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## UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA

STEPHANIE J. BUTLER, CLERK U.S. BANKRUPTCY COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF NC

## ORDER APPOINTING LOCAL RULES COMMITTEE

The Bankruptcy Judges of the Eastern District of North Carolina ("Court") are authorized pursuant to Bankruptcy Rule 9029 of the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure and by order of the District Court to make Rules of Practice and Procedure governing bankruptcy cases and bankruptcy proceedings pending in this district. The Court believes that a Local Rules Committee ("LRC") should be appointed to assist the court in reviewing the present local rules, suggesting changes to the rules, and soliciting comments from the bar and the general public concerning any proposed changes. Prior to adoption of any new or amended local rule, there shall be public notice and an opportunity for comment.

In an effort to create consistency and continuity of the LRC for the Court, the Court is establishing three classes of LRC members with the term of each class maturing at different times.

The initial term for Class 1 will be one year. The initial term for Class 2 is two years. The initial term for Class 3 is three years. At the conclusion of the initial term, each class shall have a term of three years. Beginning with the October 1, 2018 appointment, members shall serve no more than two consecutive terms. Those members serving the two consecutive terms may be reappointed after one year after the expiration of the two consecutive terms.

The chair of the LRC committee shall be appointed by the Chief Judge and shall serve a term of three years as chair, except the chair appointed for this initial term shall serve a one-year term. The chair is by separate appointment and is not in a particular class The Court sincerely appreciates the service of all of the members of the LRC.

The members of the committee, their classes and terms shall be:

Member	Class	Term Ends
Margaret Westbrook	Chair	September 30, 2019
Bill Janvier	1	September 30, 2019
Al Butler	1	September 30, 2019
Pam Keenan	1	September 30, 2019
Paul Fanning	2	September 30, 2020
Jennifer Bennington	2	September 30, 2020
John Bircher	2	September 30, 2020
Rebecca Redwine	3	September 30, 2021
Jody Bledsoe	3	September 30, 2021
Joe Vonnegut	3	September 30, 2021
Stephanie Butler	Ex Officio	N/A
Margie Lynch	Ex Officio	N/A
Claire Glover	Reporter	N/A

## SO ORDERED.

Stephani W. Humrickhouse, Chief Judge

David M. Warren, Judge

Joseph N. Callaway, Judge