

## Digital Audio Files of Proceedings Now Available via PACER

Registered PACER users can now request immediate access to digital audio recordings of court proceedings before Judge Jennemann. Users can download a copy of the digital audio file, share it with their clients, and keep it for future reference or use in drafting orders or other pleadings. The cost is \$2.40 per download (the same cost as a 30-page download).

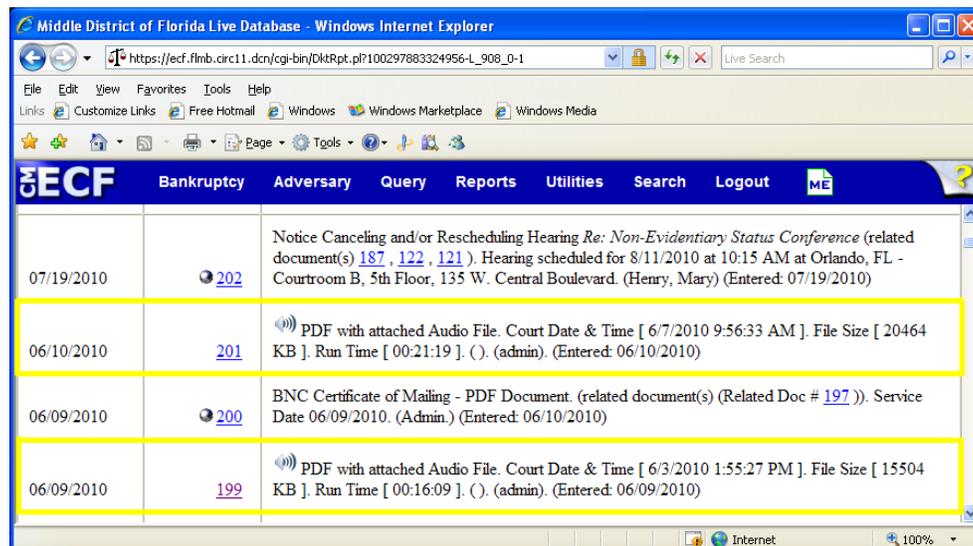
Judge Jennemann (or any other presiding judge) has the sole discretion to provide PACER access to the digital audio file of a court proceeding. The Court will “tag” certain hearing for audio access without a request. Parties also may request, in open court, to have a proceeding designated as available for PACER access; **filing a motion is not necessary**. The Court typically will deny any request to provide PACER access to audio files of cases heard on large, multi-case dockets (i.e., Preliminary Hearings on Motions for Relief from Stay, Chapter 13 Confirmation hearings, etc...).

### System Requirements:

- 1) A current PACER registration
- 2) Adobe Acrobat or Adobe Reader version 7 or greater
- 3) Windows Media Player (for .mp3 file playback)

### Accessing the Digital Audio File:

- 1) From the PACER home page, select the “Reports” Menu
- 2) While in the “Reports” menu, select “Docket Report” from the “Case Information Reports” subheading.
- 3) Enter the appropriate case number and click “Run Report”.
- 4) Select the docket entry titled, “PDF with Attached Audio File...” with the date and time that corresponds with that of the proceeding by clicking on the docket entry number.



- 5) A PDF file with general information on the proceeding (i.e., date, time, length of hearing) will appear on-screen.

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**UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
MIDDLE DISTRICT OF FLORIDA  
PDF FILE WITH AUDIO FILE ATTACHMENT**

09-04661  
The Plaza LLC a Florida Limited Liability Company

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Case Type : bk  
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*An audio file is embedded as an attachment in this PDF document. To listen to the file, click the Attachments tab or the Paper Clip icon. Select the Audio File and click Open.*

**MPEG Layer-3 audio coding technology from Fraunhofer IIS and Thomson.**

**This digital recording is a copy of a court proceeding and is provided as a convenience to the public. In accordance with 28 U.S.C. § 753 (b) "[n]o transcript of the proceedings of the court shall be considered as official except those made from the records certified by the reporter or other individual designated to produce the record."**

- 6) Click on the "Attachments" tab located on the lower left-hand border of the PDF file. A new section will open displaying the name of the audio file.
- 7) Click on the audio file. You will note that the "Open" button becomes clickable.



Q: I opened the audio file but I don't hear anything. Is the file damaged?

A: The file is not damaged. This is common for cases that are first on a given docket. Audio recording starts before Court is called into session. Therefore, the "dead space" is simply the silence before the case is called. Fast forwarding to a later portion of the file audio should remedy this issue.

Q: Do I still have access to CD's or transcripts of court proceedings?

A: Yes, CD and transcription services will proceed under their current guidelines.