

**IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE**

**IN RE:**

**TEMPORARY PAPER FILING DURING  
UPGRADE OF CM/ECF (NEXTGEN)**

**No. 2022-01**

**GENERAL ORDER**

The United States Bankruptcy Court for the Eastern District of Tennessee will be upgrading its Case Management / Electronic Case Files system, known as CM/ECF, to the Next Generation (“NextGen”) version on March 7, 2022.

**CM/ECF and PACER will be unavailable for filing or viewing documents from 12:00 PM ET on Friday, March 4, 2022, until 8:00 AM ET on Monday, March 7, 2022.** During this time, the Clerk’s Office will be open but will be considered inaccessible as that term is used in Fed. R. Bankr. P. 9006(a)(3) for purposes of calculating deadlines.

During the period of inaccessibility, the requirement in E.D. Tenn. LBR 5005-4 for electronic filing will be suspended for time-sensitive filings such as petitions, filings nearing the statute of limitations deadline, requests for emergency relief, and any other document not otherwise governed by Fed. R. Bankr. P. 9006(a). Any filer may bring such filings in paper format in person to the Clerk’s Office during business hours. ECF Registered Users only may submit such filings by email to [ECFMail@tneb.uscourts.gov](mailto:ECFMail@tneb.uscourts.gov) to be deemed filed as of the date received on the email. Any documents submitted via e-mail during this time will be entered on the docket by the Clerk’s Office as soon as practical after NextGen CM/ECF is operational.

Information will be posted on the court’s website, [www.tneb.uscourts.gov](http://www.tneb.uscourts.gov), notifying the public when NextGen CM/ECF is accessible.

ENTERED: February 16, 2022

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Chief United States Bankruptcy Judge

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