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### **Recent Opinions**

Full text of opinions is available on the Bankruptcy Court's website; click on Opinions on left-side index, then search by date. No new opinions have been posted since last week's summary.

### **NEW ITEMS:**

#### **Annual Meeting Reminder**

The Annual Meeting of the Debtor-Creditor Section of the Oregon State Bar will be held this year at Salishan Resort on September 19 and 20. The CLE program will feature local experts and national authorities on workouts, restructurings, Oregon and Washington foreclosures and construction liens. The room rate of \$159 per night (plus fees and taxes) is more likely to be available if you register before August 19.

#### **Amended Local Bankruptcy Rules**

Amended LBRs are in effect as of **August 8, 2008**, for all matters (including adversary proceedings) in bankruptcy cases pending on that date. They supersede all prior LBRs and general orders of the court. The file containing the new LBRs is available on the website.

#### **Updated Local Bankruptcy Forms**

Many LBFs have been modified and their use is now **required**. Obsolete forms have been deleted. Click on "Local Forms Updates" on main page for details.

### **PREVIOUSLY PUBLISHED ITEMS:**

The following is a summary of items added in the past several weeks.

#### **Court Fees List**

The court fees list was updated on August 1, raising the mileage fee to \$.585 per mile.

#### **Local Bankruptcy Form #125**

This form covering ECF administrative procedures was updated on July 4, 2008, for immediate use.

#### **ECF Training**

Lawyers get 4 CLE credits for ECF training. Sessions run from 8:30 am to 12:30 pm. The currently scheduled training dates (posted on the website) for Portland are: August 14, September 10, and October 16. The dates for Eugene are: August 28, September 17, and October 23.

#### **Debtor-Creditor Section Website**

An archive of these court updates is maintained on the Debtor-Creditor Section website at <http://www.osb-dc.org/orb.htm>.