United States Court of Federal Claims

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Final Notice of the United States Court of Federal Claims' Implementation of NextGen CM/ECF

The United States Court of Federal Claims will go live on NextGen CM/ECF next Monday, August 26, 2019. As a final reminder, attorneys will need to complete their PACER account upgrades before that date.

Prepare for NextGen CM/ECF

As of August 26, 2019, electronic filing in the United States Court of Federal Claims will be available through individual and upgraded PACER accounts only. Instructions for upgrading or creating accounts are available at www.uscfc.uscourts.gov/cmecf_nextgen. Please note that new CM/ECF account registrations will be suspended from Wednesday, August 21, 2019, through Sunday, August 25, 2019.

Attorney Admissions

As of August 26, 2019, an individual and upgraded PACER account is required to request admission to practice or file in the United States Court of Federal Claims. For more information on attorney admissions, please visit <u>www.uscfc.uscourts.gov/cmecf_nextgen</u>.

Plan for NextGen CM/ECF

To ensure a successful installation of NextGen CM/ECF, electronic filing will be suspended from 12:00 p.m. (EDT) on Friday, August 23, 2019, through 6:00 a.m. (EDT) on Monday, August 26, 2019. Although the Clerk's Office will be open on August 23, 2019, it has been deemed inaccessible under Rule 6 of the Rules of the United States Court of Federal Claims for purposes of calculating deadlines.

About NextGen CM/ECF

With the upgrade to NextGen CM/ECF, court filers will use a single sign-on for electronic filing, PACER access, and access to all federal courts on NextGen CM/ECF (i.e., no more multiple accounts). Visit <u>www.uscfc.uscourts.gov/cmecf_nextgen</u> for more information.