

United States Bankruptcy Court Southern District of Mississippi

New Case Assignment Procedure and New Hearing Location

Effective December 1, 2018:

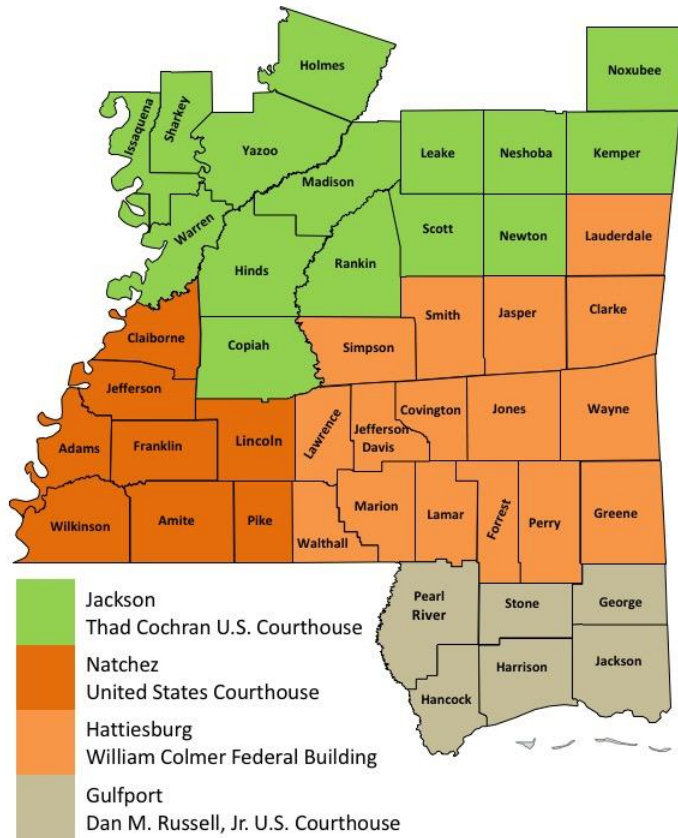
- **New Chapter 7 and 13 cases** filed on or after this date will be assigned to Judge Olack or Judge Samson based on the attached map¹.
- **All Pending cases** (and related adversary proceedings), will be reassigned (with some exceptions based on judicial efficiency, etc.) to Judge Olack or Judge Samson based on the attached map.
- Upon reassignment of a case, the ECF system will send email notifications (NEF) to case participants that are registered with the bankruptcy court to receive electronic notification.
- Pay particular attention to the hearing location on **all** hearing notices (including 341 notices) for hearings to be held on or after December 1, 2018. Generally, cases transferred from Judge Olack to Judge Samson in Adams, Amite, Claiborne, Franklin, Jefferson, Lauderdale, Simpson, Smith, and Wilkinson counties will be heard in Hattiesburg initially. However, the hearing location for cases in some of these counties will move to Natchez beginning on January 31, 2019. See page 2 for additional information.



¹ Cases are assigned based on the county of residence for an individual debtor and the county of the principal place of business for a non-individual.

Effective January 31, 2019:

Court hearings for matters in [Adams](#), [Amite](#), [Claiborne](#), [Franklin](#), [Jefferson](#), [Lincoln](#), [Pike](#), and [Wilkinson](#) will be set for hearing in the Natchez United States Courthouse based on the attached map.



QUESTIONS:

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