



Suggested Amendment to Official Bankruptcy Forms 9F and 9F(Alt.)  
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Judge Stuart Bernstein has suggested that an amended statement be made in Official Forms 9F and 9F (Alt.), as follows:

Confirmation of a chapter 11 plan may result in a discharge of debts, which may include all or part of your debt. See Bankruptcy Code §1141(d). A discharge means that you may never try to collect the debt from the debtor, except as provided in the plan. If you believe that you hold a debt owed to a domestic governmental unit that is not ~~a debt owed to you is not~~ dischargeable under Bankruptcy Code §1141(d)(6)(A), you must start a lawsuit by filing a complaint in the bankruptcy clerk's office by the "Deadline to File a Complaint to Determine Dischargeability of Certain Debts" listed on the front side. The bankruptcy clerk's office must receive the complaint and any required filing fee by that deadline.

The rationale for the suggested amendment is set out in Judge Bernstein's decision in *In re Hawker Beechcraft, Inc.*, 2013 WL 3831671 (Bankr. S.D.N.Y., July 24, 2013) (NO. 12-11873, AP 12-01890).