

**Table C.  
U.S. District Courts—Civil Cases Commenced, Terminated, and Pending  
During the 12-Month Periods Ending March 31, 2005 and 2006**

Circuit	Filings		Terminations		Pending	
	2005	2006	Percent Change <sup>1</sup>	2005	2006	Percent Change <sup>1</sup>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>278,712</b>	<b>244,068</b>	<b>-12.4</b>	<b>260,980</b>	<b>281,220</b>	<b>7.8</b>
<b>DC</b>	<b>2,559</b>	<b>2,566</b>	<b>0.3</b>	<b>2,532</b>	<b>2,598</b>	<b>2.6</b>
<b>1ST</b>	<b>6,750</b>	<b>6,139</b>	<b>-9.1</b>	<b>6,707</b>	<b>6,539</b>	<b>-2.5</b>
ME	521	448	-14.0	500	509	1.8
MA	3,306	3,213	-2.8	3,490	3,316	-5.0
NH	504	490	-2.8	541	550	1.7
RI	828	580	-30.0	618	540	-12.6
PR	1,591	1,408	-11.5	1,558	1,624	4.2
<b>2ND</b>	<b>24,020</b>	<b>22,422</b>	<b>-6.7</b>	<b>22,354</b>	<b>22,080</b>	<b>-1.2</b>
CT	2,336	2,020	-13.5	2,536	2,208	-12.9
NY,N	1,601	1,687	5.4	1,619	1,511	-6.7
NY,E	6,279	6,126	-2.4	6,583	6,203	-5.8
NY,S	11,676	10,520	-9.9	9,591	10,156	5.9
NY,W	1,749	1,720	-1.7	1,654	1,654	0.0
VT	379	349	-7.9	371	348	-6.2
<b>3RD</b>	<b>32,835</b>	<b>27,444</b>	<b>-16.4</b>	<b>27,777</b>	<b>29,653</b>	<b>6.8</b>
DE	1,628	1,067	-34.5	1,424	1,367	-4.0
NJ	6,853	6,103	-11.0	6,618	6,478	-2.1
PA,E	18,219	14,439	-20.8	13,817	15,604	12.9
PA,M	2,909	2,819	-3.1	2,813	2,957	5.1
PA,W	2,846	2,633	-7.5	2,881	2,959	2.7
VI	380	383	0.8	224	288	28.6
<b>4TH</b>	<b>39,503</b>	<b>18,241</b>	<b>-53.8</b>	<b>22,670</b>	<b>38,280</b>	<b>68.9</b>
MD	4,166	3,532	-15.2	4,418	3,652	-17.3
NC,E	1,515	1,317	-13.1	1,374	1,398	1.7
NC,M	1,220	1,201	-1.6	1,217	1,277	4.9
NC,W	1,151	1,004	-12.8	1,122	1,082	-3.6
SC	23,508	3,768	-84.0	5,276	23,072	337.3
VA,E	4,555	3,950	-13.3	4,806	4,149	-9.9
VA,W	1,419	1,382	-2.6	1,621	1,498	-7.6
WV,N	652	643	-1.4	644	609	-5.4
WV,S	1,317	1,444	9.6	2,392	1,543	-35.5
<b>5TH</b>	<b>24,020</b>	<b>22,422</b>	<b>-6.7</b>	<b>22,354</b>	<b>22,080</b>	<b>-1.2</b>
CT	2,336	2,020	-13.5	2,536	2,208	-12.9
NY,N	1,601	1,687	5.4	1,619	1,511	-6.7
NY,E	6,279	6,126	-2.4	6,583	6,203	-5.8
NY,S	11,676	10,520	-9.9	9,591	10,156	5.9
NY,W	1,749	1,720	-1.7	1,654	1,654	0.0
VT	379	349	-7.9	371	348	-6.2
<b>6TH</b>	<b>32,835</b>	<b>27,444</b>	<b>-16.4</b>	<b>27,777</b>	<b>29,653</b>	<b>6.8</b>
DE	1,628	1,067	-34.5	1,424	1,367	-4.0
NJ	6,853	6,103	-11.0	6,618	6,478	-2.1
PA,E	18,219	14,439	-20.8	13,817	15,604	12.9
PA,M	2,909	2,819	-3.1	2,813	2,957	5.1
PA,W	2,846	2,633	-7.5	2,881	2,959	2.7
VI	380	383	0.8	224	288	28.6
<b>7TH</b>	<b>39,503</b>	<b>18,241</b>	<b>-53.8</b>	<b>22,670</b>	<b>38,280</b>	<b>68.9</b>
MD	4,166	3,532	-15.2	4,418	3,652	-17.3
NC,E	1,515	1,317	-13.1	1,374	1,398	1.7
NC,M	1,220	1,201	-1.6	1,217	1,277	4.9
NC,W	1,151	1,004	-12.8	1,122	1,082	-3.6
SC	23,508	3,768	-84.0	5,276	23,072	337.3
VA,E	4,555	3,950	-13.3	4,806	4,149	-9.9
VA,W	1,419	1,382	-2.6	1,621	1,498	-7.6
WV,N	652	643	-1.4	644	609	-5.4
WV,S	1,317	1,444	9.6	2,392	1,543	-35.5
<b>8TH</b>	<b>24,020</b>	<b>22,422</b>	<b>-6.7</b>	<b>22,354</b>	<b>22,080</b>	<b>-1.2</b>
CT	2,336	2,020	-13.5	2,536	2,208	-12.9
NY,N	1,601	1,687	5.4	1,619	1,511	-6.7
NY,E	6,279	6,126	-2.4	6,583	6,203	-5.8
NY,S	11,676	10,520	-9.9	9,591	10,156	5.9
NY,W	1,749	1,720	-1.7	1,654	1,654	0.0
VT	379	349	-7.9	371	348	-6.2
<b>9TH</b>	<b>32,835</b>	<b>27,444</b>	<b>-16.4</b>	<b>27,777</b>	<b>29,653</b>	<b>6.8</b>
DE	1,628	1,067	-34.5	1,424	1,367	-4.0
NJ	6,853	6,103	-11.0	6,618	6,478	-2.1
PA,E	18,219	14,439	-20.8	13,817	15,604	12.9
PA,M	2,909	2,819	-3.1	2,813	2,957	5.1
PA,W	2,846	2,633	-7.5	2,881	2,959	2.7
VI	380	383	0.8	224	288	28.6
<b>10TH</b>	<b>39,503</b>	<b>18,241</b>	<b>-53.8</b>	<b>22,670</b>	<b>38,280</b>	<b>68.9</b>
MD	4,166	3,532	-15.2	4,418	3,652	-17.3
NC,E	1,515	1,317	-13.1	1,374	1,398	1.7
NC,M	1,220	1,201	-1.6	1,217	1,277	4.9
NC,W	1,151	1,004	-12.8	1,122	1,082	-3.6
SC	23,508	3,768	-84.0	5,276	23,072	337.3
VA,E	4,555	3,950	-13.3	4,806	4,149	-9.9
VA,W	1,419	1,382	-2.6	1,621	1,498	-7.6
WV,N	652	643	-1.4	644	609	-5.4
WV,S	1,317	1,444	9.6	2,392	1,543	-35.5
<b>11TH</b>	<b>24,020</b>	<b>22,422</b>	<b>-6.7</b>	<b>22,354</b>	<b>22,080</b>	<b>-1.2</b>
CT	2,336	2,020	-13.5	2,536	2,208	-12.9
NY,N	1,601	1,687	5.4	1,619	1,511	-6.7
NY,E	6,279	6,126	-2.4	6,583	6,203	-5.8
NY,S	11,676	10,520	-9.9	9,591	10,156	5.9
NY,W	1,749	1,720	-1.7	1,654	1,654	0.0
VT	379	349	-7.9	371	348	-6.2
<b>12TH</b>	<b>32,835</b>	<b>27,444</b>	<b>-16.4</b>	<b>27,777</b>	<b>29,653</b>	<b>6.8</b>
DE	1,628	1,067	-34.5	1,424	1,367	-4.0
NJ	6,853	6,103	-11.0	6,618	6,478	-2.1
PA,E	18,219	14,439	-20.8	13,817	15,604	12.9
PA,M	2,909	2,819	-3.1	2,813	2,957	5.1
PA,W	2,846	2,633	-7.5	2,881	2,959	2.7
VI	380	383	0.8	224	288	28.6
<b>13TH</b>	<b>39,503</b>	<b>18,241</b>	<b>-53.8</b>	<b>22,670</b>	<b>38,280</b>	<b>68.9</b>
MD	4,166	3,532	-15.2	4,418	3,652	-17.3
NC,E	1,515	1,317	-13.1	1,374	1,398	1.7
NC,M	1,220	1,201	-1.6	1,217	1,277	4.9
NC,W	1,151	1,004	-12.8	1,122	1,082	-3.6
SC	23,508	3,768	-84.0	5,276	23,072	337.3
VA,E	4,555	3,950	-13.3	4,806	4,149	-9.9
VA,W	1,419	1,382	-2.6	1,621	1,498	-7.6
WV,N	652	643	-1.4	644	609	-5.4
WV,S	1,317	1,444	9.6	2,392	1,543	-35.5
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NY,S	11,676	10,520	-9.9	9,591	10,156	5.9
NY,W	1,749	1,720	-1.7	1,654	1,654	0.0
VT	379	349	-7.9	371	348	-6.2
<b>15TH</b>	<b>32,835</b>	<b>27,444</b>	<b>-16.4</b>	<b>27,777</b>	<b>29,653</b>	<b>6.8</b>
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<b>16TH</b>	<b>39,503</b>	<b>18,241</b>	<b>-53.8</b>	<b>22,670</b>	<b>38,280</b>	<b>68.9</b>
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NC,E	1,515	1,317	-13.1	1,374	1,398	1.7
NC,M	1,220	1,201	-1.6	1,217	1,277	4.9
NC,W	1,151	1,004	-12.8	1,122	1,082	-3.6
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