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**Debtor e lectronic Bankruptcy Noticing (DeBN)**

**FREE ELECTRONIC NOTICING OF COURT NOTICES AND ORDERS TO DEBTORS**

Beginning June 15, 2015, debtors can request to receive court notices and orders from the Bankruptcy Noticing Center (BNC) by email rather than by U.S. mail. This new FREE program is called **Debtor Electronic Bankruptcy Noticing (DeBN)**. **DeBN only applies to court issued notices and orders. DeBN will not email notices, pleadings, or other filings that are to be served by other parties in a bankruptcy case such as the Trustee, creditors or attorneys. These other parties will continue to serve papers by other means, such as U.S. mail or personal service.**

**You can enroll at any time and the program is available to all debtors with an open bankruptcy case.**

DeBN offers you a number of advantages:

- You can receive court notices and orders (e.g., initial meeting of creditor notice, notice of incomplete and/or deficient filing, notice of requirement to complete course in financial management, orders on motions, order of discharge, etc.) by email the same day they are filed by the court.
- You can access emailed court notices and orders from a computer or mobile device that has an Internet connection and a free Adobe Acrobat Reader.
- There is no charge to view or save emailed court notices and orders.
- There is no limit to the number of times emailed court notices and orders can be viewed or saved.



Signing up for DeBN is easy!

To activate a DeBN account, you must file a *Debtor's Electronic Bankruptcy Noticing Request (DeBN)* form with the court. If both debtors in a joint case wish to receive emailed court notices and orders, you both must complete and file a separate form. Your account will be automatically activated upon receipt and processing of the request form.

A DeBN account remains active until you either request to deactivate your account or the BNC receives a delivery failure for your email address.

To access the DeBN request form and to learn more about DeBN, please visit the DeBN web page on the court's website at [www.pamb.uscourts.gov](http://www.pamb.uscourts.gov).