

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF OKLAHOMA

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IN RE:)
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PLEADINGS USING GENERATIVE)
ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE.)

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U.S. BANKRUPTCY COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF OK
General Order No. 23-01
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Effective September 1, 2023, any document filed with the Court that has been drafted utilizing a generative artificial intelligence program, including but not limited to ChatGPT, Harvey.AI, or Google Bard, must be accompanied by an attestation: (1) identifying the program used and the specific portions of text for which a generative artificial intelligence program was utilized; (2) certifying the document was checked for accuracy using print reporters, traditional legal databases, or other reliable means; and (3) certifying the use of such program has not resulted in the disclosure of any confidential information to any unauthorized party. The Court finds such attestation necessary because as noted by Hon. Brantley Starr: “While attorneys swear an oath to set aside their personal prejudices, biases, and beliefs to faithfully uphold the law and represent their clients, generative artificial intelligence is the product of programming devised by humans who did not have to swear such an oath. As such, these systems hold no allegiance to any client, the rule of law, or the laws and Constitution of the United States (or . . . the truth).” Hon. Brantley Starr, Mandatory Certification Regarding Generative Artificial Intelligence, www.txnd.uscourts.gov/judge/judge-brantley-starr (last visited June 22, 2023).

Additionally, Rule 9011 of the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure continues to apply to all documents filed with the Court, and the Court construes all filings as a certification by the person signing the filed document of compliance with Rule 9011(b).

SO ORDERED this 25TH day of July, 2023.

[Signature]
Sarah A. Hall, Chief
United States Bankruptcy Judge

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Janice D. Loyd,
United States Bankruptcy Judge