### TRANSITION OF JUDGE HAGENAU'S CASES

As you may know, Judge Hagenau is retiring from the court effective May 24, 2024. The purpose of this memo is to let you know about the reassignment of Judge Hagenau's cases, the dates of final hearings, and the processing of orders.

#### <u>REASSIGNMENT</u>

Judge Hagenau's cases will be reassigned on May 24, 2024. CM/ECF will send notices of reassignment.

**WLH CHAPTER 13 cases** (with Whaley as Trustee) will be reassigned to Judge Sacca or Judge Cavender.

**TJ23 CHAPTER 13 cases** (with Davey as Trustee) will be reassigned to Judge Baisier or Judge Ritchey Craig.

**WLH CHAPTER 7 cases** will be reassigned to Judge Ellis-Monro, Judge Bonapfel or Judge Sigler.

WLH CHAPTER 11 cases will be randomly reassigned to all judges.

#### **HEARINGS**

Judge Hagenau's final scheduled calendars are as follows:

TJ 23 chapter 13—May 14

WLH chapter 13—May 22

WLH chapter 7 and 11—May 21

Any matter that needs a reset beyond these calendared dates will be reset, only with the approval of Judge Hagenau's courtroom deputy, to designated calendars in June. You may not self-calendar on the June dates. The purpose of the June dates is to place matters on a calendar until they can be reset to the appropriate judges' calendar. At the June calendars, a courtroom

deputy will call the calendar and accept consent orders and no opposition orders and will otherwise reassign all matters to the calendars of the new judges. We do not expect to hear contested matters on these calendars. Once you receive the reassignment of your case, you may contact the courtroom deputy for the new judge to reschedule your matter, or you may leave it on the June calendar to be reassigned at that time. The June calendar dates are:

TJ23 chapter 13—June 13

WLH chapter 13—June 18

Chapter 7—June 5 at 9:30 (all matters)

Chapter 11—June 5 at 11:00 (all matters)

# **ORDERS**

Chambers will work diligently to review and sign orders as they are presented. However, please know that orders submitted after May 21 may not be reviewed before May 24. SO PLEASE HAVE YOUR ORDERS IN BY MAY 21. If you cannot submit your order by May 21, you may wait and submit it to the reassigned judge. Any orders in Judge Hagenau's box at the time the case is reassigned will be transferred to the reassigned judge.

## **EMERGENCIES**

If you need a hearing on a date not presently scheduled, please call Nicole Williams at 404-215-1190 and she will assist you in getting an appropriate hearing date. Similarly, if you have an emergency need to have an order entered by May 24, please also contact Nicole.