

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA**

NOTICE

On February 8, 2021, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2071(b), Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 83, and Federal Rule of Bankruptcy Procedure 9029(a), the judges of the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania, having determined that there is a need to amend the Local Bankruptcy Rules and the Local Bankruptcy Forms, approved a Resolution authorizing commencement of the public notice and comment process for proposed amendments to the Local Bankruptcy Rules and the Local Bankruptcy Forms. A summary of the proposed amendments is available on the U.S. District Court's website, www.paed.uscourts.gov, and on the U.S. Bankruptcy Court's website, www.paeb.uscourts.gov.

The United States Bankruptcy Court for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania has requested amendments to five Local Bankruptcy Rules and three Local Bankruptcy Forms, as described in the attached Summary of Proposed Local Bankruptcy Rules and Forms Published for Comment. The proposed Local Bankruptcy Rules amendments are to Rules 2016-3, 9019-3, 4004-3, 9014-2, and 9014-3. The proposed Local Bankruptcy Forms amendments are to Forms 3015.1, 9019-3A, and 9019-3B and accommodate the changes to Rules 2016-3 and 9019-3. The adoption of these amendments would not change the conformance of the Local Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure and the Local Bankruptcy Forms with the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure.

Those wishing to offer comments on these amendments may do so by submitting said comments to the attention of Kate Barkman, Clerk of Court, United States Courthouse, 601 Market St., Room 2609, Philadelphia, PA, 19106, or by emailing kate_barkman@paed.uscourts.gov,

before the close of business on April 23, 2021. Copies of the proposed amendments to the Local Bankruptcy Rules and Local Bankruptcy Forms may be viewed by visiting the U.S. District Court's website, www.paed.uscourts.gov, or the U.S. Bankruptcy Court's website, www.paeb.uscourts.gov.

Juan R. Sánchez

Chief Judge

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IN RE: LOCAL RULES OF BANKRUPTCY PROCEDURE

ORDER

AND NOW, this 10th day of March, 2021, it appearing that this Court is vested with authority, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2071(b), Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 83, and Federal Rule of Bankruptcy Procedure 9029;

AND, in accordance with the resolution of the Judges of the Court on February 8, 2021, the Court having authorized commencement of the public notice and comment process;

AND, the proposed amendments having been requested by the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania, it is hereby

ORDERED that the proposed amendments to Local Bankruptcy Rules 2016-3, 9019-3, 4004-3, 9014-2, and 9014-3, and Forms 3015.1, 9019-3A, and 9019-3B, **as set forth on the attachments to this Order**, are to be published by the EDPA county bar associations and posted on the court website, www.paed.uscourts.gov, for the purpose of Notice to the Bar and Solicitation of Public Comment pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2071(b) for a period of forty-five (45) days.

FOR THE COURT:

/s/ Juan R. Sánchez _____
Juan R. Sánchez, Chief Judge