UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT WESTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS

PUBLIC NOTICE FEE CHANGE Effective April 9, 2006

Notice is given that the President signed the Deficit Reduction Act of 2005 (Pub. L. No. 109-17) on February 8, 2006. The Act increases the following bankruptcy filing fees effective **Sunday, April 9, 2006.**

Chapter 7 filing fee increases to \$299

Chapter 13 filing fee increase to \$274

Fee for Converting to a Chapter 11

Although not mentioned in the Act, the increases to the chapter 7 and chapter 13 mandated by the Deficit Reduction Act will impact the fee to convert a chapter 7 or chapter 13 to a chapter 11 case, as prescribed by 28 U.S.C. Section 1930(a). As a result:

Motion to Convert 7 to Chapter 11: \$755 Motion to Convert 13 to Chapter 11: \$765