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

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In re: AMENDMENT TO LOCAL BANKRUPTCY RULE 9010-1(b) EFFECTIVE MARCH 1, 2017

Misc. Proc. #17-201

STANDING ORDER

On March 1, 2017 the United States District Court for the Western District of Pennsylvania (the "District Court") changed its fee for *pro hac vice* admission to \$70 per admission. Accordingly, the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Western District of Pennsylvania (the "Bankruptcy Court") is hereby amending Local Bankruptcy Rule 9010-1(b), effective immediately.

AND NOW, this 1st day of March, 2017, it is hereby ORDERED that:

(1) Local Bankruptcy Rule 9010-1(b) is amended as follows:

No one, other than an attorney regularly admitted to practice in this (b) Court, shall appear in any proceeding except upon motion filed with the Clerk and order entered by the Court. Every motion to be admitted pro hac vice shall be signed and filed by an attorney admitted to practice in this District. The motion shall substantially conform to Local Bankruptcy Form 18 (Motion for Pro Hac Vice Admission). The party seeking pro hac vice admission shall pay, contemporaneously with filing the motion, a pro hac vice admission fee in the amount equal to the prevailing fee adopted by the United States District Court for the Western District of Pennsylvania. If a motion for pro hac vice is made orally in open Court, it shall be followed promptly by the filing of a written motion signed by local counsel and the applicant. The Court may require counsel to provide evidence of admission in another district. An attorney admitted *pro hac vice* and local counsel shall appear at Court hearings and be prepared to address all issues set for argument.

- (2) Local Bankruptcy Rule 9010-1(b), as amended pursuant to paragraph 1 of this Order, shall be effective immediately and supersedes all prior versions of this section of the Local Bankruptcy Rules.
- (3) In all other respects, the Court's Local Bankruptcy Rules remain in full force and effect until further order of Court.

JEFFERY **M. DELLER. CHIEF JUDGE**

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT