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UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN
SOUTHERN DIVISION

In re:

Balance Life Better Enhancement Corporation,
Debtor.

Case No. 25-41075
Chapter 11
Judge Thomas J. Tucker

ORDER DENYING APPLICATION TO PAY FILING FEES IN INSTALLMENTS

The Debtor has filed an application to pay the filing fee for this Chapter 11 case in installments (Docket # 2, the “Application”). The Application must be denied, because under Fed. R. Bank. P. 1006(b)(1), only an “individual” debtor (*i.e.*, a debtor who is a human being) may request that the filing fee be paid in installments. The Debtor in this case is a corporation. As a result, the Debtor was required to pay the entire filing fee when it filed the voluntary bankruptcy petition on February 4, 2025. *See* Fed. R. Bank. P. 1006(a) (with exceptions not applicable, “every petition must be accompanied by the filing fee.”). Accordingly,

IT IS ORDERED that the Application (Docket # 2) is denied.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Debtor must pay the entire filing fee of \$1,738.00 to the Clerk of this Court no later than **Monday, February 10, 2025**. Failure to pay the \$1,738.00 filing fee in full by that date will result in the entry of an order to show cause why this case should not be dismissed.

Signed on February 6, 2025



/s/ **Thomas J. Tucker**

Thomas J. Tucker
United States Bankruptcy Judge