

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF MARYLAND

IN RE:

NEXTGEN CM/ECF  
IMPLEMENTATION

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MISC. NO. 00-308

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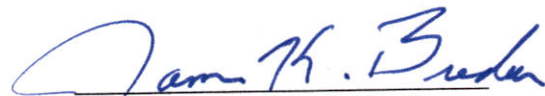
**STANDING ORDER 2022-02**

In order to facilitate this Court's conversion to NextGen CM/ECF, electronic filing via CM/ECF for the District of Maryland will be unavailable from 12:00 p.m. on Friday, February 11, 2022 until 8:30 a.m. on Monday, February 14, 2022. Any court-imposed deadlines falling on Friday, February 11, 2022, are extended to 11:59 p.m. on Monday, February 14, 2022.

During this period when CM/ECF is unavailable, the Clerk's Office will accept emergency, time-sensitive filings submitted by counsel via email transmission, such as filings nearing statute of limitations deadlines, requests for emergency injunctive relief, and notices of appeal. Documents must be submitted to [MDD\\_ECFHelp@mdd.uscourts.gov](mailto:MDD_ECFHelp@mdd.uscourts.gov) in PDF format only and will be deemed filed as of the date received. Documents must be submitted by the email address for counsel on file with the Clerk's Office in order to be accepted for filing. Any documents submitted by email during this time will be entered on the docket by the Clerk's Office as soon as practical after CM/ECF is operational. These documents may also be filed by paper at the Clerk's Office or in the after hours drop box. Information will be posted on our website notifying the public when NextGen CM/ECF is operational. At that time, users will be able to file electronically using their upgraded PACER accounts once they have linked their PACER accounts to their existing CM/ECF accounts.<sup>1</sup>

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Date:



James K. Bredar, Chief Judge  
United States District Court

Jan 19, 2022

<sup>1</sup> Instructions for linking these accounts can be found at <https://www.mdd.uscourts.gov/new-nextgen-website>.