UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT District of New Jersey

## NOTICE TO THE BAR

On August 15, 2003, the President signed H.R. 2465 (Public Law 108-73), an act retroactively extending chapter 12 of the Unites States Bankruptcy Code for six months beginning July 1, and ending January 1, 2004. Thus, effective immediately new chapter 12 cases will be accepted for filing through the close of business on January 1, 2004. The fee due upon the filing of a case under chapter 12 is \$230.<sup>1</sup> In addition, cases previously filed under other chapters during the period of July 1, 2003 through August 15, 2003 can be converted to Chapter 12.

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<sup>1</sup> This amount includes the statutory filing fee of \$200 and the \$30 miscellaneous administrative fee more fully described in Item 8 of the Bankruptcy Court Miscellaneous Fee Schedule.