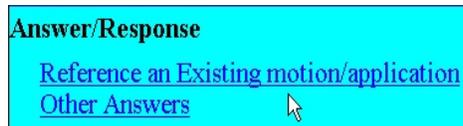


Response to a motion or document.

STEP 1 Click the **Bankruptcy or Adversary** hyperlink, whichever is appropriate, on the CM/ECF Main Menu, then click on **Answer/Response**.

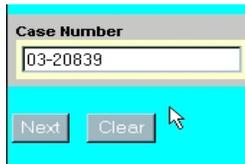


STEP 2 The **Answer/Response** screen displays.



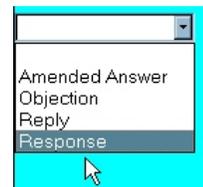
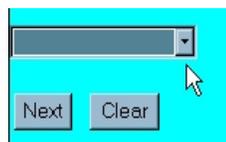
◆ Click on **Reference an Existing motion/application**.

STEP 3 The **Case Number** screen displays.



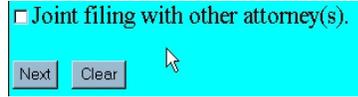
- ◆ Enter the case number.
- ◆ Click on the **Next** button.

STEP 4 The **select type of document being filed** screen displays.



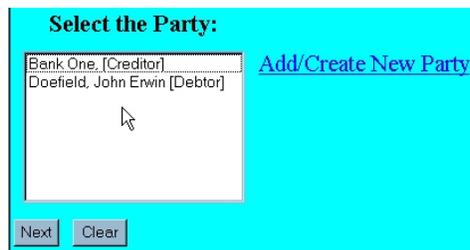
- ◆ Scroll the options to highlight **Response**.
- ◆ Click on the **Next** button.

STEP 5 The **Joint filing with other attorney(s)** screen is displayed.



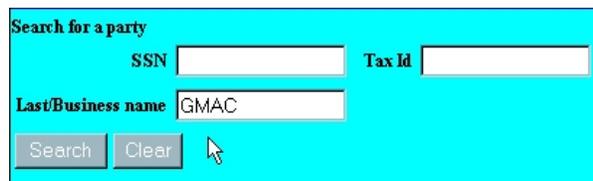
- ◆ Click in the **Joint filing with other attorney(s)** box only if this is a joint filing to add any additional attorneys.
- ◆ Click on the **Next** button.

STEP 6 The **Select the Party:** screen displays.



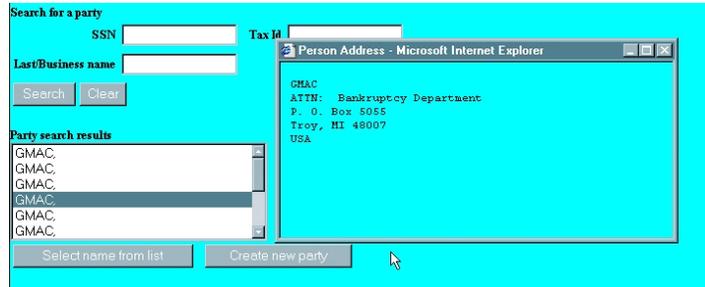
- ◆ If name of party appears, click on the name and click **Next**; proceed to **Step 10**.
- ◆ If name does not appear, click on **Add/Create New Party**, then click on **Next** and proceed to **Step 7**.

STEP 7 The **Search for a party** screen displays.



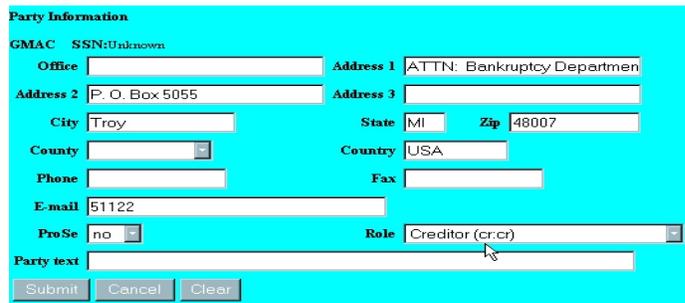
- ◆ **DO NOT SEARCH BY SSN OR TAX ID NUMBERS.** Search by Last/Business name by entering at least three characters of party's last name or business name, using upper or lower case characters (is not case-sensitive).
- ◆ Click on the **Search** button.

STEP 8 The **Party search results** screen displays.



- ◆ If party’s name appears, click on it so that it becomes highlighted, verify address from pop-up screen, then click on **Select name from list** and proceed with **Step 9**.
- ◆ If party’s name is not found, click on **Create new party** and proceed to **Step 10**.

STEP 9 The **Party Information** screen displays.



- ◆ Modify and/or verify information, if applicable. It is not necessary to add an address, as notices will go to the attorney representing that party.
- ◆ **Role** - click on drop down box and select appropriate party role (e.g. Creditor (cr:cr)).
- ◆ **Party Text** - add additional information such as ‘*A West Virginia Corporation*’ in the box provided.
- ◆ Click **Clear** to re-key party information or **Cancel** to go back to the *Select the Party* screen.
- ◆ Click on **Submit** to continue and proceed to **Step 11**.

STEP 10 If you selected **Create New Party** from the *Select the Party* screen, a new **Party Information** screen displays.

- ◆ Enter the party information in appropriate fields. It is not necessary to add an address, as notices will go to the attorney representing the party. Use the **Last name** field for last name or full business name. Press the [**Tab**] key to advance to the **First name** field and enter first name.
- ◆ **Role** - click on the arrow in the box to the right and select the new person’s role (e.g. Creditor (cr:cr)).
- ◆ Click on the **Submit** button.

STEP 11 The **Select the Party:** screen displays.

- ◆ Click on the **Next** button.

STEP 12 The **Attorney/Party Association** screen may display if no previous document has been filed that associates the attorney/client relationship. Click on the box to create the attorney/client association and then click on the **Next** button.

STEP 13 The **Select the pdf document** screen appears.

- ◆ Type the path and file name in the blank box, or
- ◆ Click on the **Browse** button to navigate to the appropriate directory and file.
- ◆ To attach documents, (e.g. an exhibit, appendix):
 - ▶ Click on the radio button next to ‘Yes.’
 - ▶ Click on the **Next** button.

STEP 14 The **Certificate of Service** screen displays.

- ◆ Enter a lowercase ‘y’ or ‘n’ in the text box to indicate if a certificate of service is attached.
- ◆ Click on the **Next** button.

STEP 15 The **refer to existing event(s)** screen displays.

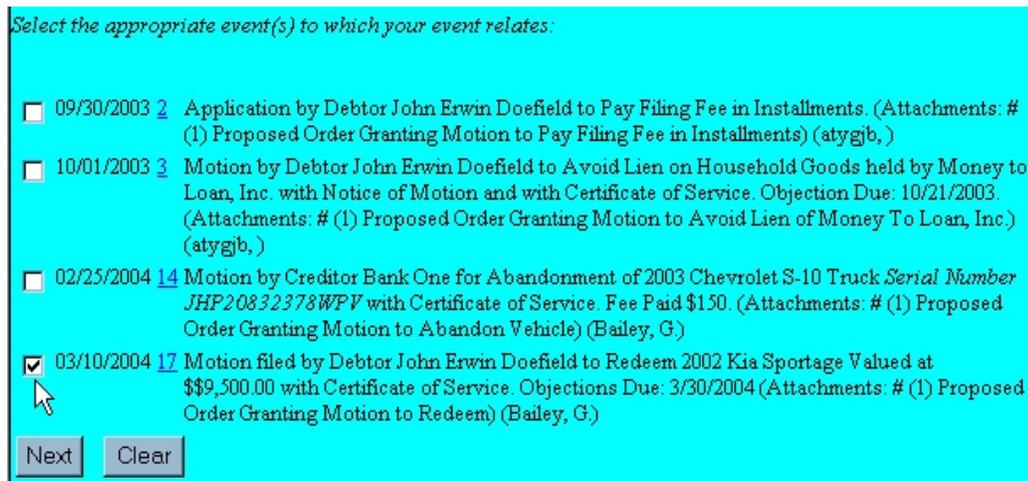
- ◆ Click in the box if this filing refers to an existing event.
- ◆ Click the **Next** button.

STEP 16 The **Select Category** screen displays.



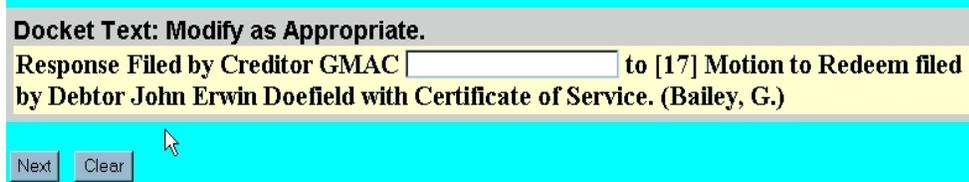
- ◆ Scroll through the available options to locate the category of choice. Click on the category to highlight. If you do not know the category, left-click on your mouse, drag down list to highlight all categories.
- ◆ Enter a date range if necessary.
- ◆ Enter a range of documents if necessary.
- ◆ Click on the **Next** button.

STEP 17 The **Docket Text** screen showing all related documents pertaining to the category chosen in **Step 17** is displayed.



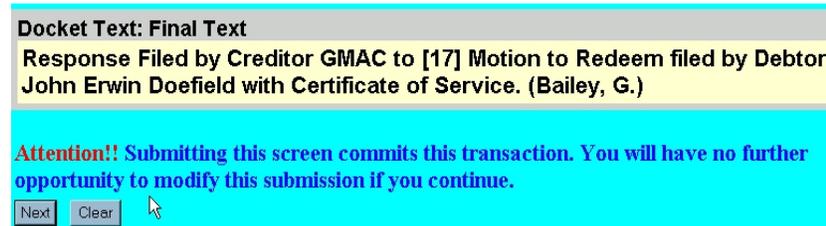
- ◆ Click in the box to the left of the motion(s) for which the answer, response, reply or objection refers.
- ◆ Click on the **Next** button.

STEP 18 The **Docket Text: Modify as Appropriate** screen displays.



- ◆ Add additional text if needed.
- ◆ Click on the **Next** button.

STEP 19 The **Docket Text: Final Text** screen displays.



- ◆ Verify the Final Docket text. If correct, click **Next**.
- ◆ If the Final Docket text is incorrect, you must click on your Browser's **Back** button to correct your entries or to abort or restart the transaction, click on the *Bankruptcy* hyperlink on the *Menu Bar*.

STEP 20 The **Notice of Electronic Filing** screen will display showing the essential data for this filing. Scroll down to view the entire receipt.

