UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN

NOTICE TO FILERS OF CLAIM TRANSFERS

Effective May 1, 2013, the Judicial Conference of the United States approved a new fee of \$25.00 for each claim transferred. Due to this change, the following steps are required of creditors with limited access logins/passwords who will be filing claim transfers.

- 1. Go to https://www.pay.gov/paygov/ to sign up for on-line payments using your credit card through the secure web-based application.
- Go to the following website to verify your ECF account information:
 https://ecf.mieb.uscourts.gov/cgi-bin/MIEBVerifyAccount.pl

For more detailed information regarding the new claims transfer fee, please go to the following:

http://www.mieb.uscourts.gov/news/notice-regarding-new-claims-transfer-fee-take-effect-may-1-2013

Please note that claim transfer fees will be guided in part by ECF Procedure 4 (h) which states that "Failure to complete prompt payment will result in suspension from the ECF system." This suspension results in ECF users being locked-out of the filing system if the payment is not received within 48 hours of the filing. The Internet Payments option will be the only ECF feature available after a user is locked-out of the system. Upon completion of the payments due, the suspension will be automatically terminated and the ECF system will be available to the user.

Date: April 25, 2013 Katherine B. Gullo Clerk of Court