

## New Bankruptcy Forms, Rules and Fees Take Effect December 1, 2016

### Pending Rules and Forms Amendments:

Bankruptcy Rules 1010, 1011, 2002, 3002.1, 7008, 7012, 7016, 9006, 9027, and 9033, and new Rule 1012 become effective December 1, 2016.

Several Official Bankruptcy Forms will be amended effective December 1, 2016. Forms 420A and 420B (Notice of Motion or Objection and Notice of Objection to Claim) will be amended to conform to the numbering scheme of the Forms Modernization Project along with minor wording amendments. One of the instructions in Form 410S2 (Notice of Postpetition Mortgage Fees, Expenses, and Charges) will be amended to eliminate a possible inconsistency with Rule 3002.1.

Further information can be found on the U.S. Courts website at:

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

### Bankruptcy Fee Increases:

The Judicial Conference of the United States has approved inflationary adjustments to fees on the bankruptcy court miscellaneous fee schedule. Additional information on the changes can be accessed at:

<http://www.uscourts.gov/services-forms/fees/bankruptcy-court-miscellaneous-fee-schedule>

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