

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLORADO**

**MODIFICATION OF THE
BIENNIAL FEE COLLECTION
PROCESS TO ASSIST FUNDING OF
THE FEDERAL PRO SE CLINIC PROGRAM**

**DISTRICT COURT
GENERAL ORDER 2026-3**

General Order 2022-7 established the means to fund the Court's Federal Pro Se Clinic and implemented its funding on an ongoing basis through the collection of a biennial fee paid by members of the Court's bar. The collection period was initially set to occur between October 1 – December 31 in 2022 and continue during this 3-month window every other year thereafter. This order supersedes General Order 2022-7 and updates the administration and collection of the biennial fee in the following ways:

- The fee will be collected through a new electronic payment system that will simplify payment and eliminate the need to do so through PACER;
- Attorneys employed by the U.S. government who serve in a legal capacity remain exempt from paying the fee;
- All active non-exempt attorneys admitted on or before September 30, 2026, will be required to remit payment of the biennial fee any time between October 1 - December 31, 2026 payment window. Members of the bar will be notified by email prior to the collection period for the fee;
- Thereafter, the biennial fee payment due date will be individually set based upon the date when an attorney last paid the biennial fee;
- For attorneys admitted on or after October 1, 2026, the biennial fee payment due date will be set based upon an attorney's admission date to practice in this District; and
- Attorneys who fail to pay the biennial fee timely will have their electronic filing privileges restricted, effectively rendering them unable to practice in the District of Colorado, and a late

fee will be assessed to their account. An attorney wishing to resume practice in the District of Colorado will be required to pay both the missed biennial fee and the assessed late fee.

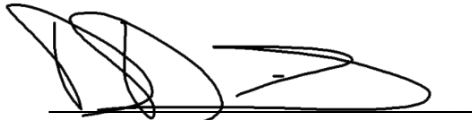
Upon payment, the attorney's electronic filing privileges will be reinstated.

- Attorneys removed from the roll of attorneys for failing to pay a biennial fee due prior to issuance of this order must reapply for membership under D.C.COLO.LAttyR 3 and pay the full fee for admission if they desire to practice again before this Court.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated at Denver, Colorado this 24th day of September, 2026.

BY THE COURT

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Daniel D. Domenico', is written over a horizontal line.

Daniel D. Domenico
Chief United States District Judge