## IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

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IN RE:

General Order #2012-3

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Certain Administrative and General Orders and Court Procedures

## **ORDER**

On January 27, 2012, *General Order 2012-2* was entered adopting the "Local Bankruptcy Rules" ("Local Rules") and "Local Bankruptcy Forms" ("Forms") of this Court, *effective as of March 1, 2012*. The Local Rules and Forms have incorporated and/or supersede previously adopted General Court Procedures, Electronic Case Filing Procedures, Chapter 13 Procedures, and various Administrative and General Orders, rendering those procedural enactments no longer necessary.

In order to promote efficiency and avoid confusion, on a prospective, going forward basis, this Order formally vacates those prior procedural enactments and Administrative and General Orders that are either superseded by the newly adopted Local Rules and Forms or are otherwise determined to be no longer necessary;

AND NOW, this 29<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2012, it is hereby ORDERED that, as of March 1, 2012:

(1) All prior Orders implementing the "General Court Procedures," "Electronic Case Filing Procedures" and "Chapter 13 Procedures" currently referenced in the "Court Procedures Manual of the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Western District of Pennsylvania" are prospectively *VACATED* and no longer in effect on a going forward basis.

(2) The following Administrative and General Orders have been superseded by and incorporated into the newly adopted Local Rules and Forms and are prospectively *VACATED* and no longer in effect on a going forward basis:

| (a) | Administrative Order 2005-2 | Payments to Personal Property Lessors            |
|-----|-----------------------------|--|
|     |                             | (See W.PA.LBR 3015-1)                            |
| (b) | General Order 2010-6        | Pro Hac Vice Motions                             |
|     |                             | (See W.PA.LBR 9010-1)                            |
| (c) | General Order 2010-2        | Electronic Case Filing Procedure #14 Modified    |
|     |                             | (See W.PA.LBR 9010-1)                            |
| (d) | General Order 2009-4        | Dismissal for Failure To File List of 20 Largest |
|     |                             | Unsecured Creditors                              |
|     |                             | (See W.PA.LBR1007-6)                             |

| (e)      | General Order 2008-6 | Electronic Transcripts and Redaction Policy                                  |
|----------|----------------------|--|
|          |                      | (See W.PA.LBR 5007-2)  |
| (f)      | General Order 2008-5 | Chapter 13 Proof of Claim Filing Requirements ( <i>See W.PA.LBR 3002-1</i> ) |
| (g)      | General Order 2008-2 | Adoption of Revised Chapter 13 Plan  |
|          |                      | (See W.PA.LBR 3015-1)  |
| (h)      | General Order 2008-1 | Increase in Chapter 13 Counsel Fee   |
|          |                      | (See W.PA.LBR 2016-1)  |
| (i)      | General Order 2007-3 | Setting of Claims Bar Date in Chapter 11 Cases                               |
|          |                      | (See W.PA.LBR 3003-1)  |
| (j)      | General Order 2005-6 | Limitation to Automatic Stay and Rent Deposit                                |
| <b>U</b> |                      | (See W.PA.LBR 4001-3)  |
| (k)      | General Order 2002-2 | Chapter 13 Plan Combined with Claims by                                      |
|          |                      | Debtor   |
|          |                      | (See W.PA.LBR 3015-1)  |
| (1)      | General Order 2001-1 | Application for Professional Fees/   |
|          |                      | Compensation and Expenses in Chapter 13                                      |
|          |                      | Cases  |
|          |                      | (See W.PA.LBR 2016-1)  |
| (m)      | General Order 2000-4 | Motion for Wage Attachment   |
|          |                      | (See W.PA.LBR 3015-2)  |
| (n)      | General Order 1999-1 | Procedures for Filing Matters Under Seal                                     |
|          |                      | (See W.PA.LBR 5005-20)   |
| (0)      | General Order 1996-2 | Request for Notices Filed on Behalf of Creditors                             |
|          |                      | (former Form 8 abrogated)  |
| (p)      | General Order 1993-1 | Local Bankruptcy Rule 7016.1   |
|          |                      | (See W.PA.LBR 7016-1)  |
| (q)      | General Order 1992-3 | Local Bankruptcy Rule 9013.4   |
| _        |                      | (See W.PA.LBR 9013-5)  |
| (r)      | General Order 1991-2 | Monies Deposited with the Court  |
|          |                      | (See W.PA.LBR 2015-1)  |
| (s)      | General Order 1988-4 | Activities of Internal Revenue Service and                                   |
|          |                      | Other Taxing Bodies  |
|          |                      | (See W.PA.LBR 2015-1)  |
| (t)      | General Order 1987-2 | Registry Funds and Registry Fund Accounts                                    |
|          |                      | (See W.PA.LBR 5095-1 and 5095-2)   |

(3) The following Administrative and General Orders are neither incorporated into the Local Rules and Forms nor any longer necessary for the business of the Court and therefore are prospectively *VACATED* and no longer in effect on a going forward basis:

| (u) | Administrative Order 2007-1 | Rescinding of Administrative Order 2003-1    |
|-----|-----------------------------|--|
| (v) | Administrative Order 2006-2 | Transfer of Chapter 13 Cases to Judge Deller |
| (w) | Administrative Order 2006-1 | Transfer of Chapter 13 Cases to Judge Deller |
| (x) | Administrative Order 2005-5 | Certificate of Exigent Circumstances         |

| (y)  | Administrative Order 2005-4 | Reaffirmation Agreements  |
|------|-----------------------------|---|
| (z)  | Administrative Order 2004-1 | Transfer of Cases to Judge Agresti  |
|      |                             |   |
| (aa) | Administrative Order 2002-2 | Chapter 13 Trustee Directed To Place All Funds<br>Designated for Certain Counsel into Account |
| (bb) | Administrative Order 2002-1 | Counsel Barred from Representing Any Parties  |
| (cc) | Administrative Order 2001-1 | Trustee's Release of Chapter 13 Case Data   |
| (dd) | Administrative Order 2000-1 | Change of Payee and Location on All Sources of<br>Chapter 13 Plan Payments                    |
| (ee) | Administrative Order 1999-5 | Transition in Pending Chapter 12 and 13 Cases   |
| (ff) | Administrative Order 1999-3 | Transition of Chapter 13 Cases  |
| (gg) | Administrative Order 1999-2 | Change of Payee on Income Attachment Orders   |
| (hh) | Administrative Order 1999-1 | Waiver of Signature on Certain Pleadings  |
| (ii) | General Order 2006-1        | Filing Fees as to All Clients Represented or<br>Formerly Represented by Certain Counsel       |
| (jj) | General Order 2003-6        | CM/ECF Training/Testing   |
| (kk) | General Order 2000-3        | Fed. R. Bankr. P. 9019 and Fed. R. Civ. P. 26   |
| (11) | General Order 2000-1        | Court Electronic Noticing Procedures  |
| (mm) | General Order 1999-2        | Student Practice  |
| (nn) | General Order 1992-4        | Local Bankruptcy Rule 1007.2c   |
| (00) | General Order 1991-3        | Zero Balance Statements, Cancelled Checks,<br>and Report for Bankruptcy Judges                |
| (pp) | General Order 1989-7        | Treasury Department Collateralization   |
| (qq) | General Order 1989-4        | Order to Employers Subject to Wage<br>Attachment  |
| (rr) | General Order 1987-3        | Affirmative Action Plan   |
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<u>/s/</u> Thomas P. Agresti, Chief Judge /s/ Judith K. Fitzgerald, Bankruptcy Judge

<u>/s/</u> Jeffery A. Deller, Bankruptcy Judge <u>/s/</u> Carlota M. Böhm, Bankruptcy Judge

/s/ Bernard Markovitz, Bankruptcy Judge