



ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE OF THE  
UNITED STATES COURTS

HONORABLE ROBERT J. CONRAD, JR.  
Director

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MEMORANDUM

To: All United States Judges  
Circuit Executives  
Federal Public/Community Defenders  
District Court Executives  
Clerks, United States Courts  
Chief Probation Officers  
Chief Pretrial Services Officers  
Senior Staff Attorneys  
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Chief Circuit Mediators  
Bankruptcy Administrators

From: Judge Robert J. Conrad, Jr.   
Director

RE: AMENDMENTS TO THE FEDERAL RULES OF PRACTICE AND PROCEDURE  
**(IMPORTANT INFORMATION)**

Congress has taken no action on the proposed amendments to the Federal Rules of Appellate, Bankruptcy, and Civil Procedure adopted by the Supreme Court and transmitted to Congress on April 23, 2025. Under 28 U.S.C. §§ 2074 and 2075, and the Supreme Court orders dated April 23, 2025, the amendments govern all proceedings commenced on or after December 1, 2025, and all proceedings then pending “insofar as just and practicable.” Links to the text of the amended rules and the accompanying committee notes—along with extensive supporting documentation related to their adoption—are posted on the [Current Rules](#) page of the Judiciary’s website.

Under the Rules Enabling Act, 28 U.S.C. §§ 2071-75, the following took effect on December 1, 2025:

Federal Rules of Appellate Procedure

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| Rule 6  | Appeal in a Bankruptcy Case or Proceeding |
| Rule 39 | Costs                                     |

Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure

- Rule 3002.1 Chapter 13—Claim Secured by a Security Interest in the Debtor’s Principal Residence  
Rule 8006 Certifying a Direct Appeal to the Court of Appeals

Federal Rules of Civil Procedure

- Rule 16 Pretrial Conferences; Scheduling; Management  
Rule 16.1 Multidistrict Litigation  
Rule 26 Duty to Disclose; General Provisions Governing Discovery

In addition, amended and new official bankruptcy forms became effective December 1, 2025. As approved by the Judicial Conference, amendments to official bankruptcy forms govern all proceedings in bankruptcy cases thereafter commenced and, insofar as just and practicable, all proceedings then pending. There will also be one new Director’s Form and two updates on December 1, 2025. The new and amended forms are posted on the [Bankruptcy Forms](#) page of the Judiciary’s website.

Official Bankruptcy Forms

- Form 410C13-M1 Motion Under Rule 3002.1(f)(1) to Determine the Status of the Mortgage Claim  
Form 410C13-M1R Response to [Trustee’s/Debtor’s] Motion Under Rule 3002.1(f)(1) to Determine the Status of the Mortgage Claim  
Form 410C13-N Trustee’s Notice of Disbursements Made  
Form 410C13-NR Response to Trustee’s Notice of Disbursements Made  
Form 410C13-M2 Motion Under Rule 3002.1(g)(4) to Determine Final Cure and Payment of Mortgage Claim  
Form 410C13-M2R Response to [Trustee’s/Debtor’s] Motion Under Rule 3002.1(g)(4) to Determine Final Cure and Payment of the Mortgage Claim  
Form 410S1 Notice of Mortgage Payment Change

Director’s Forms

- Form 2000 Required Lists, Schedules, Statements, and Fees  
Form 2030 Disclosure of Compensation of Attorney For Debtor  
Form 4100C Order Determining Whether Defaults Have Been Cured and Postpetition Amounts Paid

Please consider posting an announcement of the newly effective rules on your court websites. Updated PDFs for each set of rules that include the newly effective rules and forms will be posted to the Current Rules page when they become available from the U.S. Government Publishing Office.

If you have questions about the status of any of the amendments, please contact the Rules Committee Staff at [RulesCommittee\\_Secretary@ao.uscourts.gov](mailto:RulesCommittee_Secretary@ao.uscourts.gov) or 202-502-1820.