	7th	Annua	l Dom	nestic /	Asset F	rotection	Trust S	tate Ra	nking	s Char	t
Rank	State	Statute	State Income Tax (60% weight)	Statute of Limitations (Future Creditor) (5% weight)	Statute of Limitations (Preexisting Creditor) (5% weight)	Spouse/ Child Support Exception Creditors (Spouse 3% weight/ Alimony 1% weight/ Child Support 1% weight)	Preexisting Torts Exception Creditors/Other Exception Creditors (5% weight)	Ease of Use – Is a new Affidavit of Solvency required for every new transfer? (7.5% weight)	Fraudulent Transfer Standard (5% weight)	Decanting State Ranking (7.5% weight)	Total Score
1	NV	<u>§§166.010</u> to 166.170	No	2 Yrs.	2 Yrs. or 0.5 Yr. Discovery	No	No	No Affidavit Required	Clear and convincing	Ranked #2	99
2	SD	<u>§§55-16-1</u> <u>to 16</u>	No	2 Yrs.	2 Yrs. or 0.5 Yr. Discovery	Divorcing Spouse; Alimony; Child Support (only if indebted at time of transfer)	No	No Affidavit Required	Clear and convincing	Ranked #1	98
3	TN	<u>§§35-16-</u> 101 to 112	No (except dividends/ interest on residents)	2 Yrs.	2 Yrs. or 0.5 Yr. Discovery	Divorcing Spouse; Alimony; Child Support	No	Affidavit Required	Clear and convincing	Ranked #3	86.5
4	ОН	<u>Ch. 5816</u>	No (except residents)	1.5 Yrs.	1.5 Yrs. or 0.5 Yr. Discovery	Divorcing Spouse; Alimony; Child Support	No	Affidavit Required	Clear and convincing	Ranked #6	85
5 (tie)	DE	<u>Tit. 12.</u> <u>§§3570-</u> <u>3576</u>	No (except residents)	4 Yrs.	4 Yrs. or 1 Yr. Discovery	Divorcing Spouse; Alimony; Child Support	Preexisting Torts	No Affidavit Required	Clear and convincing	Ranked #5	79
5 (tie)	МО	<u>§456.5-505</u>	No (except Missouri source income)	4 Yrs.	4 Yrs. or 1 Yr. Discovery	Alimony; Child Support	State/U.S. to extent state/federal law provides	No Affidavit Required	Clear and convincing	Ranked #10 (tie)	79
7	AK	<u>§34.40.110;</u> <u>§13.36.310</u>	No	4 Yrs.	4 Yrs. or 1 Yr. Discovery	Divorcing Spouse	No	Affidavit Required	Clear and convincing	Ranked #7	77
8	WY	<u>§§4-10-502,</u> <u>504, 506(c),</u> <u>510-523</u>	No	4 Yrs.	4 Yrs. or 1 Yr. Discovery	Child Support	Property listed on app. to obtain credit – but only as to that lender	Affidavit Required	Clear and convincing	Ranked #10 (tie)	75.5
9	RI	<u>§18-9.2</u>	No	4 Yrs.	4 Yrs. or 1 Yr. Discovery	Divorcing Spouse; Alimony; Child Support	Preexisting Torts	No Affidavit Required	Clear and convincing	Ranked #19 (tie)	75
10	NH	<u>§564-D:1-</u> <u>18</u>	No (except dividends/ interest on residents)	4 Yrs.	4 Yrs. or 1 Yr. Discovery	Divorcing Spouse; Alimony; Child Support	Preexisting Torts	No Affidavit Required	Limited clear and convincing evidence standard	Ranked #4	74.5
11	HI	<u>§554G</u>	No (except residents)	2 Yrs.	2 Yrs. Pers. Injury; 6 Yrs. Contract	Divorcing Spouse; Alimony; Child Support	Preexisting Torts/ Certain Lenders/ Hawaii Tax	No Affidavit Required	Limited clear and convincing evidence standard	None	72
12	UT	<u>§25-6-13</u>	Very uncertain ability to avoid	None	2 Yrs. or 1 Yr. Discovery (also 120-day mailing/ publication option)	No	No	Affidavit Required	Missing clear and convincing evidence standard	None	70*
13	MS	<u>§§91-9-701</u> to 91-9-723	Yes	2 Yrs.	2 Yrs. or 0.5 Yr. Discovery	Divorcing Spouse; Alimony; Child Support	Preexisting Torts, State/ Criminal Restitution/ Up to \$1.5MM if no \$1MM Umbrella Policy	Affidavit Required	Clear and convincing	None	14.5
NR	ОК	<u>Tit. 31.</u> <u>§§10 to 18</u>	Yes	4 Yrs.	4 Yrs. or 1 Yr. Discovery	Child Support	Must be majority Oklahoma assets	No Affidavit Required	Clear and convincing	None	NR
NR	VA	<u>§64.2-</u> <u>745.1;</u> §64.2-745.2	Yes	None	5 Yrs.	Child Support	Creditor who has provided services to protect trust/ U.S./city, etc.	No Affidavit Required	Clear and convincing	Ranked #8 (tie)	NR
NR	WV (June 8, 2016)	<u>\$\$44D-5-</u> <u>503a-c</u>	No (except residents)	None	4 Yrs.	No	No	Affidavit Required	Missing clear and convincing evidence standard	None	NR
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