

Application/Motion/Request for Administrative Expense Claim for Debtor Attorney Fees After Pre-Confirmation Dismissal or Conversion – Chapter 13

Docketing Event

Bankruptcy > Motions/Applications/Objections > Application/Motion/Request for Payment of Administrative Expenses

Negative Notice: Yes.

Accompanying Orders: N/A

Code and Rule References:

[11 U.S.C. § 503](#)

[Fed. R. Bankr. P. 2002\(a\)\(6\) & \(h\)](#)

[Fed. R. Bankr. P. 9034](#)

[Local Rule 2002-4](#)

[Local Rule 3071-1](#)

[Local Rule 9013-3](#)

[Administrative Order FLMB-2020-7](#)

Fee: N/A

Applicable Chapter: 13

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Description

Attorneys representing Debtors may file applications, motions, or requests seeking approval for payment of compensation when a Chapter 13 case is converted to another chapter or dismissed. They seek payment as an administrative claim from funds held by the Chapter 13 Trustee, who will pay the attorney directly. However, there are numerous other types of administrative claims that may be made by creditors, which are outlined in 11 U.S.C. § 503.

Filing Checklist

Review the motion/application/request to determine if it:

- Is signed;
 - Has the attorney's name and address complete and consistent with the filing attorney's name and address in CM/ECF;
 - Is properly served and contains a proper Certificate of Service;
 - Negative notice should be included and the correct language on the first page;
 - ❖ **Note:** Response period is 14 days (plus an additional three days if any party was served by U.S. Mail).
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Forms

[Application for Administrative Expense Claim for Attorney for Debtor – Chapter 13](#)
[Order Approving Application for Administrative Expense Claim for Attorney for Debtor – Chapter 13](#)