

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
DISTRICT OF VERMONT

IN RE:)
)
COURT SECURITY, WEAPONS,)
PORTABLE TELEPHONES, PAGERS,)
AND PHOTOGRAPHS, RADIO AND)
TELEVISION BROADCASTING)
COURTROOM POLICIES)

GENERAL ORDER 93-4

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that all persons entering the Bankruptcy Court facilities are subject to search by the United States Marshals Service personnel. All persons shall pass through the magnetometer in place and monitored by security officers, and all items carried into the Courtroom shall be passed through the X-ray scanner, and shall be subject to search.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that except for weapons carried by authorized security personnel, no weapons are permitted in the Courtroom.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that portable telephones and paging devices are prohibited in the Courtroom. Such items may be held by the security officers for safekeeping.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the taking of photographs, the use of radio, television, or other broadcasting equipment, and the operation of tape recorders anywhere in the Bankruptcy Court facilities are expressly prohibited, except with permission of the Court. The Court may permit the use of electronic or photographic means for the presentation of evidence or the perpetuation of a record. The Court may also permit the broadcasting, televising, or photographing of investitive or ceremonial proceedings.

Failure to follow or abide by this Order shall be grounds for refusal of admission to the Court facilities, and may subject the offender to (a) detention, arrest, and prosecution as provided by law, or (b) sanctions imposed by the Court.

This Order supersedes General Orders 92-1, 92-6, and 93-1, and is effective immediately.

DATED at Rutland, Vermont this 27th day of December, 1993.

FILED

DEC 17 1993

THOMAS J. HART
CLERK

Francis G. Conrad

Francis G. Conrad
U.S. Bankruptcy Judge