

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF INDIANA  
SOUTH BEND DIVISION

IN THE MATTER OF	)	
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THOMAS J. FARWELL	)	CASE NO. 15-30312 HCD
	)	CHAPTER 13
DEBTOR	)	
	)	

ORDER DISMISSING CASE WITH PREJUDICE

At South Bend, Indiana, on March 12, 2015.

Before the court is the voluntary chapter 13 petition filed by Thomas J. Farwell on February 26, 2015. This is Farwell's fourth bankruptcy petition since October 2013. The court dismissed the three previous cases due to Farwell's failure to meet the statutory requirements to be a debtor. The court takes note that it has previously imposed a 180-day filing bar against Thomas J. Farwell in case number 14-32279. That bar does not expire until March 24, 2015. The court also notes that in the present case Farwell has applied to make installment payments of the filing fee.

The court finds that Farwell is in contempt of the order in case 14-32279 barring filing for 180 days. The court dismisses this case with prejudice. The automatic stay on creditor actions against the debtor and the debtor's property is removed pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 362(c)(2)(B). The clerk is directed to give notice of the dismissal to all creditors.

The court denies Farwell's application to pay filing fee in installments. The \$310.00 unpaid filing fee remains due and owing notwithstanding the dismissal of the case. The court directs the clerk to act to collect the unpaid filing fee by whatever means are available, including turning the matter over to the United States Attorney, if appropriate.

The Court now dismisses this case with prejudice and bars Thomas J. Farwell from filing a petition for relief under any chapter of the Bankruptcy Code within 180 days from the date of this

Order. The court directs the clerk to return unfiled any petition for relief under Title 11 by or on behalf of Thomas J. Farwell until 180 days from the date of this order have elapsed **and** until Farwell has paid the unpaid \$310.00 filing fee in this case in full.

SO ORDERED.

/s/ HARRY C. DEES, JR. \_\_\_\_\_  
HARRY C. DEES, JR., JUDGE  
UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT