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Newsletter

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Case Statistics

September, 2021		Year to Date	
<i>Ch.</i> 7	97	<i>Ch.</i> 7	949
Ch. 11	3	Ch. 11	33
Ch. 12	0	Ch. 12	5
Ch. 13	135	Ch. 13	1200
Ch. 9	0	Ch. 9	0
Ch. 15	0	Ch. 15	0
Total	235	Total	2187

CM/ECF Downtime

CM/ECF will be unavailable on Saturday, October 23rd and Sunday, October 24th for scheduled maintenance. We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause.

Local Rules Amendments

Proposed amendments to the Local Rules have been posted on the court's website. They may be viewed by clicking the below link.

https://www.nceb.uscourts.gov/sites/nceb/files/2021_proposed_amendments.pdf

Please submit all comments to the Clerk of Court at <u>stephanie_butler@nceb.uscourts.gov</u> on or before Thursday, November 18, 2021 at 5:00 p.m. If you have any questions, please submit those to the same email address.

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BNC Noticing

Effective December 1, 2021, the Director of the Administrative Office of the United States Courts has designated any entity that receives 100 or more paper bankruptcy notices in a single calendar month as a high-volume paper notice recipient pursuant to Fed. R. Bankr. P. 9036(b)(2)(B) (as amended effective December 1, 2021) (the "Rule"). The threshold number of paper notices that will cause a notice recipient to be designated as a high-volume paper notice recipient pursuant to the Rule will be reviewed annually and may be adjusted once a year, effective on December 1st of each year. Once the threshold paper notice amount is reached, the Bankruptcy Noticing Center (BNC) will notify the notice recipient that it must register for Electronic Bankruptcy Noticing (EBN) or that, if the recipient does not register within 45 days of the date of the notification, the BNC will establish an electronic address where the Director designates the recipient to receive its notices pursuant to the Rule.

> To register for EBN, please go to https://bankruptcynotices.uscourts.gov

On a Personal Note

Congratulations to Carolyn Baker, Operations Supervisor for the clerk's office, who is retiring effective October 31, 2021! Please join us in thanking Carolyn for her years of service to the court and wishing her a wonderful retirement!

Jade Campbell, Case Administrator Assistant for the Raleigh office, gave birth to a baby girl on October 15^{th..} Congratulations to Jade and her family on their new addition!

QUESTIONS/ANSWERS:

Q. I've filed a pleading in error. Can the docket entry be removed?

A. No. Since we are a NextGen court, we are no longer able to delete docket entries. Please take extra care to ensure that pleadings are being filed properly the first time. If you're unsure as to how something should be filed, please contact the Helpdesk first.

Tip: When browsing for documents, right click and open them first to ensure that the correct PDF is being attached.

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