

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
DISTRICT OF UTAH

Notice
April 25, 2016

TO: ALL MEMBERS OF THE BAR AND OTHER PARTIES IN INTEREST

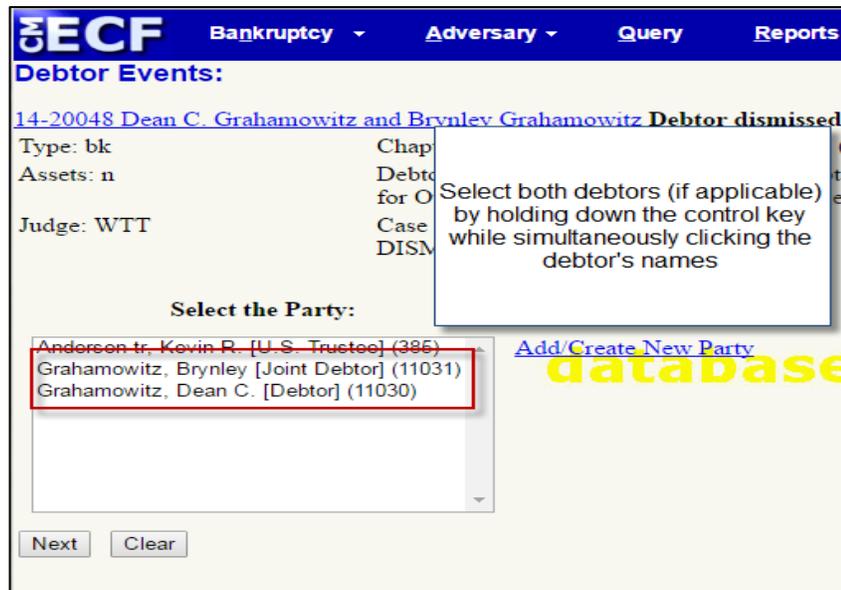
FROM: David Sime, Clerk of Court

RE: Effective May 1, 2016 - CM/ECF Modifications to the “Debtor Events” category, the addition of a \$250 filing fee to Appear Pro Hac Vice, and changes to text-only Order events

Three modifications will be made to the Bankruptcy Court’s Case Management Electronic Case Filing (CM/ECF) system effective May 1, 2016. These modifications will affect how the “Debtor Events” category of events will process, will assess a \$250 filing fee to Appear Pro Hac Vice, and will change the way text-only Order events will display on the docket. Questions or concerns regarding these changes may be directed to the Bankruptcy Court’s Training Department at 801-524-6575 or emailed to utb_training@utb.uscourts.gov.

DEBTOR EVENTS

The “Debtor Events” category is located under the “Bankruptcy” menu of CM/ECF. This category is designed to be used specifically for attorneys who represent debtor(s). Beginning May 1, 2016, attorneys filing on behalf of the debtor(s) could see up to two additional screens when docketing events in this category: the “Pick Party” screen and the “Link Party to Attorney” screen. The first screen (Pick Party displayed to the right) will always appear and will allow the attorney to select a party. Attorneys should select the debtor(s) as the party they are filing on behalf of. If more than one debtor is listed (i.e.



debtor and joint debtor) and the event being docketed applies to both debtors, please select both debtors by holding down the control key on the keyboard while simultaneously clicking the debtor's names.

The second screen (Link Party to Attorney displayed below) will only display if the attorney filing the event has not previously been associated to the debtor(s). When an attorney opens a new bankruptcy case, that attorney is automatically associated as counsel for the debtor(s). So in most cases, this screen will not display. However, **IF** the attorney has not previously been associated with the debtor(s), the attorney will have an opportunity to become associated with the debtor(s) as shown below.

The screenshot shows the ECF (Electronic Case Filing) interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with the ECF logo and several menu items: Bankruptcy, Adversary, Query, Reports, Utilities, Search, and Logout. Below the navigation bar, the page title is "Debtor Events:". The main content area displays case information for case number 14-20048, involving Dean C. Grahamowitz and Brynley Grahamowitz. The case status is "Debtor dismissed 04/15/2016. Joint debtor dismissed N/A". Key details include: Type: bk, Chapter: 7 v, Office: 2 (Salt Lake City), Assets: n, Debtor disposition: Dismissed for Other Reason, Joint debtor disposition: Discharge Denied, Judge: WTT, and Case Flag: DENIED, DISMISSED. A prominent red warning message states: "IMPORTANT: The following attorney/party association(s) will be created in this case. De-selecting a party association will result in the filing attorney NOT receiving Notices of Electronic Filing for that party. If this is a joint filing, review the list carefully to ensure that only parties represented by the filing attorney are selected." Below this warning, there are two checked checkboxes for attorney associations: "Grahamowitz, Brynley(pty:jdb) represented by x1Crockett, Kyle (aty)" and "Grahamowitz, Dean C.(pty:db) represented by x1Crockett, Kyle (aty)". At the bottom of the selection area, there are "Next" and "Clear" buttons. The word "database" is overlaid in large yellow text across the middle of the screenshot.

Please read the "IMPORTANT" note in red above before selecting the "Next" button. When the attorney clicks "Next" with any of the boxes on this screen checked, the attorney is entering an appearance on behalf of the debtor(s) and will begin receiving Notices of Electronic Filing.

APPEAR PRO HAC VICE (MOTION)

For an attorney to appear Pro Hac Vice in this District, the current practice is for a locally admitted attorney is to file the "Appear Pro Hac Vice (Motion)" and proposed order with the Bankruptcy Court but to pay a \$15 filing fee to the United States District Court. Effective May 1, 2016, the motion, proposed order, and fee will be filed/made with the Bankruptcy Court. When filing the "Appear Pro Hac Vice (Motion)" CM/ECF event, a \$250 fee will be charged to the Filing User's electronic filing account. This fee, similar to other filing fees incurred, is payable through Pay.Gov. Please note that if the filing fee incurred is not paid within 48 hours, the Filing User's CM/ECF filing account will be "locked" out until the payment is made. The prescribed admission fee, as determined by the United States District Court for the District of Utah, increased from

\$15 to \$250 effective April 1, 2016. For further information, please review Local Bankruptcy Rule 2090-1(c)(2) and Local District Court Rule 83-1.1(d)(1).

CHANGES TO THE WAY TEXT-ONLY ORDER EVENTS DISPLAY ON THE DOCKET

Text-only Order events have been used for quite time in this Court. Currently, text-only Order events display on the docket without a document number. Beginning May 1, 2016, some text-only Order events, specifically orders that discharge the trustee and close the case, will incorporate a document number with the event for identification purposes. Please note that in these specific text-only Order events, there will be NO image associated with these events and therefore, there will be no hyperlink associated with this document number. As time goes on, additional text-only Order events will be modified the same way. An example of how this will display is shown in the image below.

04/20/2016	 9	<p>The Trustee has filed a Final Account of Trustee and has certified that the estate has been fully administered, and no timely objection has been filed. Accordingly, the trustee is discharged, all pending motions under Bankr.D.Ut.LBR 9013-2(f)(4) are denied without prejudice and THE CASE IS HEREBY CLOSED. SO ORDERED, /s/ R. Kimball Mosier, United States Bankruptcy Judge.</p> <p><i>The official order in this matter is set forth in the Notice of Electronic Filing created by this entry. No document is attached. (gg) (EOD: 04/20/2016)</i></p>
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In addition, some current text-only Order events (like the Order of Discharge, Order Dismissing Case, and Order to Pay the Filing Fee in Installments) that currently generate a physical document that is processed through the Bankruptcy Noticing Center (BNC) will be changed in the near future to include not only a document number, but also the attached Order that is to be processed for mailing through either the BNC or locally. This will allow everyone access to these physical orders as soon as they are docketed rather than having to wait until the Certificate of Notice is docketed by the BNC a few days later.