

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE
WESTERN DIVISION

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ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER 94-2

IN RE: AMENDMENTS TO RULE 26
OF THE FEDERAL RULES
OF CIVIL PROCEDURE

The court has considered the amendments to Rule 26 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure which took effect December 1, 1993. Those provisions of the rule from which the court may except itself by the terms of the rule will not apply to pending or future bankruptcy appeals, social security appeals, pro se prisoner litigation, and petitions for writ of habeas corpus. The court as a whole will take no other action at this time to except itself from the provisions of the rule as they apply to other pending and future cases, although individual judges may make such orders as they deem appropriate with respect to application of the amendments to cases assigned to them.

The court will reconsider this decision approximately 180 days from the date of entry of this order. During the 180-day period the court welcomes input and comment from lawyers and litigants about the impact and operation of the amendments and will also

perform its own evaluation of the impact and operation of the rules.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Julia Smith Gibbons
JULIA SMITH GIBBONS, CHIEF JUDGE

Odell Horton
ODELL HORTON, JUDGE

James D. Todd
JAMES D. TODD, JUDGE

Jerome Turner
JEROME TURNER, JUDGE

Jon McCalla
JON MCCALLA, JUDGE

January 27, 1994
DATE

January 28, 1994
DATE

January 31, 1994
DATE

February 3, 1994
DATE

January 28, 1994
DATE