

**NOTICE OF CREDIT COUNSELING AND  
DEBTOR EDUCATION WAIVER DECISIONS**

**I. EASTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA**

Pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 109(h)(2), R. Michael Bolen, U. S. Trustee for Region 5, has determined that approved nonprofit budget and credit counseling agencies for the Eastern District of Louisiana are not reasonably able to provide adequate services to the additional individuals who would otherwise seek credit counseling from such agencies as required by 11 U.S.C. § 109(h)(1). This determination continues the extant waiver through September 30, 2008, unless he reviews and modifies that determination earlier.

Further, pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 727(a)(11) and 11 U.S.C. § 1328(g)(2), R. Michael Bolen, U. S. Trustee for Region 5, has determined that approved instructional courses concerning personal financial management for the Eastern District of Louisiana are not adequate to service the additional individuals who would otherwise be required to complete such instructional courses. This determination continues the extant waiver through September 30, 2008, unless he reviews and modifies that determination earlier.

**II. MIDDLE AND WESTERN DISTRICTS OF LOUISIANA AND SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF MISSISSIPPI**

Pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 109(h)(2), R. Michael Bolen, U. S. Trustee for Region 5, has determined that approved nonprofit budget and credit counseling agencies for the Middle and Western Districts of Louisiana and the Southern District of Mississippi are reasonably able to provide adequate services to the additional individuals who seek credit counseling services as required by 11 U.S.C. § 109(h)(1). This determination shall take effect on March 10, 2008, and shall apply to all cases filed on or after that date.

Further, pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 727(a)(11) and 11 U.S.C. § 1328(g)(2), R. Michael Bolen, U. S. Trustee for Region 5, has determined that approved instructional courses concerning personal financial management for the Middle and Western Districts of Louisiana and the Southern District of Mississippi are adequate to service the additional individuals who file for bankruptcy relief and are required to complete such instructional courses. This determination shall take effect on March 10, 2008, and shall apply to all cases filed on or after that date.