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#### Case Statistics

<i>May</i> , 2022		Year to Date	
Ch. 7	76	Ch. 7	341
Ch. 11	0	Ch. 11	10
Ch. 12	1	Ch. 12	2
Ch. 13	179	Ch. 13	820
Ch. 9	0	Ch. 9	0
Ch. 15	0	Ch. 15	0
Total	256	Total	1173

#### Local Rule 9022-1

A General Order was entered on May 18, 2022 by the Judges for the Eastern District of North Carolina, adopting Local Rule 9022-1. Upon entry of a PDF order submitted by a party, the submitting party must serve a copy of the order on required parties and file a certificate of service evidencing same within 3 days.

The order may be viewed by clicking **here**.

## **LMM Facilitators**

The Mortgage Mediation Committee has approved three facilitators for the court's Loan Modification Management Program: Benjamin R. Eisner, Stephanie Goodbar and Palmer E. Huffstetler, III. Contact information for the facilitators can be found on our website at <a href="https://www.nceb.uscourts.gov/lmm-facilitators">https://www.nceb.uscourts.gov/lmm-facilitators</a>.

# Motions to Continue Hearing/Confirmation

There has been an increase in filing errors for Motions to Continue in Chapter 13 cases. If you are simultaneously requesting a continuance of a confirmation hearing AND a continuance of another matter (i.e. Trustee's Motion to Dismiss), you must select BOTH the "Continue Confirmation Hearing (Ch 13)" and "Continue Hearing" events. This allows the appropriate form orders to be entered for each motion.

### **Mortgage Motions**

There have been a number of motions filed recently with the Court seeking approval of participation in North Carolina Assistance for Mortgages or requesting to defer mortgage payments to the end of the loan. These should **not** be filed using the Incur Debt event. The Refinance or Modify Mortgage/Loan event should be selected for these situations. This event now appears on the picklist as "Refinance, Modify, Defer or Assistance Mortgage/Loan" and has been modified to include the below options:

Make appropriate selection:
O Refinance
O Modify
O Defer Payments
O Mortgage Assistance
Next Clear

#### QUESTIONS/ANSWERS:

- **Q.** I need to file an amended motion. Do I select the same motion event I selected for original filing?
- **A.** No. When filing an amended motion, you must select the *Amended/Amendment to Motion Application* event and refer the entry back the original motion. Please do not select the same event a second time!

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