This treatise comprehensively covers affirmative litigation against abusive debt collectors, but it cannot cover all areas of consumer law. Other relevant manuals published by NCLC include:

- **Collection Actions** provides a comprehensive guide to consumer defenses, counterclaims, and other strategies in response to debt collection lawsuits filed against a consumer; this treatise also sets out extensive consumer rights to respond to post-judgment creditor remedies;
- **Fair Credit Reporting** discusses the Fair Credit Reporting Act and other laws applying to credit furnishers such as debt collectors;
- **Federal Deception Law** contains an extensive chapter analyzing all aspects of the Telephone Consumer Protection Act, which provides strong private remedies for robocalls and other unwanted calls; this treatise also examines the regulation of debt relief and debt settlement services;
- **Foreclosure and Mortgage Servicing** covers mortgage servicing, mortgage modifications, and home foreclosures;
- **Repossessions** deals with the seizure of personal property, including cars, manufactured homes, and personal property;
- **Student Loan Law** addresses collection of federal and private student loans;
- **Consumer Class Actions** provides step-by-step instructions on all aspects of bringing a consumer class action;
- **Consumer Arbitration Agreements** examines approaches to defeat a binding arbitration clause that a collector may rely on to avoid court litigation; and
- **Surviving Debt** provides guidance to consumers and advocates about how to deal with debt.


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