

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF OREGON

RECORD OF CHANGES IN 12/1/11 LOCAL RULES FROM 12/1/10 PUBLICATION

Rule	Summary of Change
LBR 1001-1(d)	Rules are effective December 1, 2011. Confirmation procedures set forth in modified LBR 3015-3(c) apply only to cases filed on and after December 1, 2011.
LBR 1002-1(c)	Rule requiring use of LBF #Ex. C-1 (<i>Supplemental Petition Information</i>) deleted as use of that form no longer necessary.
LBR 1007-3	Rule requiring filing of <i>Statement of Intention</i> under §521 amended to permit use of OBF #B8 with a certificate of service of the <i>Statement</i> and LBF #715 on the affected creditors.
LBR 3007-1(a)(2)	Rule regarding form use for claim objections amended to direct parties intending to file omnibus objections under FRBP 3007(d) - (e) to contact the Clerk's Office for instructions.
LBR 3007-1(a)(3)	Rule indicating that no distributions will be made on secured claims (except as provided for in a confirmed Chapter 11, 12, or 13 Plan) deleted as the rule restates the law.
LBR 3015-3(c)	Rule regarding Chapter 13 confirmation practice amended to unify procedure for both Portland and Eugene offices. It specifies time deadlines for plan objections and submission of confirmation orders, and provides that a confirmation order may be entered prior the confirmation hearing under certain circumstances.
LBR 4001-1(g)	References to objections under §§362(l) and (n) deleted from rule in light of similar revisions to LBF #721.3 and the rarity of such objections.
LBR 5001-2	Rule regarding location for filing documents amended to specify the offices to which cases will be assigned in light of prevalence of electronic filing.
LBR 5005-4(c)(2)	Rule regarding the effect of electronic filing modified primarily to note that an ECF Participant is responsible for the actions of a filing agent and for the deactivation of the filing agent when s/he is no longer authorized to file on behalf of the ECF Participant. <i>See also</i> LBR 9001-1(q) below .

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LBR 5005-4(d)	Rule regarding ECF Participant service waiver modified to stress that the waiver does not apply to service of a document that is required by any FRBP to be served other than electronically on a party.
LBR 5005-4(e)	Rule regarding retention of original documents filed electronically amended primarily to require retention of documents for the later of the closing of the case or five years after the filing of the document.
LBR 5073-1	Rule regarding photography, recording devices, broadcasting, and wireless communication devices amended to (1) redefine “wireless communication devices”, (2) generally prohibit photographic, recording, taping, or broadcasting equipment not constituting “wireless communication devices” from being brought into the Clerk’s Office, any judge’s chambers, or a courtroom area, and (3) establish rules for the use of “wireless communication devices” in light of the recent availability of wireless internet access in the courtrooms.
LBR 7007-1(b)(3)(B) LBR 9013-1(c)(2)	Rules regarding replies to any opposition statement modified to clarify when such replies are allowed and the deadlines for filing.
LBR 9001-1(n)	Rule defining “ECF Participant” modified to include language that a filing agent, as such, is not an ECF Participant. <i>See also</i> LBR 9001-1(q) below .
LBR 9001-1(q)	New rule defining “Filing Agent” as ECF v.4.1 allows an ECF Participant to establish filing agents to file documents on his/her behalf.
LBR 9011-2	New rule regarding Law Student Appearance Program. Among other things, it specifies that the supervising attorney must be present with the law student at a meeting of creditors, and that the attorney must file a notice with the court at least seven days before the first hearing or trial in which a law student will appear.
LBR 9013-1(c)(1)	Rule regarding filing deadlines for objections/responses to motions modified to establish a 14-day deadline when no hearing is set, and to base the deadlines on the date of service of the hearing notice when a hearing is set.