IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF ARKANSAS

IN RE MAGISTRATE DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

GENERAL ORDER NO. 17

Under the Rules of this Court, the full-time United States Magistrates of this district are

authorized to conduct debtor examinations. On occasion, persons who have been summoned to

appear at such examinations fail to do so, and it appears that there is a need to direct such persons

to show cause why they should not be held in contempt of court.

THEREFORE, the Court hereby authorizes the full-time Magistrates of this district to issue

show cause orders, conduct necessary hearings on such matters, and to report and recommend to the

District Court the action they feel should be taken.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

DATED this 24th day of February, 1981.

/s/ Garnett Thomas Eisele

GARNETT THOMAS EISELE, CHIEF JUDGE

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT