

## Waiver of Discharge—Chapter 7

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### **Docketing Event**

Bankruptcy > Miscellaneous > Waiver of Discharge

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**Negative Notice:** N/A

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**Accompanying Orders:** N/A

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### **Code and Rule References:**

[11 U.S.C. § 727\(a\)\(10\)](#)

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**Fee:** N/A

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**Applicable Chapters:** 7

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### **Description**

A debtor may waive entry of discharge by filing a Waiver of Discharge under 11 U.S.C. § 727(a)(10). A debtor should sign the waiver after the petition date. Once the Court approves the Waiver of Discharge, no discharge is entered.

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### **Filing Checklist**

Review the waiver to determine if:

- Waiver indicates debtor intends to waive his or her discharge as to all creditors;
- Waiver is dated after the petition file date;
- Debtor(s) discharge has not been entered; and
- Waiver is signed by the debtor(s);
  - ❖ **Note:** Both debtors should sign in a joint case. However, if it is a joint case and the waiver is for only one debtor, the debtor to whom it pertains should sign the waiver.