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PUBLIC NOTICE
REVISED OFFICIAL BANKRUPTCY FORMS
EFFECTIVE DECEMBER 1, 2015

USE OF THE REVISED OFFICIAL FORMS WILL BE REQUIRED, EFFECTIVE IN ALL CASES FILED ON OR AFTER DECEMBER 1, 2015.

These new forms are part of a forms modernization project that was begun by the Advisory Committee on Bankruptcy Rules of the Judicial Conference in 2008. Among other things, the new forms introduce different versions of case opening forms for individual debtors and non-individual debtors.

NEW FORMS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED PRIOR TO DECEMBER 1, 2015.

OUTDATED OFFICIAL FORMS, SUBMITTED ON OR AFTER DECEMBER 1, 2015, WILL RESULT IN THE ISSUANCE OF A DEFICIENCY NOTICE IN EACH APPLICABLE CASE. IT IS EXPECTED THAT OUTDATED OFFICIAL FORMS WILL BE REPLACED BY FILING NEW OFFICIAL FORMS WITHIN FOURTEEN (14) DAYS, TO CURE DEFICIENCIES AND TO AVOID FURTHER ACTION BY THE COURT.

- **Attorneys are expected to coordinate their own implementation of the revised forms through their respective software vendors.** Court units are not in a position to recommend software vendors, but are in receipt of information that EZ Filing software, used by many attorneys to prepare bankruptcy forms, will no longer be updated or supported after November 30, 2015.
- All revised official forms and directors forms—including a forms conversion chart—are accessible in fillable pdf format via the following link:

<http://www.uscourts.gov/rules-policies/pending-rules-amendments/pending-changes-bankruptcy-forms>

MORE INFORMATION WILL BE FORTHCOMING AS TO THE DATE AND TIME OF A COURT SPONSORED EVENT WHICH WILL PROVIDE ADDITIONAL INFORMATION TO MEMBERS OF THE BAR AND THEIR SUPPORT STAFF.