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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, 2009, as Required by U.S.C. 159(c)

Circuit and District	Cases			Total Damages Awarded (in \$000s)
	Total	With Sanctions	With Damages Awarded	
TOTAL	903,290	5	1	1
DC	631	0	0	0
1ST	27,660	0	0	0
ME	2,871	0	0	0
MA	14,219	0	0	0
NH	3,640	0	0	0
RI	4,122	0	0	0
PR	2,808	0	0	0
2ND	48,196	2	1	1
CT	7,873	0	0	0
NY, N	8,878	0	0	0
NY, E	15,283	0	0	0
NY, S	8,828	1	0	0
NY, W	6,258	1	1	1
VT	1,076	0	0	0
3RD	49,832	0	0	0
DE	2,094	0	0	0
NJ	24,485	0	0	0
PA, E	7,399	0	0	0
PA, M	6,813	0	0	0
PA, W	9,038	0	0	0
VI	3	0	0	0
4TH	63,442	1	0	0
MD	17,564	0	0	0
NC, E	4,189	0	0	0
NC, M	3,867	0	0	0
NC, W	5,441	1	0	0
SC	4,388	0	0	0
VA, E	16,374	0	0	0
VA, W	6,249	0	0	0
WV, N	2,388	0	0	0
WV, S	2,982	0	0	0

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5TH	37,895	1	0	0
LA, E	1,971	1	0	0
LA, M	1,098	0	0	0
LA, W	3,038	0	0	0
MS, N	3,385	0	0	0
MS, S	4,013	0	0	0
TX, N	8,735	0	0	0
TX, E	3,736	0	0	0
TX, S	5,553	0	0	0
TX, W	6,366	0	0	0
6TH	149,280	0	0	0
KY, E	8,829	0	0	0
KY, W	9,213	0	0	0
MI, E	42,265	0	0	0
MI, W	11,980	0	0	0
OH, N	29,476	0	0	0
OH, S	22,161	0	0	0
TN, E	10,464	0	0	0
TN, M	8,515	0	0	0
TN, W	6,377	0	0	0
7TH	101,651	0	0	0
IL, N	37,879	0	0	0
IL, C	7,768	0	0	0
IL, S	3,719	0	0	0
IN, N	13,033	0	0	0
IN, S	18,566	0	0	0
WI, E	13,523	0	0	0
WI, W	7,163	0	0	0
8TH	61,153	0	0	0
AR, E	4,622	0	0	0
AR, W	3,636	0	0	0
IA, N	3,269	0	0	0
IA, S	5,167	0	0	0
MN	15,831	0	0	0
MO, E	10,601	0	0	0
MO, W	10,256	0	0	0
NE	5,070	0	0	0
ND	1,327	0	0	0
SD	1,374	0	0	0

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9TH	208,411	1	0	0
AK	684	0	0	0
AZ	18,093	0	0	0
CA, N	17,988	0	0	0
CA, E	33,489	0	0	0
CA, C	67,594	0	0	0
CA, S	15,239	0	0	0
HI	2,178	0	0	0
ID	5,703	0	0	0
MT	1,815	0	0	0
NV	12,702	1	0	0
OR	11,951	0	0	0
WA, E	5,413	0	0	0
WA, W	15,419	0	0	0
GUAM	143	0	0	0
NMI	0	-	-	-
10TH	47,453	0	0	0
CO	18,438	0	0	0
KS	5,925	0	0	0
NM	4,978	0	0	0
OK, N	3,229	0	0	0
OK, E	1,802	0	0	0
OK, W	5,191	0	0	0
UT	7,170	0	0	0
WY	720	0	0	0
11TH	107,686	0	0	0
AL, N	10,198	0	0	0
AL, M	2,513	0	0	0
AL, S	1,819	0	0	0
FL, N	4,068	0	0	0
FL, M	34,296	0	0	0
FL, S	17,829	0	0	0
GA, N	29,099	0	0	0
GA, M	5,072	0	0	0
GA, S	2,792	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.