UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY James J. Waldron, Clerk

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THIS NOTICE IS INTENDED TO ALERT NEW JERSEY CM/ECF USERS OF NEW DEVELOPMENTS AND HIGHLIGHT ISSUES THAT REQUIRE IMMEDIATE ATTENTION.

INCREASE TO TRANSCRIPT FEE RATES AND NEW TRANSCRIPT DELIVERY CATEGORY

The *Judicial Conference of the United States Courts* approved an increase of 10% to the maximum original and copy transcript fee rates. A new 14 day delivery option was also approved. Transcripts ordered prior to November 1, 2007 should be billed at the rates in effect at the time the transcript order was placed. The new rates are reflected below:

Ordinary Transcript (30 day delivery): \$3.65 per page / First Copy \$.90 / Add'1 Copy \$.60

NEW 14-Day Transcript: \$4.25 per page / First Copy \$.90 / Add'1 Copy \$.60

Expedited Transcript (7 day): \$4.85 per page / First Copy \$.90 / Add'1 Copy \$.60

Daily Transcript: \$6.05 per page / First Copy \$1.20 / Add'1 Copy \$.90

Hourly Transcript: \$7.25 per page / First Copy \$1.20 / Add'1 Copy \$.90

Realtime Transcript: \$3.05 per page / First Copy \$1.20

Please be aware of the Notice to the Bar re: Electronic Public Access Fee Schedule Change posted on our website on October 4, 2007.

The fee schedule was amended to include court-appointed *pro bono* attorneys among those individuals who may, upon a showing of cause, be exempted from electronic public access fees when acting in the matter to which they were appointed. Click here to view the notice.

CM/ECF VERSION 3.1.6

Our court is currently testing Version 3.1.6 and anticipates a live date on or about December 1, 2007. The Administrative Office of the U.S. Courts has posted the *Release Notes* on the <u>Pacer Service Center's website</u>. The *Release Notes* discuss the changes e:filers may see when a court upgrades to Version 3.1.6. After our testing period, this court will provide guidance on the specific changes you will see in the District of New Jersey.