

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

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

**SCHEDULED UPGRADE TO BANKRUPTCY CASE MANAGEMENT/CASE FILES  
SYSTEM UPGRADE TO RELEASE 5.3**

The Court is preparing to implement an upgrade to Bankruptcy Case Management/Electronic Case Files (CM/ECF) System Release 5.3. In preparation for this upgrade, it will be necessary to take the current version of the Bankruptcy CM/ECF System off-line, as follows:

1. Saturday, January 11, 2020, from approximately 7:00 am to 7:00 pm, for preliminary work prior to upgrade implementation.
2. Friday, January 24, 2020, from approximately 5:00 pm, until Monday, January 27, 2020, at 8:30 am, for upgrade implementation.

On both of the above noted time frames, please check periodically for restored access to the Bankruptcy CM/ECF System.

The new release of Bankruptcy CM/ECF Release 5.3 contains a replacement interface to Pay.gov. The replacement interface has been provided to ensure that courts retain the ability to collect fees via CM/ECF when the U.S. Treasury and Pay.gov retire the existing Open Collections Interactive (OCI) Interface in December 2020. The U.S. Treasury Department is monitoring to ensure courts migrate to the new interface prior to the December 2020 deadline. This upgrade will be transparent to all Bankruptcy CM/ECF users.

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Clerk of Court

Date: January 8, 2020