

**RULE 9014-1. APPLICABILITY OF FED. R. CIV. P. 16 AND
26 TO CONTESTED MATTERS**

A. Unless otherwise ordered by the Court sua sponte or upon motion filed pursuant to [Neb. R. Bankr. P. 9013-1](#), Fed. R. Civ. P. 16(b) shall not apply in contested matters. The Court will continue its practice of entering a pretrial order which requires the filing of a joint preliminary pretrial statement by a date certain.

B. Unless otherwise ordered by the Court sua sponte or upon motion filed pursuant to [Neb. R. Bankr. P. 9013-1](#), Fed. R. Civ. P. 26(a), (d), and (f) shall not apply in contested matters.

C. The mediation provisions of [Neb. R. Bankr. P. 7016-1](#) shall apply to disputes arising in contested matters.