

## **6-30/205.40 Earnings in Deposit Account**

Earnings already received by the debtor may still be claimed as exempt earnings if they can be traced into deposit accounts or in the form of cash or its equivalent. ([CCP 703.080](#)) Earnings that have already been garnished for support and placed in a deposit account are totally exempt. If earnings have not been previously garnished, then 75 percent of the earnings in the account are exempt. This is not an automatic exemption and a claim must be filed. The procedures governing such a claim are not the procedures for claiming an exemption pursuant to an earnings withholding order, but rather the procedures for claiming an exemption for other property. ([CCP 704.070](#))

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