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**CLERK'S
ANNOUNCEMENT
00-107**

TO: Court Users
FROM: Thomas J. Hart
DATE: October 6, 2000
RE: Distribution of Court Orders

Effective **November 1, 2000**, the court will no longer directly distribute orders via the U.S. Mail. Instead, orders will be transmitted to the Bankruptcy Noticing Center (BNC) in Maryland. The BNC will distribute the orders, in accordance with the proposed Certificate of Mailing that routinely accompanies proposed orders.¹

The BNC is a private organization under contract with the U.S. Courts to transmit certain documents. Documents mailed from the BNC reach their destinations in four to five days.

Realizing that many court users will want to receive orders in less than four or five days, the Bankruptcy Court will offer a new feature provided by the BNC: Electronic Bankruptcy Noticing (EBN). EBN allows the distribution of any document (order, notice, etc.) sent to the BNC for noticing via fax or e-mail. Items distributed by either electronic method should reach their destination within one working day from the time the court transmits them to the BNC. Please read Clerk's Announcement 00-108, Electronic Bankruptcy Noticing, for details, including sign-up procedures.

¹In the coming weeks, a General Order will be issued, notifying court users that it is no longer necessary to send envelopes with proposed orders.