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NOTICE

**AMENDMENTS TO THE FEDERAL APPELLATE AND BANKRUPTCY RULES
EFFECTIVE DECEMBER 1, 2021**

On April 14, 2021, the Supreme Court of the United States proposed amendments to the Federal Rules of Appellate Procedure and the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure which became effective December 1, 2021.

The amendments to the Federal Rules of Appellate Procedure include the following rules:

- Rule 3: Appeal as of Right—How Taken
- Rule 6: Appeal in a Bankruptcy Case
- Form 1A: Notice of Appeal to a Court of Appeals From a Judgment of a District Court
- Form 1B: Notice of Appeal to a Court of Appeals From an Appealable Order of a District Court
- Form 2: Notice of Appeal to a Court of Appeals From a Decision of the United States Tax Court

The amendments to the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure include the following rules:

- Rule 2005: Apprehension and Removal of Debtor to Compel Attendance for Examination
- Rule 3007: Objections to Claims
- Rule 7007.1: Corporate Ownership Statement
- Rule 9036: Notice and Service by Electronic Transmission

The amended rules are posted at:

<https://www.uscourts.gov/rules-policies/current-rules-practice-procedure> .

In addition, the Judicial Conference approved a new Official Bankruptcy Form 122B, Chapter 11, which became effective on December 1, 2021. The form may be accessed at:

<https://www.uscourts.gov/forms/bankruptcy-forms> .

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