UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF ALABAMA

LOCAL GENERAL ORDER NO. 6

ADJOURNMENT OF CASES WITH FILING DEFICIENCIES

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, effective as to cases filed on or after January 1, 2010, that the deadline for filing all required documents in cases set for 341/confirmation hearings will be seven (7) days prior to the hearing date. Additionally, plan payments must be current prior to the Trustee's recommendation for conditional confirmation.

IT IS ALSO ORDERED that all cases with filing deficiencies not cured prior to the seven (7) day deadline will be automatically adjourned for a period of not less than thirty days.

IT IS ALSO ORDERED that Debtor testimony will not be taken until all required documents have been timely filed.

IT IS ALSO ORDERED that cases with filing deficiencies remaining seven (7) days prior to the adjourned hearing date will be recommended for dismissal. All cases with payment deficiencies will be adjourned to a date by which payment must be current or the case will be recommended for dismissal.

Dated: 12-30-2009

WILLIAM S. SHULMAN
CHIEF U.S. BANKRUPTCY JUDGE

MARGARET A. MAHONEY
U.S. BANKRUPTCY JUDGE