

Rule 1002-2 COMPLEX CHAPTER 11 CASES

(a) For purposes of Local Rules 1002-2 through 1002-10 (“the Complex Chapter 11 Case Rules”), a “Complex Chapter 11 Case” is defined as a case filed in the Court under Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code that requires special scheduling and other procedures due to a combination of factors, including, but not limited to, one or more of the following:

- (1) the need for expedited hearings for consideration of case management and administrative orders, the use of cash collateral, debtor in possession financing, retaining professionals on an interim basis, maintaining existing bookkeeping systems, paying employees’ wages and benefits, utility deposit orders for a limited period, and other matters vital to the survival of the business;
- (2) the size of the case;
- (3) the large number of parties in interest in the case;
- (4) the fact that claims against the debtor and/or equity interests in the debtor are publicly traded;
- (5) the need for special noticing and hearing procedures.

(b) In the event of any conflict between the Complex Chapter 11 Case Rules and another Local Rule, the Complex Chapter 11 Case Rules will prevail unless ordered otherwise by the Court.