

**Table F-2.**  
**U.S. Bankruptcy Courts—Business and Nonbusiness Cases Commenced, by Chapter of the Bankruptcy Code, During the 12-Month Period Ending September 30, 2006**

Circuit and District	Total Filings	Total Chapter 7	Total Chapter 11	Total Chapter 12	Total Chapter 13	Predominant Nature of Debt <sup>1</sup>								
						Business Filings					Nonbusiness Filings			
						Total	Chapter 7	Chapter 11	Chapter 12	Chapter 13	Total	Chapter 7	Chapter 11	Chapter 13
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1,112,542</b>	<b>833,147</b>	<b>6,003</b>	<b>376</b>	<b>272,937</b>	<b>27,333</b>	<b>18,258</b>	<b>5,345</b>	<b>376</b>	<b>3,277</b>	<b>1,085,209</b>	<b>814,889</b>	<b>658</b>	<b>269,660</b>
<b>DC</b>	<b>1,313</b>	<b>1,080</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>221</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1,279</b>	<b>1,056</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>220</b>
<b>1ST</b>	<b>31,705</b>	<b>22,634</b>	<b>248</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>8,800</b>	<b>1,156</b>	<b>735</b>	<b>212</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>186</b>	<b>30,549</b>	<b>21,899</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>8,614</b>
ME	3,096	2,798	16	2	280	116	81	16	2	17	2,980	2,717	-	263
MA	15,181	12,267	116	2	2,796	290	188	98	2	2	14,891	12,079	18	2,794
NH	3,214	2,669	13	1	531	335	268	11	1	55	2,879	2,401	2	476
RI	3,047	2,750	7	-	290	99	88	7	-	4	2,948	2,662	-	286
PR	7,167	2,150	96	18	4,903	316	110	80	18	108	6,851	2,040	16	4,795
<b>2ND</b>	<b>68,079</b>	<b>56,046</b>	<b>1,038</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>10,933</b>	<b>2,062</b>	<b>898</b>	<b>978</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>124</b>	<b>66,017</b>	<b>55,148</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>10,809</b>
CT	8,895	7,477	122	-	1,296	235	120	108	-	7	8,660	7,357	14	1,289
NY,N	13,123	10,114	33	6	2,970	241	156	32	6	47	12,882	9,958	1	2,923
NY,E	18,531	15,915	130	-	2,486	287	164	113	-	10	18,244	15,751	17	2,476
NY,S	13,496	11,635	716	-	1,093	938	189	690	-	7	12,558	11,446	26	1,086
NY,W	12,536	9,643	36	2	2,855	306	231	34	2	39	12,230	9,412	2	2,816
VT	1,498	1,262	1	2	233	55	38	1	2	14	1,443	1,224	-	219
<b>3RD</b>	<b>71,869</b>	<b>51,448</b>	<b>605</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>19,800</b>	<b>1,811</b>	<b>1,054</b>	<b>547</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>196</b>	<b>70,058</b>	<b>50,394</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>19,604</b>
DE	2,562	1,641	179	-	742	218	37	179	-	2	2,344	1,604	-	740
NJ	25,982	18,562	173	1	7,246	575	394	149	1	31	25,407	18,168	24	7,215
PA,E	15,255	10,006	67	-	5,180	279	183	55	-	41	14,976	9,823	12	5,139
PA,M	10,309	7,483	35	8	2,783	276	154	35	8	79	10,033	7,329	-	2,704
PA,W	17,718	13,730	143	5	3,840	454	284	123	5	42	17,264	13,446	20	3,798
VI	43	26	8	-	9	9	2	6	-	1	34	24	2	8
<b>4TH</b>	<b>82,789</b>	<b>55,236</b>	<b>389</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>27,146</b>	<b>1,622</b>	<b>1,047</b>	<b>334</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>223</b>	<b>81,167</b>	<b>54,189</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>26,923</b>
MD	18,608	13,523	105	-	4,980	500	310	92	-	98	18,108	13,213	13	4,882
NC,E	9,451	5,218	51	7	4,175	192	96	48	7	41	9,259	5,122	3	4,134
NC,M	7,332	4,056	14	2	3,259	175	124	14	2	34	7,157	3,932	-	3,225
NC,W	7,740	4,989	31	1	2,719	100	67	23	1	9	7,640	4,922	8	2,710
SC	8,527	3,457	39	-	5,031	121	84	27	-	10	8,406	3,373	12	5,021
VA,E	15,979	11,330	87	4	4,558	245	159	72	4	10	15,734	11,171	15	4,548
VA,W	6,979	4,992	26	1	1,960	99	66	26	1	6	6,880	4,926	-	1,954
WV,N	3,166	2,947	8	-	211	124	105	8	-	11	3,042	2,842	-	200
WV,S	5,007	4,724	28	2	253	66	36	24	2	4	4,941	4,688	4	249

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<b>5TH</b>	<b>98,326</b>	<b>64,015</b>	<b>919</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>33,336</b>	<b>3,558</b>	<b>2,157</b>	<b>858</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>487</b>	<b>94,768</b>	<b>61,858</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>32,849</b>
LA,E	5,003	4,417	75	-	511	150	75	73	-	2	4,853	4,342	2	509
LA,M	2,803	2,248	13	-	542	33	22	11	-	-	2,770	2,226	2	542
LA,W	11,929	5,939	54	18	5,918	355	134	50	18	153	11,574	5,805	4	5,765
MS,N	5,517	3,576	27	7	1,907	99	55	27	7	10	5,418	3,521	-	1,897
MS,S	7,600	5,261	22	9	2,308	101	63	22	9	7	7,499	5,198	-	2,301
TX,N	22,333	13,287	353	6	8,686	1,138	632	345	6	154	21,195	12,655	8	8,532
TX,E	8,668	6,202	48	-	2,417	349	269	43	-	36	8,319	5,933	5	2,381
TX,S	20,264	13,137	237	10	6,880	739	472	203	10	54	19,525	12,665	34	6,826
TX,W	14,209	9,948	90	3	4,167	594	435	84	3	71	13,615	9,513	6	4,096
<b>6TH</b>	<b>189,236</b>	<b>137,191</b>	<b>567</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>51,437</b>	<b>3,110</b>	<b>2,230</b>	<b>483</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>356</b>	<b>186,126</b>	<b>134,961</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>51,081</b>
KY,E	10,271	8,622	21	2	1,626	147	114	21	2	10	10,124	8,508	-	1,616
KY,W	12,223	9,644	32	3	2,544	160	114	30	3	13	12,063	9,530	2	2,531
MI,E	40,168	30,006	147	10	10,002	601	434	123	10	31	39,567	29,572	24	9,971
MI,W	13,186	11,346	41	4	1,795	313	244	39	4	26	12,873	11,102	2	1,769
OH,N	39,765	33,112	92	5	6,556	838	625	84	5	124	38,927	32,487	8	6,432
OH,S	32,838	25,156	63	1	7,618	580	415	59	1	105	32,258	24,741	4	7,513
TN,E	12,832	8,231	28	8	4,565	159	113	22	8	16	12,673	8,118	6	4,549
TN,M	9,532	5,257	84	5	4,186	154	86	57	5	6	9,378	5,171	27	4,180
TN,W	18,421	5,817	59	-	12,545	158	85	48	-	25	18,263	5,732	11	12,520
<b>7TH</b>	<b>121,760</b>	<b>96,659</b>	<b>371</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>24,693</b>	<b>1,868</b>	<b>1,370</b>	<b>329</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>132</b>	<b>119,892</b>	<b>95,289</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>24,561</b>
IL,N	39,011	30,830	152	4	8,023	633	460	145	4	22	38,378	30,370	7	8,001
IL,C	11,085	9,380	20	8	1,677	170	131	18	8	13	10,915	9,249	2	1,664
IL,S	6,927	4,434	22	1	2,470	45	25	19	1	-	6,882	4,409	3	2,470
IN,N	17,692	14,635	43	3	3,011	166	115	32	3	16	17,526	14,520	11	2,995
IN,S	27,214	20,664	83	7	6,460	459	331	76	7	45	26,755	20,333	7	6,415
WI,E	13,185	10,832	19	3	2,331	192	150	17	3	22	12,993	10,682	2	2,309
WI,W	6,646	5,884	32	9	721	203	158	22	9	14	6,443	5,726	10	707
<b>8TH</b>	<b>77,705</b>	<b>61,060</b>	<b>165</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>16,400</b>	<b>2,144</b>	<b>1,687</b>	<b>143</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>234</b>	<b>75,561</b>	<b>59,373</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>16,166</b>
AR,E	9,897	5,931	20	15	3,931	225	142	19	15	49	9,672	5,789	1	3,882
AR,W	5,865	4,028	14	8	1,814	117	77	12	8	19	5,748	3,951	2	1,795
IA,N	3,535	3,344	5	3	183	192	181	3	3	5	3,343	3,163	2	178
IA,S	5,588	5,112	6	1	469	125	108	6	1	10	5,463	5,004	-	459
MN	13,631	11,422	34	3	2,170	758	652	28	3	73	12,873	10,770	6	2,097
MO,E	14,319	11,015	29	4	3,271	155	111	24	4	16	14,164	10,904	5	3,255
MO,W	14,546	11,687	30	11	2,818	203	139	28	11	25	14,343	11,548	2	2,793
NE	6,678	5,216	25	26	1,410	220	150	21	26	22	6,458	5,066	4	1,388
ND	1,726	1,598	1	2	125	53	48	1	2	2	1,673	1,550	-	123
SD	1,920	1,707	1	3	209	96	79	1	3	13	1,824	1,628	-	196

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<b>9TH</b>	<b>168,324</b>	<b>144,801</b>	<b>891</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>22,566</b>	<b>4,958</b>	<b>3,470</b>	<b>754</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>668</b>	<b>163,366</b>	<b>141,331</b>	<b>137</b>	<b>21,898</b>
AK	1,300	1,184	7	-	109	60	49	7	-	4	1,240	1,135	-	105
AZ	17,457	15,584	149	1	1,722	339	190	130	1	17	17,118	15,394	19	1,705
CA,N	15,468	11,645	107	-	3,714	709	470	70	-	167	14,759	11,175	37	3,547
CA,E	19,526	16,907	56	6	2,554	581	414	47	6	111	18,945	16,493	9	2,443
CA,C	41,929	38,425	286	3	3,213	1,425	1,105	254	3	61	40,504	37,320	32	3,152
CA,S	8,300	7,186	42	2	1,070	254	201	35	2	16	8,046	6,985	7	1,054
HI	2,233	2,016	11	-	205	43	32	9	-	1	2,190	1,984	2	204
ID	5,865	5,108	18	11	728	91	55	14	11	11	5,774	5,053	4	717
MT	3,246	2,935	14	8	289	66	41	12	8	5	3,180	2,894	2	284
NV	12,759	10,535	82	-	2,142	214	123	78	-	13	12,545	10,412	4	2,129
OR	16,236	13,717	15	7	2,497	629	431	14	7	177	15,607	13,286	1	2,320
WA,E	5,928	4,847	17	14	1,050	176	111	16	14	35	5,752	4,736	1	1,015
WA,W	17,836	14,488	87	3	3,256	362	239	68	3	50	17,474	14,249	19	3,206
GUAM	220	203	-	-	17	7	7	-	-	-	213	196	-	17
NMI	21	21	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	19	19	-	-
<b>10TH</b>	<b>71,090</b>	<b>61,850</b>	<b>189</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>9,022</b>	<b>2,099</b>	<b>1,718</b>	<b>170</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>182</b>	<b>68,991</b>	<b>60,132</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>8,840</b>
CO	22,207	20,210	76	4	1,917	752	636	68	4	44	21,455	19,574	8	1,873
KS	12,179	9,820	17	12	2,330	248	176	17	12	43	11,931	9,644	-	2,287
NM	5,559	5,170	28	2	359	303	256	26	2	19	5,256	4,914	2	340
OK,N	5,395	5,026	10	1	358	197	171	10	1	15	5,198	4,855	-	343
OK,E	3,467	3,213	4	2	248	69	58	4	2	5	3,398	3,155	-	243
OK,W	10,657	9,282	14	7	1,354	195	167	11	7	10	10,462	9,115	3	1,344
UT	10,015	7,639	32	1	2,343	268	197	28	1	42	9,747	7,442	4	2,301
WY	1,611	1,490	8	-	113	67	57	6	-	4	1,544	1,433	2	109
<b>11TH</b>	<b>130,346</b>	<b>81,127</b>	<b>609</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>48,583</b>	<b>2,911</b>	<b>1,868</b>	<b>528</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>488</b>	<b>127,435</b>	<b>79,259</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>48,095</b>
AL,N	17,595	9,457	60	1	8,077	175	100	48	1	26	17,420	9,357	12	8,051
AL,M	6,001	2,673	19	-	3,309	68	43	17	-	8	5,933	2,630	2	3,301
AL,S	4,142	2,140	21	-	1,981	42	26	12	-	4	4,100	2,114	9	1,977
FL,N	3,658	2,986	17	-	655	98	77	16	-	5	3,560	2,909	1	650
FL,M	31,092	23,872	153	4	7,062	733	541	136	4	51	30,359	23,331	17	7,011
FL,S	17,396	14,652	111	-	2,633	451	331	100	-	20	16,945	14,321	11	2,613
GA,N	32,429	18,733	182	-	13,514	1,075	614	160	-	301	31,354	18,119	22	13,213
GA,M	9,500	4,314	25	10	5,151	148	86	21	10	31	9,352	4,228	4	5,120
GA,S	8,533	2,300	21	11	6,201	121	50	18	11	42	8,412	2,250	3	6,159

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

CHAPTER 9	TX,E = 001	IL,N = 001	CA,C = 001	CHAPTER 15	NY,S = 050	PA,E = 002	NC,M = 001
	NE = 001	CA,N = 001			TX,N = 001	TX,W = 001	MI,E = 002
	FL,M = 001	AR,W = 001			IL,N = 001	MN = 002	AZ = 001
					CA,N = 001	CA,E = 003	CA,C = 001
SECTION 304	NY,S = 002	MI,E = 001			HI = 001	WA,W = 002	

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

<sup>1</sup> 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.