

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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In re: :
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EXTENSION OF APPLICABILITY OF : General Order # M-429
INTERIM RULE 1007-I : :
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WHEREAS, this Court, by means of **General Order M-363** (signed December 9, 2008), adopted Interim Rule 1007-I, which implements the 2008 amendments to 11 U.S.C. § 707(b) providing a temporary exclusion from the application of the means test for certain members of the National Guard and Reserves;

WHEREAS, this Court, by means of **General Order M-391** (signed December 28, 2009), adopted the amended version of Interim Rule 1007-I, as amended by the Judicial Conference of the United States; and

WHEREAS, the President of the United States, on December 13, 2011, signed into law the National Guard and Debt Relief Extension Act of 2011, which extended – for four additional years (until December 18, 2015) – the temporary exclusion from the application of the means test for certain members of the National Guard and Reserves; it is, therefore,

ORDERED that the applicability of Interim Rule 1007-I to cases filed in this district is extended for so long as such exclusion from the means test remains operative under federal law.

Dated: New York, New York
December 21, 2011

/s/ Arthur J. Gonzalez
ARTHUR J. GONZALEZ
Chief United States Bankruptcy Judge