

**IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF KANSAS**

**IN RE:**

[Debtor]  
[Joint Debtor]

**Case Number** [Case # w/ chapter]

Debtor(s).

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**HEARING ORDER**

This proceeding having come before the Court for scheduling, pretrial conference or status conference on [Hearing Date], the Court makes the following orders:

1. The following matter(s) are for evidentiary hearing at the date and time set below:

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2. Discovery shall be noticed so as to be completed on or before [Discovery deadline]
3. The parties shall exchange witness and exhibits lists and file the lists with the Court on or before [Witness and Exhibit List Deadline]. All exhibits shall be identified as follows: Plaintiff(s) shall use numerical symbols and Defendant(s) shall use alphabetical symbols.
4. Counsel shall submit to the Court a final pretrial order by [date or **N/A**].

5. Motion in Limine or objections to the admission of exhibits shall be filed on or before [motion in limine ddln], and the Court will rule on those motions [date for court to rule or **at Trial**].
6. No later than three (3) business days before trial, all parties shall submit three (3) sets of their exhibits to the Court (one for the witness and two copies for Chambers) and exchange exhibits with their opposing parties. The parties are encouraged to submit exhibits in pdf format on CD-ROM or DVD with each exhibit as a separate pdf file, pagination of multiple page exhibits, and with bookmarks for major divisions and for any attachment to the exhibits. If exhibits are submitted by paper, they should be submitted in a 3-ring notebook, each exhibit separately tabbed, and multiple-page exhibits paginated or bates numbered. All parties should comply with D. Kan. LBR 9072.1 governing trial exhibits.
7. Absent extraordinary circumstances, examination of witnesses shall be limited to direct, cross-examination, and re-direct.
8. The attorneys who will conduct the hearing will appear at a Status Conference on [date or **N/A**] at [time, am or pm] in Courtroom 150, U.S. Courthouse, 401 North Market, Wichita, Kansas.
9. The trial or hearing shall commence on the **[hearing day of trial] day of [month], 20[year] at [time, am or pm]** and is expected to take **[amount of time in hours or days]**. Trial will be conducted in Courtroom 150, U.S. Courthouse, 401 North Market, Wichita Kansas. Please note this matter is being set to a two-day stacking trial docket.
10. This is a core proceeding. If the Court lacks power to enter a final judgment under 28 U.S.C § 157 or § 1334, it will submit proposed findings of fact and conclusions of law to the District Court. A timely, written demand for a trial by jury has not been made.
11. Counsel shall advise their clients and witnesses to dress appropriately for appearances in Court. Shorts, sandals, collar-less shirts including tee shirts and tank tops, are not acceptable. Only attorneys who are admitted to the Bar of the U.S. District Court for this District may bring cell phones, tablets, or other electronic items into the courthouse.

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