

BAPCPA Table 8A.

U.S. Bankruptcy Courts—Creditor Misconduct in Chapter 7 Individual Debtor Cases With Predominantly Nonbusiness Debts Closed During the 12-Month Period Ending December 31, 2007, 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	352,443	2	2	1.25
DC	260	0	0	0
1ST	11,101	0	0	0
ME	1,260	0	0	0
MA	6,264	0	0	0
NH	1,131	0	0	0
RI	1,606	0	0	0
PR	840	0	0	0
2ND	23,713	0	0	0
CT	2,964	0	0	0
NY, N	5,703	0	0	0
NY, E	6,981	0	0	0
NY, S	3,992	0	0	0
NY, W	3,632	0	0	0
VT	441	0	0	0
3RD	23,784	0	0	0
DE	703	0	0	0
NJ	9,173	0	0	0
PA, E	3,906	0	0	0
PA, M	3,381	0	0	0
PA, W	6,618	0	0	0
VI	3	0	0	0
4TH	24,927	0	0	0
MD	4,789	0	0	0
NC, E	2,484	0	0	0
NC, M	2,069	0	0	0
NC, W	2,598	0	0	0
SC	1,776	0	0	0
VA, E	5,617	0	0	0
VA, W	2,809	0	0	0
WV, N	1,177	0	0	0
WV, S	1,608	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	20,425	1	1	0.75
LA, E	925	1	1	0.75
LA, M	500	0	0	0
LA, W	1,614	0	0	0
MS, N	1,465	0	0	0
MS, S	1,924	0	0	0
TX, N	4,728	0	0	0
TX, E	2,221	0	0	0
TX, S	3,466	0	0	0
TX, W	3,582	0	0	0
6TH	61,972	1	1	0.5
KY, E	4,071	0	0	0
KY, W	5,483	0	0	0
MI, E	17,494	0	0	0
MI, W	4,820	0	0	0
OH, N	11,710	0	0	0
OH, S	9,085	1	1	0.5
TN, E	3,834	0	0	0
TN, M	2,447	0	0	0
TN, W	3,028	0	0	0
7TH	43,389	0	0	0
IL, N	14,477	0	0	0
IL, C	4,367	0	0	0
IL, S	1,842	0	0	0
IN, N	5,764	0	0	0
IN, S	7,865	0	0	0
WI, E	5,797	0	0	0
WI, W	3,277	0	0	0
8TH	30,041	0	0	0
AR, E	2,775	0	0	0
AR, W	1,710	0	0	0
IA, N	1,729	0	0	0
IA, S	2,829	0	0	0
MN	6,289	0	0	0
MO, E	5,349	0	0	0
MO, W	4,998	0	0	0
NE	2,926	0	0	0
ND	737	0	0	0
SD	699	0	0	0

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	Total	With Creditor Misconduct	With Punitive Damages	
9TH	59,089	0	0	0
AK	368	0	0	0
AZ	4,033	0	0	0
CA, N	5,168	0	0	0
CA, E	9,010	0	0	0
CA, C	16,169	0	0	0
CA, S	4,801	0	0	0
HI	892	0	0	0
ID	1,706	0	0	0
MT	762	0	0	0
NV	2,961	0	0	0
OR	4,741	0	0	0
WA, E	2,630	0	0	0
WA, W	5,754	0	0	0
GUAM	92	0	0	0
NMI	2	0	0	0
10TH	18,279	0	0	0
CO	6,163	0	0	0
KS	2,607	0	0	0
NM	2,402	0	0	0
OK, N	1,795	0	0	0
OK, E	914	0	0	0
OK, W	1,642	0	0	0
UT	2,395	0	0	0
WY	361	0	0	0
11TH	35,463	0	0	0
AL, N	4,565	0	0	0
AL, M	1,073	0	0	0
AL, S	738	0	0	0
FL, N	1,244	0	0	0
FL, M	7,370	0	0	0
FL, S	5,309	0	0	0
GA, N	11,519	0	0	0
GA, M	2,700	0	0	0
GA, S	945	0	0	0

NOTE: SECTION 101 OF THE U.S. BANKRUPTCY CODE DEFINES CONSUMER (NONBUSINESS) DEBT AS THAT INCURRED BY AN INDIVIDUAL PRIMARILY FOR A PERSONAL, FAMILY, OR HOUSEHOLD PURPOSE. IF THE DEBTOR IS A CORPORATION OR PARTNERSHIP, OR IF DEBT RELATED TO OPERATION OF A BUSINESS PREDOMINATES, THE NATURE OF THE DEBT IS BUSINESS. DATA ARE FOR CASES FILED ON OR AFTER OCTOBER 17, 2006, AND CLOSED DURING THE REPORTING PERIOD.