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TO: Attorneys and Parties Appearing Before the Court  
in the Tampa and Fort Myers Divisions

FROM: Michael G. Williamson, Chief Judge

DATE: August 21, 2017

SUBJECT: Notice of Changes to Order Establishing Presumptively Reasonable Fees for Chapter 13  
Debtors' Attorneys, applicable to all cases filed on or after September 15, 2017

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The judges of the Tampa and Fort Myers Divisions have today entered the attached Second Amended Order Establishing Reasonable Debtor's Attorney's Fees, Case No. 8:07-mp-00002-MGW, Doc. No. 40, to make the treatment of fees in Chapter 13 similar to the practices of the Orlando and Jacksonville Divisions ("Second Amended Fee Order").

The purpose of the Second Amended Order is to increase the amount of the presumptively reasonable fee for representation of a chapter 13 debtor, provide a presumptively reasonable fee for representation of a debtor in a mortgage modification mediation ordered by the Court, to provide for a monitoring fee for services provided after confirmation of the debtor's plan, and to abolish the practice of allowing additional fees to be charged based on a list of "a la carte" matters set forth in the Amended Fee Order, Case No. 8:07-mp-00002-MGW, Doc. No. 38.

The Second Amended Fee Order will apply to all cases filed on and after September 15, 2017.