## UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT NORTHERN DISTRICT OF MISSISSIPPI

## STANDING ORDER ALLOWING DISMISSAL OF PLEADINGS AS TO WHICH UNCURED DEFICIENCIES REMAIN

WHEREAS, the advent of CM/ECF allows parties to file pleadings or other documents directly into the court's electronic data base, and

WHEREAS, personnel in the clerk's office review all electronically filed pleadings and documents for errors relating to form (as distinguished from matters of substance), and

WHEREAS, when an error is found, clerk's office personnel issue a "Clerk's Request for Corrective Action" which identifies the error and explains how to correct it, and

WHEREAS, the failure of the filing party to implement the corrective action requested by the clerk creates unreasonable delay prejudicial to other parties, and

WHEREAS, the Advisory Committee notes to the 1993 amendment to Rule 5005 of the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure suggest that requirements of form mandated by the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure or by local rules or practice should be enforced by a judge rather than the office of the clerk; it is

ORDERED that if the filer of a pleading or document has failed to implement a Clerk's Request for Corrective Action within two business days after issuance of the request, the pleading or document may be dismissed or stricken by <u>sua sponte</u> order of the court.

DATED: June 30, 2008

David W. Houston, III

Chief Judge, United States Bankruptcy Court

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Northern District of Mississippi
David J. Puddister, Clerk