

**Table M-4B.**  
**U.S. District Courts—Reports and Recommendations Issued by U.S. Magistrate Judges Under**  
**28 U.S.C. 636(b) During the 12-Month Period Ending September 30, 2002**

Circuit and District	Total	Prisoner Petitions			Social Security	Special Master References	Other Civil Motions Under Section 636(b)(1)(B)	Criminal Motions Under Section 636(b)(1)(B)
		State Habeas	Federal Habeas	Civil Rights				
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>50,025</b>	<b>9,503</b>	<b>4,441</b>	<b>10,531</b>	<b>6,654</b>	<b>504</b>	<b>12,308</b>	<b>6,084</b>
<b>DC</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>1ST</b>	<b>909</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>421</b>	<b>171</b>
ME	206	12	20	30	23	0	105	16
MA	188	15	35	3	0	0	116	19
NH	69	15	0	40	0	4	10	0
RI	128	9	8	19	6	0	69	17
PR	318	0	43	3	29	3	121	119
<b>2ND</b>	<b>2,415</b>	<b>330</b>	<b>142</b>	<b>280</b>	<b>227</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>1,214</b>	<b>198</b>
CT	251	1	1	22	30	0	159	38
NY,N	482	80	75	165	62	0	94	6
NY,E	704	54	5	3	11	5	624	2
NY,S	672	178	35	54	80	19	275	31
NY,W	239	5	12	20	30	0	52	120
VT	67	12	14	16	14	0	10	1
<b>3RD</b>	<b>2,828</b>	<b>577</b>	<b>165</b>	<b>439</b>	<b>649</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>911</b>	<b>84</b>
DE	9	0	0	0	9	0	0	0
NJ	47	0	0	18	0	0	29	0
PA,E	758	323	18	0	291	1	80	45
PA,M	548	45	102	137	214	2	47	1
PA,W	1,102	209	45	284	135	0	405	24
VI	364	0	0	0	0	0	350	14
<b>4TH</b>	<b>4,736</b>	<b>521</b>	<b>522</b>	<b>875</b>	<b>929</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1,322</b>	<b>567</b>
MD	390	0	0	2	150	0	233	5
NC,E	480	3	18	14	47	0	24	374
NC,M	617	113	221	118	80	0	61	24
NC,W	181	0	0	0	12	0	129	40
SC	1,452	234	104	568	186	0	354	6
VA,E	541	112	29	45	62	0	266	27
VA,W	337	11	3	4	125	0	190	4
WV,N	330	18	75	52	68	0	37	80
WV,S	408	30	72	72	199	0	28	7

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		State Habeas	Federal Habeas	Civil Rights				
<b>5TH</b>	<b>8,796</b>	<b>2,103</b>	<b>1,115</b>	<b>2,103</b>	<b>799</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>1,944</b>	<b>716</b>
LA,E	510	153	5	186	57	13	6	90
LA,M	364	81	6	133	37	0	107	0
LA,W	1,483	113	267	202	133	0	656	112
MS,N	355	85	0	181	34	0	37	18
MS,S	336	83	20	66	32	1	134	0
TX,N	1,371	700	163	261	106	0	121	20
TX,E	1,432	429	128	622	138	2	108	5
TX,S	1,774	241	134	232	140	0	630	397
TX,W	1,171	218	392	220	122	0	145	74
<b>6TH</b>	<b>3,833</b>	<b>599</b>	<b>151</b>	<b>585</b>	<b>1,199</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>996</b>	<b>302</b>
KY,E	287	41	48	7	97	0	31	63
KY,W	370	52	24	6	151	0	99	38
MI,E	636	76	15	114	274	0	144	13
MI,W	552	140	16	213	123	0	50	10
OH,N	273	55	4	7	108	0	90	9
OH,S	1,145	215	38	142	243	0	506	1
TN,E	319	0	0	0	162	0	18	139
TN,M	199	20	5	96	33	1	44	0
TN,W	52	0	1	0	8	0	14	29
<b>7TH</b>	<b>1,298</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>124</b>	<b>160</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>617</b>	<b>315</b>
IL,N	187	0	0	2	25	1	70	89
IL,C	493	0	0	0	20	0	439	34
IL,S	166	12	12	99	38	0	0	5
IN,N	59	0	0	19	11	0	6	23
IN,S	100	0	0	0	14	2	67	17
WI,E	179	10	0	3	39	0	12	115
WI,W	114	45	0	1	13	0	23	32
<b>8TH</b>	<b>4,322</b>	<b>277</b>	<b>198</b>	<b>981</b>	<b>562</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>786</b>	<b>1,489</b>
AR,E	900	86	35	577	130	0	68	4
AR,W	268	32	23	113	57	14	23	6
IA,N	168	13	8	15	47	0	53	32
IA,S	40	1	1	9	0	0	13	16
MN	1,226	67	53	122	211	0	362	411
MO,E	531	52	0	0	98	0	23	358
MO,W	582	0	50	125	0	15	94	298
NE	419	10	9	13	0	0	140	247
ND	50	8	12	6	14	0	10	0
SD	138	8	7	1	5	0	0	117

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<b>9TH</b>	<b>9,154</b>	<b>3,176</b>	<b>602</b>	<b>2,234</b>	<b>832</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>1,595</b>	<b>687</b>
AK	177	6	9	4	35	0	61	62
AZ	639	204	152	11	17	0	73	182
CA,N	116	0	0	0	2	0	26	88
CA,E	2,821	762	101	1,535	259	0	162	2
CA,C	2,480	1,628	156	298	134	0	260	4
CA,S	404	159	3	29	33	0	15	165
HI	136	7	0	3	67	23	36	0
ID	179	2	0	0	5	0	140	32
MT	251	60	3	63	29	0	96	0
NV	287	60	19	24	19	0	85	80
OR	945	109	36	88	102	0	588	22
WA,E	101	17	3	15	1	5	11	49
WA,W	618	162	120	164	129	0	42	1
<b>10TH</b>	<b>2,144</b>	<b>399</b>	<b>218</b>	<b>527</b>	<b>532</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>401</b>	<b>65</b>
CO	611	46	35	209	72	1	248	0
KS	242	79	59	0	82	0	22	0
NM	376	64	28	42	175	0	9	58
OK,N	79	1	0	3	7	0	68	0
OK,E	98	12	2	0	84	0	0	0
OK,W	653	189	84	262	103	0	14	1
UT	78	8	10	11	9	1	33	6
WY	7	0	0	0	0	0	7	0
<b>11TH</b>	<b>9,550</b>	<b>1,403</b>	<b>1,209</b>	<b>2,288</b>	<b>707</b>	<b>391</b>	<b>2,063</b>	<b>1,489</b>
AL,N	908	157	57	161	0	1	339	193
AL,M	773	100	78	454	17	0	109	15
AL,S	388	77	0	122	150	1	30	8
FL,N	934	129	297	386	84	1	36	1
FL,M	997	2	5	2	148	0	340	500
FL,S	2,840	606	511	525	146	0	742	310
GA,N	1,517	137	93	2	122	388	374	401
GA,M	389	102	62	196	10	0	19	0
GA,S	804	93	106	440	30	0	74	61

NOTE: TOTALS INCLUDE BOTH CIVIL AND CRIMINAL REPORTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS.