

### **D.N.J. LBR 4002-1. Certification in Support of Discharge**

Upon completion of payments under a Chapter 12 Plan, or upon receipt of the Trustee's Plan Complete Letter in a Chapter 13, the debtor must within 30 days, file Local Form *Certification in Support of Discharge*.

#### 2018 Comment

This Rule is new. It is added to ensure compliance with § 1228(a) or §1328(a) of the Code concerning payment of domestic support obligations, and to eliminate the practice of filing the *Certification in Support of Discharge* before completion of plan payments. Importantly, each debtor in a joint case must file a separate *Certification in Support of Discharge*. Discharges will not be entered for Debtors who do not file a completed *Certification in Support of Discharge*.