

**Table C.**  
**U.S. District Courts—Civil Cases Commenced, Terminated, and Pending**  
**During the 12-Month Periods Ending December 31, 2004 and 2005**

Circuit	Filings			Terminations			Pending		
	2004	2005	Percent Change	2004	2005	Percent Change	2004 <sup>1</sup>	2005	Percent Change
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>276,942</b>	<b>245,575</b>	<b>-11.3</b>	<b>259,189</b>	<b>280,729</b>	<b>8.3</b>	<b>288,685</b>	<b>253,531</b>	<b>-12.2</b>
<b>DC</b>	<b>2,423</b>	<b>2,635</b>	<b>8.7</b>	<b>2,562</b>	<b>2,681</b>	<b>4.6</b>	<b>3,347</b>	<b>3,301</b>	<b>-1.4</b>
<b>1ST</b>	<b>6,589</b>	<b>6,198</b>	<b>-5.9</b>	<b>6,808</b>	<b>6,578</b>	<b>-3.4</b>	<b>7,584</b>	<b>7,204</b>	<b>-5.0</b>
ME	510	453	-11.2	539	502	-6.9	350	301	-14.0
MA	3,251	3,294	1.3	3,546	3,326	-6.2	3,960	3,928	-0.8
NH	509	479	-5.9	540	545	0.9	507	441	-13.0
RI	807	560	-30.6	647	562	-13.1	798	796	-0.3
PR	1,512	1,412	-6.6	1,536	1,643	7.0	1,969	1,738	-11.7
<b>2ND</b>	<b>22,692</b>	<b>23,480</b>	<b>3.5</b>	<b>22,227</b>	<b>22,226</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>31,187</b>	<b>32,441</b>	<b>4.0</b>
CT	2,313	2,045	-11.6	2,452	2,219	-9.5	3,054	2,880	-5.7
NY,N	1,567	1,672	6.7	1,544	1,608	4.1	2,607	2,671	2.5
NY,E	5,931	6,325	6.6	6,468	6,465	-0.1	7,735	7,595	-1.8
NY,S	10,785	11,381	5.5	9,881	9,874	-0.1	14,752	16,259	10.2
NY,W	1,717	1,695	-1.3	1,561	1,672	7.1	2,662	2,685	0.9
VT	379	362	-4.5	321	388	20.9	377	351	-6.9
<b>3RD</b>	<b>32,239</b>	<b>27,471</b>	<b>-14.8</b>	<b>27,652</b>	<b>28,329</b>	<b>2.4</b>	<b>24,242</b>	<b>23,384</b>	<b>-3.5</b>
DE	1,637	1,007	-38.5	1,456	1,251	-14.1	1,872	1,628	-13.0
NJ	6,692	6,234	-6.9	6,443	6,643	3.1	6,246	5,837	-6.6
PA,E	17,819	14,260	-20.0	13,703	14,234	3.9	10,117	10,143	0.3
PA,M	2,958	2,807	-5.1	2,812	2,952	5.0	2,227	2,082	-6.5
PA,W	2,776	2,752	-0.9	2,987	2,968	-0.6	2,774	2,558	-7.8
VI	357	411	15.1	251	281	12.0	1,006	1,136	12.9
<b>4TH</b>	<b>39,553</b>	<b>18,407</b>	<b>-53.5</b>	<b>20,665</b>	<b>40,307</b>	<b>95.0</b>	<b>37,066</b>	<b>15,166</b>	<b>-59.1</b>
MD	4,195	3,569	-14.9	4,339	3,767	-13.2	3,228	3,030	-6.1
NC,E	1,518	1,338	-11.9	1,438	1,306	-9.2	1,450	1,482	2.2
NC,M	1,231	1,177	-4.4	1,187	1,199	1.0	1,108	1,086	-2.0
NC,W	1,123	970	-13.6	1,051	1,093	4.0	1,175	1,052	-10.5
SC	23,513	3,743	-84.1	4,641	24,014	417.4	23,421	3,150	-86.6
VA,E	4,498	4,188	-6.9	4,330	4,116	-5.0	2,358	2,430	3.1
VA,W	1,447	1,320	-8.8	1,663	1,537	-7.6	1,051	834	-20.7
WV,N	651	634	-2.6	619	636	2.7	724	722	-0.3
WV,S	1,377	1,468	6.6	1,397	2,639	88.9	2,551	1,380	-45.9

**Table C. (December 31, 2005—Continued)**

Circuit	Filings			Terminations			Pending		
	2004	2005	Percent Change	2004	2005	Percent Change	2004 <sup>1</sup>	2005	Percent Change
<b>5TH</b>	<b>30,458</b>	<b>33,596</b>	<b>10.3</b>	<b>33,393</b>	<b>30,056</b>	<b>-10.0</b>	<b>33,893</b>	<b>37,433</b>	<b>10.4</b>
LA,E	3,320	6,166	85.7	3,168	2,706	-14.6	3,317	6,777	104.3
LA,M	968	1,486	53.5	1,016	1,498	47.4	8,835	8,823	-0.1
LA,W	2,752	2,384	-13.4	2,562	2,728	6.5	2,669	2,325	-12.9
MS,N	1,409	1,224	-13.1	1,414	1,236	-12.6	1,561	1,549	-0.8
MS,S	3,155	4,258	35.0	4,473	3,131	-30.0	3,066	4,193	36.8
TX,N	5,114	4,672	-8.7	5,980	4,890	-18.2	3,683	3,465	-5.9
TX,E	2,941	2,993	1.8	3,625	3,060	-15.6	2,570	2,503	-2.6
TX,S	7,428	6,979	-6.1	7,817	7,351	-6.0	5,468	5,096	-6.8
TX,W	3,371	3,434	1.9	3,338	3,456	3.5	2,724	2,702	-0.8
<b>6TH</b>	<b>23,321</b>	<b>23,613</b>	<b>1.3</b>	<b>26,370</b>	<b>36,329</b>	<b>37.8</b>	<b>39,196</b>	<b>26,480</b>	<b>-32.5</b>
KY,E	2,344	2,261	-3.6	2,613	2,237	-14.4	1,813	1,837	1.3
KY,W	1,411	1,542	9.3	1,537	1,518	-1.2	1,458	1,482	1.6
MI,E	4,930	5,578	13.1	4,854	19,145	294.4	19,399	5,832	-69.9
MI,W	1,615	1,558	-3.5	1,709	1,675	-2.0	1,304	1,187	-9.0
OH,N	5,826	5,892	1.1	8,392	4,322	-48.5	6,875	8,445	22.8
OH,S	2,634	2,524	-4.2	2,634	2,820	7.1	3,349	3,053	-8.8
TN,E	1,618	1,465	-9.5	1,760	1,657	-5.9	1,887	1,695	-10.2
TN,M	1,500	1,393	-7.1	1,641	1,689	2.9	1,585	1,289	-18.7
TN,W	1,443	1,400	-3.0	1,230	1,266	2.9	1,526	1,660	8.8
<b>7TH</b>	<b>18,752</b>	<b>16,803</b>	<b>-10.4</b>	<b>19,974</b>	<b>17,552</b>	<b>-12.1</b>	<b>15,576</b>	<b>14,827</b>	<b>-4.8</b>
IL,N	8,975	7,646	-14.8	10,024	7,897	-21.2	6,929	6,678	-3.6
IL,C	1,133	1,137	0.4	1,124	1,100	-2.1	1,018	1,055	3.6
IL,S	1,279	1,200	-6.2	1,238	1,249	0.9	1,365	1,316	-3.6
IN,N	2,008	1,863	-7.2	2,028	2,021	-0.4	1,759	1,601	-9.0
IN,S	3,072	2,767	-9.9	3,169	3,027	-4.5	2,800	2,540	-9.3
WI,E	1,304	1,415	8.5	1,446	1,380	-4.6	1,363	1,398	2.6
WI,W	981	775	-21.0	945	878	-7.1	342	239	-30.1
<b>8TH</b>	<b>17,907</b>	<b>15,548</b>	<b>-13.2</b>	<b>16,582</b>	<b>15,482</b>	<b>-6.6</b>	<b>19,134</b>	<b>19,200</b>	<b>0.3</b>
AR,E	3,588	3,097	-13.7	2,403	2,411	0.3	3,353	4,039	20.5
AR,W	1,169	790	-32.4	1,232	1,078	-12.5	1,016	728	-28.4
IA,N	615	630	2.4	616	626	1.6	581	585	0.7
IA,S	967	925	-4.4	1,004	1,058	5.4	1,009	876	-13.2
MN	5,273	3,078	-41.6	4,799	3,439	-28.3	7,693	7,332	-4.7
MO,E	2,178	2,782	27.7	2,237	2,570	14.9	2,037	2,249	10.4
MO,W	2,343	2,639	12.6	2,394	2,563	7.1	1,921	1,997	4.0
NE	1,081	955	-11.7	1,212	1,000	-17.5	828	783	-5.4
ND	295	249	-15.6	284	259	-8.8	235	225	-4.3
SD	398	403	1.3	401	478	19.2	461	386	-16.3

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Circuit	Filings			Terminations			Pending		
	2004	2005	Percent Change	2004	2005	Percent Change	2004 <sup>1</sup>	2005	Percent Change
<b>9TH</b>	<b>43,256</b>	<b>40,875</b>	<b>-5.5</b>	<b>42,192</b>	<b>41,796</b>	<b>-0.9</b>	<b>42,634</b>	<b>41,713</b>	<b>-2.2</b>
AK	366	359	-1.9	405	355	-12.4	358	362	1.1
AZ	3,873	5,112	32.0	3,371	4,070	20.7	4,111	5,153	25.3
CA,N	5,663	5,589	-1.3	5,651	6,049	7.0	6,287	5,827	-7.3
CA,E	4,480	4,205	-6.1	4,290	4,046	-5.7	5,624	5,783	2.8
CA,C	14,064	11,940	-15.1	13,665	13,144	-3.8	12,151	10,947	-9.9
CA,S	2,779	2,591	-6.8	2,922	2,671	-8.6	2,036	1,956	-3.9
HI	739	817	10.6	762	788	3.4	752	781	3.9
ID	679	559	-17.7	655	607	-7.3	743	695	-6.5
MT	705	632	-10.4	666	605	-9.2	853	880	3.2
NV	2,612	2,307	-11.7	2,532	2,327	-8.1	2,557	2,537	-0.8
OR	2,552	2,575	0.9	2,370	2,562	8.1	2,482	2,495	0.5
WA,E	935	756	-19.2	969	844	-12.9	685	597	-12.9
WA,W	3,718	3,344	-10.1	3,840	3,616	-5.8	3,866	3,594	-7.0
GUAM	54	41	-24.1	60	75	25.0	75	41	-45.3
NMI	37	48	29.7	34	37	8.8	54	65	20.4
<b>10TH</b>	<b>11,186</b>	<b>10,354</b>	<b>-7.4</b>	<b>12,034</b>	<b>10,839</b>	<b>-9.9</b>	<b>10,156</b>	<b>9,671</b>	<b>-4.8</b>
CO	2,770	2,771	0.0	2,992	2,810	-6.1	2,389	2,350	-1.6
KS	1,726	1,628	-5.7	1,974	1,689	-14.4	1,621	1,560	-3.8
NM	1,477	1,409	-4.6	1,615	1,478	-8.5	1,358	1,289	-5.1
OK,N	986	777	-21.2	1,015	843	-17.0	1,042	976	-6.3
OK,E	610	546	-10.5	675	572	-15.3	546	520	-4.8
OK,W	1,850	1,606	-13.2	1,895	1,728	-8.8	1,346	1,224	-9.1
UT	1,386	1,284	-7.4	1,475	1,368	-7.3	1,491	1,407	-5.6
WY	381	333	-12.6	393	351	-10.7	363	345	-5.0
<b>11TH</b>	<b>28,566</b>	<b>26,595</b>	<b>-6.9</b>	<b>28,730</b>	<b>28,554</b>	<b>-0.6</b>	<b>24,670</b>	<b>22,711</b>	<b>-8.0</b>
AL,N	3,626	2,831	-21.9	4,013	3,204	-20.2	3,029	2,656	-12.3
AL,M	1,277	1,287	0.8	1,306	1,244	-4.8	1,244	1,287	3.5
AL,S	874	774	-11.5	929	813	-12.5	713	674	-5.5
FL,N	1,857	1,460	-21.4	1,701	1,617	-4.9	1,406	1,249	-11.2
FL,M	7,386	6,870	-7.0	7,093	6,989	-1.5	5,634	5,515	-2.1
FL,S	6,637	6,960	4.9	6,613	7,607	15.0	6,625	5,978	-9.8
GA,N	4,617	4,074	-11.8	4,811	4,802	-0.2	3,972	3,244	-18.3
GA,M	1,167	1,173	0.5	1,176	1,184	0.7	1,144	1,133	-1.0
GA,S	1,125	1,166	3.6	1,088	1,094	0.6	903	975	8.0

NOTE: PERCENT CHANGE NOT COMPUTED WHEN FEWER THAN 10 CASES REPORTED FOR THE PREVIOUS PERIOD. PENDING CASES EXCLUDE ASBESTOS CASES TRANSFERRED TO PA,E UNDER ORDER 875 OF THE JUDICIAL PANEL ON MULTIDISTRICT LITIGATION.

<sup>1</sup> REVISED.