

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA

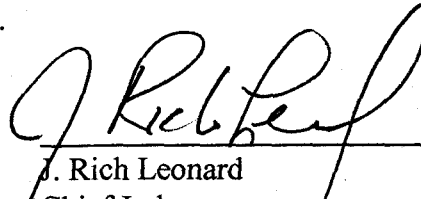
IN RE:

Mandatory Electronic Filing

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER

Effective April 1, 2005, attorneys practicing in the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Eastern District of North Carolina, including attorneys admitted pro hac vice, are required to file electronically all documents [including new bankruptcy petitions, motions, memoranda of law, and other pleadings, but excluding proofs of claim and documents to be placed under seal in accordance with Local Bankruptcy Rule 5005-4(6)]. Any document required to be filed electronically pursuant to Local Bankruptcy Rule 5005-4(1) but presented in paper form on or after April 1, 2005, shall be accompanied by an application for an exemption from this rule and a proposed order granting the relief sought. The application shall state the reason(s) why electronic filing would impose an extreme hardship on the attorney.

SO ORDERED this 1st day of April, 2005.



J. Rich Leonard
Chief Judge