

**United States Bankruptcy Court
Central District of California
San Fernando Valley
Martin R. Barash, Presiding
Courtroom 303 Calendar**

Thursday, October 9, 2025

Hearing Room 303

11:00 AM

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Chapter

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Docket 0

Tentative Ruling:

- NONE LISTED -

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1:24-10646 Synapse Financial Technologies, Inc.

Chapter 11

#1.00 Motion of the Chapter 11 Trustee, Pursuant to 11 U.S.C. section 1112(b) and Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure 1017(f) and 9014, to Convert or, in the Alternative, Dismiss Chapter 11 Case

fr. 6/27/25; 8/11/25

Docket 525

Tentative Ruling:

Ruling for August 11, 2025

Continued to 10/9/25 @ 11:00 a.m.

Ruling for June 27, 2025

Continued to 8/11/25 @ 1:30 p.m. The participating banks and the Trustee are to try to work out modifications to the previously issued stipulated protective order (case dkt. 230).

Party Information

Debtor(s):

Synapse Financial Technologies, Inc.

Represented By
Ron Bender
Monica Y Kim
Krikor J Meshefejian
Beth Ann R. Young

Trustee(s):

Jelena McWilliams (TR)

Represented By
Thomas B Rupp
Benjamin Gruenstein
Jane Kim
Jeremy V Richards
Alexander Gerten
John D Buretta
Paul H Zumbro

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1:24-10646 Synapse Financial Technologies, Inc.

Chapter 11

#1.01 Amended Motion for relief from stay

ASHLEY FELTON

fr. 10/7/25

Docket 659

Tentative Ruling:

- NONE LISTED -

Party Information

Debtor(s):

Synapse Financial Technologies, Inc.

Represented By
Ron Bender
Monica Y Kim
Krikor J Meshefejian
Beth Ann R. Young

Movant(s):

Ashley Felton

Represented By
Blake J Lindemann

Trustee(s):

Jelena McWilliams (TR)

Represented By
Thomas B Rupp
Benjamin Gruenstein
Jane Kim
Jeremy V Richards
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1:24-11713 Shlomo Yosef Maymon

Chapter 7

Adv#: 1:25-01002 Benji v. Maymon

#2.00 Pre-trial conference re first amended complaint

fr. 3/11/25; 7/17/25

Docket 23

Tentative Ruling:

Ruling for July 17, 2025

Pre-trial conference set for 10/9/25 @ 1:30 p.m. Pre-trial stipulation to be filed by 9/25/25.

Ruling for March 11, 2025

Cont'd to 7/17/25 @ 1:30 p.m. Joint status report due by 7/10/25.

Discovery cut-off and deadline to amend pleadings and join parties - 6/18/25.

Deadline to file case dispositive motions - 7/8/25.

Party Information

Debtor(s):

Shlomo Yosef Maymon

Represented By
Shawn S White

Defendant(s):

Shlomo Yosef Maymon

Pro Se

Plaintiff(s):

Albert Benji

Represented By
Herbert Kraft

Trustee(s):

Amy L Goldman (TR)

Pro Se

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1:25-10317 Joseph Dov Safran

Chapter 7

Adv#: 1:25-01044 Perez v. Safran

#3.00 Status conference re complaint

Docket 1

Tentative Ruling:

- NONE LISTED -

Party Information

Debtor(s):

Joseph Dov Safran

Represented By
Michael D Kwasigroch

Defendant(s):

Joseph Dov Safran

Pro Se

Plaintiff(s):

Daniel Perez

Represented By
Daniel Medioni

Trustee(s):

David Keith Gottlieb (TR)

Pro Se

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1:24-11716 Ray Hudson

Chapter 7

Adv#: 1:25-01005 AmeriFirst v. Hudson

#4.00 Motion for Default Judgment

fr. 7/17/25

Docket 10

***** VACATED *** REASON: Order approving settlement entered 7/24/25;
Adversary case dismissed 8/8/25**

Tentative Ruling:

Ruling for July 17, 2025

Parties to re-file in this adversary proceeding their *Stipulation between Debtor and Creditor AmeriFirst, etc. for Entry of Order Approving Settlement Agreement and Mutual Release* that was filed on July 9, 2025 in the main bankruptcy case and lodge an order approving the settlement to be entered in the adversary proceeding. Hearing continued to October 9, 2025, at 1:30 p.m. which will come off calendar if the order approving the parties' settlement is entered prior to that date. **Appearances on July 17, 2025 waived.**

Party Information

Debtor(s):

Ray Hudson

Represented By
William G Silverstein

Defendant(s):

Ray Hudson

Represented By
John D Monte

Joint Debtor(s):

Samaneh Hudson

Represented By
William G Silverstein

Plaintiff(s):

AmeriFirst

Represented By
Cory J Rooney

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Trustee(s):

David Keith Gottlieb (TR)

Pro Se

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Chapter 7

Adv#: 1:25-01005 AmeriFirst v. Hudson

#5.00 Status conference re complaint

fr. 3/19/25; 6/30/25; 7/17/25

Docket 1

***** VACATED *** REASON: Order approving settlement entered 7/24/25;
Adversary case dismissed 8/8/25**

Tentative Ruling:

Ruling for July 17, 2025

Parties to re-file in this adversary proceeding their *Stipulation between Debtor and Creditor AmeriFirst, etc. for Entry of Order Approving Settlement Agreement and Mutual Release* that was filed on July 9, 2025 in the main bankruptcy case and lodge an order approving the settlement to be entered in the adversary proceeding. Hearing continued to October 9, 2025, at 1:30 p.m. which will come off calendar if the order approving the parties' settlement is entered prior to that date. **Appearances on July 17, 2025 waived.**

Ruling for 3/19/25

Continued to 6/30/25, 1:30 p.m.

-Plaintiff to file & serve notice of continued S/C

Party Information

Debtor(s):

Ray Hudson

Represented By
William G Silverstein

Defendant(s):

Ray Hudson

Pro Se

Joint Debtor(s):

Samaneh Hudson

Represented By
William G Silverstein

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Plaintiff(s):

AmeriFirst

Represented By
Cory J Rooney

Trustee(s):

David Keith Gottlieb (TR)

Pro Se

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1:24-10231 Allen Michael Abraham

Chapter 7

Adv#: 1:24-01017 Getzoian v. Abraham

#6.00 Pre-trial conference re complaint

fr. 7/23/24; 9/13/24; 2/18/25; 2/26/25; 9/11/25(stip)

Docket 1

***** VACATED *** REASON: Continued by stipulation to 4/23/26 at 1:30 pm [dkt.#22]**

Tentative Ruling:

Ruling for February 26, 2025

Trial set for 10/15/25 @ 10:00.

Pretrial conference set for 9/11/25 @ 2:30 p.m. Plaintiff to prepare a scheduling order.

Ruling for September 13, 2024

The Court set the following deadlines:

1/13/25 - deadline to complete all discovery, including receipt of responses

1/13/25 - deadline to joint parties, amend pleadings

1/31/25 - deadline to file case-dispositive motions

2/11/25 - deadline to file an updated joint status report

2/18/25 @ 1:30 p.m. - cont'd status conference

Plaintiff to lodge a Rule 16 Scheduling Order.

Party Information

Debtor(s):

Allen Michael Abraham

Represented By
Jeffrey J Hagen

Defendant(s):

Allen Michael Abraham

Pro Se

Plaintiff(s):

Sosi Getzoian

Represented By
Stella A Havkin

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Trustee(s):

Amy L Goldman (TR)

Pro Se

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1:24-10934 Leroy Adams

Chapter 13

#6.01 Objection to Claim #5 and #6 by Claimant Palm Business Center, Inc.

fr. 1/9/25; 2/6/25; 2/26/25; 4/3/25; 5/8/25; 8/14/25; 9/29/25

Docket 36

Tentative Ruling:

Ruling for May 8, 2025

Continued to 8/14/25, at 1:30 p.m., to trail adversary complaint

Ruling for February 26, 2025

Continued to 4/3/25 @ 1:30 p.m.

Ruling for February 6, 2025

Continued to 2/26/25 @ 2:30 p.m., to trail adversary 24-01061

Party Information

Debtor(s):

Leroy Adams

Represented By
Nima S Vokshori

Trustee(s):

Elizabeth (SV) F Rojas (TR)

Pro Se

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1:24-10934 Leroy Adams

Chapter 13

Adv#: 1:24-01061 Adams v. Palm Business Center, Inc.

#7.00 Plaintiff's Motion for Jury Trial

Docket 37

Tentative Ruling:

- NONE LISTED -

Party Information

Debtor(s):

Leroy Adams

Represented By
Nima S Vokshori

Defendant(s):

Palm Business Center, Inc.

Represented By
Sweeney Kelly
Glenn C. Kelble

Movant(s):

Leroy Adams

Represented By
Nima S Vokshori

Plaintiff(s):

Leroy Adams

Represented By
Nima S Vokshori

Trustee(s):

Elizabeth (SV) F Rojas (TR)

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1:24-10934 Leroy Adams

Chapter 13

Adv#: 1:24-01061 Adams v. Palm Business Center, Inc.

#7.01 Status conference re second amended complaint

fr. 1/14/25; 2/18/25; 2/26/25; 4/3/25; 5/8/25; 8/14/25; 9/29/25

Docket 32

Tentative Ruling:

Ruling for May 8, 2025

Continue to 8/14/25 @ 1:30 p.m.

Joint status report to be filed by 8/7/25.

Ruling for February 26, 2025

Continued to 4/3/25 @ 1:30 p.m.

Ruling for January 14, 2025

Continued to 2/18/25, at 2:30 p.m. to be heard with Defendant's Motion to Dismiss Adversary Proceeding, dkt. 6.

Appearances waived on 1/14/25

Party Information

Debtor(s):

Leroy Adams

Represented By
Nima S Vokshori

Defendant(s):

Palm Business Center, Inc.

Pro Se

Plaintiff(s):

Leroy Adams

Represented By
Nima S Vokshori

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Trustee(s):

Elizabeth (SV) F Rojas (TR)

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1:23-11446 Primex Clinical Laboratories, Inc.

Chapter 11

Adv#: 1:25-01020 Weissman v. Erik Avaniss-Aghajani, individually and as Trustee

#8.00 Motion For Summary Judgment, Or In The Alternative,
For Partial Summary Adjudication Of Facts And Issues Of Law

Docket 32

***** VACATED *** REASON: Continued to 11/13/25 at 2:30 pm [by the
Court at the 8/29/25 hearings]**

Tentative Ruling:

- NONE LISTED -

Party Information

Debtor(s):

Primex Clinical Laboratories, Inc.

Represented By
Garrick A Hollander
Matthew J Stockl
Peter W Lianides
Robert E Opera

Defendant(s):

Erik Avaniss-Aghajani, individually

Represented By
Jeffrey S Shinbrot
Steven M Barnhill

Plaintiff(s):

Eric J. Weissman

Represented By
Garrick A Hollander
Richard H Golubow
Peter W Lianides

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1:23-11446 Primex Clinical Laboratories, Inc.

Chapter 11

Adv#: 1:25-01021 Weissman v. Ara Hartoonian, individually and as Trustee of the

#9.00 Motion For Summary Judgment, Or In The Alternative,
For Partial Summary Adjudication Of Facts And Issues Of Law

Docket 31

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Court at the 8/29/25 hearings]**

Tentative Ruling:

- NONE LISTED -

Party Information

Debtor(s):

Primex Clinical Laboratories, Inc.

Represented By
Garrick A Hollander
Matthew J Stockl
Peter W Lianides
Robert E Opera

Defendant(s):

Ara Hartoonian, individually and as

Represented By
Jeffrey S Shinbrot
Steven M Barnhill

Plaintiff(s):

Eric J. Weissman

Represented By
Garrick A Hollander
Richard H Golubow
Peter W Lianides