UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT CENTRAL DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS

GENERAL ORDER REGARDING EXTENSION OF DEADLINES IN CONNECTION WITH POSTPONEMENT OF §341 MEETINGS DUE TO COVID-19

Effective March 23, 2020

On March 16, 2020, due to concerns with the coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic, the Office of the United States Trustee announced the postponement of all meetings of creditors under §341 scheduled through April 10, 2020. On March 20, 2020, the United States Trustee for Region 10 filed a Motion for General Order Extending Certain Deadlines. The motion is granted, in part. Accordingly, pursuant to 11 U.S.C. §105(a), IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

- 1. This General Order applies to cases in which the §341 meeting of creditors was scheduled to occur between March 17, 2020, and April 10, 2020.
- 2. The following deadlines under Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure are extended for all parties in interest in all cases in which the §341 meeting is continued by the blanket continuance issued by the Office of the United States Trustee to 60 days after the date of the rescheduled §341 meeting in each case:
 - a. The deadline under Rule 1007 for debtors in a Chapter 7 case to file the statement required under Rule 1007(b)(7), commonly known as the personal financial management course certification.
 - b. The deadline under Rule 1017(e) for the United States Trustee to file a motion to dismiss for abuse.
 - c. The deadline under Rule 4004(a) for the filing of objections to the debtor's discharge under 11 U.S.C. §727.
 - d. The deadline under Rule 4007(c) for filing complaints to determine dischargeability of certain debts under 11 U.S.C. 523(c).
 - e. The deadline under Rule 4008(a) for filing a reaffirmation agreement.

- 3. The deadline under 11 U.S.C. §1308(a) for Chapter 13 debtors to file prepetition tax returns is extended to the day before the rescheduled §341 meeting.
- 4. The deadline under Rule 2015.3(b) for the trustee or debtor in possession to file a financial report regarding each entity that is not a publicly traded corporation or a debtor in a bankruptcy case and in which the estate holds a substantial or controlling interest is extended to seven days before the rescheduled §341 meeting.

ENTERED:

Thomas L. Perkins, Chief U.S. Bankruptcy Judge

March 23, 2020

Mary P. Gorman, U.S. Bankruptcy Judge