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UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

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6 In re: )  
7 ORDER ADOPTING ) General Order 19-01  
8 INTERIM BANKRUPTCY )  
9 RULE 1007-1 )  
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12 WHEREAS, The National Guard and Reservists Debt Relief Act of 2008,  
13 Pub. L. No. 110-438, was enacted into law on October 20, 2008; and

14 WHEREAS, the Act excludes certain members of the National Guard and  
15 Reserves from means testing in chapter 7 bankruptcy cases which are commenced in  
16 the three-year period beginning December 19, 2008; and  
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18 WHEREAS, Interim Bankruptcy Rule 1007-1 was adopted by this court in  
19 General Order 08-04 on December 15, 2008 to implement the temporary exclusion  
20 effective December 19, 2008, and revised in General Order 09-03 on December 1,  
21 2009, Special Order 10-03 on December 1, 2010, General Order 11-02 on December 1,  
22 2011, General Order 12-03 on November 20, 2012, and General Order 16-02 on  
23 January 4, 2016; and  
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25 WHEREAS, The National Guard and Reservists Debt Relief Extension Act of  
26 2019, Pub L. No.116-53 was enacted into law on August 23, 2019, extending for an  
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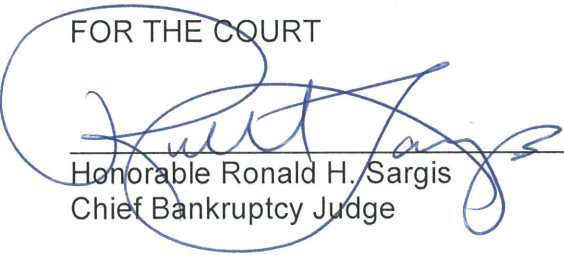
1 additional four years the temporary exclusion from the bankruptcy means test for certain  
2 members of the National Guard and Reserves;

3 NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that Interim Rule 1007-1 is extended by  
4 this court effective December 19, 2019 and shall apply only to cases commenced in the  
5 four-year period beginning December 19, 2019, unless Congress further extends the  
6 termination date beyond December 18, 2023.  
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8 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that General Order 16-02, dated January 4, 2016, is  
9 hereby abrogated.  
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12 DATED: *October 24, 2019*

FOR THE COURT

  
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15 Honorable Ronald H. Sargis  
16 Chief Bankruptcy Judge  
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