

## IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF PUERTO RICO José V. Toledo Post Office & Courthouse Federal Building 300 Recinto Sur St, Suite 109 San Juan, Puerto Rico 00901

## Notice to Bar and Public

Re: Changes to Certain Filing Fees

**Effective April 9, 2006**, certain filing fees will change in accordance with the Deficit Reduction Act of 2005 (Pub. L. 109-171). These changes will apply to all new cases filed on or after Sunday, April 9, 2006.

Chapter 7 increases from \$274 to \$299

Chapter 13 increases from \$189 to \$274

Motion to convert:

from Chapter 7 to Chapter 11 decreases from \$780 to \$755

from Chapter 13 to Chapter 11 decreases from \$850 to \$765

Certain other statutory fees may also increase, including the Chapter 11 filing fee, adversary filing fee, reopening a bankruptcy case, splitting/severing a bankruptcy case and docketing an appeal or cross appeal. More information regarding these possible fee increases will be posted as it becomes available.

A complete copy of the fee schedule is now available on our web site at < www.prb.uscourts.gov >.

In San Juan, Puerto Rico, this 4<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2006.

celestino Marta-Méndez, Esq.

Clerk of the Court