UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN

NOTICE REGARDING CHANGES IN STATUTORY FILING FEES EFFECTIVE APRIL 9, 2006

Pursuant to a memorandum from the Administrative Office of the U. S. Courts, changes to the statutory bankruptcy filing fees will take effect on **April 9, 2006**. These changes are a result of the Deficit Reduction Act of 2005.

The statutory filing fee amounts required by 28 U.S.C. §1930 will change as follows:

- Chapter 7: increased from \$220 to \$245, total fees due at filing \$299*
- Chapter 13: increased from \$150 to \$235, total fees due at filing \$274

* The bankruptcy fee increases affect only the statutory chapter filing fees; all other fees collected at filing, such as the \$39.00 miscellaneous fee in all chapters and the \$15.00 trustee fee in chapter 7 cases, remain unchanged.

Dated: March 22, 2006 Sheila M. Tighe Clerk of Court