

# **BANKRUPTCY <sup>UP</sup>DATE**

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### **Debtors Must be Served**

Bankr. D.S.D. R. 9001-1(7)(B) defines "parties in interest" to include "the debtor." Unless a debtor is receiving electronic notice, please remember to serve each debtor by mail and to list each debtor's name and address on your certificate of service when serving parties in interest. This applies even when service is being made by the attorney for the debtor. Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure 7004(b) and (g) and 9014(b) provide the foundation for why a debtor needs to be served even if the debtor's attorney is served pursuant to Fed.R.Bankr.P. 7004(g).

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