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## Court adopts new procedure regarding deposit of interpleader funds

Chicago, Ill.- Beginning April 1, 2017, new procedures are effective when a party to a case moves to deposit funds in the court registry pursuant to 28 U.S.C. Section 1335.

A party moving to deposit funds in the court registry is required to file a completed <u>Registry</u> <u>Deposit Information Form</u> with the motion to deposit funds. Additionally, new events have been added to CM/ECF to ensure that interpleader funds pursuant to 28 U.S.C. Section 1335 are properly identified.

Recent changes to IRS regulations make it imperative that motions for the deposit or disbursement of interpleader funds are identified as such at the time that the motion is filed.

To ensure that these funds are properly administered, the Clerk's Office has developed specific instructions for the filing of a motion for deposit or disbursement of interpleader funds. Please follow the instructions in this link to correctly file a motion for interpleader deposit (28 U.S.C. Section 1335) or interpleader disbursement (28 U.S.C. Section 1335).

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