

United States Bankruptcy Court District of Massachusetts

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Boston, MA: The U.S. Bankruptcy Court for the District of Massachusetts announced today that the Honorable Elizabeth D. Katz will become the Chief Judge of the United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Massachusetts on December 10, 2022. She succeeds the Honorable Christopher J. Panos, whose term is expiring. Pursuant to a standing order of the U.S. District Court for the District of Massachusetts, the chief judge of the Bankruptcy Court is appointed for a four-year term based on seniority of appointment as a bankruptcy judge.

Immediately prior to her appointment, Judge Katz had been a founding partner at Rescia, Katz & Shear, LLP. She was appointed to the federal bankruptcy bench in March 2017 and sits in Springfield and Worcester.

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