

## 6-20/550.20 Federal Government

Except for earnings withholding orders, the United States Government is not subject to garnishment. ([Buchanan v. Alexander, 45 U.S. 20, 4 Howard 20](#); [U.S. v. Morton, 467 U.S. 822, 104 S.Ct. 2769](#))

Patent rights cannot be garnished. ([Peterson v. Sheriff, 115 C 211](#))

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