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IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF OKLAHOMA

IN THE MATTER OF THE )  
FEDERAL LAPSE IN APPROPRIATIONS ) Miscellaneous Order No. 7

**MISCELLANEOUS ORDER TERMINATING STAY IN  
CHAPTER 7 AND 13 BANKRUPTCY CASES**

Before the Court is the matter of the lapse in appropriations for the Department of Justice and the United States Attorney's Office for the Western District of Oklahoma, previously addressed in Miscellaneous Order No. 4.

1. On October 1, 2013, the Court entered Miscellaneous Order No. 4, which stayed all Chapter 7 and 13 Bankruptcy cases within the Western District of Oklahoma wherein the United States or an agency, corporation, officer or employee, deemed or otherwise, of the United States is a party during the lapse of appropriations to the Department of Justice.

2. Pursuant to Paragraph 9 of Miscellaneous Order No. 4, the Court stated that it would enter additional instructions and guidance upon notice from the United States Attorney that Congress restored appropriations to the Department of Justice.

3. By letter dated October 18, 2013, the United States Attorney has notified the Court that Congress has restored appropriations to the Department of Justice.

4. As appropriations are now restored, the stay entered by Miscellaneous Order No. 4 is terminated as of this date and additional guidance is hereby provided.

5. All deadlines in Chapter 7 and 13 Bankruptcy cases within the Western District of Oklahoma where the United States or an agency, corporation, officer or employee, deemed or otherwise, of the United States is a party shall be extended as follows: (i) all deadlines, response dates, due dates or cut-off dates that fell during the period of the stay shall be extended for sixteen (16) days from the date of this order; and (ii) all other deadlines, response dates, due dates or cut-off dates currently running but expiring after the date of this order shall be extended for sixteen (16) days from the current deadline, response date, due date or cut-off date.

6. All hearings involving the United States or an agency, corporation, officer or employee, deemed or otherwise, of the United States that were to occur during the stay shall be reset on a case-by-case basis.

IT IS SO ORDERED this 18<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2013.

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