

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
DISTRICT OF NORTH DAKOTA

**ORDER EXEMPTING TRUSTEES FROM FEES
FOR ELECTRONIC ACCESS TO COURT DATA**

Bankruptcy trustees practicing before this Court fall within a class of persons that the Court may exempt from the obligation to pay electronic access fees as prescribed by the Judicial Conference. The Court finds that an exemption for the trustees is necessary to avoid unreasonable burden and that this exemption will promote public access to information. Accordingly, the bankruptcy trustees shall be exempt from the obligation to pay fees for access via PACER to the electronic case files maintained by the Clerk of Court, providing such use is incurred in the course of his/her duties as trustee. This order does not exempt the trustees from paying of fees incurred in connection with access to PACER for other purposes. Additionally, trustees must not sell the data obtained as a result of the fee exemption and must not transfer any data obtained as the result of the fee exemption. This exemption will be reviewed annually and may be revoked at the discretion of the Court at any time.

Dated this 30th day of August, 2018.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Shon Hastings". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

SHON HASTINGS, JUDGE
UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT