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## Case Statistics

<i>June, 2014</i>		<i>Year to Date</i>	
<i>Ch. 7</i>	<i>184</i>	<i>Ch. 7</i>	<i>1187</i>
<i>Ch. 11</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>Ch. 11</i>	<i>51</i>
<i>Ch. 12</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>Ch. 12</i>	<i>2</i>
<i>Ch. 13</i>	<i>432</i>	<i>Ch. 13</i>	<i>2493</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>626</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>3733</i>

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<i>July, 2014</i>		<i>Year to Date</i>	
<i>Ch. 7</i>	<i>220</i>	<i>Ch. 7</i>	<i>1407</i>
<i>Ch. 11</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>Ch. 11</i>	<i>63</i>
<i>Ch. 12</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>Ch. 12</i>	<i>3</i>
<i>Ch. 13</i>	<i>412</i>	<i>Ch. 13</i>	<i>2905</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>645</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>4378</i>

## On a Personal Note

*Laura Whitehead, the court's Training Specialist, will be retiring effective August 31st. Her last day in the office will be August 22<sup>nd</sup>. Please join us in congratulating Laura on her years of service and wishing her a wonderful retirement!*

## Attention: Objections to Claim

*Effective immediately, all Objections to Claim filed with the court must include the amount of the claim and the claim number.*

### **Motions to Avoid Judicial Lien**

*This should serve as a reminder regarding §522 motions to avoid a judicial lien. In the statutory computation for the exemption amount, please include the entire exemption amount that could have been claimed versus the amount actually claimed on Schedule C.*

### **Notices of Hearing**

*When docketing a Notice of Hearing or a motion that contains a Notice of Hearing (if objections), please ensure that you are selecting the correct court location. In addition, on the schedule record screen, you must check the box next to the matter that is being scheduled for hearing, or it will not appear properly on the calendar. A sample of this screen is shown below for your reference.*

Type	hrg
Date	8/15/2014
Time	10:00
Location	Raleigh Courtroom
Prompt	

The following schedule records will be associated with the docket entries specified below.

Select from the following docket entries those which the above schedule records should be associated with.

- Create Schedule record for current docket entry.
  
- 05/09/2014 10 Motion to Dismiss Case filed by creditor.

### **Documents Mailed to the Clerk's Office**

*The clerk's office is receiving a significant amount of paper documents in the mail that are duplicates of documents already filed electronically via CM/ECF. Copies of electronically filed documents should not be mailed to the clerk's office. Even if the mailing matrix generated through CM/ECF has the court's name and address listed, you should be marking through it to ensure that we do not receive manual service. In addition to using unnecessary postage, it is taking clerk's office staff a great deal of time to open these mailings, look up the cases and verify whether or not the pleadings have already been filed on the docket.*

### **Reminder: Emails to Courtroom Staff**

*Courtroom staff are receiving many duplicate emails. When an email message is sent to one of the new courtroom staff email groups, no additional court email addresses should be copied. The appropriate courtroom staff are already included in the email group for each judge.*

#### **QUESTIONS/ANSWERS:**

**Q.** I am filing a Notice of Appearance in a case on behalf of the following creditor. Is it necessary for me to enter the full name when adding the creditor to the case?

JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A., servicer for U.S. Bank, National Association, as trustee, successor in interest to Bank of America, National Association, as trustee, successor by merger to LaSalle Bank, National Association.

**A.** No. The court prefers that the creditor be entered into the database without servicers, successors, etc. In this case, entering the creditor as JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A. is sufficient.

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