

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

In re:	:	
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INCREASE TO TRANSCRIPT FEE RATES	:	Misc. Proc. No. 23-213
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STANDING ORDER

The Judicial Conference of the United States (the “Judicial Conference”) approved an increase to the maximum per page original and copy transcript fee rates, effective October 1, 2023. In addition, the Judicial Conference also approved changes to transcript category names. Each court must adopt a schedule of per page transcript fees, subject to the maximum rates established by the Judicial Conference.

AND NOW THEREFORE, this **21st** day of ***September 2023***, it is hereby ***ORDERED*** ***that effective October 1, 2023:***

1. The United States Bankruptcy Court for the Western District of Pennsylvania (the “Court”) has deemed the new schedule of fees approved by the Judicial Council as necessary and appropriate and will adopt the following rate increases for the delivery of transcripts (see Attachment A).
2. The Court will also revise its transcript category names to adopt those approved by the Judicial Conference.
3. This Order supersedes General Order 2007-4 attached hereto as Attachment B.
4. This Order shall remain in effect until further order of this Court.

Dated: September 21, 2023



GREGORY L. TADDONIO
CHIEF UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY JUDGE

ATTACHMENT A

Maximum Transcript Fee Rates - All Parties Per Page

	Original Rate	First Copy to Each Party	Each Add'l Copy to the Same Party
30-Day Transcript (Ordinary) A transcript to be delivered within thirty (30) calendar days after receipt of an order.	\$4.00	\$1.00	\$0.70
14-Day Transcript A transcript to be delivered within fourteen (14) calendar days after receipt of an order.	\$4.70	\$1.00	\$0.70
7-Day Transcript (Expedited) A transcript to be delivered within seven (7) calendar days after receipt of an order.	\$5.35	\$1.00	\$0.70
3-Day Transcript A transcript to be delivered within three (3) calendar days after receipt of an order.	\$6.00	\$1.20	\$0.85
Next-Day Transcript (Daily) A transcript to be delivered within 1 to 2 days after receipt of an order.	\$6.70	\$1.35	\$1.00

ATTACHMENT B

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

IN RE:

General Order #2007-4

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**Increase to Transcript Fee Rates
and a New 14-Day Transcript
Delivery Category**

ORDER

WHEREAS the Judicial Conference has approved a ten percent (10%) increase to the maximum original and copy transcript fee rates that may be charged for court transcripts, and

WHEREAS the Judicial Conference also approved a new rate for the delivery of transcripts within 14 days, and

WHEREAS this increase of the new schedule of fees has been deemed necessary and appropriate, and has been approved for the courts to adopt.

NOW THEREFORE, this 21st day of November, 2007, the attached rate increases are hereby approved by the U.S. Bankruptcy Court for the Western District of Pennsylvania and become effective. The rates are not retroactive.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Clerk shall give appropriate notice of this Order.

/s/

M. Bruce McCullough, Chief Judge

/s/

Judith K. Fitzgerald, Bankruptcy Judge

/s/

Thomas P. Agresti, Bankruptcy Judge

/s/

Jeffery A. Deller, Bankruptcy Judge

/s/

Warren W. Bentz, Bankruptcy Judge

/s/

Bernard Markovitz, Bankruptcy Judge

Maximum Transcript Fee Rates - All Parties Per Page

	Original	First Copy to Each Party	Each Add'l Copy to the Same Party
Ordinary Transcript (30-day) A transcript to be delivered within thirty (30) calendar days after receipt of an order.	\$3.65	\$.90	\$.60
14-Day Transcript A transcript to be delivered within fourteen (14) calendar days after receipt of an order.	\$4.25	\$.90	\$.60
Expedited Transcript (7-day) A transcript to be delivered within seven (7) calendar days after receipt of an order.	\$4.85	\$.90	\$.60
Daily Transcript A transcript to be delivered following adjournment and prior to the normal opening hour of the court on the following morning whether or not it actually is a court day.	\$6.05	\$1.20	\$.90
Hourly Transcript A transcript of proceedings ordered under unusual circumstances to be delivered within two (2) hours.	\$7.25	\$1.20	\$.90
Realtime Transcript A draft unedited transcript produced by a certified realtime reporter as a byproduct of realtime to be delivered electronically during proceedings or immediately following adjournment.	\$3.05	\$1.20	