

**Table B-1.**

**U.S. Courts of Appeals—Appeals Commenced, Terminated, and Pending, by Circuit, During the 12-Month Period Ending June 30, 2003**

Circuit and Nature of Proceeding	Cases Pending July 1, 2002 <sup>1</sup>	Cases Commenced			Cases Terminated								Cases Pending June 30, 2003
					Total	Cases Disposed of by Consolidation	Procedural Terminations			Terminations on the Merits			
		Total	Original	Reinstated			Total	By Judge	By Staff	Total	After Oral Hearing	After Submission on Briefs	
<b>ALL CIRCUITS</b>	<b>39,830</b>	<b>60,626</b>	<b>59,312</b>	<b>1,314</b>	<b>56,660</b>	<b>2,275</b>	<b>27,013</b>	<b>13,344</b>	<b>13,669</b>	<b>27,372</b>	<b>9,022</b>	<b>18,350</b>	<b>43,796</b>
CRIMINAL	10,127	11,942	11,751	191	11,947	690	2,984	1,049	1,935	8,273	2,507	5,766	10,122
U.S. PRISONER PETITIONS	3,301	5,411	5,206	205	5,937	89	4,016	2,856	1,160	1,832	221	1,611	2,775
OTHER U.S. CIVIL	2,562	3,295	3,218	77	3,326	142	1,183	318	865	2,001	806	1,195	2,531
PRIV. PRISONER PETITIONS	6,881	12,123	11,771	352	12,744	83	9,112	6,126	2,986	3,549	678	2,871	6,260
OTHER PRIVATE CIVIL	11,243	13,528	13,234	294	13,816	966	6,012	1,463	4,549	6,838	3,919	2,919	10,955
BANKRUPTCY	785	853	842	11	917	53	386	92	294	478	278	200	721
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS	4,108	9,905	9,772	133	4,429	224	2,609	1,188	1,421	1,596	595	1,001	9,584
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS <sup>2</sup>	823	3,569	3,518	51	3,544	28	711	252	459	2,805	18	2,787	848
<b>DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA</b>	<b>1,079</b>	<b>1,063</b>	<b>1,048</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>1,201</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>570</b>	<b>157</b>	<b>413</b>	<b>511</b>	<b>264</b>	<b>247</b>	<b>941</b>
CRIMINAL	86	113	113	-	91	5	38	4	34	48	32	16	108
U.S. PRISONER PETITIONS	81	113	110	3	129	3	77	33	44	49	7	42	65
OTHER U.S. CIVIL	187	231	229	2	257	26	86	19	67	145	75	70	161
PRIV. PRISONER PETITIONS	11	26	25	1	24	-	13	2	11	11	1	10	13
OTHER PRIVATE CIVIL	115	140	138	2	165	17	67	19	48	81	37	44	90
BANKRUPTCY	2	5	5	-	5	-	3	1	2	2	-	2	2
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS	579	364	357	7	466	69	262	71	191	135	111	24	477
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS <sup>2</sup>	18	71	71	-	64	-	24	8	16	40	1	39	25
<b>FIRST CIRCUIT</b>	<b>1,445</b>	<b>1,825</b>	<b>1,818</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>1,611</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>956</b>	<b>412</b>	<b>544</b>	<b>565</b>	<b>351</b>	<b>214</b>	<b>1,659</b>
CRIMINAL	539	691	686	5	536	37	379	151	228	120	84	36	694
U.S. PRISONER PETITIONS	113	127	126	1	131	2	97	71	26	32	13	19	109
OTHER U.S. CIVIL	88	90	89	1	95	7	46	21	25	42	19	23	83
PRIV. PRISONER PETITIONS	89	113	113	-	105	-	66	55	11	39	23	16	97
OTHER PRIVATE CIVIL	467	540	540	-	557	40	279	79	200	238	178	60	450
BANKRUPTCY	25	48	48	-	32	2	17	2	15	13	11	2	41
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS	74	156	156	-	90	1	64	30	34	25	21	4	140
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS <sup>2</sup>	50	60	60	-	65	1	8	3	5	56	2	54	45

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		Total	Original	Reinstated	Total	Cases Disposed of by Consolidation	Procedural Terminations		Terminations on the Merits				
							Total	By Judge	By Staff	Total		After Oral Hearing	After Submission on Briefs
<b>SECOND CIRCUIT</b>	<b>4,191</b>	<b>6,172</b>	<b>5,924</b>	<b>248</b>	<b>4,091</b>	<b>192</b>	<b>2,016</b>	<b>637</b>	<b>1,379</b>	<b>1,883</b>	<b>1,072</b>	<b>811</b>	<b>6,272</b>
CRIMINAL	924	846	808	38	691	68	172	35	137	451	265	186	1,079
U.S. PRISONER PETITIONS	269	317	286	31	280	3	219	134	85	58	25	33	306
OTHER U.S. CIVIL	249	283	277	6	238	14	91	2	89	133	81	52	294
PRIV. PRISONER PETITIONS	739	959	893	66	830	3	631	424	207	196	92	104	868
OTHER PRIVATE CIVIL	1,319	1,484	1,404	80	1,450	93	668	35	633	689	546	143	1,353
BANKRUPTCY	79	78	75	3	72	6	33	1	32	33	28	5	85
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS	447	1,959	1,936	23	286	4	171	6	165	111	32	79	2,120
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS <sup>2</sup>	165	246	245	1	244	1	31	-	31	212	3	209	167
<b>THIRD CIRCUIT</b>	<b>3,190</b>	<b>3,757</b>	<b>3,698</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>3,912</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>1,815</b>	<b>971</b>	<b>844</b>	<b>2,002</b>	<b>481</b>	<b>1,521</b>	<b>3,035</b>
CRIMINAL	667	532	529	3	648	21	146	54	92	481	112	369	551
U.S. PRISONER PETITIONS	392	382	374	8	468	3	274	197	77	191	13	178	306
OTHER U.S. CIVIL	175	240	233	7	232	7	57	20	37	168	44	124	183
PRIV. PRISONER PETITIONS	642	681	669	12	841	3	606	466	140	232	27	205	482
OTHER PRIVATE CIVIL	992	1,130	1,109	21	1,146	49	510	123	387	587	228	359	976
BANKRUPTCY	84	69	69	-	96	1	48	14	34	47	27	20	57
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS	171	505	498	7	255	8	145	91	54	102	26	76	421
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS <sup>2</sup>	67	218	217	1	226	3	29	6	23	194	4	190	59
<b>FOURTH CIRCUIT</b>	<b>2,297</b>	<b>4,867</b>	<b>4,848</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>4,841</b>	<b>311</b>	<b>2,000</b>	<b>1,102</b>	<b>898</b>	<b>2,530</b>	<b>459</b>	<b>2,071</b>	<b>2,323</b>
CRIMINAL	815	1,064	1,063	1	1,152	151	198	66	132	803	114	689	727
U.S. PRISONER PETITIONS	265	876	871	5	844	11	556	448	108	277	10	267	297
OTHER U.S. CIVIL	133	206	206	-	216	17	45	9	36	154	45	109	123
PRIV. PRISONER PETITIONS	314	1,045	1,038	7	1,064	7	726	485	241	331	23	308	295
OTHER PRIVATE CIVIL	561	916	913	3	941	90	332	52	280	519	214	305	536
BANKRUPTCY	50	59	59	-	76	8	24	4	20	44	19	25	33
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS	117	363	360	3	215	11	94	38	56	110	31	79	265
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS <sup>2</sup>	42	338	338	-	333	16	25	-	25	292	3	289	47
<b>FIFTH CIRCUIT</b>	<b>4,865</b>	<b>8,684</b>	<b>8,320</b>	<b>364</b>	<b>9,114</b>	<b>214</b>	<b>4,567</b>	<b>2,095</b>	<b>2,472</b>	<b>4,333</b>	<b>977</b>	<b>3,356</b>	<b>4,435</b>
CRIMINAL	1,565	2,382	2,293	89	2,428	44	543	154	389	1,841	285	1,556	1,519
U.S. PRISONER PETITIONS	494	780	727	53	964	4	663	405	258	297	16	281	310
OTHER U.S. CIVIL	215	359	343	16	373	3	169	33	136	201	64	137	201
PRIV. PRISONER PETITIONS	1,027	2,346	2,241	105	2,515	7	1,991	1,188	803	517	53	464	858
OTHER PRIVATE CIVIL	1,155	1,555	1,509	46	1,670	136	662	147	515	872	458	414	1,040
BANKRUPTCY	117	128	125	3	156	4	59	13	46	93	65	28	89
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS	197	501	497	4	406	15	264	154	110	127	36	91	292
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS <sup>2</sup>	95	633	585	48	602	1	216	1	215	385	-	385	126

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<b>SIXTH CIRCUIT</b>	<b>4,179</b>	<b>4,812</b>	<b>4,775</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>4,599</b>	<b>150</b>	<b>2,111</b>	<b>1,134</b>	<b>977</b>	<b>2,338</b>	<b>919</b>	<b>1,419</b>	<b>4,392</b>
CRIMINAL	1,036	888	874	14	919	32	248	79	169	639	295	344	1,005
U.S. PRISONER PETITIONS	291	321	317	4	369	3	244	201	43	122	8	114	243
OTHER U.S. CIVIL	246	272	272	-	254	7	86	33	53	161	73	88	264
PRIV. PRISONER PETITIONS	795	1,121	1,113	8	1,134	12	726	556	170	396	77	319	782
OTHER PRIVATE CIVIL	1,384	1,378	1,367	11	1,325	70	598	147	451	657	403	254	1,437
BANKRUPTCY	74	71	71	-	64	2	28	2	26	34	20	14	81
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS	212	429	429	-	189	23	75	52	23	91	43	48	452
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS <sup>2</sup>	141	332	332	-	345	1	106	64	42	238	-	238	128
<b>SEVENTH CIRCUIT</b>	<b>2,116</b>	<b>3,497</b>	<b>3,449</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>3,388</b>	<b>231</b>	<b>1,652</b>	<b>583</b>	<b>1,069</b>	<b>1,505</b>	<b>798</b>	<b>707</b>	<b>2,225</b>
CRIMINAL	501	590	589	1	594	95	146	38	108	353	240	113	497
U.S. PRISONER PETITIONS	132	378	362	16	369	8	262	154	108	99	13	86	141
OTHER U.S. CIVIL	122	175	175	-	176	9	61	15	46	106	68	38	121
PRIV. PRISONER PETITIONS	394	755	732	23	757	12	524	207	317	221	55	166	392
OTHER PRIVATE CIVIL	794	1,096	1,089	7	1,122	91	531	101	430	500	362	138	768
BANKRUPTCY	41	56	56	-	54	6	25	10	15	23	16	7	43
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS	116	270	269	1	135	10	76	33	43	49	44	5	251
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS <sup>2</sup>	16	177	177	-	181	-	27	25	2	154	-	154	12
<b>EIGHTH CIRCUIT</b>	<b>1,630</b>	<b>3,234</b>	<b>3,216</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>2,895</b>	<b>169</b>	<b>965</b>	<b>569</b>	<b>396</b>	<b>1,761</b>	<b>606</b>	<b>1,155</b>	<b>1,969</b>
CRIMINAL	434	775	772	3	656	60	91	36	55	505	199	306	553
U.S. PRISONER PETITIONS	138	324	323	1	315	7	179	166	13	129	16	113	147
OTHER U.S. CIVIL	142	227	226	1	215	14	66	18	48	135	53	82	154
PRIV. PRISONER PETITIONS	255	603	596	7	601	5	376	266	110	220	49	171	257
OTHER PRIVATE CIVIL	509	762	756	6	663	50	190	54	136	423	252	171	608
BANKRUPTCY	32	33	33	-	40	2	3	1	2	35	13	22	25
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS	66	269	269	-	149	27	47	23	24	75	24	51	186
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS <sup>2</sup>	54	241	241	-	256	4	13	5	8	239	-	239	39

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<b>NINTH CIRCUIT</b>	<b>9,268</b>	<b>12,902</b>	<b>12,746</b>	<b>156</b>	<b>11,094</b>	<b>479</b>	<b>5,326</b>	<b>2,950</b>	<b>2,376</b>	<b>5,289</b>	<b>1,971</b>	<b>3,318</b>	<b>11,076</b>	
CRIMINAL	1,902	1,889	1,887	2	2,096	116	494	181	313	1,486	513	973	1,695	
U.S. PRISONER PETITIONS	597	596	583	13	792	43	510	411	99	239	66	173	401	
OTHER U.S. CIVIL	610	633	616	17	679	29	257	65	192	393	190	203	564	
PRIV. PRISONER PETITIONS	1,678	2,364	2,329	35	2,637	23	1,839	1,489	350	775	194	581	1,405	
OTHER PRIVATE CIVIL	2,320	2,087	2,055	32	2,324	210	967	217	750	1,147	752	395	2,083	
BANKRUPTCY	201	197	196	1	211	18	92	18	74	101	58	43	187	
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS	1,861	4,562	4,507	55	1,809	40	1,137	558	579	632	194	438	4,614	
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS <sup>2</sup>	99	574	573	1	546	-	30	11	19	516	4	512	127	
<b>TENTH CIRCUIT</b>	<b>2,001</b>	<b>2,615</b>	<b>2,609</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>2,609</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>1,109</b>	<b>512</b>	<b>597</b>	<b>1,446</b>	<b>415</b>	<b>1,031</b>	<b>2,007</b>	
CRIMINAL	423	492	491	1	466	6	101	44	57	359	144	215	449	
U.S. PRISONER PETITIONS	193	278	276	2	315	-	159	107	52	156	11	145	156	
OTHER U.S. CIVIL	197	219	219	-	201	4	50	12	38	147	48	99	215	
PRIV. PRISONER PETITIONS	384	590	588	2	614	4	354	227	127	256	37	219	360	
OTHER PRIVATE CIVIL	643	700	699	1	697	35	322	68	254	340	161	179	646	
BANKRUPTCY	38	33	33	-	34	1	15	4	11	18	3	15	37	
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS	88	128	128	-	95	4	42	17	25	49	11	38	121	
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS <sup>2</sup>	35	175	175	-	187	-	66	33	33	121	-	121	23	
<b>ELEVENTH CIRCUIT</b>	<b>3,569</b>	<b>7,198</b>	<b>6,861</b>	<b>337</b>	<b>7,305</b>	<b>170</b>	<b>3,926</b>	<b>2,222</b>	<b>1,704</b>	<b>3,209</b>	<b>709</b>	<b>2,500</b>	<b>3,462</b>	
CRIMINAL	1,235	1,680	1,646	34	1,670	55	428	207	221	1,187	224	963	1,245	
U.S. PRISONER PETITIONS	336	919	851	68	961	2	776	529	247	183	23	160	294	
OTHER U.S. CIVIL	198	360	333	27	390	5	169	71	98	216	46	170	168	
PRIV. PRISONER PETITIONS	553	1,520	1,434	86	1,622	7	1,260	761	499	355	47	308	451	
OTHER PRIVATE CIVIL	984	1,740	1,655	85	1,756	85	886	421	465	785	328	457	968	
BANKRUPTCY	42	76	72	4	77	3	39	22	17	35	18	17	41	
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS	180	399	366	33	334	12	232	115	117	90	22	68	245	
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS <sup>2</sup>	41	504	504	-	495	1	136	96	40	358	1	357	50	

NOTE: THIS TABLE INCLUDES APPEALS REOPENED, REMANDED, AND REINSTATED (AFTER BEING TERMINATED DUE TO PROCEDURAL DEFAULTS) AS WELL AS ORIGINAL APPEALS. THIS TABLE DOES NOT INCLUDE DATA FOR THE U.S. COURT OF APPEALS FOR THE FEDERAL CIRCUIT.

<sup>1</sup>REVISED.

<sup>2</sup>BEGINNING OCTOBER 1, 1998, DATA ARE REPORTED FOR TYPES OF PROCEEDINGS PREVIOUSLY NOT PRESENTED IN THIS TABLE.