if necessary, which is defined as follows: if a bid is placed within ten (10) seconds of the close of bidding, then another fifteen (15) minute period commences from the time of the last bid until no bids are placed within the next fifteen (15) minutes. The last bid shall be made final. The Bidder is responsible for knowing which item he is bidding on. Auctioneer cannot honor "mistakes". (See **TERMS** below for additional details on your bid).
- --- EFFECT OF WINNING BID: The successful bidder has only earned the right to make an offer to the Seller; no sale has been completed. Once the auction is concluded the winning bids will be submitted to the Bankruptcy Trustee for approval. Once the bid is accepted by the Bankruptcy Trustee, (within 48 hrs. following the close of the auction), the Buyer will be contacted by the Auction Company via email to confirm that the offer has been accepted and to confirm contact information for vehicles sold at Auction.

- --- TERMS: A Buyer's Premium of 5% will be added to the high bid and included in the total purchase price, A Security Deposit of \$1,000 will be processed with the credit card on file at the close of auction of the high bidder. Buyers will also be responsible for paying a \$35 process fee. Balances Due will be paid by Bank Wire Transfer. No vehicle titles will be released to the new buyer until all funds have been verified by First Federal Saving Bank. The customer must pay the balance due in full no later than 48 hours from sale confirmation notification which shall operate as the invoice for the sale.
- --- DISCLAIMER & ABSENCE OF WARRANTIES: ALL VEHICLES ARE SOLD "AS IS, WHERE IS" BASIS. NO WARRANTY OR REPRESENTATION, EITHER EXPRESSED OR IMPLIED, CONCERNING THE VEHICLE, ITS CONDITION, OR THE CONDITION OF ANY OTHER COMPONENTS ON THE VEHICLE, IS MADE BY THE BANKRUPTCY TRUSTEE OR NESS BROS. The information contained online or in the Brochure is subject to verification by all parties relying on the information. No liability for its accuracy, errors, or omissions is assumed by the Seller or Ness Bros. Each potential bidder is responsible for conducting his or her own independent inspections, investigations, inquiries, and due diligence concerning the vehicles.
- -- AGENCY DISCLOSURE & GENERAL OFFICE POLICIES: Ness Bros. represents the Seller only and does not inspect merchandise on bidder's behalf.
- --- POSSESSION/REMOVAL: Pickup of the vehicle will be @ Pickup of the vehicle will be @ <u>1625 Hartman St.,</u> Huntington, IN 46750 on Saturday, February 1 from 2:00 - 5:00
- --- **DEFAULT**: If Buyer is a winning bidder and refuses or fails to complete the transaction for ANY reason, buyer shall relinquish ANY right to complete the transaction and shall have no rights or interest in the vehicle, **and will forfeit all deposit monies as liquidated damages to Seller.**
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YOU ARE ENTERING INTO A BINDING CONTRACT.

THERE ARE NO REFUNDS OR BID CANCELLATIONS.

THE REGISTERED BIDDER IS PERSONALLY RESPONSIBLE, LEGALLY AND FINANCIALLY FOR ALL AUCTION ITEMS BID UPON WHETHER REPRESENTING ONE'S SELF OR ACTING AS AN AGENT.

AN ONLINE BID ACCEPTED BY THE SELLER AT THIS AUCTION IS A LEGAL AND BINDING CONTRACT TO PURCHASE.

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