

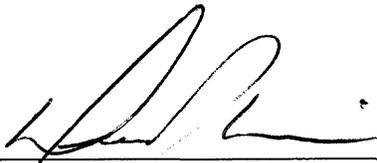
**IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF MARYLAND**

**ORDER IMPLEMENTING LOCAL BANKRUPTCY RULES  
OF THE  
UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF MARYLAND**

**WHEREAS**, the implementation of the Bankruptcy Abuse Prevention and Consumer Protection Act and other extensive changes in the practice of bankruptcy law have rendered it necessary to revise the existing Local Bankruptcy Rules that govern proceedings filed in this Court; and

**WHEREAS**, committees of the Bench and Bar of this Court have recommended that the Local Bankruptcy Rules of this Court be revised and adopted as herein ordered;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, it is hereby ORDERED, this 27<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2007, by the United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Maryland, that effective the 1<sup>st</sup> day of May, 2007, the following Local Bankruptcy Rules shall be effective as to all proceedings pending in this Court on that date insofar as is just and practicable, and shall govern all proceedings in bankruptcy cases thereafter commenced in this Court. These Rules supplement the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure in effect May 1, 2007, and shall be cited as "MD LOCAL BANKRUPTCY RULES."



DUNCAN W. KEIR  
Chief Judge



PAUL MANNES  
Judge



JAMES F. SCHNEIDER  
Judge



NANCY V. ALQUIST  
Judge



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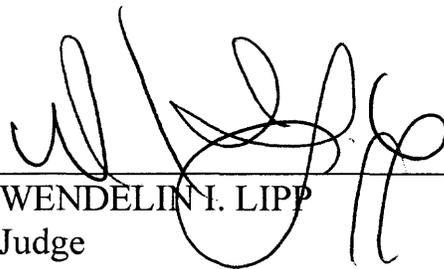
Judge



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ROBERT A. GORDON

Judge



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WENDELIN I. LIPP

Judge