

BAPCPA Table 9A.

U.S. Bankruptcy Courts—FRBP 9011¹ Sanctions and Damages Imposed Against Debtors' Attorneys In Chapter 7 Individual Debtor Cases With Predominantly Nonbusiness Debts Closed During the 12-Month Period Ending December 31, 2014, as Required by 28 U.S.C. 159(c)

Circuit and District	Cases			Total Damages Awarded (in \$000s)
	Total	With Sanctions	With Damages Awarded	
TOTAL	684,183	35	33	31
DC	625	1	1	1
1ST	20,669	0	0	0
ME	1,768	0	0	0
MA	8,869	0	0	0
NH	2,108	0	0	0
RI	2,643	0	0	0
PR	5,281	0	0	0
2ND	34,795	1	1	2
CT	5,972	0	0	0
NY, N	5,931	0	0	0
NY, E	11,341	0	0	0
NY, S	6,801	1	1	2
NY, W	4,110	0	0	0
VT	640	0	0	0
3RD	40,221	1	1	12
DE	1,785	0	0	0
NJ	21,995	0	0	0
PA, E	6,631	1	1	12
PA, M	4,439	0	0	0
PA, W	5,365	0	0	0
VI	6	0	0	0
4TH	46,361	1	1	1
MD	16,777	1	1	1
NC, E	2,375	0	0	0
NC, M	2,018	0	0	0
NC, W	3,029	0	0	0
SC	3,208	0	0	0
VA, E	11,875	0	0	0
VA, W	4,101	0	0	0
WV, N	1,290	0	0	0
WV, S	1,688	0	0	0

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Circuit and District	Cases			Total Damages Awarded (in \$000s)
	Total	With Sanctions	With Damages Awarded	
5TH	27,845	28	27	14
LA, E	1,618	0	0	0
LA, M	1,023	28	27	14
LA, W	2,580	0	0	0
MS, N	2,258	0	0	0
MS, S	3,555	0	0	0
TX, N	6,159	0	0	0
TX, E	2,507	0	0	0
TX, S	3,654	0	0	0
TX, W	4,491	0	0	0
6TH	99,336	0	0	0
KY, E	6,886	0	0	0
KY, W	6,675	0	0	0
MI, E	24,001	0	0	0
MI, W	8,212	0	0	0
OH, N	19,298	0	0	0
OH, S	15,345	0	0	0
TN, E	8,053	0	0	0
TN, M	6,062	0	0	0
TN, W	4,804	0	0	0
7TH	81,614	0	0	0
IL, N	33,223	0	0	0
IL, C	5,076	0	0	0
IL, S	3,031	0	0	0
IN, N	9,722	0	0	0
IN, S	13,954	0	0	0
WI, E	11,811	0	0	0
WI, W	4,797	0	0	0
8TH	43,390	1	1	1
AR, E	3,265	0	0	0
AR, W	2,321	0	0	0
IA, N	1,917	0	0	0
IA, S	3,090	0	0	0
MN	11,172	1	1	1
MO, E	9,162	0	0	0
MO, W	7,164	0	0	0
NE	3,470	0	0	0
ND	655	0	0	0
SD	1,174	0	0	0

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Circuit and District	Cases			Total Damages Awarded (in \$000s)
	Total	With Sanctions	With Damages Awarded	
9TH	153,723	2	1	1
AK	397	0	0	0
AZ	22,067	0	0	0
CA, N	9,450	0	0	0
CA, E	18,149	1	1	1
CA, C	47,753	0	0	0
CA, S	8,809	0	0	0
HI	1,273	0	0	0
ID	4,872	0	0	0
MT	1,503	0	0	0
NV	10,476	1	0	0
OR	11,339	0	0	0
WA, E	3,810	0	0	0
WA, W	13,707	0	0	0
GUAM	115	0	0	0
NMI	3	0	0	0
10TH	46,081	0	0	0
CO	17,852	0	0	0
KS	5,425	0	0	0
NM	3,672	0	0	0
OK, N	2,645	0	0	0
OK, E	1,454	0	0	0
OK, W	4,488	0	0	0
UT	9,571	0	0	0
WY	974	0	0	0
11TH	89,523	0	0	0
AL, N	7,606	0	0	0
AL, M	2,047	0	0	0
AL, S	1,472	0	0	0
FL, N	2,680	0	0	0
FL, M	29,233	0	0	0
FL, S	19,120	0	0	0
GA, N	21,818	0	0	0
GA, M	3,343	0	0	0
GA, S	2,204	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.

¹ Federal Rule of Bankruptcy Procedure 9011(c) provides for the imposition of sanctions upon attorneys, law firms, or parties that violate FRBP 9011(b) representations to the court.