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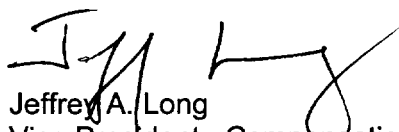
Re: Notice of Plans of Deferred Compensation

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Pursuant to DOL Reg. Sec.2520.104-23, the undersigned Employer hereby files the following information with respect to its plans of deferred compensation.

1. Payless ShoeSource, Inc.
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2. Federal Employer Identification No. (EIN): 48-0674097
3. The Employer maintains 2 plans of deferred compensation primarily for the purpose of providing deferred compensation to a select group of management or highly-compensated employees.
4. 89 employees are covered by such plans.

Very truly yours,



Jeffrey A. Long
Vice President, Compensation and
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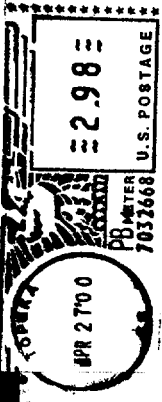
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