# BANKRUPTCY <sup>UP</sup>DATE February 14, 2022

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# **Bankruptcy Judge Opening in South Dakota**

Judge Nail is retiring effective January 16, 2023. Therefore, the United States Court of Appeals for the Eighth Circuit is seeking applications from qualified candidates for a 14-year appointment as the next United States Bankruptcy Judge for the District of South Dakota. The position is headquartered in Sioux Falls. The application deadline is March 21, 2022.

Public Notice

**Fillable Application** 

## **Local Bankruptcy Rules Committee**

If you are interested in being considered for a three-year appointment to the Local Bankruptcy Rules Committee, please send an email on or before March 11, 2022, to Bankruptcy Clerk Rick Entwistle at <u>Rick\_Entwistle@sdb.uscourts.gov</u>.

## **Credit Needs for Upcoming Crop Year**

Counsel for reorganizing farmers and ranchers: As spring rapidly approaches, please make sure to file any necessary credit motions for crop inputs, etc., as soon as possible.

# **CM/ECF Unavailable**

To allow us to perform necessary maintenance on our CM/ECF system, it will be unavailable tomorrow, February 15, 2022, from 6:00 p.m. until approximately 9:00 p.m. (Central). We apologize for the inconvenience.

# **Post-Petition Financial Management Course**

After an individual debtor completes the required post-petition financial management course, either the counseling agency must electronically file the Certificate of Debtor Education or the debtor must sign and date a <u>Certification About a Financial</u> <u>Management Course (Official Form 423)</u>, which the debtor's attorney shall then electronically file. Because neither the debtor nor the debtor's attorney signs the Certificate of Debtor Education provided by the counseling agency, the debtor's attorney must **not** electronically file it.

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#### Previous Bankruptcy <sup>UP</sup>dates

As always, should you have questions regarding this <sup>UP</sup>date or anything else concerning your dealings with the Court or the Clerk's office, please let us know.