

What's New with New York Form Affidavits

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The New York State Office of Court Administration (OCA) recently released in May and then revised in June form affidavits for use when obtaining default judgments for certain consumer debts. Attorneys Anne Thomas and Don Maurice will discuss the new form affidavits, how and why they have changed, and the impact of the new forms on consumer debt collection lawsuits in the Empire State.

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