

**BAPCPA Table 8X.**

**U.S. Bankruptcy Courts—Creditor Misconduct in Cases<sup>1</sup> Involving Individual Debtors With Predominantly Nonbusiness Debts Closed During the 12-Month Period Ending December 31, 2012, 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	
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1,208,649</b>	<b>141</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>56</b>
<b>DC</b>	<b>880</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>1ST</b>	<b>36,779</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
ME	2,827	0	0	0
MA	16,661	1	0	0
NH	3,762	1	0	0
RI	4,037	0	0	0
PR	9,492	0	0	0
<b>2ND</b>	<b>52,444</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>39</b>
CT	8,280	0	0	0
NY, N	8,920	8	4	35
NY, E	17,811	1	0	0
NY, S	9,253	0	0	0
NY, W	7,135	4	1	4
VT	1,045	0	0	0
<b>3RD</b>	<b>65,307</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
DE	2,812	2	0	0
NJ	33,914	4	0	0
PA, E	11,350	0	0	0
PA, M	7,743	0	0	0
PA, W	9,473	4	0	0
VI	15	0	0	0
<b>4TH</b>	<b>82,552</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
MD	22,661	2	0	0
NC, E	8,186	1	0	0
NC, M	4,944	7	0	0
NC, W	6,169	7	0	0
SC	7,443	1	0	0
VA, E	22,477	1	0	0
VA, W	6,903	0	0	0
WV, N	1,660	0	0	0
WV, S	2,109	0	0	0
<b>5TH</b>	<b>69,380</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>
LA, E	3,280	3	1	3
LA, M	1,942	1	0	0
LA, W	9,243	3	0	0
MS, N	5,019	0	0	0
MS, S	6,739	0	0	0
TX, N	15,674	2	0	0
TX, E	5,490	0	0	0
TX, S	11,809	0	0	0
TX, W	10,184	0	0	0

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Circuit and District	Cases			Total Punitive Damages Awarded (in \$000s)
	Total	With Creditor Misconduct	With Punitive Damages	
<b>6TH</b>	<b>166,681</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>4</b>
KY, E	8,844	0	0	0
KY, W	10,017	1	0	0
MI, E	38,065	14	2	4
MI, W	12,576	1	0	0
OH, N	27,707	0	0	0
OH, S	25,602	1	0	0
TN, E	14,428	0	0	0
TN, M	11,987	1	0	0
TN, W	17,455	0	0	0
<b>7TH</b>	<b>123,298</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>5</b>
IL, N	47,966	4	0	0
IL, C	8,289	0	0	0
IL, S	5,394	1	0	0
IN, N	15,092	0	0	0
IN, S	22,236	3	0	0
WI, E	17,460	3	1	5
WI, W	6,861	0	0	0
<b>8TH</b>	<b>71,910</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
AR, E	7,732	0	0	0
AR, W	5,136	0	0	0
IA, N	2,401	1	0	0
IA, S	4,322	3	0	0
MN	16,903	0	0	0
MO, E	15,102	1	0	0
MO, W	12,098	2	0	0
NE	5,473	0	0	0
ND	1,079	0	0	0
SD	1,664	0	0	0
<b>9TH</b>	<b>297,284</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>5</b>
AK	904	0	0	0
AZ	30,079	7	0	0
CA, N	26,436	3	2	5
CA, E	37,868	0	0	0
CA, C	105,929	5	0	0
CA, S	18,083	0	0	0
HI	2,457	0	0	0
ID	7,315	0	0	0
MT	2,359	0	0	0
NV	21,321	6	0	0
OR	15,790	0	0	0
WA, E	5,759	0	0	0
WA, W	22,852	3	0	0
GUAM	127	0	0	0
NMI	5	0	0	0

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Circuit and District	Cases			Total Punitive Damages Awarded (in \$000s)
	Total	With Creditor Misconduct	With Punitive Damages	
<b>10TH</b>	<b>76,049</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
CO	30,796	2	0	0
KS	8,939	1	0	0
NM	4,884	0	0	0
OK, N	3,538	0	0	0
OK, E	1,970	0	0	0
OK, W	6,838	0	0	0
UT	17,664	4	0	0
WY	1,420	0	0	0
<b>11TH</b>	<b>166,085</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
AL, N	15,591	0	0	0
AL, M	6,460	0	0	0
AL, S	4,705	1	0	0
FL, N	3,659	0	0	0
FL, M	45,717	9	0	0
FL, S	28,202	6	0	0
GA, N	42,790	4	0	0
GA, M	10,114	1	0	0
GA, S	8,847	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.

<sup>1</sup> Includes cases filed under chapters 7, 11, and 13 of the bankruptcy code.