




**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, 2018**

Notice No. 18-02

A. AMENDMENTS TO FEDERAL RULES OF BANKRUPTCY PROCEDURE

Amendments to the following Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure are effective December 1, 2018: 3002.1, 5005, 7004, 7062, 8002, 8006, 8007, 8010, 8011, 8013, 8015, 8016, 8017, 8021, 8022, and 9025, along with new Rule 8018.1 and new Part VIII Appendix.

Please note that there will also be a new motion event for use based on the amendment to Rule 3002.1: *Motion to Determine Validity of Payment Changes*.

B. CHANGES TO OFFICIAL BANKRUPTCY FORMS

Please note the following changes to the official Bankruptcy Forms effective December 1, 2018:

- New Official Form 411A, which replaces Director's Bankruptcy Form 4011A.
- New Official Form 411B, which replaces Director's Bankruptcy Form 4011B.
- New Official Form 4170.
- Amendments to Forms 2000 and Form 3180W.

Additional information regarding these amendments may be found at www.uscourts.gov. 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.

Dated: November 14, 2018

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Clerk of Court