

# Objection to Claims

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## Docketing Event

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**Negative Notice: Yes**

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**Fee: N/A**

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## Code and Rule References

[11 U.S.C. § 502\(a\)](#)

[Fed. R. Bankr. P. 3007](#)

[Fed. R. Bankr. P. 7001](#)

[Fed. R. Bankr. P. 7004](#)

[Fed. R. Bankr. P. 9014](#)

[Local Rule 2002-4](#)

[Local Rule 3007-1](#)

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## Description

Any party in interest may file an objection to claim, although they are most commonly filed by trustees and debtors. The filing of an objection to claim may initiate a contested matter depending on the nature of the objection and may result in a hearing, full trial, or resolution without a hearing. An objection to claim may be filed to object to one claim or multiple claims subject to conditions listed in Federal Rule of Bankruptcy Procedure 3007(e). When an objection to claim objects to multiple claims, it is called an Omnibus Objection to Claim, which may result in the entry of multiple orders.

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## Filing Checklist

1. Review the objection to determine if it:
    - Is signed;
    - Has the attorney's name and address complete and consistent with the filing attorney's name and address in CM/ECF
    - Is properly served and includes a proper certificate of service; and
    - Is filed with negative notice that contains correct language and is located on the first page.
      - ❖ **Note:** Response period is 30 days (plus 3 days for mailing).
  2. Review **omnibus** objections to claims to determine if it:
    - States in a conspicuous place that claimants receiving the objection should locate their names and claims in the objection;
    - Lists claimants alphabetically and provides the applicable claim numbers;
      - ❖ **Note:** Lists claim numbers consecutively with other omnibus objections filed by the same objector.
    - States the grounds of the objection for each claim; and
    - Objects to less than 100 claims.
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## Forms

[Objection to Claim](#)

[Order Sustaining Debtor's Objection to Claim](#)

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