Wireless Network Terms of Use

By connecting to the Wireless Network, you agree to abide by these Terms of Use:

- 1. The wireless network is intended for the use of bankruptcy attorneys, trustees and their support staff, and is to be limited to legitimate business purposes such as retrieving case information, evidence presentation, research, e-mail, or note-taking.
- 2. Use is permitted only if it does not interfere with judicial proceedings or the ability of the public to observe the proceedings. A presiding judge may order the discontinuance of the use of such computers at any time. Prior to entering any courtroom, the sound on laptop computers must be disabled or muted.
- 3. Access to the wireless network is protected by a password. As a precautionary measure to protect the network from unauthorized users, the password will change periodically. When updated, the new password will be posted in the attorney lounges in the Atlanta and Newnan Divisions and will be available at the Clerk's Office Intake Counter in the Rome and Gainesville Divisions.
- 4. The Bankruptcy Court strongly urges the use of updated virus protection software and the installation of all necessary patches. Users of the wireless network are responsible for taking privacy and security precautions including but not limited to, use of virtual private networks, encryption and personal firewalls.
- 5. Under no circumstances may a laptop computer or other electronic device be used for the purpose of broadcasting, televising, recording or photographing in any courthouse location.
- 6. The wireless network is available to your device only when it is in the operating range of the wireless network hot spot location(s). The wireless network is subject to unavailability, due to emergencies, third party service failures, transmission, equipment or network problems or limitations, interference, signal strength, maintenance, repair, or other unforeseeable events.
- 7. The Bankruptcy Court is not responsible for data, messages or pages lost, not delivered, or misdirected because of interruptions or performance issues with the wireless network, or the underlying network(s) and transmission equipment and systems. Neither the accuracy or timeliness of data received is guaranteed. Delays or omissions may occur. Actual network speed will vary based on your device configuration, location, compression, network congestion, and other factors.
- 8. Users may not use the wireless network for any purpose that is unlawful, or in any manner that could damage court property or the property of others. The wireless network may not be used in any way that interferes with, harms, or disrupts the Court's system or other users.
- 9. Wireless systems transmit voice and data communications over a complex network. The privacy and security of such voice and data transmissions cannot be guaranteed. By using this

Wireless Network, you understand that it is not inherently secure, and that wireless communications can be intercepted by equipment and software designed for that purpose. The Bankruptcy Court is not liable to you or any other party for any lack of privacy you experience while using the wireless network.

- 10. Court staff cannot provide technical assistance with personal devices or configurations and cannot guarantee that the user will be able to make a wireless connection.
- 11. Users should have available a fully charged battery as electrical outlets may not be readily available in public areas.
- 12. Electrical cords may not be strung across public traffic areas. Users will be asked to terminate their use of electrical power if court personnel determine that such use presents a safety hazard.
- 13. Personal headphones are required for use with audio files.
- 14. Printing is not available via the wireless network.

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