

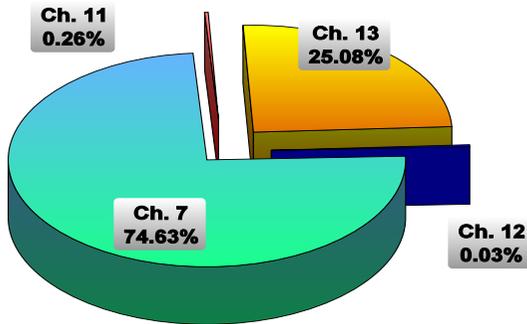


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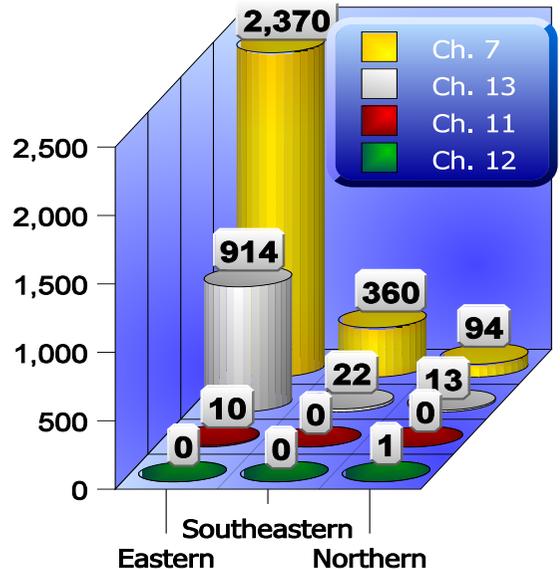
April through June 2012, Quarterly Case Processing Statistics



New Cases

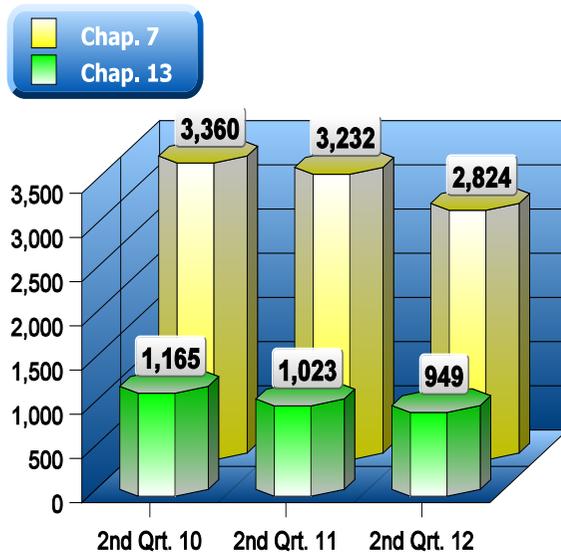
During the second quarter of the calendar year 2012, the Court opened a total of 3,784 new cases. There were 3,294 cases filed in the Eastern division, 382 cases in the Southeastern division and 108 cases filed in the Northern division. The court reopened 199

additional cases. The new cases consisted of 2,824 Chapter 7 filings, 10 Chapter 11 filings, 1 Chapter 12 filing and 949 cases filed under Chapter 13. There were no new cases filed under any other Chapter. The chart above indicates the percentage of new cases filed under each chapter. Additionally there were 89 new Adversary Proceedings, 1,210 motions to lift the automatic stay, and 129 motions to avoid liens. The chart to the right indicates the number of new cases filed during the second quarter in each division, broken down by chapter.



Chapter 7 and Chapter 13 Filings

During the second quarter, 2012, there were 2,824 Chapter 7 petitions and 949 Chapter 13 petitions were filed with the Court. These figures constitute 74.63% and 25.08%, respectively, of the total number of new cases filed this quarter. For comparison purposes, in the second quarter of 2011, the Court received 3,232 new Chapter 7 petitions (75.89%) and 1,023 new Chapter 13 petitions (24.02%). The chart to the right indicates the filing figures for Chapter 7 and Chapter 13 cases for the second quarter of 2012 and the past two calendar years.



Case Closings

The Court closed 3,234 cases during the second quarter, 2012. Case terminations by division included 2,839 for the Eastern division, 273 for the Southeastern division, and 122 cases for the Northern division. The number of cases closed this quarter is less than the number closed during the first quarter of 2012, when the Court closed 3,662 cases. The Court also closed 116 adversary proceedings during the second quarter, 2012.

Pending Caseload

The pending caseload at the end of the second quarter, 2012, was 17,277 cases, a increase of 749 cases from the first quarter, 2012. These 749 cases reflect a 4.53% increase in the pending caseload from last quarter when there were 16,528 cases pending. The chart below depicts the change in pending caseload over the previous four quarters. During that time, the number of pending cases increased by .96% (165 cases), or an average of 41 cases each quarter. The number of adversary proceedings pending decreased by 27 cases in the second quarter, 2012, leaving 165 cases pending.

