

IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF KANSAS

IN RE: )  
OPERATING THE COURT IN )  
ABSENCE OF AN APPROPRIATION )  
OR CONTINUING RESOLUTION )  
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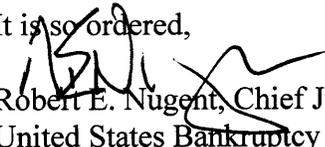
**GENERAL ORDER**

In the event that Congress does not pass either a continuing resolution or a budget measure by midnight, April 8, 2011, I direct that the Clerk implement the following contingency plan that will enable the court to fulfill its statutory duty to continue to hear and resolve cases.

Since all judges and their personal staffs, as well as all other officers and employees of the court, perform functions that are necessary and essential to the continued resolution of cases according to normal schedules and priorities, I ORDER that they continue to work full time during any funding lapse as they may be directed to by their supervisors. During the time of the funding lapse, court activities shall be limited to those functions necessary and essential to the continued resolution of cases. The incurrence of travel and other expenses shall be limited to those necessary to support the operations of the court.

Unless so modified or revoked by the Chief Judge, this Order shall remain in effect throughout the current fiscal year.

It is so ordered,

  
Robert E. Nugent, Chief Judge  
United States Bankruptcy Court  
District of Kansas

April 7, 2011