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## Case Statistics

<i>April, 2014</i>		<i>Year to Date</i>	
<i>Ch. 7</i>	<i>205</i>	<i>Ch. 7</i>	<i>755</i>
<i>Ch. 11</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>Ch. 11</i>	<i>37</i>
<i>Ch. 12</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>Ch. 12</i>	<i>0</i>
<i>Ch. 13</i>	<i>435</i>	<i>Ch. 13</i>	<i>1666</i>
<i>Ch. 9</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>Ch. 9</i>	<i>0</i>
<i>Ch. 15</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>Ch. 15</i>	<i>0</i>
<i>Total</i>	<i>648</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>2458</i>

## On a Personal Note

*Lynn Boyd, court reporter for Judge Doub, retired effective April 30<sup>th</sup>. Her last day in the office was April 18<sup>th</sup>.*

*Dana Sebastian, Courtroom Deputy for Judge Doub, will be retiring effective May 30<sup>th</sup>.*

*Please join us in congratulating Dana and Lynn on their years of service and wishing them a wonderful retirement!*

## Courtroom Staff Change – Judge Doub

*Upon Dana Sebastian's retirement on May 30<sup>th</sup>, Sharon Angel will become the Courtroom Deputy for Judge Doub. Her contact information is as follows:*

*(252)917-6123  
sharon\_angel@nceb.uscourts.gov*

## Updated Case Assignments

Our case assignments will change *effective Monday, May 12th*. Please review the updated list for Case Administrators and Operations Analysts below. If you have any questions relating to a specific case, please contact the appropriate person based on the last two digits of the case number.

### Case Administrators:

<i>Ending with:</i>	<i>Contact Person:</i>	<i>Email Address:</i>	<i>Phone:</i>
00-08	Dawn Barnes	Dawn_Barnes@nceb.uscourts.gov	(252)917-6116
09-19	Christy Gurgone	Christy_Gurgone@nceb.uscourts.gov	(252)917-6111
20-30	Anna Brock	Anna_Brock@nceb.uscourts.gov	(252)917-6112
31-36	Shelia Morris	Shelia_Morris@nceb.uscourts.gov	(919)334-3810
37-46	Brenna Wallace	Brenna_Wallace@nceb.uscourts.gov	(252)917-6121
47-56	Carrie Wiggins	Carrie_Wiggins@nceb.uscourts.gov	(919)334-3858
57-62	Donna Harris	Donna_Harris@nceb.uscourts.gov	(919)334-3804
63-68	Amy Bisette	Amy_Bisette@nceb.uscourts.gov	(919)334-3849
69-77	Lisa Payne	Lisa_Payne@nceb.uscourts.gov	(919)334-3807
78-86	Aileen Gibson	Aileen_Gibson@nceb.uscourts.gov	(919)334-3808
87-99	Pamela Smith	Pamela_Smith@nceb.uscourts.gov	(919)334-3847

### Operations Analysts:

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Kelly Shum-Drake 31-62	Kelly_Shum-Drake@nceb.uscourts.gov	(919)334-3806
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## **Reminder: Upcoming Fee Increases**

*This should serve as a reminder that certain fee increases will go into effect on June 1, 2014. These increases will apply to all bankruptcy and adversary cases filed on or after June 1st. The following is an outline of the filing fees that will be affected:*

<i>Item</i>	<i>Current Fee</i>	<i>New Fee</i>
<i>Adversary Proceeding</i>	\$293	<b>\$350</b>
<i>Chapter 7 Petition</i>	\$306	<b>\$335</b>
<i>Chapter 9 Petition</i>	\$1,213	<b>\$1,717</b>
<i>Chapter 11 Petition</i>	\$1,213	<b>\$1,717</b>
<i>Chapter 12 Petition</i>	\$246	<b>\$275</b>
<i>Chapter 13 Petition</i>	\$281	<b>\$310</b>
<i>Chapter 15 Petition</i>	\$1,213	<b>\$1,717</b>
<i>Motion to Sever Chapter 7 Case</i>	\$306	<b>\$335</b>
<i>Motion to Sever Chapter 11 Case</i>	\$1,213	<b>\$1,717</b>
<i>Motion to Sever Chapter 12 Case</i>	\$246	<b>\$275</b>
<i>Motion to Sever Chapter 13 Case</i>	\$281	<b>\$310</b>

### QUESTIONS/ANSWERS:

**Q.** I need to file an application for presumptive non-base fees in a Chapter 13 case pursuant to Local Rule 2016-1. What event code should be used for filing this?

**A.** This should be filed as an Application for Additional Fees under the Motions/Applications category. The Application for Compensation or Application for Higher Base Fee events should **never** be used for this purpose.

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