

Table F-2.

U.S. Bankruptcy Courts—Business and Nonbusiness Cases Commenced, by Chapter of the Bankruptcy Code, During the 12-Month Period Ending December 31, 2006

| Circuit and District | Total Filings | Total Chapter 7 | Total Chapter 11 | Total Chapter 12 | Total Chapter 13 | Predominant Nature of Debt ¹ | | | | | | | | |
|----------------------|----------------|-----------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|---|---------------|--------------|------------|--------------|---------------------|----------------|------------|----------------|
| | | | | | | Business Filings | | | | | Nonbusiness Filings | | | |
| | | | | | | Total | Chapter 7 | Chapter 11 | Chapter 12 | Chapter 13 | Total | Chapter 7 | Chapter 11 | Chapter 13 |
| TOTAL | 617,660 | 360,890 | 5,163 | 348 | 251,179 | 19,695 | 11,878 | 4,643 | 348 | 2,749 | 597,965 | 349,012 | 520 | 248,430 |
| DC | 550 | 297 | 13 | - | 240 | 27 | 16 | 10 | - | 1 | 523 | 281 | 3 | 239 |
| 1ST | 18,723 | 10,524 | 209 | 15 | 7,975 | 810 | 469 | 179 | 15 | 147 | 17,913 | 10,055 | 30 | 7,828 |
| ME | 1,323 | 1,046 | 12 | 2 | 263 | 85 | 59 | 12 | 2 | 12 | 1,238 | 987 | - | 251 |
| MA | 8,400 | 5,493 | 116 | 2 | 2,789 | 253 | 149 | 95 | 2 | 7 | 8,147 | 5,344 | 21 | 2,782 |
| NH | 1,925 | 1,390 | 12 | 2 | 521 | 218 | 155 | 11 | 2 | 50 | 1,707 | 1,235 | 1 | 471 |
| RI | 1,621 | 1,288 | 4 | - | 329 | 48 | 42 | 3 | - | 3 | 1,573 | 1,246 | 1 | 326 |
| PR | 5,454 | 1,307 | 65 | 9 | 4,073 | 206 | 64 | 58 | 9 | 75 | 5,248 | 1,243 | 7 | 3,998 |
| 2ND | 35,940 | 25,110 | 663 | 15 | 10,097 | 1,456 | 635 | 631 | 15 | 121 | 34,484 | 24,475 | 32 | 9,976 |
| CT | 5,025 | 3,641 | 120 | 1 | 1,263 | 219 | 94 | 114 | 1 | 10 | 4,806 | 3,547 | 6 | 1,253 |
| NY,N | 8,711 | 5,781 | 35 | 10 | 2,885 | 214 | 120 | 35 | 10 | 49 | 8,497 | 5,661 | - | 2,836 |
| NY,E | 8,793 | 6,330 | 103 | - | 2,360 | 220 | 112 | 93 | - | 15 | 8,573 | 6,218 | 10 | 2,345 |
| NY,S | 5,737 | 4,321 | 370 | - | 993 | 566 | 147 | 357 | - | 10 | 5,171 | 4,174 | 13 | 983 |
| NY,W | 7,019 | 4,559 | 34 | 2 | 2,422 | 201 | 139 | 31 | 2 | 27 | 6,818 | 4,420 | 3 | 2,395 |
| VT | 655 | 478 | 1 | 2 | 174 | 36 | 23 | 1 | 2 | 10 | 619 | 455 | - | 164 |
| 3RD | 39,524 | 22,422 | 607 | 17 | 16,478 | 1,489 | 744 | 564 | 17 | 164 | 38,035 | 21,678 | 43 | 16,314 |
| DE | 1,528 | 706 | 203 | - | 619 | 244 | 40 | 203 | - | 1 | 1,284 | 666 | - | 618 |
| NJ | 14,041 | 8,130 | 204 | 3 | 5,704 | 493 | 280 | 183 | 3 | 27 | 13,548 | 7,850 | 21 | 5,677 |
| PA,E | 8,325 | 3,891 | 48 | - | 4,386 | 209 | 136 | 41 | - | 32 | 8,116 | 3,755 | 7 | 4,354 |
| PA,M | 5,558 | 3,271 | 31 | 9 | 2,247 | 192 | 96 | 31 | 9 | 56 | 5,366 | 3,175 | - | 2,191 |
| PA,W | 10,049 | 6,415 | 113 | 5 | 3,516 | 341 | 189 | 100 | 5 | 47 | 9,708 | 6,226 | 13 | 3,469 |
| VI | 23 | 9 | 8 | - | 6 | 10 | 3 | 6 | - | 1 | 13 | 6 | 2 | 5 |
| 4TH | 48,936 | 23,990 | 339 | 12 | 24,593 | 1,215 | 705 | 294 | 12 | 203 | 47,721 | 23,285 | 45 | 24,390 |
| MD | 9,349 | 4,663 | 95 | - | 4,591 | 333 | 172 | 83 | - | 78 | 9,016 | 4,491 | 12 | 4,513 |
| NC,E | 6,601 | 2,839 | 42 | 4 | 3,716 | 136 | 57 | 40 | 4 | 35 | 6,465 | 2,782 | 2 | 3,681 |
| NC,M | 5,335 | 2,218 | 20 | 2 | 3,094 | 155 | 94 | 20 | 2 | 38 | 5,180 | 2,124 | - | 3,056 |
| NC,W | 5,305 | 2,724 | 35 | 1 | 2,545 | 112 | 73 | 29 | 1 | 9 | 5,193 | 2,651 | 6 | 2,536 |
| SC | 6,129 | 1,672 | 35 | 1 | 4,420 | 82 | 51 | 24 | 1 | 6 | 6,047 | 1,621 | 11 | 4,414 |
| VA,E | 8,773 | 4,597 | 72 | 1 | 4,103 | 217 | 135 | 60 | 1 | 21 | 8,556 | 4,462 | 12 | 4,082 |
| VA,W | 4,411 | 2,650 | 14 | - | 1,747 | 66 | 48 | 14 | - | 4 | 4,345 | 2,602 | - | 1,743 |
| WV,N | 1,297 | 1,113 | 7 | 1 | 176 | 69 | 54 | 6 | 1 | 8 | 1,228 | 1,059 | 1 | 168 |
| WV,S | 1,736 | 1,514 | 19 | 2 | 201 | 45 | 21 | 18 | 2 | 4 | 1,691 | 1,493 | 1 | 197 |

Table F-2. (December 31, 2006—Continued)

| Circuit and District | Total Filings | Total Chapter 7 | Total Chapter 11 | Total Chapter 12 | Total Chapter 13 | Predominant Nature of Debt ¹ | | | | | | | | |
|----------------------|----------------|-----------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|---|--------------|------------|------------|------------|---------------------|---------------|------------|---------------|
| | | | | | | Business Filings | | | | | Nonbusiness Filings | | | |
| | | | | | | Total | Chapter 7 | Chapter 11 | Chapter 12 | Chapter 13 | Total | Chapter 7 | Chapter 11 | Chapter 13 |
| 5TH | 56,683 | 23,819 | 773 | 47 | 32,041 | 2,744 | 1,496 | 720 | 47 | 478 | 53,939 | 22,323 | 53 | 31,563 |
| LA,E | 1,757 | 1,166 | 70 | - | 521 | 109 | 39 | 68 | - | 2 | 1,648 | 1,127 | 2 | 519 |
| LA,M | 1,317 | 704 | 7 | - | 606 | 29 | 20 | 7 | - | 2 | 1,288 | 684 | - | 604 |
| LA,W | 8,152 | 2,402 | 64 | 14 | 5,672 | 338 | 81 | 62 | 14 | 181 | 7,814 | 2,321 | 2 | 5,491 |
| MS,N | 3,814 | 1,765 | 18 | 6 | 2,025 | 97 | 60 | 18 | 6 | 13 | 3,717 | 1,705 | - | 2,012 |
| MS,S | 5,012 | 2,425 | 20 | 10 | 2,557 | 90 | 48 | 17 | 10 | 15 | 4,922 | 2,377 | 3 | 2,542 |
| TX,N | 13,076 | 4,813 | 286 | 5 | 7,972 | 828 | 418 | 278 | 5 | 127 | 12,248 | 4,395 | 8 | 7,845 |
| TX,E | 4,673 | 2,360 | 42 | 2 | 2,268 | 275 | 206 | 39 | 2 | 27 | 4,398 | 2,154 | 3 | 2,241 |
| TX,S | 10,997 | 4,359 | 182 | 8 | 6,447 | 549 | 328 | 154 | 8 | 58 | 10,448 | 4,031 | 28 | 6,389 |
| TX,W | 7,885 | 3,825 | 84 | 2 | 3,973 | 429 | 296 | 77 | 2 | 53 | 7,456 | 3,529 | 7 | 3,920 |
| 6TH | 113,099 | 63,374 | 507 | 36 | 49,180 | 2,307 | 1,505 | 448 | 36 | 316 | 110,792 | 61,869 | 59 | 48,864 |
| KY,E | 5,302 | 3,743 | 16 | 2 | 1,541 | 91 | 66 | 16 | 2 | 7 | 5,211 | 3,677 | - | 1,534 |
| KY,W | 7,072 | 4,654 | 31 | 3 | 2,384 | 109 | 65 | 30 | 3 | 11 | 6,963 | 4,589 | 1 | 2,373 |
| MI,E | 25,962 | 15,547 | 137 | 9 | 10,267 | 510 | 339 | 127 | 9 | 33 | 25,452 | 15,208 | 10 | 10,234 |
| MI,W | 7,537 | 5,886 | 28 | 5 | 1,618 | 243 | 186 | 28 | 5 | 24 | 7,294 | 5,700 | - | 1,594 |
| OH,N | 18,402 | 12,276 | 79 | 3 | 6,044 | 540 | 365 | 73 | 3 | 99 | 17,862 | 11,911 | 6 | 5,945 |
| OH,S | 17,021 | 10,321 | 54 | 1 | 6,645 | 417 | 266 | 51 | 1 | 99 | 16,604 | 10,055 | 3 | 6,546 |
| TN,E | 9,063 | 4,405 | 29 | 8 | 4,621 | 124 | 73 | 26 | 8 | 17 | 8,939 | 4,332 | 3 | 4,604 |
| TN,M | 7,863 | 3,431 | 85 | 5 | 4,342 | 152 | 81 | 60 | 5 | 6 | 7,711 | 3,350 | 25 | 4,336 |
| TN,W | 14,877 | 3,111 | 48 | - | 11,718 | 121 | 64 | 37 | - | 20 | 14,756 | 3,047 | 11 | 11,698 |
| 7TH | 63,994 | 41,662 | 305 | 28 | 21,998 | 1,352 | 938 | 273 | 28 | 112 | 62,642 | 40,724 | 32 | 21,886 |
| IL,N | 20,501 | 12,893 | 120 | 1 | 7,486 | 473 | 344 | 111 | 1 | 16 | 20,028 | 12,549 | 9 | 7,470 |
| IL,C | 5,621 | 4,146 | 15 | 6 | 1,454 | 139 | 103 | 15 | 6 | 15 | 5,482 | 4,043 | - | 1,439 |
| IL,S | 4,321 | 1,907 | 22 | - | 2,392 | 57 | 33 | 19 | - | 5 | 4,264 | 1,874 | 3 | 2,387 |
| IN,N | 8,279 | 5,648 | 37 | 1 | 2,593 | 124 | 81 | 30 | 1 | 12 | 8,155 | 5,567 | 7 | 2,581 |
| IN,S | 13,955 | 8,732 | 63 | 6 | 5,154 | 252 | 160 | 57 | 6 | 29 | 13,703 | 8,572 | 6 | 5,125 |
| WI,E | 7,705 | 5,390 | 23 | 3 | 2,289 | 145 | 102 | 21 | 3 | 19 | 7,560 | 5,288 | 2 | 2,270 |
| WI,W | 3,612 | 2,946 | 25 | 11 | 630 | 162 | 115 | 20 | 11 | 16 | 3,450 | 2,831 | 5 | 614 |
| 8TH | 44,032 | 28,960 | 162 | 72 | 14,835 | 1,410 | 1,006 | 142 | 72 | 187 | 42,622 | 27,954 | 20 | 14,648 |
| AR,E | 6,337 | 2,847 | 14 | 13 | 3,463 | 185 | 109 | 14 | 13 | 49 | 6,152 | 2,738 | - | 3,414 |
| AR,W | 3,227 | 1,576 | 13 | 8 | 1,629 | 91 | 56 | 11 | 8 | 15 | 3,136 | 1,520 | 2 | 1,614 |
| IA,N | 1,766 | 1,624 | 5 | 3 | 134 | 115 | 103 | 3 | 3 | 6 | 1,651 | 1,521 | 2 | 128 |
| IA,S | 3,125 | 2,692 | 6 | - | 427 | 93 | 79 | 6 | - | 8 | 3,032 | 2,613 | - | 419 |
| MN | 8,039 | 6,044 | 38 | 6 | 1,949 | 381 | 296 | 32 | 6 | 45 | 7,658 | 5,748 | 6 | 1,904 |
| MO,E | 7,789 | 4,681 | 24 | 4 | 3,080 | 129 | 93 | 20 | 4 | 12 | 7,660 | 4,588 | 4 | 3,068 |
| MO,W | 7,918 | 5,277 | 30 | 11 | 2,600 | 155 | 94 | 28 | 11 | 22 | 7,763 | 5,183 | 2 | 2,578 |
| NE | 4,141 | 2,782 | 29 | 23 | 1,307 | 182 | 112 | 25 | 23 | 22 | 3,959 | 2,670 | 4 | 1,285 |
| ND | 743 | 646 | 1 | 1 | 95 | 32 | 28 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 711 | 618 | - | 93 |
| SD | 947 | 791 | 2 | 3 | 151 | 47 | 36 | 2 | 3 | 6 | 900 | 755 | - | 145 |

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|----------------------|---------------|-----------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|---|--------------|------------|------------|------------|---------------------|---------------|------------|---------------|
| | | | | | | Business Filings | | | | | Nonbusiness Filings | | | |
| | | | | | | Total | Chapter 7 | Chapter 11 | Chapter 12 | Chapter 13 | Total | Chapter 7 | Chapter 11 | Chapter 13 |
| 9TH | 78,505 | 58,215 | 845 | 45 | 19,388 | 3,415 | 2,180 | 725 | 45 | 454 | 75,090 | 56,035 | 120 | 18,934 |
| AK | 622 | 521 | 6 | 1 | 94 | 45 | 34 | 6 | 1 | 4 | 577 | 487 | - | 90 |
| AZ | 7,793 | 6,286 | 143 | 1 | 1,362 | 261 | 119 | 127 | 1 | 13 | 7,532 | 6,167 | 16 | 1,349 |
| CA,N | 7,742 | 4,600 | 98 | - | 3,041 | 489 | 313 | 64 | - | 109 | 7,253 | 4,287 | 34 | 2,932 |
| CA,E | 9,323 | 6,779 | 66 | 6 | 2,469 | 408 | 245 | 58 | 6 | 96 | 8,915 | 6,534 | 8 | 2,373 |
| CA,C | 17,802 | 14,230 | 244 | 3 | 3,323 | 959 | 684 | 215 | 3 | 55 | 16,843 | 13,546 | 29 | 3,268 |
| CA,S | 4,338 | 3,312 | 41 | 2 | 983 | 242 | 191 | 34 | 2 | 15 | 4,096 | 3,121 | 7 | 968 |
| HI | 965 | 801 | 9 | - | 153 | 25 | 17 | 6 | - | 1 | 940 | 784 | 3 | 152 |
| ID | 2,931 | 2,335 | 15 | 11 | 570 | 56 | 28 | 12 | 11 | 5 | 2,875 | 2,307 | 3 | 565 |
| MT | 1,845 | 1,603 | 10 | 3 | 229 | 39 | 26 | 9 | 3 | 1 | 1,806 | 1,577 | 1 | 228 |
| NV | 5,517 | 3,552 | 93 | - | 1,872 | 178 | 82 | 88 | - | 8 | 5,339 | 3,470 | 5 | 1,864 |
| OR | 7,585 | 5,699 | 19 | 7 | 1,860 | 301 | 193 | 18 | 7 | 83 | 7,284 | 5,506 | 1 | 1,777 |
| WA,E | 3,463 | 2,582 | 19 | 8 | 854 | 124 | 73 | 18 | 8 | 25 | 3,339 | 2,509 | 1 | 829 |
| WA,W | 8,448 | 5,793 | 82 | 3 | 2,569 | 277 | 164 | 70 | 3 | 39 | 8,171 | 5,629 | 12 | 2,530 |
| GUAM | 114 | 105 | - | - | 9 | 8 | 8 | - | - | - | 106 | 97 | - | 9 |
| NMI | 17 | 17 | - | - | - | 3 | 3 | - | - | - | 14 | 14 | - | - |
| 10TH | 32,045 | 24,010 | 182 | 31 | 7,821 | 1,112 | 810 | 167 | 31 | 103 | 30,933 | 23,200 | 15 | 7,718 |
| CO | 9,979 | 8,189 | 76 | 2 | 1,712 | 435 | 330 | 68 | 2 | 35 | 9,544 | 7,859 | 8 | 1,677 |
| KS | 6,347 | 4,228 | 17 | 16 | 2,086 | 158 | 104 | 17 | 16 | 21 | 6,189 | 4,124 | - | 2,065 |
| NM | 2,521 | 2,199 | 18 | 2 | 302 | 95 | 67 | 17 | 2 | 9 | 2,426 | 2,132 | 1 | 293 |
| OK,N | 2,101 | 1,774 | 5 | 1 | 321 | 94 | 81 | 5 | 1 | 7 | 2,007 | 1,693 | - | 314 |
| OK,E | 1,155 | 922 | 20 | 3 | 209 | 52 | 25 | 19 | 3 | 4 | 1,103 | 897 | 1 | 205 |
| OK,W | 3,889 | 2,683 | 14 | 6 | 1,186 | 90 | 67 | 12 | 6 | 5 | 3,799 | 2,616 | 2 | 1,181 |
| UT | 5,363 | 3,440 | 25 | 1 | 1,897 | 148 | 104 | 23 | 1 | 20 | 5,215 | 3,336 | 2 | 1,877 |
| WY | 690 | 575 | 7 | - | 108 | 40 | 32 | 6 | - | 2 | 650 | 543 | 1 | 106 |
| 11TH | 85,629 | 38,507 | 558 | 30 | 46,533 | 2,358 | 1,374 | 490 | 30 | 463 | 83,271 | 37,133 | 68 | 46,070 |
| AL,N | 12,292 | 4,566 | 53 | 2 | 7,671 | 142 | 71 | 43 | 2 | 26 | 12,150 | 4,495 | 10 | 7,645 |
| AL,M | 4,494 | 1,244 | 15 | 1 | 3,234 | 50 | 25 | 13 | 1 | 11 | 4,444 | 1,219 | 2 | 3,223 |
| AL,S | 2,853 | 841 | 14 | - | 1,998 | 27 | 15 | 9 | - | 3 | 2,826 | 826 | 5 | 1,995 |
| FL,N | 2,143 | 1,504 | 19 | - | 620 | 86 | 63 | 19 | - | 4 | 2,057 | 1,441 | - | 616 |
| FL,M | 15,756 | 9,437 | 129 | 3 | 6,187 | 521 | 370 | 114 | 3 | 34 | 15,235 | 9,067 | 15 | 6,153 |
| FL,S | 7,801 | 5,603 | 101 | - | 2,096 | 384 | 278 | 92 | - | 13 | 7,417 | 5,325 | 9 | 2,083 |
| GA,N | 25,035 | 11,130 | 188 | - | 13,717 | 899 | 431 | 165 | - | 303 | 24,136 | 10,699 | 23 | 13,414 |
| GA,M | 7,922 | 2,697 | 21 | 14 | 5,190 | 138 | 79 | 18 | 14 | 27 | 7,784 | 2,618 | 3 | 5,163 |
| GA,S | 7,333 | 1,485 | 18 | 10 | 5,820 | 111 | 42 | 17 | 10 | 42 | 7,222 | 1,443 | 1 | 5,778 |

NOTE: THESE FIGURES INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING CASES NOT REFLECTED ELSEWHERE:

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|-----------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| CHAPTER 9 | TX,E = 001 | CHAPTER 15 | NY,S = 052 | NY,S = 001 | NY,W = 002 |
| | CA,C = 001 | | NC,M = 001 | SC = 001 | TX,S = 001 |
| | CA,N = 001 | | TX,W = 001 | MI,E = 002 | IL,N = 001 |
| | AR,W = 001 | | MN = 002 | AZ = 001 | CA,N = 002 |
| | OK,E = 001 | | CA,E = 003 | CA,C = 001 | HI = 001 |
| | | | HI = 001 | WA,W = 001 | FL,S = 001 |

CHAPTER 15 WAS ADDED AND SECTION 304 WAS TERMINATED BY CHANGES IN THE BANKRUPTCY LAWS EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 17, 2005.

¹ 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.