

BAPCPA Table 8A.

U.S. Bankruptcy Courts—Creditor Misconduct in Chapter 7 Cases Involving Individual Debtors With
Primarily Consumer Debts Closed During the 12-Month Period Ending December 31, 2015
as Required by 28 U.S.C. 159(c)

Circuit and District	Cases			Total Punitive Damages Awarded (in \$000s)
	Total	With Creditor Misconduct	With Punitive Damages	
TOTAL	579,722	70	9	18
DC	543	0	0	0
1ST	17,728	0	0	0
ME	1,648	0	0	0
MA	7,217	0	0	0
NH	1,708	0	0	0
RI	2,258	0	0	0
PR	4,897	0	0	0
2ND	29,943	8	3	6
CT	5,252	1	1	3
NY, N	5,406	2	2	3
NY, E	9,436	1	0	0
NY, S	5,872	2	0	0
NY, W	3,496	2	0	0
VT	481	0	0	0
3RD	34,284	7	0	0
DE	1,594	1	0	0
NJ	18,284	5	0	0
PA, E	5,489	0	0	0
PA, M	3,957	0	0	0
PA, W	4,950	1	0	0
VI	10	0	0	0
4TH	41,144	0	0	0
MD	13,696	0	0	0
NC, E	2,325	0	0	0
NC, M	1,934	0	0	0
NC, W	2,729	0	0	0
SC	2,919	0	0	0
VA, E	11,110	0	0	0
VA, W	3,659	0	0	0
WV, N	1,170	0	0	0
WV, S	1,602	0	0	0

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Circuit and District	Cases			Total Punitive Damages Awarded (in \$000s)
	Total	With Creditor Misconduct	With Punitive Damages	
5TH	25,002	4	1	3
LA, E	1,490	1	0	0
LA, M	939	1	0	0
LA, W	2,299	1	1	3
MS, N	2,133	0	0	0
MS, S	3,314	0	0	0
TX, N	5,452	0	0	0
TX, E	2,195	1	0	0
TX, S	3,178	0	0	0
TX, W	4,002	0	0	0
6TH	86,216	9	2	5
KY, E	5,900	0	0	0
KY, W	5,663	0	0	0
MI, E	20,676	8	2	5
MI, W	6,563	0	0	0
OH, N	17,440	0	0	0
OH, S	13,324	0	0	0
TN, E	6,829	0	0	0
TN, M	5,718	0	0	0
TN, W	4,103	1	0	0
7TH	70,741	10	1	0
IL, N	28,429	5	0	0
IL, C	4,451	0	0	0
IL, S	2,583	1	0	0
IN, N	8,427	0	0	0
IN, S	11,993	2	0	0
WI, E	10,679	1	0	0
WI, W	4,179	1	1	0
8TH	37,671	4	0	0
AR, E	3,092	0	0	0
AR, W	2,121	0	0	0
IA, N	1,689	0	0	0
IA, S	2,593	0	0	0
MN	9,368	0	0	0
MO, E	8,462	4	0	0
MO, W	5,825	0	0	0
NE	2,940	0	0	0
ND	513	0	0	0
SD	1,068	0	0	0

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Circuit and District	Cases			Total Punitive Damages Awarded (in \$000s)
	Total	With Creditor Misconduct	With Punitive Damages	
9TH	122,052	15	0	0
AK	306	0	0	0
AZ	17,081	3	0	0
CA, N	6,611	0	0	0
CA, E	14,425	0	0	0
CA, C	37,641	7	0	0
CA, S	6,968	0	0	0
HI	1,157	0	0	0
ID	3,862	0	0	0
MT	1,231	2	0	0
NV	8,657	2	0	0
OR	9,329	0	0	0
WA, E	3,531	0	0	0
WA, W	11,157	0	0	0
GUAM	89	1	0	0
NMI	7	0	0	0
10TH	38,507	1	0	0
CO	13,871	0	0	0
KS	4,406	0	0	0
NM	3,161	0	0	0
OK, N	2,228	0	0	0
OK, E	1,296	0	0	0
OK, W	4,053	0	0	0
UT	8,663	0	0	0
WY	829	1	0	0
11TH	75,891	12	2	4
AL, N	6,903	0	0	0
AL, M	2,013	1	0	0
AL, S	1,369	1	0	0
FL, N	2,396	0	0	0
FL, M	23,863	3	0	0
FL, S	15,083	5	2	4
GA, N	19,142	2	0	0
GA, M	3,102	0	0	0
GA, S	2,020	0	0	0