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UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS

David J. Bradley, Clerk of Court

By Deputy Clerk *Alan Bradley*

Re: 2012 WORK ORDER §
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WORK ORDER

Under 28 U.S.C. § 154, the judges are assigned these matters, effective January 26, 2012.

1. Judge Letitia Z. Paul.

- a. Retention of all bankruptcy cases and adversary proceedings presently on Judge Paul's docket.
- b. 20% of all Chapter 7 bankruptcy cases filed in the Houston Division.
- c. 14% 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. 0% of chapter 13 cases filed in the Houston Division until such time as Judge Jones has 3,100 Chapter 13 cases pending in the Houston Division. Thereafter, 16% of all Chapter 13 bankruptcy cases filed in the Houston Division.
- f. 20% of all Chapter 15 bankruptcy cases filed in the Houston Division.
- g. 100% of all adversary proceedings filed in the Houston Division that arise under or relate to bankruptcy cases assigned to Judge Paul.
- h. 20% of all adversary proceedings filed in the Houston Division that do not arise under or relate to any case pending in the Houston Division.
- i. 100% of all bankruptcy cases and adversary proceedings, 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.

2. Judge Richard S. Schmidt

- a. Retention of all bankruptcy cases and adversary proceedings presently on Judge Schmidt's docket.
- b. 100% of all bankruptcy cases filed in the Brownsville, Corpus Christi and McAllen Divisions.
- c. 100% of all adversary proceedings filed in the Corpus Christi Division.

3. Judge Karen K. Brown

- a. Retention of all bankruptcy cases and adversary proceedings presently on Judge Brown's docket.
- b. 20% of all Chapter 7 bankruptcy cases filed in the Houston Division.
- c. 21.5% 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. 0% of chapter 13 cases filed in the Houston Division until such time as Judge Jones has 3,100 Chapter 13 cases pending in the Houston Division. Thereafter, 21% of all Chapter 13 bankruptcy cases filed in the Houston Division.
- f. 20% of all Chapter 15 bankruptcy cases filed in the Houston Division.
- g. 100% of all adversary proceedings filed in the Houston Division that arise under or relate to bankruptcy cases assigned to Judge Brown.
- h. 20% of all adversary proceedings filed in the Houston Division that do not arise under or relate to any case pending in the Houston Division.

4. Chief Judge Marvin Isgur

- a. Retention of all bankruptcy cases and adversary proceedings presently on Judge Isgur's docket.
- b. 20% of all Chapter 7 bankruptcy cases filed in the Houston Division.
- c. 21.5% 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 11 cases filed in the Houston Division.

- e. 0% of chapter 13 cases filed in the Houston Division until such time as Judge Jones has 3,100 Chapter 13 cases pending in the Houston Division. Thereafter, 21% of all Chapter 13 bankruptcy 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 Division.
- h. 100% of all adversary proceedings filed in the Houston Division that arise under or relate to bankruptcy cases assigned to Judge Isgur.
- i. 100% of all adversary proceedings filed in the Brownsville and McAllen Divisions.
- j. 20% of all adversary proceedings filed in the Houston Division that do not arise under or relate to any case pending in the Houston Division.
- k. All statutory duties of chief judge for the district.

5. Judge Jeff Bohm

- a. Retention of all bankruptcy cases and adversary proceedings presently on Judge Bohm's docket.
- b. 20% of all Chapter 7 bankruptcy cases filed in the Houston Division.
- c. 21.5% 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. 0% of chapter 13 cases filed in the Houston Division until such time as Judge Jones has 3,100 Chapter 13 cases pending in the Houston Division. Thereafter, 21% of all Chapter 13 bankruptcy cases filed in the Houston Division.
- f. 20% of all Chapter 15 bankruptcy cases filed in the Houston Division.
- g. 100% of all adversary proceedings filed in the Houston Division that arise under or relate to bankruptcy cases assigned to Judge Bohm.
- h. 20% of all adversary proceedings filed in the Houston Division that do not arise under or relate to any case pending in the Houston Division.

6. Judge David Jones

- a. Retention of all bankruptcy cases and adversary proceedings presently on Judge Jones's docket.
- b. 20% of all Chapter 7 bankruptcy cases filed in the Houston Division.
- c. 20% of all Complex Chapter 11 bankruptcy cases filed in the Houston Division.
- d. 21.5% 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. 100% of chapter 13 cases filed in the Houston Division until such time as Judge Jones has 3,100 Chapter 13 cases pending in the Houston Division. Thereafter, 21% of all Chapter 13 bankruptcy cases filed in the Houston Division.
- f. 20% of all Chapter 15 bankruptcy cases filed in the Houston Division.
- g. 100% of all adversary proceedings filed in the Houston Division that arise under or relate to bankruptcy cases assigned to Judge Jones.
- h. 100% of all bankruptcy cases and adversary proceedings filed in the Laredo Division.
- i. 100% of all bankruptcy cases and adversary proceedings filed in the Victoria Division.
- j. 20% of all adversary proceedings filed in the Houston Division that do not arise under or relate to any case pending in the Houston Division.

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 may be considered by 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.

January 26, 2012.



Marvin Isgur
Chief Bankruptcy Judge