PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT

United States Bankruptcy Court for the Western District of Pennsylvania

FILING AND SUBMISSION OF AUDIO AND VIDEO EVIDENTIARY MATERIALS

Audio and video files are increasingly being used at evidentiary hearings and trials held in the Court, and the inability of the Case Management/Electronic Case Files (CM/ECF) system to accept such files is problematic for the creation of an evidentiary record of a hearing or trial.

The United States Bankruptcy Court for the Western District of Pennsylvania issues <u>Standing Order 22-219</u> to address the use of audio and video files in documentary filings and at Court proceedings and the subsequent obligation of the offering party to retain such file in case it is ever needed for the creation of an evidentiary record.