

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT MIDDLE DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE

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IN RE:

ORDER REGARDING ELECTRONIC FILING AND INTERMITTENT CONNECTIVITY ISSUES WITH CM/ECF (NEXTGEN PACER)

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER 24-1

Some Filers attempting to file electronically in CM/ECF (NextGen PACER) are encountering sporadic and intermittent connectivity issues. While the Court continues to address the root cause of the problem, and so as not to inconvenience electronic Filers, the Court has provided instructions on the local website (www.tnmb.uscourts.gov) utilizing an emergency email filing procedure.

A filing that utilizes the emergency filing procedures with the email address provided by the Court -- EmergencyFiling@tnmb.uscourts.gov -- is considered filed with the Clerk of Court when the email is successfully transmitted to the Clerk. The date and time shown on the e-mail received by the Clerk will be considered the date and time of filing for docketing documents in CM/ECF.

When an emergency email filing requires payment of a filing fee, a Filer or Movant/Plaintiff will have three business days to pay the required fee. In the absence of timely payment, ECF Procedure 4.7 will govern.

This order shall be in effect until such time as the connectivity issues are identified and addressed. When that occurs, information will be posted on the website indicating the emergency email procedure is no longer available.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: February 26, 2024

RANDAL S. MASHBURN CHIEF BANKRUPTCY JUDGE

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