

**UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA**

PUBLIC NOTICE

**IMPENDING AMENDED AND NEW ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE DIRECTOR'S PROCEDURAL
FORMS AND AMENDED AND NEW BANKRUPTCY OFFICIAL FORMS**

Seven bankruptcy official forms have been proposed for amendment by the Advisory Committee on Bankruptcy Rules of the Judicial Conference of the United States (Judicial Conference) in addition to one new official form. The Judicial Conference must approve the form amendments and new form. The forms have been made available, however, to give the courts, the bar, forms publishers, and software vendors additional time to implement the amendments. October 1, 2006, is the scheduled effective date for the form amendments (1, 5, 6, 9, 22A, 22C and 23) and new form (1, Exhibit D). The proposed amendments implement the statistical reporting requirements of the 2005 Bankruptcy Act that take effect October 17, 2006. Other conforming changes to the forms, both substantive and stylistic, are made as well.

AO Director's Procedural Forms B240 (Reaffirmation Agreement), B271 (Final Decree) and B281 (Appearance of Child Support Creditor or Representative) are being amended and Form B202 (Statement of Military Service) is new. The amendments to the noted forms and new form will take effect August 1, 2006.

The following hyperlink to the judiciary's Internet web site provides access to the Official and Director's forms under the heading: Bankruptcy Forms Pending Final Action: <http://www.uscourts.gov/bankform/index.html>.

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