Local Rule 9011-2 Parties Appearing Without an Attorney (2014)

(a) Attorney Appearance Required. A corporation, partnership, limited liability company, trust, unincorporated association, or other party which is not an individual may not file a petition or otherwise appear without an attorney in any case or proceeding. Failure to comply with this rule is grounds for dismissal of a case or proceeding, conversion of a case, appointment of a trustee or examiner, judgment by default, striking any pleading, or other appropriate sanctions.

(b) Rules and Standards Applicable to Individuals Appearing Without an Attorney. An individual appearing without an attorney will be expected to be familiar with and must comply with (A) these Local Rules; (B) unless otherwise provided, the Utah Rules of Professional Conduct as revised and amended; (C) appropriate federal rules and statutes that govern the action in which such individual is involved; and (D) the decisions of this court interpreting those rules and standards. Failure to comply with this rule may be grounds for dismissal of a case or proceeding, conversion of a case, appointment of a trustee or examiner, judgment by default, or other appropriate sanctions.

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