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Creditors***UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA  
OAKLAND DIVISION***In re:*THE ROMAN CATHOLIC BISHOP OF  
OAKLAND, a California corporation sole,

Debtor.

Case No. 23-40523 WJL

Chapter 11

**NOTICE OF THE OFFICIAL  
COMMITTEE OF UNSECURED  
CREDITORS' MOTION FOR A  
PROTECTIVE ORDER**

Judge: Hon. William J. Lafferty

Date: May 13, 2025

Tentative Time: 10:30 a.m. (Pacific Time)<sup>1</sup>Place: United States Bankruptcy Court  
1300 Clay Street, Courtroom 220  
Oakland, CA 94612**Objection Deadline: May 9, 2025****RE: Dkt. No. 1922**

<sup>1</sup> At the time of filing the Motion, the hearing time was not yet confirmed by the Court.  
Notice will be provided if the hearing time is not at 10:30 a.m. Pacific Time.

1 **TO THE HONORABLE WILLIAM J. LAFFERTY III, UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY**  
2 **COURT JUDGE AND ALL PARTIES IN INTEREST:**

3 **PLEASE TAKE NOTICE** that the Bankruptcy Court will hold a hearing on **May 13,**  
4 **2025, tentatively at 10:30 a.m. (Pacific Time)** (the "Hearing"). The Hearing will take place at  
5 the United States Bankruptcy Court, 1300 Clay Street, Oakland, California, Courtroom 220 before  
6 the Honorable William J. Lafferty III, United States Bankruptcy Judge, to consider *The Official*  
7 *Committee of Unsecured Creditors' Motion for a Protective Order* (the "Motion")<sup>2</sup>  
[Dkt No. 1922]. The Motion seeks entry of an order preventing the Debtor from seeking the  
production of documents and responses to Document Request Nos. 6, 8–13, 26–33, and 53 and  
Interrogatory Nos. 4 and 14–18 in the Debtor The Roman Catholic Bishop of Oakland's First Set  
of Written Discovery to the Official Committee of Unsecured Creditors, attached to the Motion as  
Exhibit B (the "Discovery Requests").

8 **PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE** that the Hearing will be held in person in the  
9 courtroom, provided that (1) counsel, parties, and other interested parties may attend the hearing  
10 in person or by Zoom; (2) additional information is available on Judge Lafferty's Procedures page  
11 on the Court's website, which is <http://www.canb.uscourts.gov>; and (3) information on how to  
attend the hearing by Zoom will be included with each calendar posted under Judge Lafferty's  
Calendar on the court's website. All parties should review Judge Lafferty's Practices and  
Procedures for In-Person Hearings, found on the Court's website.

12 **PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE** that any oppositions or responses to the Motion  
13 must be in writing, filed with the Bankruptcy Court, and served on the counsel for the Committee  
14 at the above-referenced address so as to be received **by May 9, 2025**. In deciding the Motion, the  
Court may consider any other document filed in the Chapter 11 Case.

15 **PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE** that copies of the Motion and its supporting  
16 papers can be viewed and/or obtained (i) by accessing the Court's website at  
17 <http://www.canb.uscourts.gov>, (ii) by contacting the Office of the Clerk of the Court at 450 Golden  
18 Gate Avenue, San Francisco, CA 94102, or (iii) from the Debtor's notice and claims agent, Verita  
Global at <https://www.veritaglobal.net/rcbo> or by calling (888) 733-1425 (toll free) for U.S. and  
Canada-based parties; or (310) 751-2631 for International parties or by e-mail at:  
<https://www.veritaglobal.net/RCBO/inquiry>. Note that a PACER password is needed to access  
documents on the Bankruptcy Court's website.

19 Dated: April 25, 2025

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28 <sup>2</sup> Capitalized terms not defined herein shall have the meaning ascribed to them in the Motion.