CM/ECF Participant's Guide

DECLARATION RE: ELECTRONIC FILING Updated 01/30/2008

This process shows the steps and screens required for an external user to file a Declaration RE: Electronic Filing.

STEP 1 - Click on the <u>Bankruptcy</u> hyperlink on the CM/ECF Main Menu Bar.

STEP 2 - The BANKRUPTCY EVENTS screen displays.

• Click on Other hyperlink.

STEP 3 - The CASE NUMBER screen displays.

- Enter the case number for the appropriate case.
- Click the [Next] button.

STEP 4 - The EVENTS screen displays.

- Verify that the case name and number are correct.
- Select "Declaration Re: Electronic Filing" from the list of events.
- Click the **[Next]** button.

NOTE: Type the first letter (**D** for **Declaration**) and the highlight bar will immediately select the first entry beginning with **D**.

STEP 5 - The JOINT FILING screen displays.

- Click in the box if document is being filed with another attorney.
- Click the **[Next]** button.

STEP 6 - The SELECT PARTY screen displays.

- Select the party that the filing attorney is representing from the list.
- If the correct party's name and address does not appear in the drop down box, click Add/Create New Party and complete the information.
- Click the **[Next]** button.

STEP 7 - The ASSOCIATION screen appears.

- Click box to associate filing attorney with the filing party.
- Click the **[Next]** button.

STEP 8 - The SELECT PDF screen displays.

- Select the .pdf file to associate with this event.
- Click the [Next] button.

STEP 9 - The VERIFICATION screen with debtor name and case number appear.

- Verify this is the correct case.
- Click the **[Next]** button.

STEP 10 - The FINAL DOCKET TEXT screen displays.

- This is the last opportunity to verify the accuracy of the information. Submission of this screen is final.
- If the final docket text is incorrect, click the browser **[Back]** button to find the screen needed to modify.
- To abort or restart the transaction, click the Bankruptcy hypertext link on the Menu Bar.
- Click the **[Next]** button if correct.

Docket Text: Final Text Declaration Re: Electronic Filing Filed by Joe Attorney on behalf of Cathy F Bowers, Jimmy Lee Bowers. (Attorney, Joe)
Attention!! Submitting this screen commits this transaction. You will have no further opportunity to modify this submission if you continue.

STEP 11 - The NOTICE OF ELECTRONIC FILING screen displays.

• This is the verification of the date and time the Declaration Re: Electronic Filing was filed. The docket number is also displayed. It is recommended that you print this screen for your records.