

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA

In re: )  
)  
PROCEDURE FOR WAGE DEDUCTION )  
OR VOLUNTARY PAYMENTS IN ) Amended Standing Order 23-15  
CHAPTER 13 CASES, )  
)

ORDER AUTHORIZING CHAPTER 13 TRUSTEES TO SIGN DIRECTIVE FOR WAGE  
DEDUCTION OR DIRECTIVE FOR VOLUNTARY PAYMENTS

Section 1325(c) of the Bankruptcy Code allows the Court to direct any entity from whom a chapter 13 debtor receives income to direct payment of that income to the trustee in an amount sufficient to fund a plan.

It is therefore ORDERED that the chapter 13 trustees in this District are authorized to generate, sign in their name and serve upon any entity from whom the debtor receives income, or alternatively upon the debtor, a Directive for Wage Deduction or a Directive for Voluntary Payments. These Directives shall have the same force and effect as an Order of this Court.

**FOR THE COURT:**

/s/ Stephen C. St. John  
STEPHEN C. ST. JOHN  
Acting Chief United States Bankruptcy Judge

Dated: August 30, 2023