

**Table B.**  
**U.S. Courts of Appeals—Commenced, Terminated, and Pending**  
**During the Twelve-Month Periods Ended September 30, 1996 and 1997**

Circuit	Filings			Terminations			Pending		
	1996	1997	Percent Change	1996	1997	Percent Change	1996*	1997	Percent Change
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>51,991</b>	<b>52,319</b>	<b>.6</b>	<b>50,413</b>	<b>51,194</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>38,774</b>	<b>39,899</b>	<b>2.9</b>
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	1,347	1,531	13.7	1,674	1,833	9.5	1,825	1,523	-16.5
FIRST	1,367	1,449	6.0	1,395	1,371	-1.7	953	1,031	8.2
SECOND	4,562	4,816	5.6	4,207	4,378	4.1	2,183	2,621	20.1
THIRD	3,604	3,458	-4.1	3,369	3,479	3.3	2,172	2,151	-1.0
FOURTH	4,914	4,754	-3.3	5,130	4,629	-9.8	3,323	3,448	3.8
FIFTH	7,546	7,573	.4	7,010	7,301	4.2	4,817	5,089	5.6
SIXTH	4,606	4,622	.3	4,218	4,626	9.7	3,735	3,731	-.1
SEVENTH	3,248	3,350	3.1	3,149	3,311	5.1	2,296	2,335	1.7
EIGHTH	3,384	3,335	-1.4	3,212	3,215	.1	1,907	2,027	6.3
NINTH	8,502	8,692	2.2	8,175	8,515	4.2	7,445	7,622	2.4
TENTH	2,582	2,629	1.8	2,687	2,466	-8.2	1,923	2,086	8.5
ELEVENTH	6,329	6,110	-3.5	6,187	6,070	-1.9	6,195	6,235	.6

NOTE: THIS TABLE DOES NOT INCLUDE DATA FOR THE U.S. COURT OF APPEALS FOR THE FEDERAL CIRCUIT.  
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