UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS OFFICE OF THE CLERK



November 28, 2016

C L E R K' S N O T I C E 16-05

NOTICE REGARDING BANKRUPTCY RULE, FORM, AND FEE CHANGES EFFECTIVE THURSDAY, DECEMBER 1, 2016

The Supreme Court adopted changes to the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure and the Official Bankruptcy Forms, which are scheduled to take effect on December 1, 2016.

- Bankruptcy Rules 1010, 1011, 2002, 3002.1, 7008, 7012, 7016, 9006, 9027, and 9033 have been amended, and Rule 1012, which govern responses to petitions for recognition in cross-border cases, has been added;
- Official Bankruptcy Forms 420A and 420B have been amended to conform to the numbering scheme of the Forms Modernization Project along with changing the phrase "mail" to "send" to reflect the fact that there are various methods of providing documents to other parties; and Form 410S2, Notice of Postpetition Mortgage Fees, Expenses, and Charges, is amended in the instructions in Part 1 to clarify how to report previously approved fees, expenses, or charges.

Click on the following link to view these pending changes: http://www.uscourts.gov/rules-policies/pending-rules-and-forms-amendments

Miscellaneous Fee Schedule Changes

At its September 2016 session, the Judicial Conference of the United States approved inflationary adjustments to several fees on the Bankruptcy Court Miscellaneous Fee Schedule, effective December 1, 2016. A chart summarizing these changes is attached.

FOR THE COURT Jed G. Weintraub Clerk of Court

Effective December 1, 2016

Item	Description	Current Fee	Approved New Fee
No.			
2	For exemplification of any document	\$21	\$22
3	For reproduction of an audio recording of a court proceeding	\$30	\$31
4	For filing an amendment to the debtor's schedule of creditors, lists of creditors, or mailing list	\$30	\$31
5	For conducting a search of the bankruptcy court records	\$30	\$31
7	For filing any document that is not related to a pending case or proceeding	\$46	\$47
19	 For filing the following motions To terminate, annul, modify or condition the automatic stay; To compel the abandonment of property of the estate To withdraw the reference of a case or proceeding To sell property of the estate free and clear of liens under [11 U.S.C. § 363(f)]. 	\$176	\$181

Bankruptcy Court Miscellaneous Fee Schedule (28 U.S.C. § 1930)