

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF ARKANSAS

IN THE MATTER OF THE ORDER AUTHORIZING
THE BANKRUPTCY APPELLATE PANEL SERVICE
TO HEAR AND DETERMINE BANKRUPTCY APPEALS
ORIGINATING IN THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF ARKANSAS

GENERAL ORDER NO. 27

WHEREAS, Congress, by adoption of 28 U.S.C. § 158(b)(1), has directed the establishment of a Bankruptcy Appellate Panel by the Judicial Council of each circuit, absent specific findings, and,

WHEREAS, the Eighth Circuit Judicial Council has approved the establishment of a Bankruptcy Appellate Panel in the Eighth Circuit, to be implemented only upon Administrative Office funding, and

WHEREAS, Section 158(b)(6) requires a district court to authorize bankruptcy appeals to be heard by the Bankruptcy Appellate Panel, it is


ORDERED that the district judges of the Western District of Arkansas, by majority vote, direct that all bankruptcy appeals go to the Bankruptcy Appellate Panel for the Eighth Circuit when funded and operational.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

U. S. DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DIST. ARKANSAS
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