

**CHAMBERS' JOINT STATEMENT
ON SECTION 362(C) MOTIONS TO EXTEND, OR
TO IMPOSE, THE AUTOMATIC STAY – ALEXANDRIA ONLY**

Chief Judge Kenney and Judge Kindred wish to announce that they will no longer require Debtors to appear in person on Section 362(c)(3) and (4) Motions to extend, or to impose, the automatic stay, if an Affidavit or a Declaration is filed with the Motion and the Debtor is represented by counsel. Pro se parties must appear in person. Debtor's counsel must appear at the hearing. In the discretion of the presiding Judge, the Court may either grant the Motion or enter a Bridge Order and require a personal appearance by the Debtor at a later hearing date. This policy will be effective immediately.