

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF INDIANA
HAMMOND DIVISION

IN RE:)
)
PETE C. DOUKAS,) CASE NO. 12-24363 JPK
) Chapter 13
) Debtor.)

FRED HOOGHUIS)
PATRICIA HOOGHUIS,)
)
Plaintiffs,)
)
V.) ADVERSARY NO. 13-2031
)
PETER DOUKAS,)
)
Defendant.)

ORDER DENYING DEMAND FOR JURY TRIAL

On March 28, 2013 – as record entry No. 7 – the plaintiffs filed a Demand for Jury Trial. The plaintiffs’ complaint by which this adversary proceeding was initiated seeks to assert an exception to discharge pursuant generally to undesignated sections of 11 U.S.C. § 523(a). The only possible provisions of that statute which could come into play are 11 U.S.C. § 523(a)(2), and/or 11 U.S.C. § 523(a)(4) [see, 11 U.S.C. § 1328(a)(2)]. There is no right to a jury trial under either of those provisions. Additionally, as stated in N.D.Ind.L.R. 200-1(c)(1), the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Northern District of Indiana cannot conduct a jury trial.

IT IS ORDERED that the record No. 7 Demand is denied.

Dated at Hammond, Indiana on April 12, 2013.

/s/ J. Philip Klingeberger
J. Philip Klingeberger, Judge
United States Bankruptcy Court

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