UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS EASTERN DIVISION

ESSENTIAL.COM, INC.,

Debtor.

Chapter 11 Case No. 01-15339-WCH

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NOTICE OF HEARING

Please take notice that a hearing on the Debtor's Motion To Reject Executory Contracts (the "Motion") has been scheduled for September 5, 2001 at 9:30 a.m. before the Honorable William C. Hillman, United States Bankruptcy Judge, District of Massachusetts, O'Neill Federal Office Building, 10 Causeway Street, Boston, Massachusetts, 02222. Please note that objections to the Motion are due on September 4, 2001 by noon.

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