

## Changes to Bankruptcy Court Miscellaneous Fee Schedule effective November 1, 2011

At its September 2011 session, the Judicial Conference approved changes to the miscellaneous fee schedules for the courts of appeals, district courts, bankruptcy courts, the Court of Federal Claims, and the Judicial Panel on Multidistrict Litigation, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 1913, 1914, 1930, 1926, and 1932, respectively.

The changes to the Bankruptcy Court Miscellaneous Fee Schedule are noted below and will become **effective November 1, 2011**:

### Bankruptcy Court Miscellaneous Fee Schedule (28 U.S.C. § 1930)

	<u>Current Fee</u>	<u>Approved New Fee</u>
Item No. 2: Certification/ Exemplification	\$ 9.00 \$18.00	\$11.00 \$21.00
Item No. 3: Audio Recording	\$26.00	\$30.00
Item No. 4: Amended Bankruptcy Schedules	\$26.00	\$30.00
Item No. 5: Record Search	\$26.00	\$30.00
Item No. 6: Adversary Proceeding Fee	\$250.00	\$293.00
Item No. 7: Document Filing/Indexing	\$39.00	\$46.00
Item No. 8: Title 11 Administrative Fee**	\$39.00	\$46.00**
Item No. 12: Record Retrieval Fee	\$45.00	\$53.00
Item No. 13: Returned Check Fee	\$45.00	\$53.00
Item No. 14: Notice of Appeal Fee/ Direct Appeal Fee	\$250.00 \$200.00	\$293.00 \$157.00*
Item No. 19: Motions to compel abandonment, for withdrawal of reference and to lift the automatic stay	\$150.00	\$176.00

\* The approved increase in the notice of appeal fee necessitates that the supplemental direct appeal fee be reduced to ensure that the total fee for filing a direct appeal does

not exceed the established appellate filing fee of \$450.

**\*\*This fee, along with the statutory filing fees for each chapter set out at 28 U.S.C. § 1930, is due at filing; accordingly, the total amount due at filing for all chapters will increase by \$7.00. Therefore, the filing fees as of November 1, 2011 for petitions will be as follows:**

Chapter 7	\$ 306.00
Chapter 9	\$ 1046.00
Chapter 11	\$ 1046.00
Chapter 12	\$ 246.00
Chapter 13	\$ 281.00
Chapter 15	\$ 1046.00

In addition, this additional \$7.00 fee will apply to all motions to sever joint cases.