## NOTICE OF CHANGE IN PROCEDURES FOR JUDGE MARK A. RANDON

## **Hearings and Conferences in all Chapters and Adversary Proceedings**

Until further notice, Judge Mark A. Randon will conduct all conferences and non-evidentiary hearings by telephone. At least five minutes before the scheduled time for hearing, counsel and parties must call 1-888-363-4734 and use Access Code 2795304#. Landline connections are preferred, but cell phone or other telephone services are allowed. Counsel and parties must place their phone on mute and wait until their case is called before unmuting their phone and participating. Each time you speak, you must identify yourself clearly for the record. On your scheduled hearing date and time, if you have a problem connecting to your hearing, please immediately contact Leslie Binion, Judge Randon's Courtroom Deputy, at 313-234-0026.

## **Status Conferences in Chapter 13 Cases, Only**

As it pertains to Chapter 13 status conferences scheduled for 9am, 10am, 11am, and 12pm, counsel and parties are directed NOT to appear at courtroom 1825. The Chapter 13 Trustee may conduct the status conferences via telephone or email and may do so in advance of the scheduled date and time.

All documentation must be submitted to the Chapter 13 Trustee so that she receives it at least six business days in advance of the scheduled status conference. All proposed orders of confirmation and stipulations to adjourn or resolve hearings must be submitted to the Chapter 13 Trustee at least 24 hours before the scheduled status conference. The Chapter 13 Trustee will not accept documentation on the date set for the status conference.

All Chapter 13 matters scheduled for 9am, 10am, 11am, and 12 pm, which have not been resolved in advance of the hearing, will be heard by the Court by the telephonic method outlined above at 2pm on the scheduled hearing date.

## **Questions**

If you have any general questions regarding Judge Randon's hearing practices during the COVID-19 public health crisis, please contact Leslie Binion, Courtroom Deputy, at 313-234-0026.

Mark A. Randon Bankruptcy Judge United States Bankruptcy Court for the Eastern District of Michigan

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