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**Table C.
U.S. District Courts—Civil Cases Commenced, Terminated, and Pending
During the 12-Month Periods Ending March 31, 2007 and 2008**

Circuit	Filings			Terminations			Pending		
	2007	2008	Percent Change ¹	2007	2008	Percent Change ¹	2007 ²	2008	Percent Change ¹
TOTAL	278,272	245,427	-11.8	254,950	238,097	-6.6	263,499	270,829	2.8
DC	2,388	2,411	1.0	2,757	2,448	-11.2	2,851	2,814	-1.3
1ST	5,739	6,314	10.0	5,958	5,834	-2.1	6,386	6,866	7.5
ME	396	420	6.1	398	400	0.5	272	292	7.4
MA	3,064	3,031	-1.1	3,230	3,166	-2.0	3,242	3,107	-4.2
NH	475	450	-5.3	487	422	-13.3	397	425	7.1
RI	538	1,031	91.6	588	510	-13.3	754	1,275	69.1
PR	1,266	1,382	9.2	1,255	1,336	6.5	1,721	1,767	2.7
2ND	27,879	22,665	-18.7	21,999	23,378	6.3	37,474	36,761	-1.9
CT	2,168	1,840	-15.1	2,398	1,972	-17.8	2,520	2,388	-5.2
NY,N	1,532	1,397	-8.8	1,574	1,656	5.2	2,528	2,269	-10.2
NY,E	6,899	5,538	-19.7	5,786	6,852	14.8	8,413	7,299	-13.2
NY,S	15,476	12,084	-22.0	10,235	11,331	10.7	21,218	21,951	3.5
NY,W	1,517	1,550	2.2	1,690	1,483	-12.2	2,512	2,579	2.7
VT	287	276	-3.8	306	284	-7.2	283	275	-2.8
3RD	49,423	33,625	-32.0	40,194	21,492	-46.5	31,540	43,673	38.5
DE	862	932	8.1	932	901	-3.3	1,265	1,296	2.5
NJ	6,582	6,627	0.7	6,809	6,169	-6.7	5,766	6,224	7.9
PA,E	36,661	20,724	-43.5	27,135	8,952	-67.0	19,070	30,842	61.7
PA,M	2,526	2,407	-4.7	2,535	2,411	-4.9	2,028	2,024	-0.2
PA,W	2,383	2,596	8.9	2,675	2,661	-0.5	2,117	2,052	-3.1
VI	409	339	-17.1	308	398	29.2	1,294	1,235	-4.6
4TH	16,996	17,633	3.7	17,825	17,777	-0.3	13,089	12,945	-1.1
MD	3,508	3,515	0.2	3,528	3,456	-2.0	2,844	2,903	2.1
NCE	1,283	1,367	5.8	1,449	1,266	-12.6	1,215	1,306	7.5
NC,M	1,073	982	-8.5	1,106	1,161	5.0	980	801	-18.3
NC,W	1,051	1,021	-2.9	1,169	1,171	0.2	928	778	-16.2
SC	3,656	4,622	26.4	3,866	4,392	13.6	2,968	3,198	7.7
VA,E	3,485	3,120	-10.5	3,564	3,187	-10.6	1,626	1,559	-4.1
VA,W	1,235	1,210	-2.0	1,268	1,291	1.8	727	646	-11.1
WA,W	621	797	28.3	591	833	40.9	749	713	-4.8
WV,S	1,084	1,009	-6.9	1,284	1,020	-20.6	1,052	1,041	-1.0

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	2007	2008	Percent Change ¹	2007	2008	Percent Change ¹	2007 ²	2008	Percent Change ¹
5TH									
L.A.E	36,166	33,634	-7.0	29,851	38,985	27.6	42,399	37,948	-10.5
L.A.M	11,586	9,954	-14.1	4,826	7,330	51.9	14,791	17,415	17.7
L.A.W	1,001	981	-2.0	1,075	7,355	584.2	8,684	2,310	-73.4
M.S.N	2,549	2,197	-13.8	2,326	2,326	-4.4	2,355	2,226	-5.5
M.S.S	942	967	2.7	1,160	1,165	0.4	1,265	1,067	-15.7
T.X.N	2,892	2,621	-9.4	2,855	2,894	1.4	2,747	2,474	-9.9
T.X.E	4,487	4,007	-10.7	4,877	4,066	-13.1	3,078	3,019	-1.9
T.X.S	3,034	3,218	6.1	2,850	3,014	5.8	2,564	2,768	8.0
T.X.W	6,437	6,532	1.5	6,755	6,705	-0.7	4,444	4,271	-3.9
	3,238	3,157	-2.5	3,220	3,230	0.3	2,471	2,398	-3.0
6TH									
K.Y.E	21,031	21,414	1.8	23,283	21,994	-5.5	21,800	21,220	-2.7
K.Y.W	1,722	1,694	-2.2	1,962	1,607	-18.1	1,369	1,446	5.6
M.I.E	1,308	1,317	0.7	1,332	1,314	-1.4	1,322	1,325	0.2
M.I.W	5,853	5,500	-6.0	5,195	5,893	13.4	5,680	5,287	-6.9
O.H.N	1,621	1,589	-2.0	1,481	1,496	1.0	1,325	1,418	7.0
O.H.S	4,061	4,587	13.0	6,395	5,003	-27.4	5,038	4,622	-8.3
T.N.E	2,557	2,876	12.5	2,551	2,882	13.0	2,828	2,822	-0.2
T.N.M	1,156	1,201	3.9	1,274	1,194	-6.3	1,358	1,365	0.5
T.N.W	1,527	1,536	0.6	1,308	1,332	1.8	1,434	1,638	14.2
	1,226	1,124	-8.3	1,285	1,273	-0.9	1,446	1,297	-10.3
7TH									
I.L.N	15,876	15,663	-1.3	16,207	15,397	-5.0	14,173	14,439	1.9
I.L.C	7,524	7,585	0.8	7,209	7,228	0.3	6,881	7,238	5.2
I.L.S	988	1,063	7.6	1,013	1,000	-1.3	947	1,010	6.7
I.N.N	1,083	949	-13.2	1,244	1,078	-13.3	1,161	1,032	-11.1
I.N.S	1,742	1,571	-9.8	1,905	1,510	-20.7	1,482	1,543	4.1
W.I.E	2,430	2,561	5.4	2,627	2,551	-2.9	2,221	2,231	0.5
W.I.W	1,302	1,180	-9.4	1,460	1,285	-12.0	1,184	1,079	-8.9
	797	754	-5.4	749	745	-0.5	297	306	3.0
8TH									
A.R.E	16,565	13,949	-15.8	18,094	13,347	-26.2	16,819	17,421	3.6
A.R.W	2,525	2,005	-20.6	1,876	1,672	-10.9	4,611	4,944	7.2
I.A.N	875	842	-3.8	875	746	-14.7	660	756	14.5
I.A.S	559	546	-2.3	628	602	-4.1	490	434	-11.4
M.N	825	783	-5.1	833	782	-6.1	788	789	0.1
M.O.E	5,724	4,188	-26.8	7,257	3,670	-49.4	5,338	5,856	9.7
M.O.W	2,262	2,246	-0.7	2,397	2,318	-3.3	2,037	1,965	-3.5
N.E	2,172	1,979	-8.9	2,390	2,080	-13.0	1,601	1,500	-6.3
N.D	950	774	-18.5	1,200	863	-28.1	667	578	-13.3
SD	221	232	5.0	238	244	2.5	219	207	-5.5
	452	354	-21.7	400	370	-7.5	408	392	-3.9

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9TH									
AK	41,105	40,501	-1.5	40,867	39,730	-2.8	39,539	40,310	1.9
AZ	347	354	2.0	376	360	-4.3	369	363	-1.6
CAN	3,616	3,627	0.3	5,163	3,803	-26.3	3,364	3,188	-5.2
CA,E	7,680	6,630	-13.7	6,265	6,183	-1.3	7,917	8,364	5.6
CAC	4,840	4,500	-7.0	4,282	4,427	3.4	6,232	6,305	1.2
CAS	11,590	12,026	3.8	11,455	11,462	0.1	9,685	10,249	5.8
HI	2,898	2,771	-4.4	2,755	2,883	4.6	2,072	1,960	-5.4
ID	690	613	-11.2	708	759	7.2	737	591	-19.8
MT	545	570	4.6	571	637	11.6	649	582	-10.3
NV	640	612	-4.4	757	662	-12.5	712	662	-7.0
OR	2,332	2,504	7.4	2,062	2,444	18.5	2,692	2,752	2.2
WA,E	2,452	2,479	1.1	2,427	2,390	-1.5	2,405	2,494	3.7
WA,W	602	708	17.6	675	596	-11.7	491	603	22.8
GUAM	2,782	3,031	9.0	3,303	3,050	-7.7	2,113	2,094	-0.9
NMI	38	33	-13.2	39	26	-33.3	38	45	18.4
	53	43	-18.9	29	48	65.5	63	58	-7.9
10TH									
KS	9,976	10,154	1.8	10,518	9,783	-7.0	8,789	9,160	4.2
NM	1,541	1,534	-0.5	1,603	1,500	-6.4	1,402	1,436	2.4
OK,N	1,431	1,470	2.7	1,366	1,239	-9.3	1,514	1,745	15.3
OK,E	734	751	2.3	808	792	-2.0	808	767	-5.1
OK,W	547	496	-9.3	590	560	-5.1	459	395	-13.9
UT	1,522	1,468	-3.5	1,613	1,418	-12.1	1,052	1,102	4.8
WY	1,165	1,256	7.8	1,329	1,205	-9.3	1,212	1,263	4.2
	290	346	19.3	344	314	-8.7	311	343	10.3
11TH									
AL,N	35,128	27,464	-21.8	27,297	28,832	5.6	28,640	27,272	-4.8
AL,M	4,984	2,405	-51.7	3,678	2,577	-29.9	3,808	3,636	-4.5
AL,S	1,180	1,135	-3.8	1,296	1,259	-2.9	1,119	995	-11.1
FL,N	939	839	-10.6	828	976	17.9	800	663	-17.1
FL,M	1,647	1,663	1.0	1,583	1,678	6.0	1,304	1,289	-1.2
FL,S	13,489	7,568	-43.9	6,429	8,269	28.6	12,194	11,493	-5.7
GA,N	7,062	7,307	3.5	7,277	7,423	2.0	4,681	4,565	-2.5
GA,M	3,614	4,461	23.4	4,009	4,368	9.0	2,831	2,924	3.3
GA,S	1,131	1,220	7.9	1,089	1,240	13.9	1,086	1,066	-1.8
	1,082	866	-20.0	1,108	1,042	-6.0	817	641	-21.5

NOTE: PENDING CASES EXCLUDE ASBESTOS CASES TRANSFERRED TO P.A.F. UNDER ORDER 875 OF THE JUDICIAL PANEL ON MULTIDISTRICT LITIGATION.

¹ PERCENT CHANGE NOT COMPUTED WHEN FEWER THAN 10 CASES REPORTED FOR THE PREVIOUS PERIOD.

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