

URGENT MESSAGE TO THE BAR: VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Throughout the District there is an immediate and urgent need for pro bono bankruptcy attorneys to represent debtors in chapter 7 cases. These indigent consumers have been identified and screened. Please join your colleagues who have answered the call by contacting any of the legal service agencies below.

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Thank you,

Chief Judge Melvin S. Hoffman

Judge Joan N. Feeney

Judge Frank J. Bailey

Judge Christopher J. Panos

Judge Elizabeth D. Katz