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Case Statistics

	November, 2011		Year to Date
Ch. 7	231	Ch. 7	3219
Ch. 11	19	Ch. 11	141
Ch. 12	0	Ch. 12	5
Ch. 13	524	Ch. 13	5723
Ch. 9	0	Ch. 9	0
Ch. 15	0	Ch. 15	0
Total	774	Total	9088

Quarterly Fees

Pursuant to a change in Local Rule 4002-1(c)(11) effective December 1, 2011, the court will no longer be accepting personal checks for payment of quarterly fees. Payments may now only be made by attorney trust account check, certified check, money order or through pay.gov.

Temporary Staff Change

Samantha Lyles will be filling in for Sarah Donleycott as Court Reporter for Judge Humrickhouse from Monday, December 5th through early March 2012. All court related matters normally directed to Sarah should be directed to Samantha during this time.

Also during this time period, cases ending in terminal digits 80-86 that are normally administered by Samantha Lyles will be handled by Pamela Smith. The exception will be Samantha's Chapter 11 cases, which have been randomly redistributed among the remaining Case Administrators. Please look for the case flag at the top of the docket to determine who you should contact at the court for these Chapter 11 cases.

2012 Court Holidays

Monday, January 2nd – New Year’s Day
Monday, January 16th – Birthday of Martin Luther King, Jr.
Monday, February 20th – Washington’s Birthday
Monday, May 28th – Memorial Day
Wednesday, July 4th – Independence Day
Monday, September 3rd – Labor Day
Monday, October 8th – Columbus Day
Monday, November 12th – Veteran’s Day
Thursday, November 22nd – Thanksgiving Day
Tuesday, December 25th – Christmas Day
Tuesday, January 1st, 2013 – New Year’s Day

Seeking Volunteers!

We are looking for law firms that would be willing to allow members of the court staff to travel to their offices and observe them while at work. We’re very interested in experiencing the bankruptcy process from the attorney’s and trustee’s perspective.

Also, we would like to remind you about the Attorney Orientation Program that is available at the clerk’s office. This is a half day program for any interested attorneys and their office staff, designed to familiarize you with our daily court operations. It consists of a tour of the court facility, introduction to court personnel, job shadowing with a Case Administrator and an information session with the Bankruptcy Administrator’s office.

We encourage you to participate in both of these opportunities! If you are interested in signing up, please contact Laura Whitehead, Training Specialist, at (252)237-0248, ext. 124 or laura_whitehead@nceb.uscourts.gov.

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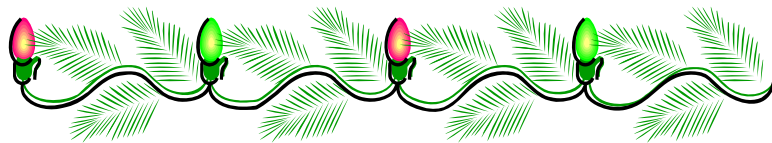
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QUESTIONS/ANSWERS:

Q. A creditor on the matrix in a case has changed its name and its address. I am not adding a new creditor, and there has been no assignment. How do I go about notifying the court?

A. In this type of situation, please use the Name Change - Creditor/Party (Text) event under the Miscellaneous category. You can provide the new name for the creditor, as well as a new address, if applicable.



Have a wonderful holiday season!

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