Application for Review of Fee Agreement

On September 8, 2022, the Court entered a Second Amended En Banc Order in re: Post-Petition Attorney's Fee Arrangements in Chapter 7 Cases. The order specifies when a chapter 7 attorney must file an Application for Review of Fee Arrangement. Once the Application is filed, the judge assigned to the case will determine if the Application will be granted, denied, or set for hearing. If an objection is filed, the debtor's attorney is responsible for noticing out the application for hearing.

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Application docketing procedure

| 1. | Here is the text-only notice that will appear in the case when section 1 of the form indicates that post-petition fees are due and section 3 of the form indicates that the debtor is the source of compensation. Docket an Application for Review of Fee Agreement within 14 days of the date the petition was filed. Please note it is not necessary to provide a copy of any agreement with a third-party to pay the post-petition attorney's fees; the court will accept the attorney's statement of such an | The disclosure of compensation of attorney for debtor (Local Form 1007-1) submitted identifies in part 1 that there is an unpaid balance due post-petition and identifies in part 3 that the debtor is the source of compensation. To comply with the second amended en banc order issued September 8, 2022, an application for certain attorney fee arrangements must be filed within 14 days after the petition is filed. See <u>www.mnb.uscourts.gov/filing-overview</u> for filing guidance. (KRG) (Entered: 08/23/2023) | |
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| | arrangement on LF 1007-1. | | |
| 2. | CM/ECF > Bankruptcy | | |

| | Post-Petition Events > Applications | Post Petition Events Add creditor to matrix Appeals Applications Conversions Debtor Certifications Motions Motions (Chapter 11 First) Day Only) Notices Other Case Events |
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| | Select Application for Review of Fee Agreement Click Next. | Available Events (click to select events) Application for Admission Pro Hac Vice Application for Compensation Application for Compensation Application for Default Judgment Application for Payment of Unclaimed Eunds Application for Payment of Unclaimed Eunds Application for Payment of Unclaimed Eunds Application for Reverse of Fee Agreement Application to Dismiss Case Application to Reopen Chapter 11 Case Application to Reopen Chapter 12 Case Application to Reopen Chapter 15 Case Application to Reopen Chapter 7 Case Application to Reopen Chapter 9 Case Application to Waive Fee Postconfirmation Simplified Application for Compensation in |
| 5. | Make appropriate selection. Click Next. | Please indicate the type of application you are filing: Initial Amended Expedited Next Clear Repeat the "Application for Review of Fee Agreement" event. |
| 6. | Select Party Click Next. | Select the Party: CASE, TESTING A [Debtor 1] Case, Testing II B [Debtor 2] (T) indicates a terminated party Next Clear |

| 7. | Select file. Add attachments in accordance with clerk's office filing preference. Information can be found <u>here</u> . Click Next. | Application for Review of Fee Agreement - KRG (crt) - Inside Date filed B/20/2023 Filename Browse No file selected. Attachments to Document: No Yes Next Clear Repeat the "Application for Review of Fee Agreement" event. |
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| 8. | Verify docket text. Click Next to docket application. | Application for Review of Fee Agreement - KRG (crt) - Inside Application for Review of Fee Agreement (KRG) Next |
| 9. | The Judge assigned to the case will determine if the Application will be granted, denied, or set for hearing. If a party in interest objects, the debtor's attorney must contact the judge's courtroom deputy to schedule a hearing and give notice of such hearing to the chapter 7 trustee and the U.S. Trustee. | |

Notice of Hearing on Certain Attorney Fee Arrangements

| 1. | If an objection is filed to the Application for Review of Fee Agreement, contact the courtroom deputy for the judge assigned to the case to obtain a date/time to notice the application for hearing. | |
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| 2. | CM/ECF > Bankruptcy | |
| 3. | Post-Petition Events > Notices | Post Petition Events Add creditor to matrix Appeals Applications Conversions Debtor Certifications Motions Motions (Chapter 11 First Day Only) Notices Other Case Events |
| 4. | Select Notice of hearing on certain attorney fee arrangements. It is important that attorneys use this specific event to link to the originally filed application. Click Next. | Available Events (click to select events) Notice of commencement or cnapter 15 case Notice of continued hearing Notice of foreign representatives intent to communicate with foreign court/foreign representatives Notice of foreign representatives intent to commence case Notice of hearing continued indefinitely Notice of intent to communicate with foreign court/foreign representatives intent to commune case Notice of intent of communicate with foreign court/foreign representative Notice of intent to communicate with foreign court/foreign representative Notice of intention of clerk to communicate Notice of notes (communicate with foreign court/foreign representative Notice of intention of clerk to communicate Notice of notesk expedited hearing (Ch 11 only) Notice of preferred address 342(e) Notice of preferred address 342(e) Notice of recognition of foreign proceeding Notice of appearance Withdrawal of notice of appearance Next Clear |
| 5. | Indicate whether a proof of service is included in the filing. Click Next. | Notice of hearing on certain attorney fee arrangements - KRG (crt) - Inside Checking the boxes indicates which items are included in this filing. • Notice of hearing • Proof of Service (if required by Local Rule 9036-1(a) for non-filing users) Next Clear |

| 6. | Select the hearing from the dropdown menu. The date and time should match the date and time provided to the attorney from the courtroom deputy, and that of which is entered on the notice document. Click Next. | Hearing Information n order to enter a hearing date/time/location, you must obtain prior approval from the presiding judge. Con Chambers of Judge Ridgway. Please select from the following hearings learing Date: Hearing Date: Hearing Time: Hearing Ridgway, Michael E |
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| 7. | Link to the Application for Review of Fee Agreement. Click Next. | 08/22/2023 <u>16</u> Application for Review of Fee Agreement (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Exhibit(s) A # <u>2</u> Exhibit Next Clear Repeat the "Notice of hearing on certain attorney fee arrangem |
| 8. | Verify docket text. Click Next to docket. | |