

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT & BANKRUPTCY COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF IDAHO**

In the Matter of:)
)
THE REALIGNMENT OF CASSIA)
AND MINIDOKA COUNTIES FROM)
SOUTHERN TO EASTERN DIVISION)
)
(Revises Local Rule 3.1 - Venue))
_____)

GENERAL ORDER NO. 153

The Court finds that because of the geographic proximity of Cassia and Minidoka Counties to Pocatello and the ability of the Eastern Division to handle the increased caseload, in the interests of both the administration of justice and convenience to party litigants, **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that Cassia and Minidoka Counties, which were formerly part of the Southern Division, shall henceforth be part of the Eastern Division.

Effective September 15, 1999, cases which arise in Cassia or Minidoka Counties, or otherwise have venue in these areas, will be assigned by the Clerk upon the filing of the complaint or petition to the Eastern Division. Juries will be selected from the Eastern Division in accordance with the Jury Selection Plan adopted by the Court.

This Oder shall apply only to newly filed cases on of after September 15, 1999 and will not affect presently pending cases.

DATED this 15th day of September, 1999.

B. LYNN WINMILL
Chief United States District Judge

EDWARD J. LODGE
United States District Judge

MIKEL H. WILLIAMS
Chief United States Magistrate Judge

LARRY M. BOYLE
United States Magistrate Judge

JIM D. PAPPAS
Chief United States Bankruptcy Judge

TERRY L.MYERS
United States Bankruptcy Judge