

08-1851-CD
Portfolio Rec. Assoc. vs Bruce L. Johnson

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF CLEARFIELD COUNTY
PENNSYLVANIA

PORTFOLIO RECOVERY ASSOCIATES.

LLC

(Plaintiff)

c/o Apothaker & Associates, P.C.

520 Fellowship Road C306

(Street Address)

Mount Laurel, NJ 08054

(City, State, ZIP)

CIVIL ACTION

No. 08-1851-CD

Type of Case. CIVIL

Type of Pleading: PLEADING

VS.

Filed on Behalf of.

BRUCE L JOHNSON

(Defendant)

145 POPLAR RUN LN

(Street Address)

GRAMPLAN, PA 16838

(City, State, ZIP)

PORTFOLIO RECOVERY ASSOCIATES.
LLC

(Plaintiff)

David J. Apothaker, Esq.

Apothaker & Associates, P.C.

(Filed by)

520 Fellowship Road C306

Mount Laurel, NJ 08054

(Address)

800-672-0215

(Phone)

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(Signature)

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NOTICE

You have been sued in court. If you wish to defend against the claims set forth in the following pages, you must take action within twenty (20) days after this complaint and notice are served, by entering a written appearance personally or by attorney and filing in writing with the court your defenses or objections to the claims set forth against you. You are warned that if you fail to do so the case may proceed without you and a judgment may be entered against you by the court without further notice for any money claimed in the complaint or for any other claim or relief requested by the plaintiff. You may lose money or property or other rights important to you.

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CIVIL ACTION COMPLAINT
FIRST COUNT

1. Plaintiff is PORTFOLIO RECOVERY ASSOCIATES, LLC c/o Apothaker & Associates, P.C ,
520 Fellowship Road C306, Mount Laurel, NJ 08054.
2. Defendant(s) is/are BRUCE L JOHNSON, an adult individual residing at 145 POPLAR RUN
LN GRAMPIAN, PA 16838.
3. Plaintiff, PORTFOLIO RECOVERY ASSOCIATES, LLC, is the Assignee and Successor in
Interest of Account #5480420025837442; and said account was issued to Defendant(s) by HSBC/MC, the
Original creditor.
4. Defendant received, accepted and used the account to its benefit.
5. This account is in default and Defendant(s) has an unpaid balance of \$11,660.30. A true and correct
copy of the total due and owing is attached hereto, made a part hereof and marked as Exhibit "A".
6. All credits, if any, to which Defendant(s) is entitled, have been applied to the account and are
included in Exhibit "A".

7. Although demand has been made, Defendant(s) has failed to make payment of the amount due as above.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff demands judgment in favor of Plaintiff and against Defendant(s) for the sum of \$11,660.30 and requests this Court award Plaintiff attorney's fees and costs to the extent permitted by applicable law.

APOTHAKE & ASSOCIATES, P.C.
Attorney for Plaintiff
A Law Firm Engaged in Debt Collection

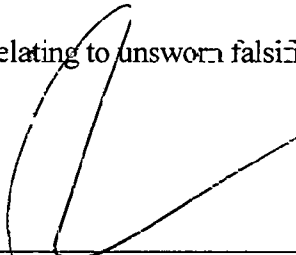
BY: 
David J. Apothaker, Esquire

Dated: 9/22/2008

Our File No.: 175227

VERIFICATION

David J. Apothaker, Esquire hereby states that I am counsel for plaintiff in this action, and that I am authorized to take this Verification, and that the statements made in the foregoing Civil Action Complaint are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief. The undersigned understands that the statements therein are made subject to the penalties of 18 Pa.C.S.A. 4904 relating to unsworn falsification to authorities.



David J. Apothaker, Esquire
Attorney for Plaintiff

DATE: 9/22/2003

PORTFOLIO RECOVERY ASSOCIATES, LLC

BRUCE L JOHNSON
145 POPLAR RUN LN
GRAMPIAN, PA 16838

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT

Debtor's Name:	BRUCE L JOHNSON
Account Number:	5480420025837442
Original Creditor:	HSBC/MC
Balance Due:	\$11,660.30

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EXHIBIT "A"

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF CLEARFIELD COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA
NO: 08-1851-CD

PORTFOLIO RECOVERY ASSOCIATES, LLC
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COMPLAINT

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DEFENDANT: BRUCE L. JOHNSON
ADDRESS: 145 POPLAR RUN LN
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Prothonotary/Clerk of Courts

SHERIFF'S RETURN

NOW, 10-21-08 AT 9:05 AM/PM SERVED THE WITHIN

COMPLAINT ON BRUCE L. JOHNSON, DEFENDANT

BY HANDING TO Bruce L. Johnson, Det.

A TRUE AND ATTESTED COPY OF THE ORIGINAL DOCUMENT AND MADE KNOW TO HIM/HER THE CONTENTS THEREOF.

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SHERIFF RETURN

RETURN COSTS

Description	Paid By	CHECK #	AMOUNT
SURCHARGE	APOTHAKE	107018	10.00
SHERIFF HAWKINS	APOTHAKE	107018	32.04

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Sworn to Before Me This

_____ Day of _____ 2008

So Answers,

Chester A. Hawkins

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Sheriff

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PRAECIPE FOR DEFAULT JUDGMENT

TO THE PROTHONOTARY:

Kindly enter judgment against Defendant, BRUCE L JOHNSON, in the default of an Answer, in the amount of \$12,198.26 computed as follows:

Amount claimed in complaint:	\$11,660.30
Amount Paid:	- \$(0.00)
Interest from September 22, 2008 to 04/29/09 at the legal interest rate of 6.00% per annum	\$400.92
Costs	\$137.04
Attorney fees	\$0.00
TOTAL	\$12,198.26

I hereby certify that the appropriate Notices of Default, as attached have been mailed in accordance with Pa.R.Civ.P. 237.1 on the dates indicated on the Notices.

I certify Defendant, BRUCE L JOHNSON, last know address is 145 POPLAR RUN LN GRAMPIAN, PA 16838.

APOTHAKE & ASSOCIATES, P.C.
Attorneys for Plaintiff
A Law Firm Engaged in Debt Collection

By:

David J. Apothaker

Dated: 4/29/2009

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MAY 07 2009 20.00
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ICC Notice
to Def
ICC Atty

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AFFIDAVIT OF NON-MILITARY SERVICE

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA :
: SS.
COUNTY OF CLEARFIELD :

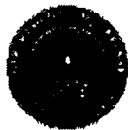
David J. Apothaker, being duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that I am the attorney for Plaintiff, and authorized to make this affidavit; that Defendant(s) resides at 145 POPLAR RUN LN GRAMPIAN, PA 16838.

We inquired with the web site of the Defense Manpower Data Center, located at 1600 Wilson Boulevard, Suite 400, Arlington, VA 22209-2593, if the Defendant(s) is/are in any branch of the military.

Mary M. Snaveley-Dixon, Director of the Defense Manpower Data Center has sent back our inquiry indicated that the Defendant(s) is/are not in the military.

David J. Apothaker
Attorney for Plaintiff

The above signed understands that the statements herein are made subject to the penalties of 18 Pa. C.S Section 4904 relating to unsworn falsification to authorities.



Military Status Report
Pursuant to the Servicemembers Civil Relief Act

◀ Last Name	First/Middle	Begin Date	Active Duty Status	Service/Agency
JOHNSON	BRUCE L	Based on the information you have furnished, the DMDC does not possess any information indicating that the individual is currently on active duty.		

Upon searching the information data banks of the Department of Defense Manpower Data Center, based on the information that you provided, the above is the current status of the individual as to all branches of the Military.

Mary M. Snavely-Dixon

Mary M. Snavely-Dixon, Director
Department of Defense - Manpower Data Center
1600 Wilson Blvd., Suite 400
Arlington, VA 22209-2593

The Defense Manpower Data Center (DMDC) is an organization of the Department of Defense that maintains the Defense Enrollment and Eligibility Reporting System (DEERS) database which is the official source of data on eligibility for military medical care and other eligibility systems.

The Department of Defense strongly supports the enforcement of the Servicemembers Civil Relief Act [50 USCS Appx. §§ 501 et seq] (SCRA) (formerly the Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act of 1940). DMDC has issued hundreds of thousands of "does not possess any information indicating that the individual is currently on active duty" responses, and has experienced a small error rate. In the event the individual referenced above, or any family member, friend, or representative asserts in any manner that the individual is on active duty, or is otherwise entitled to the protections of the SCRA, you are strongly encouraged to obtain further verification of the person's active duty status by contacting that person's Military Service via the "defenselink.mil" URL provided below. If you have evidence the person is on active-duty and you fail to obtain this additional Military Service verification, provisions of the SCRA may be invoked against you.

If you obtain further information about the person (e.g., an SSN, improved accuracy of DOB, a middle name), you can submit your request again at this Web site and we will provide a new certificate for that query.

This response reflects current active duty status only. For historical information, please contact the Military Service SCRA points-of-contact.

See: <http://www.defenselink.mil/faq/pis/PC09SLDR.html>

WARNING: This certificate was provided based on a name and Social Security number (SSN) provided by the requester. Providing an erroneous name or SSN will cause an erroneous certificate to be provided.

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To: BRUCE L JOHNSON
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NOTICE, RULE 237.5

NOTICE OF PRAECIPE TO ENTER JUDGMENT BY DEFAULT

Date of Notice: February 12, 2009


IMPORTANT NOTICE

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NOTICE

Pursuant to Rule 236 of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania, you are hereby notified that a Judgment has been entered against you in the above proceeding as indicated below.

XX JUDGMENT BY DEFAULT

___ JUDGMENT IN REPLEVIN

___ JUDGMENT BY CONFESSION

___ JUDGMENT FOR POSSESSION

___ JUDGMENT ON AWARD OF ARBITRATORS

___ JUDGMENT ON VERDICT

___ JUDGMENT ON COURT FINDINGS

___ JUDGMENT ON WRIT OF REVIVAL

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS CONCERNING THIS NOTICE, PLEASE CALL:

ATTORNEY David J. Apothaker, Esq. at this telephone number: 215-634-8920

William L. H. [Signature] 5/7/09