

**Table F.**  
**U.S. Bankruptcy Courts—Bankruptcy Cases Commenced, Terminated, and Pending**  
**During the Twelve-Month Periods Ended September 30, 1996 and 1997**

Circuit and District	Filings			Terminations			Pending		
	1996	1997	Percent Change	1996	1997	Percent Change	1996*	1997	Percent Change
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1,111,964</b>	<b>1,367,364</b>	<b>23.0</b>	<b>1,005,025</b>	<b>1,223,967</b>	<b>21.8</b>	<b>1,189,213</b>	<b>1,332,610</b>	<b>12.1</b>
<b>DC</b>	<b>1,753</b>	<b>2,413</b>	<b>37.6</b>	<b>1,515</b>	<b>2,105</b>	<b>38.9</b>	<b>1,662</b>	<b>1,970</b>	<b>18.5</b>
<b>1ST</b>	<b>37,033</b>	<b>51,414</b>	<b>38.8</b>	<b>34,373</b>	<b>43,505</b>	<b>26.6</b>	<b>43,511</b>	<b>51,420</b>	<b>18.2</b>
ME	2,810	3,990	42.0	2,660	3,514	32.1	2,641	3,117	18.0
MA	16,795	23,401	39.3	16,510	19,626	18.9	13,642	17,417	27.7
NH	3,546	4,586	29.3	2,695	4,161	54.4	3,947	4,372	10.8
RI	4,026	5,273	31.0	3,982	5,157	29.5	2,460	2,576	4.7
PR	9,856	14,164	43.7	8,526	11,047	29.6	20,821	23,938	15.0
<b>2ND</b>	<b>71,084</b>	<b>87,657</b>	<b>23.3</b>	<b>68,460</b>	<b>82,655</b>	<b>20.7</b>	<b>72,568</b>	<b>77,570</b>	<b>6.9</b>
CT	10,686	13,160	23.2	10,195	12,688	24.5	9,043	9,515	5.2
NY,N	12,324	15,837	28.5	11,119	12,664	13.9	12,560	15,733	25.3
NY,E	24,302	28,535	17.4	23,366	29,476	26.1	25,501	24,560	-3.7
NY,S	13,036	15,693	20.4	14,479	14,939	3.2	12,561	13,315	6.0
NY,W	9,430	12,620	33.8	8,118	11,405	40.5	12,138	13,353	10.0
VT	1,306	1,812	38.7	1,183	1,483	25.4	765	1,094	43.0
<b>3RD</b>	<b>64,236</b>	<b>84,377</b>	<b>31.4</b>	<b>57,282</b>	<b>69,673</b>	<b>21.6</b>	<b>63,539</b>	<b>78,243</b>	<b>23.1</b>
DE	1,970	2,545	29.2	1,489	1,700	14.2	4,030	4,875	21.0
NJ	32,185	40,872	27.0	28,960	32,149	11.0	31,395	40,118	27.8
PA,E	15,674	20,873	33.2	14,206	17,976	26.5	15,060	17,957	19.2
PA,M	6,307	8,968	42.2	5,245	7,671	46.3	6,607	7,904	19.6
PA,W	8,037	11,050	37.5	7,309	10,108	38.3	6,298	7,240	15.0
VI	63	69	9.5	73	69	-5.5	149	149	-
<b>4TH</b>	<b>91,430</b>	<b>117,638</b>	<b>28.7</b>	<b>79,736</b>	<b>100,747</b>	<b>26.4</b>	<b>98,456</b>	<b>115,347</b>	<b>17.2</b>
MD	22,370	30,508	36.4	19,949	26,101	30.8	21,097	25,504	20.9
NC,E	8,423	9,577	13.7	6,706	8,394	25.2	10,792	11,975	11.0
NC,M	6,816	9,025	32.4	5,479	6,325	15.4	12,687	15,387	21.3
NC,W	5,420	7,069	30.4	4,670	6,068	29.9	11,376	12,377	8.8
SC	9,139	11,076	21.2	8,361	9,569	14.4	11,639	13,146	12.9
VA,E	24,786	31,223	26.0	22,248	27,382	23.1	19,545	23,386	19.7
VA,W	9,004	11,032	22.5	7,395	10,000	35.2	7,082	8,114	14.6
WV,N	2,175	3,279	50.8	1,910	3,107	62.7	1,345	1,517	12.8
WV,S	3,297	4,849	47.1	3,018	3,801	25.9	2,893	3,941	36.2

**Table F. (Continued)**

Circuit and District	Filings			Terminations			Pending		
	1996	1997	Percent Change	1996	1997	Percent Change	1996*	1997	Percent Change
<b>5TH</b>	<b>91,885</b>	<b>113,133</b>	<b>23.1</b>	<b>76,633</b>	<b>93,881</b>	<b>22.5</b>	<b>128,687</b>	<b>147,939</b>	<b>15.0</b>
LA,E	5,990	7,392	23.4	5,274	6,392	21.2	7,261	8,261	13.8
LA,M	2,317	2,882	24.4	1,684	2,770	64.5	3,406	3,518	3.3
LA,W	10,521	12,830	21.9	7,458	9,163	22.9	15,362	19,029	23.9
MS,N	4,992	6,410	28.4	4,194	5,240	24.9	6,059	7,229	19.3
MS,S	9,527	12,515	31.4	8,078	10,239	26.8	10,859	13,135	21.0
TX,N	19,612	24,740	26.1	18,410	19,748	7.3	27,735	32,727	18.0
TX,E	7,739	9,572	23.7	5,401	7,783	44.1	11,711	13,500	15.3
TX,S	16,955	19,205	13.3	13,702	17,623	28.6	25,491	27,073	6.2
TX,W	14,232	17,587	23.6	12,432	14,923	20.0	20,803	23,467	12.8
<b>6TH</b>	<b>135,624</b>	<b>164,489</b>	<b>21.3</b>	<b>118,324</b>	<b>148,166</b>	<b>25.2</b>	<b>174,551</b>	<b>190,874</b>	<b>9.4</b>
KY,E	7,726	9,425	22.0	6,521	8,805	35.0	9,821	10,441	6.3
KY,W	10,088	11,763	16.6	8,638	11,314	31.0	8,258	8,707	5.4
MI,E	20,617	26,163	26.9	19,447	22,981	18.2	21,415	24,597	14.9
MI,W	9,339	11,720	25.5	7,489	9,897	32.2	9,947	11,770	18.3
OH,N	20,076	25,329	26.2	17,509	22,056	26.0	19,885	23,158	16.5
OH,S	21,583	26,947	24.9	18,147	25,960	43.1	30,376	31,363	3.2
TN,E	13,872	16,320	17.6	11,679	13,657	16.9	22,092	24,755	12.1
TN,M	11,305	12,599	11.4	11,079	12,743	15.0	19,166	19,022	-8
TN,W	21,018	24,223	15.2	17,815	20,753	16.5	33,591	37,061	10.3
<b>7TH</b>	<b>94,929</b>	<b>116,540</b>	<b>22.8</b>	<b>85,014</b>	<b>104,882</b>	<b>23.4</b>	<b>77,680</b>	<b>89,338</b>	<b>15.0</b>
IL,N	36,625	43,237	18.1	33,194	39,322	18.5	31,965	35,880	12.2
IL,C	9,339	12,347	32.2	8,608	10,827	25.8	6,043	7,563	25.2
IL,S	5,542	6,783	22.4	4,704	6,179	31.4	4,563	5,167	13.2
IN,N	10,264	13,037	27.0	9,998	11,051	10.5	8,584	10,570	23.1
IN,S	17,761	22,475	26.5	15,537	19,958	28.5	13,991	16,508	18.0
WI,E	10,239	12,464	21.7	8,325	11,355	36.4	8,264	9,373	13.4
WI,W	5,159	6,197	20.1	4,648	6,190	33.2	4,270	4,277	.2
<b>8TH</b>	<b>66,747</b>	<b>80,428</b>	<b>20.5</b>	<b>59,081</b>	<b>71,206</b>	<b>20.5</b>	<b>64,417</b>	<b>73,639</b>	<b>14.3</b>
AR,E	8,077	9,808	21.4	5,564	7,546	35.6	11,184	13,446	20.2
AR,W	4,161	5,452	31.0	3,380	4,503	33.2	4,648	5,597	20.4
IA,N	3,221	3,950	22.6	2,785	3,514	26.2	2,092	2,528	20.8
IA,S	4,985	5,839	17.1	4,584	5,446	18.8	3,069	3,462	12.8
MN	17,200	20,248	17.7	16,260	18,497	13.8	19,085	20,836	9.2
MO,E	11,982	14,380	20.0	11,056	12,877	16.5	11,939	13,442	12.6
MO,W	8,791	10,774	22.6	7,715	9,562	23.9	5,924	7,136	20.5
NE	4,887	5,835	19.4	4,612	5,681	23.2	4,324	4,478	3.6
ND	1,604	1,895	18.1	1,509	1,725	14.3	833	1,003	20.4
SD	1,839	2,247	22.2	1,616	1,855	14.8	1,319	1,711	29.7

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Circuit and District	Filings			Terminations			Pending		
	1996	1997	Percent Change	1996	1997	Percent Change	1996*	1997	Percent Change
<b>9TH</b>	<b>257,810</b>	<b>309,150</b>	<b>19.9</b>	<b>252,755</b>	<b>296,528</b>	<b>17.3</b>	<b>220,753</b>	<b>233,375</b>	<b>5.7</b>
AK	1,114	1,361	22.2	1,027	1,300	26.6	1,344	1,405	4.5
AZ	19,229	24,534	27.6	22,344	20,622	-7.7	21,372	25,284	18.3
CA,N	30,236	34,559	14.3	28,141	37,030	31.6	32,991	30,520	-7.5
CA,E	29,581	36,080	22.0	26,820	34,483	28.6	23,741	25,338	6.7
CA,C	97,311	115,686	18.9	99,479	112,335	12.9	64,371	67,722	5.2
CA,S	17,176	19,159	11.5	17,473	20,096	15.0	17,215	16,278	-5.5
HI	2,758	4,161	50.9	2,294	3,602	57.0	1,800	2,359	31.1
ID	5,107	6,604	29.3	4,208	5,601	33.1	6,138	7,141	16.3
MT	2,652	3,379	27.4	2,219	2,781	25.3	2,141	2,739	27.9
NV	9,580	12,896	34.6	8,273	9,820	18.7	11,807	14,883	26.1
OR	15,944	18,044	13.2	16,223	18,585	14.6	16,345	15,804	-3.3
WA,E	5,400	6,898	27.7	5,022	5,987	19.2	3,987	4,898	22.8
WA,W	21,639	25,674	18.6	19,177	24,190	26.1	17,397	18,881	8.5
GUAM	68	111	63.2	46	84	82.6	82	109	32.9
NMI	15	4	-73.3	9	12	33.3	22	14	-36.4
<b>10TH</b>	<b>59,767</b>	<b>74,164</b>	<b>24.1</b>	<b>51,444</b>	<b>66,698</b>	<b>29.7</b>	<b>61,119</b>	<b>68,585</b>	<b>12.2</b>
CO	15,726	18,722	19.1	15,689	17,054	8.7	12,853	14,521	13.0
KS	10,755	12,856	19.5	9,100	10,921	20.0	12,898	14,833	15.0
NM	5,564	7,259	30.5	4,475	6,003	34.1	5,518	6,774	22.8
OK,N	5,017	5,955	18.7	3,109	7,744	149.1	6,810	5,021	-26.3
OK,E	2,497	3,231	29.4	1,998	2,954	47.8	1,706	1,983	16.2
OK,W	9,870	12,645	28.1	8,960	10,602	18.3	9,982	12,025	20.5
UT	8,676	11,442	31.9	6,883	9,465	37.5	9,746	11,723	20.3
WY	1,662	2,054	23.6	1,230	1,955	58.9	1,606	1,705	6.2
<b>11TH</b>	<b>139,666</b>	<b>165,961</b>	<b>18.8</b>	<b>120,408</b>	<b>143,921</b>	<b>19.5</b>	<b>182,270</b>	<b>204,310</b>	<b>12.1</b>
AL,N	19,916	22,518	13.1	17,171	21,629	26.0	37,852	38,741	2.3
AL,M	5,872	6,634	13.0	5,684	6,357	11.8	10,277	10,554	2.7
AL,S	4,792	4,822	.6	2,635	4,375	66.0	6,682	7,129	6.7
FL,N	3,376	4,563	35.2	2,599	3,496	34.5	2,869	3,936	37.2
FL,M	32,839	41,253	25.6	28,604	33,319	16.5	28,325	36,259	28.0
FL,S	19,235	24,867	29.3	16,726	20,469	22.4	14,803	19,201	29.7
GA,N	30,469	34,257	12.4	28,726	33,089	15.2	41,283	42,451	2.8
GA,M	12,758	14,782	15.9	10,356	11,679	12.8	21,061	24,164	14.7
GA,S	10,409	12,265	17.8	7,907	9,508	20.2	19,118	21,875	14.4

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