IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 2018 JAN 31 AM 9: 08 FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEBRASKA

OFFICE OF THE CLERK

U.S. DISTRICT COURT

IN RE: IMPLEMENTATION OF NEXTGEN CM/ECF

GENERAL ORDER NO. 2018-01

CM/ECF filing for the District of Nebraska will suspend operation at noon on Friday, April 13, 2018, as the conversion to Next Generation CM/ECF (NextGen) begins. After noon on Friday, April 13, 2018, Notices of Electronic Filing will not issue until NextGen becomes operational on Monday, April 16, 2018. An extension for electronic filing will be granted for all documents with court-imposed deadlines falling between noon on Friday, April 13, 2018, and midnight on Sunday, April 15, 2018. All documents due during that period must be filed on or before Monday, April 16, 2018.

The Clerk will accept documents via email during CM/ECF suspension, if sent to <u>clerk@ned.uscourts.gov</u>. Such submissions should be limited to filings with a statute of limitations deadline, requests for emergency injunctive relief, notices of appeal, and similar time-sensitive filings. If counsel or pro se filers have any concern about whether a filing must be submitted to the Clerk to ensure its timeliness, they should submit the filing by email. Documents submitted by email will be deemed filed as of the date received, and will be entered on the docket by the Clerk's Office as soon as practical.

Information will be posted on the Court's website on or before Monday, April 16, 2018, as to when NextGen is operational. For counsel and filing parties, previously issued CM/ECF logins and passwords will no longer be operational and all electronic

filing will be accomplished using PACER logins and passwords.¹ Information on the CM/ECF transition process will be updated on the Court's website, and interested parties are encouraged to monitor the website.

Dated this 31st day of January, 2018.

BY THE COURT:

s/ Laurie Smith Camp Chief United States District Judge

¹ Each attorney or filing party will need to have an individual PACER account. Shared accounts cannot be used to file electronically. Go to <u>www.pacer.gov</u> to register for a PACER account.