

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS

DEC 22 2006

Michael N. Milby, Clerk
By Deputy Clerk *R. Hawkins*

RE: IN THE MATTER OF §
THE DIVISION OF WORK § GENERAL ORDER NO. 2006-5
CALENDAR YEAR 2007 §

WORK ORDER

Under 28 U.S.C. § 154, the judges are assigned these matters, effective January 1, 2007.

1. Judge Letitia Z. Clark
 - a. Retention of all bankruptcy cases and adversary proceedings presently on Judge Clark's docket.
 - b. 16.5% of all Chapter 7 bankruptcy cases filed in the Houston Division.
 - c. 12.07% of all Chapter 13 bankruptcy cases filed in the Houston Division.
 - d. 15% of all Chapter 11 bankruptcy cases filed in the Houston Division, except Chapter 11 cases assigned by virtue of the Complex Chapter 11 Case procedure.
 - e. 20% of all Complex Chapter 11 bankruptcy cases filed in the Houston Division.
 - f. 20% of all Chapter 15 bankruptcy cases filed in the Houston Division.
 - g. 100% of all bankruptcy cases, including Complex Chapter 11 cases filed in the Galveston Division in which the residence or principal place of business of the debtor is in Brazoria, Chambers, Galveston or Matagorda Counties. Cases filed in a manner inconsistent with this provision shall be transferred by the clerk to the division in which the residence or principal place of business of the debtor is situated, and randomly reassigned to a judge within that division consistent with the other provisions of this Order.
 - h. 100% of all bankruptcy adversary proceedings arising under or related to bankruptcy cases assigned to Judge Clark.
 - i. Liaison for United States Trustee.

2. Judge Richard S. Schmidt
 - a. Retention of all bankruptcy cases in the Brownsville, Corpus Christi and McAllen Divisions, and all adversary proceedings in the Corpus Christi Division presently on Judge Schmidt's docket.
 - b. 100% of all bankruptcy cases filed in the Brownsville, Corpus Christi and McAllen Divisions of this district.
 - c. 100% of all bankruptcy adversary proceedings filed in the Corpus Christi Division.
3. Chief Judge Karen K. Brown
 - a. All statutory duties of chief judge for the district.
 - b. Retention of all bankruptcy cases and adversary proceedings presently on Judge Brown's docket.
 - c. 16.5% of all Chapter 7 bankruptcy cases filed in the Houston Division.
 - d. 29.25% of all Chapter 13 bankruptcy cases filed in the Houston Division.
 - e. 25% of all Chapter 11 bankruptcy cases filed in the Houston Division, except Chapter 11 cases assigned by virtue of the Complex Chapter 11 Case procedure.
 - f. 20% of all Complex Chapter 11 bankruptcy cases filed in the Houston Division.
 - g. 20% of all Chapter 15 bankruptcy cases filed in the Houston Division.
 - h. 100% of all bankruptcy adversary proceedings arising under or related to bankruptcy cases assigned to Judge Brown.
4. Judge Wesley W. Steen
 - a. Retention of all bankruptcy cases and adversary proceedings presently on Judge Steen's docket.
 - b. 34% of all Chapter 7 bankruptcy cases filed in the Houston Division.
 - c. 10% of all Chapter 11 bankruptcy cases filed in the Houston Division, except Chapter 11 cases assigned by virtue of the Complex Chapter 11 Case procedure.
 - d. 20% of all Complex Chapter 11 bankruptcy cases filed in the Houston Division.
 - e. 20% of all Chapter 15 bankruptcy cases filed in the Houston Division.

- f. 100% of all bankruptcy cases filed in the Laredo and Victoria Divisions.
 - g. 100% of all bankruptcy adversary proceedings arising under or related to bankruptcy cases assigned to Judge Steen.
5. Judge Marvin Isgur
- a. Retention of all bankruptcy cases and adversary proceedings presently on Judge Isgur's docket.
 - b. 16.5% of all Chapter 7 bankruptcy cases filed in the Houston Division.
 - c. 29.44% of all Chapter 13 bankruptcy cases filed in the Houston Division.
 - d. 25% of all Chapter 11 bankruptcy cases filed in the Houston Division, except Chapter 11 cases assigned by virtue of the Complex Chapter 11 Case procedure.
 - e. 20% of all Complex 11 cases filed in the Houston Division.
 - f. 20% of all Chapter 15 cases filed in the Houston Division.
 - g. 100% of all Chapter 12 bankruptcy cases filed in the Houston and Galveston Divisions.
 - h. 100% of bankruptcy adversary proceedings arising under or related to bankruptcy cases assigned to Judge Isgur.
 - i. All adversary proceedings arising under or related to bankruptcy cases filed in Brownsville and McAllen Divisions.
6. Judge Jeff Bohm
- a. Retention of all bankruptcy cases and adversary proceedings presently on Judge Bohm's docket.
 - b. 16.5% of all Chapter 7 bankruptcy cases filed in the Houston Division.
 - c. 29.25% of all Chapter 13 bankruptcy cases filed in the Houston Division.
 - d. 25% of all Chapter 11 bankruptcy cases filed in the Houston Division, except Chapter 11 cases assigned by virtue of the Complex Chapter 11 Case procedure.
 - e. 20% of all Complex Chapter 11 bankruptcy cases filed in the Houston Division.
 - f. 20% of all Chapter 15 bankruptcy cases filed in the Houston Division.

- g. 100% of all bankruptcy adversary proceedings arising under or related to bankruptcy cases assigned to the visiting judge.
7. All Judges
- a. On motion of a party in interest or on its own motion, the judge may transfer a case, an adversary proceeding, or a contested proceeding to another judge in this district. Any recusals will be randomly assigned to another judge within that division.
 - b. Applications for temporary restraining orders, preliminary injunctions, and similar emergency matters will be considered by the judge to whom the bankruptcy case is assigned. If that judge is not available and the emergency requires prompt action, the matter will be referred to any available bankruptcy judge.
 - c. These arrangements do not deprive a bankruptcy judge of jurisdiction of any case, proceeding, or matter, but they are made to expedite the disposition of cases. A bankruptcy judge may try cases and handle other matters for another bankruptcy judge by agreement of the judges.
8. The allocation of cases may be reconsidered at any time and shall be reconsidered for calendar year 2008.

Signed at Houston, Texas this 22nd day of Dec., 2006.



Honorable Karen K. Brown
Chief Bankruptcy Judge