

PACER

Public Access to Court Electronic Records

What is PACER?

The United States Courts designed an electronic bulletin board system called PACER. Most courts offer electronic public access through the PACER Service Center, the judiciary's centralized registration, billing, and technical support center. Electronic access is available to court records for the U.S. District Courts, U.S. Bankruptcy Courts, U.S. Courts of Appeals (through ABBS), and U.S. Party/Case Index by registering with the PACER Service Center. Each court maintains a separate database with detailed case information for electronic access. Accessing and querying information from each service is comparable; however, you must dial different modem numbers for each jurisdiction. The format and content of information provided differ slightly. Toll free modem numbers are provided to most jurisdictions.

Why use PACER?

The PACER System offers an inexpensive, fast, and comprehensive case information service to any individual with a personal computer (PC) and a modem. The PACER system permits you to request information about a particular individual or case. The data is displayed directly on your PC screen within a few seconds. The system is simple enough that little user training or documentation is required.

Available Information

The PACER System offers electronic access to case dockets to retrieve information such as:

- C A listing of all parties and participants including judges, attorneys, and trustees
- C A compilation of case related information such as cause of action, nature of suit, and dollar demand
- C A chronology of dates of case events entered in the case record
- C A claims registry
- C A listing of new cases each day in the bankruptcy court
- C Appellate court opinions
- C Judgments or case status
- C Types of documents filed for certain cases

U.S. Party/Case Index

The U.S. Party/Case Index is a national index for U.S. district, bankruptcy, and appellate courts. A small subset of information from each case will be transferred to the U.S. Party/Case Index each night. The system serves as a locator index for PACER. You may conduct nationwide searches to determine whether or not a party is involved in federal litigation. For detailed information on cases found while searching the U.S. Party/Case Index, you will need to dial into the PACER system for the particular jurisdiction where the case is located.

Availability

The PACER System is available days, nights, and weekends. You can verify all updates to active and recently closed cases without having to make repeated trips to the court to review paper records. If there have been no updates, this can be confirmed in seconds.

What you need

- C A personal computer or terminal
- C A 9600 or higher baud modem
- C Terminal emulation software that supports VT100 emulation

Cost

The cost for the service is \$.60 a minute. You will be billed on a quarterly basis for time online. You will be allowed to enter a client code of your choosing each time you login to PACER to help facilitate managing the costs. The client code you enter will appear for each transaction on your quarterly statement.

To Register

If you would like to register, please contact the PACER Service Center for a registration form. There is no cost to register.

In the San Antonio area call (210)301-6440. Outside the San Antonio area call (800) 676-6856. Or, write us:

PACER Service Center
P.O. Box 780549
San Antonio, TX 78278-0549

Internet mail: pacer@aottd.uscourts.gov

**PUBLIC ACCESS TO COURT ELECTRONIC RECORDS
PACER SERVICE CENTER
REGISTRATION FORM**

Please print or type:

FIRM NAME: _____

CONTACT PERSON: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY, STATE, ZIP: _____

PHONE NUMBER: _____

On the attached list please check each court you wish to access or list the court name(s) below. Be sure to specify district court, bankruptcy court or both.

or, you may register for all courts available by simply checking the box below.

All available courts

_____ **Check here if you are registering as a U.S. Government Agency.**

_____ **Check here if you are registered with any other court and list the login id.**

PLEASE FAX THIS FORM TO (210) 301-6441 OR MAIL TO:

PACER SERVICE CENTER
PACER REGISTRATION
P.O. BOX 780549
SAN ANTONIO, TX 78278-0549

There is no registration fee. You will only be billed for access time which is \$.60 per minute. You will receive your login and password in the mail within two weeks. Logins and passwords can not be faxed or given over the phone. If you have any questions, call the PACER Service Center at 1 (800) 676-6856.

IN ADDITION, YOU MAY REGISTER WITH THE FOLLOWING COURTS BY PLACING A CHECK MARK TO THE LEFT OF EACH COURT YOU ARE INTERESTED IN ACCESSING.

Court Name

____ U.S. PARTY/CASE INDEX
____ U.S. COURT OF APPEALS, FIRST CIRCUIT
____ U.S. COURT OF APPEALS, SECOND CIRCUIT
____ U.S. COURT OF APPEALS, THIRD CIRCUIT
____ U.S. COURT OF APPEALS, FOURTH CIRCUIT
____ U.S. COURT OF APPEALS, EIGHTH CIRCUIT
____ U.S. COURT OF APPEALS, NINTH CIRCUIT
____ U.S. COURT OF APPEALS, TENTH CIRCUIT
____ U.S. COURT OF APPEALS, D.C. CIRCUIT
____ ALASKA BANKRUPTCY COURT
____ ALASKA DISTRICT COURT
____ ALABAMA MIDDLE BANKRUPTCY COURT *____ ALABAMA MIDDLE DISTRICT COURT
____ ALABAMA NORTHERN BANKRUPTCY COURT-ANNIST
____ ALABAMA NORTHERN BANKRUPTCY COURT-BIRM'H
____ ALABAMA NORTHERN BANKRUPTCY COURT-DECATR
____ ALABAMA NORTHERN DISTRICT COURT
____ ALABAMA NORTHERN BANKRUPTCY COURT-TUSCAL
____ ALABAMA SOUTHERN BANKRUPTCY COURT
____ ALABAMA SOUTHERN DISTRICT COURT
____ ARKANSAS BANKRUPTCY COURT
____ ARKANSAS EASTERN DISTRICT COURT
____ ARIZONA BANKRUPTCY COURT - TUCSON
____ ARIZONA BANKRUPTCY COURT - YUMA
____ ARIZONA BANKRUPTCY COURT - PHOENIX
____ ARIZONA DISTRICT COURT
____ CALIFORNIA CENTRAL-SANTA BARBARA BK COURT
____ CALIFORNIA CENTRAL-SANTA ANA BK COURT
____ CALIFORNIA CENTRAL-BANKRUPTCY COURT-RIVERSIDE
____ CALIFORNIA CENTRAL BANKRUPTCY-SAN FERNANDO
____ CALIFORNIA CENTRAL BANKRUPTCY COURT - LA ***
____ CALIFORNIA CENTRAL DISTRICT COURT
____ CALIFORNIA EASTERN BANKRUPTCY COURT
____ CALIFORNIA EASTERN DISTRICT COURT
____ CALIFORNIA NORTHERN BANKRUPTCY COURT
____ CALIFORNIA NORTHERN DISTRICT COURT
____ CALIFORNIA SOUTHERN BANKRUPTCY COURT
____ CALIFORNIA SOUTHERN DISTRICT COURT
____ COLORADO BANKRUPTCY COURT
____ COLORADO DISTRICT COURT
____ CONNECTICUT BANKRUPTCY COURT
____ CONNECTICUT DISTRICT COURT
____ DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA BANKRUPTCY COURT
____ DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA DISTRICT COURT
____ DELAWARE BANKRUPTCY COURT
____ DELAWARE DISTRICT COURT
____ FLORIDA MIDDLE BANKRUPTCY COURT-JAX **
____ FLORIDA MIDDLE BANKRUPTCY COURT-ORLANDO **
____ FLORIDA MIDDLE BANKRUPTCY COURT-TAMPA **

* This court requires Symantecs pcAnywhere software but does not support any version more recent than version 5.0 for DOS or 2.0 for Windows.

**This court requires Symantecs pcAnywhere software version 4.0 or later. (any Windows version)

***To access this court, download WebPACER software from www.cacb.uscourts.gov

Court Name

_____ FLORIDA MIDDLE DISTRICT COURT
 _____ FLORIDA NORTHERN BANKRUPTCY COURT-PENSACOLA *
 _____ FLORIDA NORTHERN BANKRUPTCY COURT-TALLAHASSEE *
 _____ FLORIDA NORTHERN DISTRICT COURT
 _____ FLORIDA SOUTHERN BANKRUPTCY COURT
 _____ FLORIDA SOUTHERN DISTRICT COURT
 _____ GEORGIA MIDDLE BANKRUPTCY COURT
 _____ GEORGIA MIDDLE DISTRICT COURT
 _____ GEORGIA NORTHERN BANKRUPTCY COURT
 _____ GEORGIA NORTHERN DISTRICT COURT
 _____ GEORGIA SOUTHERN BANKRUPTCY COURT-AUGUST
 _____ GEORGIA SOUTHERN BANKRUPTCY COURT-SAVANN
 _____ GEORGIA SOUTHERN DISTRICT COURT
 _____ HAWAII BANKRUPTCY COURT
 _____ HAWAII DISTRICT COURT
 _____ IOWA NORTHERN BANKRUPTCY COURT
 _____ IOWA NORTHERN DISTRICT COURT
 _____ IOWA SOUTHERN BANKRUPTCY COURT
 _____ IOWA SOUTHERN DISTRICT COURT
 _____ ILLINOIS CENTRAL BANKRUPTCY COURT
 _____ ILLINOIS CENTRAL DISTRICT COURT
 _____ ILLINOIS NORTHERN BANKRUPTCY - CHICAGO
 _____ ILLINOIS NORTHERN DISTRICT COURT
 _____ ILLINOIS NORTHERN BANKRUPTCY - ROCKFORD
 _____ ILLINOIS SOUTHERN BANKRUPTCY COURT
 _____ ILLINOIS SOUTHERN DISTRICT COURT
 _____ INDIANA NORTHERN BANKRUPTCY COURT
 _____ INDIANA NORTHERN DISTRICT COURT
 _____ KANSAS BANKRUPTCY COURT
 _____ KANSAS DISTRICT COURT
 _____ KENTUCKY EASTERN BANKRUPTCY COURT
 _____ KENTUCKY EASTERN DISTRICT COURT
 _____ KENTUCKY WESTERN BANKRUPTCY COURT
 _____ KENTUCKY WESTERN DISTRICT COURT
 _____ LOUISIANA EASTERN BANKRUPTCY COURT
 _____ LOUISIANA EASTERN DISTRICT COURT
 _____ LOUISIANA MIDDLE BANKRUPTCY COURT
 _____ LOUISIANA MIDDLE DISTRICT COURT
 _____ LOUISIANA WESTERN BANKRUPTCY COURT
 _____ LOUISIANA WESTERN DISTRICT COURT
 _____ MASSACHUSETTS BANKRUPTCY COURT
 _____ MASSACHUSETTS DISTRICT COURT
 _____ MARYLAND BANKRUPTCY COURT
 _____ MARYLAND DISTRICT COURT
 _____ MAINE BANKRUPTCY COURT
 _____ MAINE DISTRICT COURT
 _____ MICHIGAN EASTERN BANKRUPTCY COURT
 _____ MICHIGAN EASTERN DISTRICT COURT
 _____ MICHIGAN WESTERN BANKRUPTCY COURT
 _____ MICHIGAN WESTERN DISTRICT COURT
 _____ MINNESOTA BANKRUPTCY COURT
 _____ MINNESOTA DISTRICT COURT

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Court Name

_____ MISSOURI EASTERN BANKRUPTCY COURT
 _____ MISSOURI EASTERN DISTRICT COURT
 _____ MISSOURI WESTERN CONSOLIDATED COURT
 _____ MISSISSIPPI NORTHERN BANKRUPTCY COURT
 _____ MISSISSIPPI NORTHERN DISTRICT COURT
 _____ MISSISSIPPI SOUTHERN BANKRUPTCY COURT **
 _____ MISSISSIPPI SOUTHERN DISTRICT COURT
 _____ MONTANA BANKRUPTCY COURT
 _____ MONTANA DISTRICT COURT
 _____ NORTH CAROLINA EASTERN DISTRICT COURT
 _____ NORTH CAROLINA EASTERN BANKRUPT-RALEIGH **
 _____ NORTH CAROLINA EASTERN BANKRUPT - WILSON **
 _____ NORTH CAROLINA MIDDLE BANKRUPTCY COURT
 _____ NORTH CAROLINA MIDDLE DISTRICT COURT
 _____ NORTH CAROLINA WESTERN BANKRUPTCY COURT
 _____ NORTH CAROLINA WESTERN DISTRICT COURT
 _____ NORTH DAKOTA BANKRUPTCY COURT
 _____ NORTH DAKOTA DISTRICT COURT
 _____ NEBRASKA BANKRUPTCY COURT
 _____ NEBRASKA DISTRICT COURT
 _____ NEW HAMPSHIRE BANKRUPTCY COURT
 _____ NEW HAMPSHIRE DISTRICT COURT
 _____ NEW JERSEY BANKRUPTCY COURT
 _____ NEW JERSEY DISTRICT COURT
 _____ NEW MEXICO BANKRUPTCY COURT
 _____ NEW MEXICO DISTRICT COURT
 _____ NEVADA BANKRUPTCY COURT
 _____ NEW YORK EASTERN BANKRUPTCY COURT
 _____ NEW YORK EASTERN DISTRICT COURT
 _____ NEW YORK NORTHERN BANKRUPTCY COURT
 _____ NEW YORK NORTHERN DISTRICT COURT
 _____ NEW YORK SOUTHERN BANKRUPTCY COURT
 _____ NEW YORK SOUTHERN DISTRICT COURT
 _____ NEW YORK WESTERN BANKRUPTCY COURT
 _____ NEW YORK WESTERN DISTRICT COURT
 _____ OHIO NORTHERN BANKRUPTCY COURT
 _____ OHIO NORTHERN DISTRICT COURT
 _____ OHIO SOUTHERN BANKRUPTCY COURT
 _____ OHIO SOUTHERN DISTRICT COURT
 _____ OKLAHOMA EASTERN BANKRUPTCY COURT
 _____ OKLAHOMA EASTERN DISTRICT COURT
 _____ OKLAHOMA NORTHERN BANKRUPTCY COURT
 _____ OKLAHOMA NORTHERN DISTRICT COURT
 _____ OKLAHOMA WESTERN BANKRUPTCY COURT
 _____ OKLAHOMA WESTERN BANKRUPTCY COURT-RACER
 _____ OKLAHOMA WESTERN DISTRICT COURT
 _____ OREGON BANKRUPTCY COURT
 _____ OREGON DISTRICT COURT
 _____ PENNSYLVANIA EASTERN BANKRUPTCY COURT
 _____ PENNSYLVANIA MIDDLE BANKRUPTCY COURT-WB
 _____ PENNSYLVANIA MIDDLE BANKRUPTCY COURT-HB

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 (any Windows version)**

Court Name

_____ PENNSYLVANIA MIDDLE DISTRICT COURT
 _____ PENNSYLVANIA WESTERN BANKRUPTCY COURT
 _____ PENNSYLVANIA WESTERN DISTRICT COURT
 _____ PUERTO RICO BANKRUPTCY COURT
 _____ PUERTO RICO DISTRICT COURT
 _____ RHODE ISLAND BANKRUPTCY COURT
 _____ RHODE ISLAND DISTRICT COURT
 _____ SOUTH CAROLINA BANKRUPTCY COURT
 _____ SOUTH CAROLINA DISTRICT COURT
 _____ SOUTH DAKOTA BANKRUPTCY COURT
 _____ SOUTH DAKOTA DISTRICT COURT
 _____ TENNESSEE EASTERN BANKRUPTCY COURT
 _____ TENNESSEE EASTERN DISTRICT COURT
 _____ TENNESSEE MIDDLE DISTRICT COURT
 _____ TENNESSEE WESTERN BANKRUPTCY COURT
 _____ TENNESSEE WESTERN DISTRICT COURT
 _____ TEXAS EASTERN BANKRUPTCY COURT
 _____ TEXAS EASTERN DISTRICT COURT
 _____ TEXAS NORTHERN BANKRUPTCY COURT
 _____ TEXAS NORTHERN DISTRICT COURT
 _____ TEXAS SOUTHERN CONSOLIDATED COURT
 _____ TEXAS WESTERN BANKRUPTCY COURT
 _____ TEXAS WESTERN DISTRICT COURT
 _____ UNITED STATES FEDERAL CLAIMS COURT
 _____ UTAH BANKRUPTCY COURT
 _____ UTAH DISTRICT COURT
 _____ VIRGINIA EASTERN BANKRUPTCY - ALEXANDRIA
 _____ VIRGINIA EASTERN BANKRUPTCY - NORFOLK
 _____ VIRGINIA EASTERN BANKRUPTCY - RICHMOND
 _____ VIRGINIA EASTERN BANKRUPTCY-NEWPORT NEWS
 _____ VIRGINIA EASTERN DISTRICT COURT
 _____ VIRGINIA WESTERN BANKRUPTCY-HARRISONBURG
 _____ VIRGINIA WESTERN BANKRUPTCY - LYNCHBURG
 _____ VIRGINIA WESTERN BANKRUPTCY - ROANOKE
 _____ VIRGINIA WESTERN DISTRICT COURT
 _____ VIRGIN ISLANDS - CONSOLIDATED
 _____ VERMONT BANKRUPTCY COURT
 _____ VERMONT DISTRICT COURT
 _____ WASHINGTON EASTERN BANKRUPTCY COURT
 _____ WASHINGTON EASTERN DISTRICT COURT
 _____ WASHINGTON WESTERN BANKRUPTCY COURT
 _____ WASHINGTON WESTERN DISTRICT COURT
 _____ WISCONSIN EASTERN BANKRUPTCY COURT
 _____ WISCONSIN WESTERN BANKRUPTCY COURT
 _____ WISCONSIN WESTERN DISTRICT COURT
 _____ WEST VIRGINIA NORTHERN BANKRUPTCY COURT
 _____ WEST VIRGINIA NORTHERN DISTRICT COURT
 _____ WEST VIRGINIA SOUTHERN BANKRUPTCY COURT
 _____ WEST VIRGINIA SOUTHERN DISTRICT COURT
 _____ WYOMING BANKRUPTCY COURT
 _____ WYOMING DISTRICT COURT

**PLEASE NOTE: AFTER RECEIVING YOUR PACER LOGIN ID, PLEASE READ YOUR MANUAL AND THE
 INFORMATION INCLUDED WITH YOUR PACKET.**