# UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON

In re:		)	
	GENERAL ORDER	)	ADOPTION OF NEW LOCAL
	04-06	)	RULE 1017-3
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Local Bankruptcy Rule 1017-3 - Conversion or Dismissal of Chapter 11 Cases is hereby adopted, for the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Eastern District of Washington pursuant to that certain General Order of the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Washington dated March 6, 1996, FRBP 8018, and 9029, FRCP 83 and USC 2171.

Adoption of new rule 1017-3 shall be effective January 1, 2007 and shall govern all pending matters, except to the extent, in the opinion of the Court that their application in a case pending on January 1, 2007 would not be feasible or would work an injustice, in which event the procedure set forth in the former shall apply.

Patricia C. Williams
Chief Bankruptcy Judge

Frank L. Kurtz Bankruptcy Judge

John A. Rossmeissl Bankruptcy Judge

#### Rule 1017-3

#### Conversion or Dismissal of Chapter 11 Cases

### (a) Notice Requirement

A party in interest desiring that a Chapter 11 case be converted or dismissed pursuant to 11 USC 1112 (b) shall do so by motion and give twenty (20) days notice and hearing to the Debtor or Debtor in Possession, the attorney for the debtor or the debtor in possession, the trustee if one is appointed, the United States trustee and the Master Mailing List (MML) in accordance with LBR 2002-1.

# (b) Obtaining Hearing Date

Prior to filing the motion, the moving party shall obtain a hearing date and time pursuant to LBR 9073-1(a).

#### (c) Information Required in Motion and Notice

In addition to the information required by LBR 2002-1(a), the notice and motion shall also contain a detailed statement as to the cause that forms the basis of the motion and the time and place of the hearing of the motion.

# **Related Provisions**

FRBP 1017	Dismissal or Conversion of Case; Suspension
FRBP 2002(a)	Twenty-One Day Notices to Parties in Interest
LBR 1017-1	Conversion or Dismissal of Joint Cases
LBR 1017-2	Conversion of Chapter 11 Case to Chapter 12 or Chapter 13 Case
LBR 1017-4	Dividing of Joint Cases
LBR 2001-1	Notice to Creditors and Other Interested Parties
LBR 9073-1	Hearings
11 USC 1112	Conversion and Dismissal