

## UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT WESTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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## NOTICE OF AMENDMENTS TO FEDERAL RULES OF BANKRUPTCY PROCEDURE AND TO OFFICIAL BANKRUPTCY FORMS, EFFECTIVE DECEMBER 1, 2017

Notice No. 17-03

## A. AMENDMENTS TO FEDERAL RULES OF BANKRUPTCY PROCEDURE

Amendments to the following Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure ("Bankruptcy Rules") are effective December 1, 2017: 1001, 1006, 1015, 2002, 3002, 3007, 3012, 3015, 4003, 5009, 7001, and 9009, along with new Rule 3015.1.

## B. CHANGES TO OFFICIAL BANKRUPTCY FORMS

Please note the following changes to the official Bankruptcy Forms effective December 1, 2017:

- Official Form 101 is being amended.
- Official Forms 425A, 425B, 425C and 426 have been revised and renumbered as part of the Forms Modernization Project, replacing forms 25A, 25B, 25C and 26.
- Several Meeting of Creditors forms are being amended: 309F, 309G, 309H and 309I.
- New Official Form 113, Chapter 13 Plan, is effective on December 1, 2017. Please see Notice No. 17-02 for further information regarding use of the Chapter 13 Plan in this District.

Additional information regarding these amendments may be found at <a href="www.uscourts.gov">www.uscourts.gov</a>. This notice is for informational purposes only. You should refer to the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure, Official Forms, and official comments for complete information and guidance.

Please check with your bankruptcy software provider for updates related to the December 1 changes.

Dated: November 21, 2017

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