

## **Rule 1017-1**

### **Conversion or Dismissal of Joint Cases**

- (a) A joint case may not be individually converted by one debtor to another chapter unless the case is first divided into two separate cases.
- (b) One debtor in a joint case may move for a separate dismissal without need to first have the case divided into two separate cases.

#### **Related Provisions**

FRBP 1015	Consolidation or Joint Administration
FRBP 1017(f)	Procedure for Dismissal, Conversion or Suspension
FRBP 1019	Conversion of a Chapter 11, 12 or 13 Case

LBR 1015-1	Joint Administration/Consolidation
LBR 1017-2	Conversion of Chapter 11, 12, or 13 Case
LBR 1017-3	Conversion or Dismissal of Chapter 11 Cases
LBR 1017-4	Dividing of Joint Cases

11 USC 302	Joint Cases
11 USC 706	Conversion
11 USC 1112	Conversion or Dismissal
11 USC 1208	Conversion or Dismissal
11 USC 1307	Conversion or Dismissal

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