



What's New?

All the Latest You Need to Know!

Form Motion to Extend/Impose Stay Required Beginning August 15, 2025.

The Court has updated its form verified motion to extend or impose the automatic stay. The form motion includes information regarding the most recently filed prior case, the reason(s) for its dismissal, a history of any previously filed prior cases, a comparison of income and expenses between the current case and the prior case, a list of plan payments made in prior cases, and the change in personal or financial circumstances such that the reason for dismissal in that case is not likely to recur. can be found in The Source section of the Court's website at: [Sample Motion to Extend the Automatic Stay | U.S. Bankruptcy Court Middle District of Florida](#).

Submit Your Suggestions Regarding Local Rules

The Local Rules Lawyers' Advisory Committee for the United States Bankruptcy Court, Middle District of Florida, invites interested parties, including members of the Bar and Court employees, to submit their suggestions, comments, and proposals for proposed new Local Rules or revisions to the current Local Rules. Suggestions should be submitted no later than October 3, 2025. [Click here](#) to submit recommendations to the Committee.

Bankruptcy Rules and Form Changes Posted for Public Comment

The Judicial Conference Committee on Rules of Practice and Procedure has approved for publication and public comment amendments to existing forms and rules including Federal Rule of Bankruptcy Procedure 2002 – Notices; Official Form 101 – Voluntary Petition for Individuals Filing Bankruptcy; and Official Form 106C – Schedule C: The Property You Claim as Exempt. Proposals and supporting materials are posted on the Judiciary's website at <https://www.uscourts.gov/forms-rules/proposed-amendments-published-public-comment>. The public comment period runs from August 15, 2025, until February 16, 2026.