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ANNOUNCEMENT

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
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FEDERAL COURT CIVIL FILING FEE INCREASE

On December 8, 2004 the President signed into law the Consolidated Appropriations Act of 2005, which included a provision increasing the federal court civil filing fee from \$150 to \$250. The change in the civil filing fee will become effective **February 7, 2005**, 60 days from the date the bill was signed into law by the President. The civil filing fee was last increased in 1996 when it was adjusted from \$120 to \$150.