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PUBLIC NOTICE

CM/ECF System Unavailability & Release 3.0 Changes

The CM/ECF System will be unavailable from 9:00 a.m. Saturday, May 13, 2006 through 9:00 p.m. Sunday, May 14, 2006 to perform system maintenance and upgrade the CM/ECF software to Release 3.0.

A detailed summary of the changes for attorney and other external filers is available on the Court's website at: http://www.moeb.uscourts.gov/cmecf/docs/admin_proc5_2006.pdf. This summary should be shared with those who assist e-filers in their office. The most significant changes the external filer will see in Release 3.0 are:

CM/ECF Passwords *

* Release 3.0 does not recognize CM/ECF passwords which include a tilde (~). Attempting to use a password containing a tilde will result in a message of "invalid login." The summary provides instructions how to modify the password (see above link).

Claims

- * *Claim Numbers* will now include extensions, to better reference amended claims. For example, the first claim filed in a case will appear as Claim 1-1. The second claim will be Claim 2-1, etc. When claim 1 is amended, the amended claim will appear as Claim 1-2.
- * A *Claims History* section will be added to the claims register to show any events related to the claim and the history of claim amendments.
- * The *Claims Register* will be available through the *Query* Button.
- * *Transfer of Claims* is improved to automatically update the transferee as the claimant.

Adding Creditors

- * A *Common Creditor* feature is added to allow certain common creditors to be easily added to a case;
- * *Creditor Maintenance* will allow filers to insert up to 10 creditors at one time by typing the creditor information or by copying and pasting it from another document.

Reports

* Filers will have access to a *Docket Activity Report* and a new *Written Opinions Report*.

Docketing Screens

* Enhanced case information will display on docketing screens. The docket text for certain events has been updated, and *Multi-part Motions* are described in docket text in the order selected by the filer.

Opening Cases

* Case Upload has become a national program. The debtor's party Role Type will be predefined, so the filer no longer has to select the role type when filing a new case.

Compatibility

* Release 3 works with **Netscape 7.2 and Internet Explorer 6.**

Questions regarding Release 3.0 should be directed to the CM/ECF Help Desk at 1-866-803-9517.

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