

THE BANKRUPTCY BUGLE

A CM/ECF Information Newsletter

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WELCOME JUDGE NAKAGAWA

THE UNITED STATES
BANKRUPTCY COURT,

District of Nevada, extends a warm welcome to Judge Mike K. Nakagawa. Judge Nakagawa will be hearing cases in both the Reno and Las Vegas Court. In both locations Judge Nakagawa will be assigned the courtroom location #2. Please note that when you e-file notices you will find his courtroom location(s) listed as follows:

MKN LV - Courtroom 2, Foley Federal Bldg
MKN RN - Courtroom 2, Young Bldg

Judge Nakagawa has been assigned approximately 1/3 of the open cases in Las Vegas and all chapter 13s in Reno. Please review the **Orders Reassigning Cases** to Judge Nakagawa (MKN) posted on our website. Each order contains a list of the case numbers reassigned to Judge Nakagawa..

Remember to change the initials on the affected pleadings to **MKN**.

UPCOMING CHANGES

September and October will bring some important changes to CM/ECF as a result of BAPCPA. The Court is projecting a “go live” date of September 25, 2006 for Version 3.0. On or before October 17, 2006 Version 3.1 will be installed and ready to go. This is a reminder for e-filers to purchase any necessary updates for their petition e-filing software before these conversions.

Version 3.0 offers many changes to docketing screens, opening of bankruptcy and adversary cases, as well as changes to some reports. As we near our conversion to Version 3.1 we will be giving you more needed information.

BE AWARE: Software updates need to be in place with all e-filers who open new bankruptcy cases by the time the court goes live.

Projected dates: September 25, 2006 for Version 3.0 and on or before October 17, 2006 for Version 3.1.

Note: Do not install your new software BEFORE the court goes live, or the programs may not work!



LOCAL RULE 9014

There are some updates to LR 9014 that e-filers need to conform to regarding Notices and Certificates of Mailing. The following problems are surfacing with regularity.

NOTICE - missing the language required by new LR 9014(b)(1)(D)

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE (Corporation/Partnership) - notice by mail not sent to attention of Officer/Agent. (FRBP 7004 (b)(3))

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING - when applicable, omitting indication that insured depository institution was sent notice via certified mail. (FRBP 7004(h))

***** **RE M I N D E R** *****
CONFIRMATION HEARINGS
ALL Las Vegas confirmation hearing locations are still **3rd Floor.**

COURTESY COPIES

REMINDER REMINDER REMINDER

You need to make sure courtesy copies of all pleadings with a hearing date are delivered to the Bankruptcy judges **THE NEXT BUSINESS DAY** following the e-filing of your document. **THANK YOU!!!**

NEW DOCKETING EVENTS



The following events have been added to our menu for your docketing pleasure!

(Now you don't have to use Misc Motion!)



Motion to Extend Automatic Stay and Order Referencing.

Motion to Refinance and Order Referencing

The following event has been added so that you will NOT be charged for a Relief from Stay if the new motion is regarding the same property.

(Use this ONLY for amended or renewed!)

Motion for Relief from Stay (Amended/Renewed)

ECF PASSWORDS



Remember to change your ECF passwords at least quarterly! If you can't remember how, please call the Help Center [1-866-232-1266](tel:1-866-232-1266).

CONFIRMATION HEARINGS

Confirmation hearings need to be set on the **last filed plan** in a case. And remember...all confirmations (in Las Vegas) are set to the 3rd floor of the Foley Federal Building.