

NOTICE

Effective January 1, 2003, the Bankruptcy Court for the Northern District of Ohio will expand the electronic case filing system (ECF) to add Chapter 7 cases and the filing of Claims. This will be in addition to the current ability to file both Chapter 11 and 13 cases. This applies to both pending and new cases. This system enables bankruptcy attorneys to submit electronic images of pleadings and new cases in lieu of paper filing. All registered attorneys will be contacted to arrange for training as needed and to assign access to the ECF system. Attorneys interested in participating in the ECF system can find the registration forms and instructions on the Court's web site at www.ohnb.uscourts.gov.

All documents filed conventionally (in paper form) in all cases after January 1, 2003, will be imaged and made available on Web PACER and in the CM/ECF system.

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