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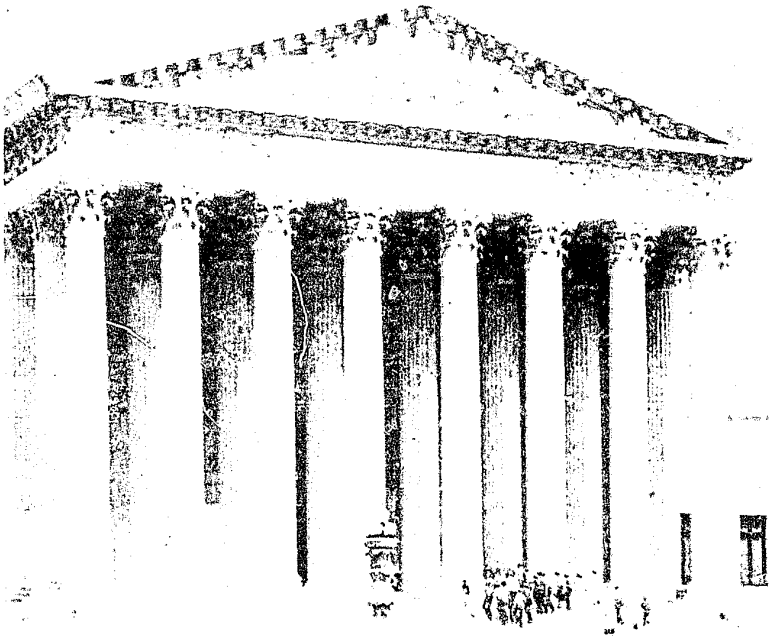

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Washington, D. C. August 12, 1977

TO THE CHIEF JUSTICE OF THE UNITED STATES, CHAIRMAN; AND MEMBERS OF THE JUDICIAL CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED STATES:

Pursuant to the provisions of section 604(a)(3) of title 28, United States Code, I have the honor to report herewith on the activities of the Administrative Office of the United States Courts and on the business of the courts for the twelve-month period ending June 30, 1977.

JUDICIAL BUSINESS

The collection and analysis of detailed statistical data of the business of the federal courts is one of the primary responsibilities of the Administrative Office. Beginning October 1, 1977, statistical reports and analyses of the business of the courts will be produced at the close of each quarter for the preceding twelve months. Therefore, there will be four twelve-months reports each year. The report for the twelve-month period ending June 30 each year will be the report submitted pursuant to the requirements of section 604(a)(3) of title 28, United States Code. It is

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NOTE: In this report references to fiscal year are to the 12 months ended June 30 except the section on Judicial Appropriations and Expenditures for which the year ended is September 30.

the expectation of the Administrative Office that providing for four twelve-month reports annually will constitute one of the most comprehensive reporting programs available to meet the needs of the Congress, the Executive Branch and the public.

Submitted with this report are the detailed tables and charts and analysis thereof, reflecting the workload of the federal court system and edited by the Division of Statistical Analyses and Reports for the twelve-month period ending June 30, 1977.

Courts of Appeals

The eleven courts of appeals experienced another record year of new appeals which numbered 19,118. This is 3.9 percent above last year and 63.9 percent greater than 1970. An increase in cases closed (8.3 percent) was not sufficient to reduce the pending workload so that each three-judge panel had 478 cases pending on June 30.

Prior to the last omnibus judgeship bill of 1968, each three-judge panel had 196 pending cases. In ten years, the pending workload for each panel has increased by 144 percent.

By utilizing the services of senior circuit judges and judges assigned to panels from district courts, the courts of appeals have managed an ever-increasing burden. On June 30, 87 of the 97 authorized circuit judgeships were filled and there were 48 senior circuit judges.

Courts of Appeals	1970	1976	1977	Percent Change	
				1977 over 1970	1977 over 1976
Cases Filed	11,662	18,408	19,118	63.9	3.9
Cases Terminated	10,699	16,426	17,784	66.2	8.3
Cases Pending	8,812	14,110	15,444	75.3	9.5

District Courts

The United States district courts had 398 authorized judgeships during the twelve-month period ended June 30, 1977. On that day, 373 judgeships were filled and 25 were vacant, with 120 judges in senior status. On a per judgeship basis, there were 432 civil and criminal filings per authorized judgeship, one case above a year ago; however, there were 115 more filings than in 1970 when the incoming caseload was 317 per judgeship.

Even when the 1977 criminal prosecutions filed are limited to felonies and misdemeanors (32,925), civil and criminal filings still averaged 411 cases per judgeship -- 30 percent greater than in 1970.

Civil Litigation

Filings for most of 1977 ran slightly below the volume of filings recorded in 1976, 130,597 in 1976 compared to 130,567 in 1977. It was during the last quarter, however, that civil filings climbed to a level almost equal to the 1976 figure. This leveling-off can be accounted for by a modest downturn in prisoner suits and a substantial decrease in petitions for "black lung" benefits. The flow of I.C.C. regulation cases dropped to 2,549, down 42 percent over the 4,396 recorded in 1976. Land condemnation cases filed in 1977 dropped to 2,801 compared to 3,037 in 1976 when the United States Government acquired large tracts of land in the Southern District of Florida and the Southern District of California.

Civil rights filings increased slightly to 13,113 or six percent more than the 12,329 filed last year. Protected property rights litigation which includes copyright, patent and trademark suits rose to 3,071 in 1977, an increase of 17 percent over 2,632 in 1976. Foreclosures of federally mortgaged property rose modestly to 3,979, eight percent more than 3,683 in 1976.

A high termination record of 117,150 civil cases closed was greater by over six percent than a year ago and 46 percent greater than in 1970. During 1977, the district courts recorded substantial progress in their termination rate. In 1977, for each 100 filings the district judges closed 90 cases. This compares to the 1976 ratio of 100 filings to 84 dispositions and to the 1970 termination rate of 92 terminations for each 100 filings.

Nevertheless, the previous escalation of filings has resulted in a record number of pending civil cases. The 154,606 pending cases on June 30 was ten percent more than 12 months ago and 63 percent greater than in 1970. On a per judgeship basis, there were 386 civil cases pending on June 30, 1977. In 1970, the average was 232 civil cases.

Civil Litigation	1970	1976	1977	Percent Change	
				1977 over 1970	1977 over 1976
Cases Filed	87,321	130,597	130,567	49.5	-
Cases Terminated	80,435	110,175	117,150	45.6	6.3
Cases Pending	93,207	140,189	153,606	63.3	9.6

Criminal Prosecutions

The reporting requirements under provisions of the Speedy Trial Act of 1974 have necessitated major changes in the method of counting criminal cases in the district courts. The two major changes, beginning in 1976, are the inclusion of minor offenses on the district court criminal docket and the counting of superseding indictments or informations as part of the same case, except in those situations where the original case was dismissed on the motion of the defense.

The changes in reporting have had two primary effects on the courts' statistics. Minor offenses, many of which were disposed of by U. S. magistrates, have increased the court workload, while the new method for counting superseding indictments has diminished the number of filings. By limiting comparisons to the felony-misdemeanor workload for the two years, we have the following comparison of cases which are handled by judges. These figures for the last two years ended on June 30 show:

Criminal Cases:	Total * Criminal Filings	Classified as ** Felony-Misdemeanor	
		Number	Percent of Total
1976	41,020	36,039	87.9
1977	41,464	32,925	79.4
Percent Change	1.1	-8.6	-
Defendants: In Above Cases			
1976	55,409	49,912	90.1
1977	54,761	45,940	83.9
Percent Change	-1.2	-8.0	-

* All criminal cases filed on district court dockets, including transfers.

** All criminal cases for which the penalty exceeds one year in prison or where the fine is greater than $1,000 or both.

For all cases filed, major offenses prosecuted in the district courts (exclusive of transfers) showed marked changes over 1976. Robbery, which had been experiencing an upswing, dropped 15 percent; assaults, most of which occurred on government reservations, declined 17 percent; and auto theft cases continued to plummet, reaching 1,167 filings which is 18 percent lower than last year and the lowest number of such cases for many years. The decline in auto theft prosecutions reflects the Department of Justice's policy of generally restricting the prosecution of such cases to organized car theft rings.

Drug law prosecutions, which accounted for 12 percent of the criminal case filings, declined by 22 percent, with most of the decline resulting from fewer marihuana cases. In 1977, there were 1,457 marihuana cases filed compared to 2,046 in 1976 and 3,448 in 1973, which was the record year for drug violations prosecuted in the district courts.

The number of cases terminated in 1977 was one percent above a year ago. This increase, together with only a slight increase in filings, resulted in a decline of 13.4 percent in the number of criminal cases pending on June 30, 1977, from 19,756 reported on the same day last year to 17,109. This is the lowest number of criminal cases pending in the district courts since June 30, 1968 when there were 14,763 pending cases as of June 30.

Under interim provisions of the Speedy Trial Act, which establish time limits between arrest to indictment, indictment to arraignment and arraignment to trial, the district courts have made a good accounting since 77 percent of the defendants are prosecuted within the 1979 time limits. The overall success in reducing the pending caseload resulted in only 2,754 criminal cases without fugitive defendants pending six months or more compared to 3,580 in 1976 and 5,107 such cases at the close of 1975. More discussion of the success of the

district courts in reducing the pending criminal caseload and in implementing of the Speedy Trial Act appears in a separate report.

*Criminal Prosecutions	1970	1976	1977	Percent Change 1977 over 1970	Percent Change 1977 over 1976
Cases Filed	39,959	41,020	41,464	3.8	1.1
Cases Terminated	36,819	43,675	44,111	19.8	1.0
Cases Pending	20,910	19,756	17,109	-18.2	-13.4
Defendants Filed	50,013	55,409	54,761	9.5	-1.2
Defendants Terminated	N/A	59,511	57,876	N/A	-2.7
Defendants Pending	N/A	27,770	24,655	N/A	-11.2

*Includes Transfers.

Trials Completed

Judges in the district courts completed 18,827 trials during 1977, down 3.8 percent over last year but 17.4 percent more than 1970. Compared to a year ago, civil trials showed less than a percentage point increase and criminal trials declined by almost nine percent.

In addition to reporting trial activity, on July 1, 1977, the judges on the district bench will be providing information on pretrial matters, arraignment and sentencing of defendants and other matters which expedite cases before the courts.

Trials Completed	1970	1976	1977	Percent Change	
				1977 over 1970	1977 over 1976
Total	16,032	19,580	18,827	17.4	-3.8
Civil	9,449	11,656	11,605	22.8	0.4
Criminal	6,583	7,924	7,222	9.7	-8.9

Juror Utilization

Unlike any other agency in government, the courts have a window through which citizens can see their system at work. For the petit or grand juror, we believe those experiences are rewarding because judges and clerks of court are making every effort to ensure that jurors called to the court do serve on a trial or on the grand jury.

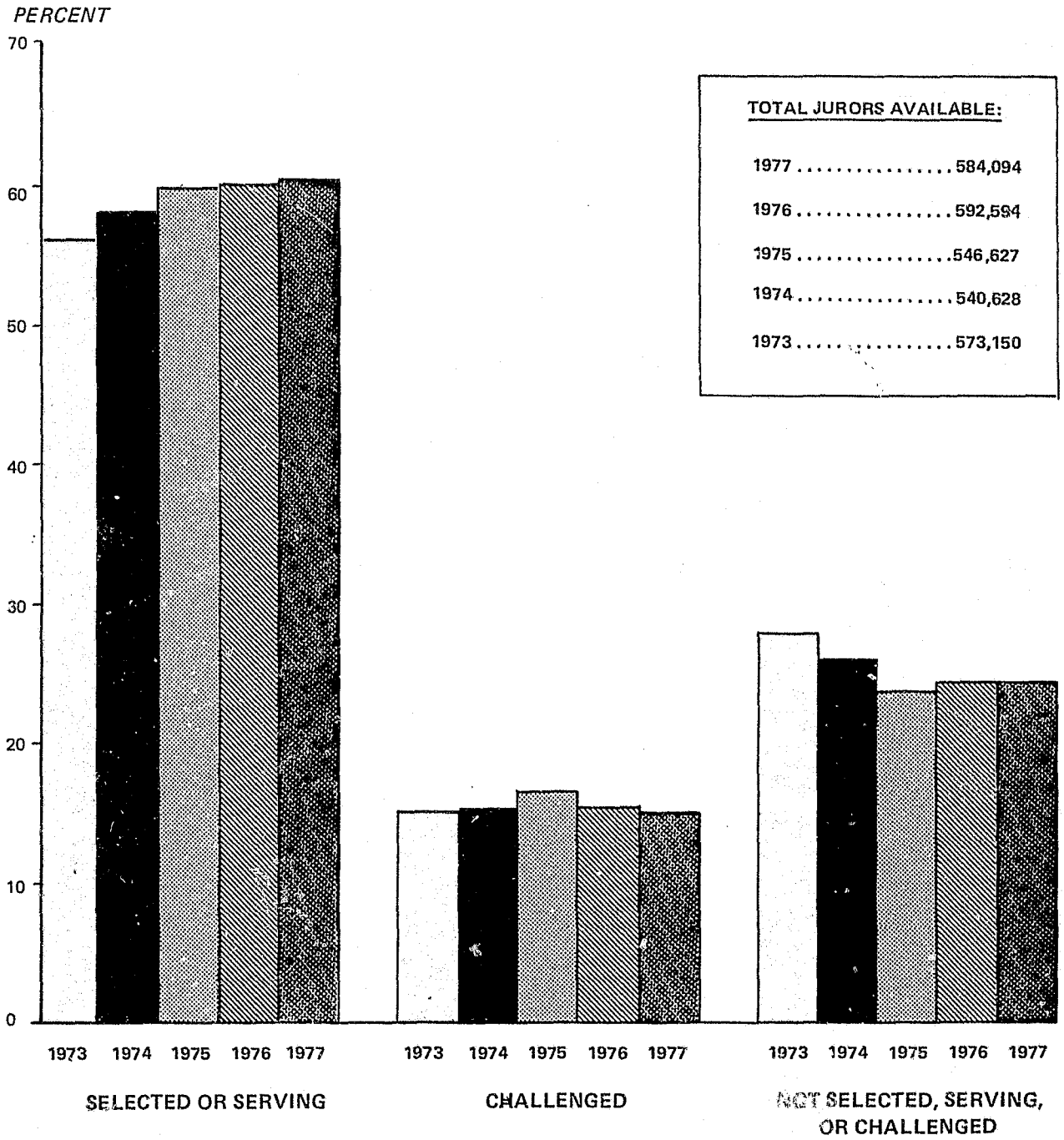
Petit Jury

Monthly reports on jury service have been collected since July 1, 1970. An examination of the seven years of data reveals the areas of improvement in juror utilization management. In 1977, slightly more than 19 prospective jurors were called for each trial. This is far fewer than in 1971. More importantly, the courts have increased the percentage of jurors serving on a petit jury to 60 percent compared to 54 percent in 1971. The figures below show that an average of 24 percent of prospective jurors called to the courthouse did not serve on a trial even though during a period of service an attempt is made to ensure that all jurors serve on at least one trial.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURTS

PETIT JUROR USAGE

12 MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 1973–1977



This year 584,094 jurors were called and were available for jury service. Last year 592,594 were called. The number of jury trial days decreased from 30,032 in 1976 to 29,873 in 1977.

The Juror Utilization Index, which is obtained by dividing total available jurors days by the total number of jury trial days, is a judicial barometer reflecting how well the operation is working. The figures below show this improvement:

Juror Usage Index	1971	1976	1977	Percent Change 1971 over 1977	Percent Change 1977 over 1976
	23.31	19.73	19.55	-16.1	-0.9
Percent Selected or Serving	54.2	60.2	60.4	-	-
Percent Challenged	12.9	15.6	15.5	-	-
Percent not Selected Serving or Challenged	32.9	24.1	24.1	-	-

Grand Jury

The number of grand juries in existence for the 12 months period ended June 30, 1977 increased by 6.3 percent over 1976 and 12.5 percent over 1975 which was the first full year of this reporting program. Part of this increase

could be attributed to the requirement that a defendant be indicted in a limited time period under provisions of the Speedy Trial Act of 1974. In all but five of the 19 courts which have adopted the maximum time limit of 30 days or less, the number of sessions convened increased. Overall, the number of sessions convened by these districts increased by 16.8 percent from 806 in 1975 to 941 in 1977.

In 1977, the number of sessions convened nationally increased by 5.3 percent, grand jurors in attendance rose by 5.1 percent and the number of hours in session was up by 5.2 percent over 1976.

On the average, grand jury sessions last 5.3 hours.

Grand Jury	1975	1976	1977	Percent Change	
				1977 over 1975	1977 over 1976
Total Number in Existence in the 12 Month Period	570	603	641	12.5	6.3
Sessions Convened	7,846	8,404	8,849	12.8	5.3
Jurors in Session	156,167	167,185	175,687	12.5	5.1
Hours in Session	41,421	44,765	47,094	13.7	5.2

Magistrates

During the year which ended on June 30, 1977, the overall workload of United States magistrates continued to increase. The more time-consuming "additional duties" performed by magistrates under authority of 28 U.S.C. 636(b) increased by 32 percent over the fiscal year 1976, from 75,894 to 100,318. The volume of such proceedings, moreover, was 49 percent above the 67,230 conducted during the fiscal year 1975, 67 percent above the 60,072 conducted during the fiscal year 1974, nearly 95 percent above the 51,517 of the fiscal year 1973 and 124 percent above the 44,717 of the fiscal year 1972, the first year of nationwide operation of the magistrate system.

The 103,061 petty and other minor offense cases disposed of by magistrates in the year ending June 30, 1977 were 14 percent more than the 90,166 handled during the fiscal year 1976. The total number of petty and other minor offense cases disposed of in the year ending June 30, 1977 was 43 percent higher than the 72,082 handled in the fiscal year 1972.

The number of preliminary proceedings conducted by magistrates in felony criminal cases during the year ending June 30, 1977 declined by three percent to 83,357 from

86,084 in the fiscal year 1976, due largely to a general decrease in felony prosecutions, changes in procedures brought on by the Speedy Trial Act, and continuing refinements in the magistrates statistical reporting system. The current total is less than the reported volume of 103,326 preliminary proceedings in the fiscal year 1975; 100,152 in the fiscal year 1974; 115,121 in the fiscal year 1973; 120,723 in the fiscal year 1972.

The number of pre-commitment proceedings in criminal cases conducted by United States magistrates during the year ending June 30, 1977 decreased by three percent from 1976 - down from 86,084 to 83,357. Applications for arrest warrants considered by magistrates fell by nine percent, from 22,531 in 1976 to 20,467 in the year ending June 30, 1977. Search warrant applications fell by 14 percent, from 6,068 to 5,203 over the same period. The number of bail hearings, including those on material witnesses and alleged probation violators and applications for review of bail determinations, increased by three percent, from 48,616 in 1976 to 50,302 in the year ending June 30, 1977. Preliminary examinations conducted by magistrates decreased by 23 percent, from 7,142 in 1976 to 5,502 in 1977, while removal hearings rose by nine percent, from 1,727 to 1,883.

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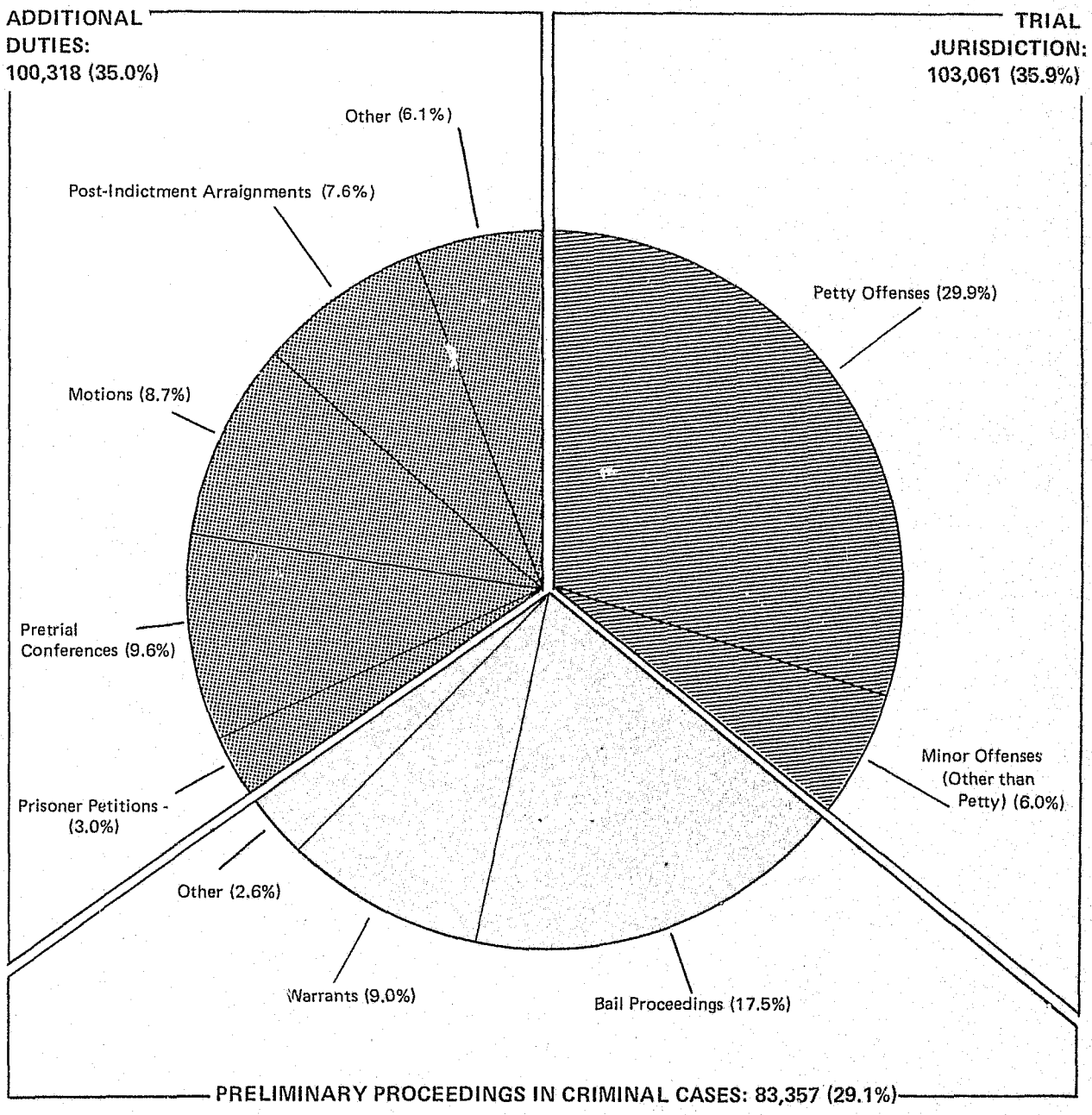
DUTIES PERFORMED BY UNITED STATES MAGISTRATES

12 MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

Total (all matters) = 286,736 (100%)



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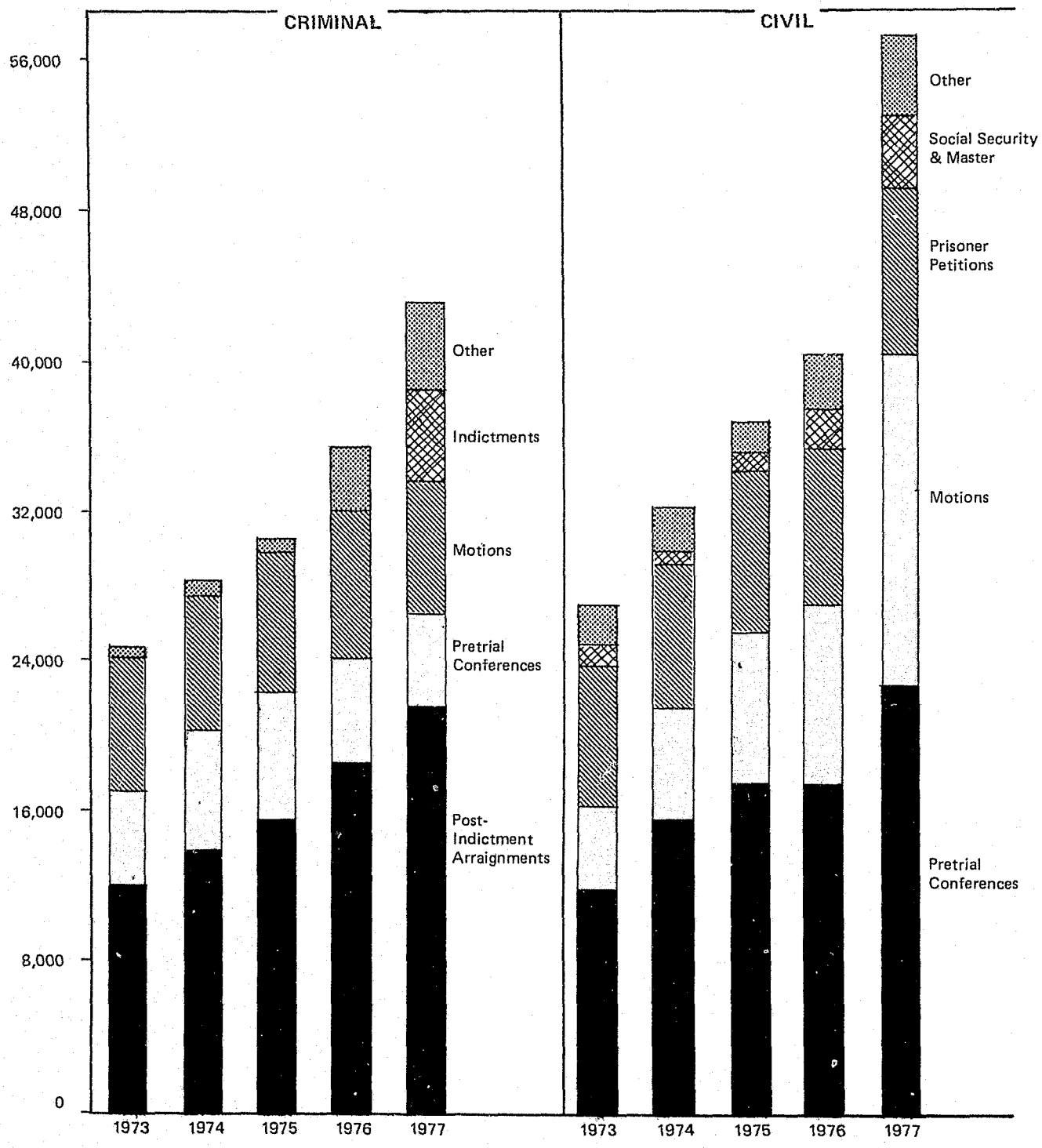
"ADDITIONAL DUTIES" PERFORMED BY U.S. MAGISTRATES UNDER 28 U.S.C. 636(b)

12 MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 1973–1977



The number of matters disposed of by United States magistrates during 1972, and 1975, 1976, 1977, as well as the percentage changes from 1976 to 1977 appears in the analysis of the workload of the courts which follows. An additional table showing the number of minor offense cases disposed of by United States magistrates for 1972, 1975, 1976 and 1977, classified by nature of offense, also appears in the analysis of the workload as does a table showing the ten districts with the largest number of minor offense cases disposed of by magistrates during the year ending June 30, 1977.

Probation

In 1977 the number of persons received for supervision by the Federal Probation Service remained nearly constant. For persons under supervision at the end of the year there was a decline of 1.0 percent in court probationers, and parolees were down 11.3 percent. There were increases of 11.5 percent in U. S. magistrate probationers and 20.3 percent in the number of persons placed on pretrial diverson. Mandatory releasees increased 14 percent and special parole cases 61.8 percent.

Persons removed from supervision declined 0.3 percent; accounting for the modest change in the number of persons under supervision. Overall, during the fiscal year 1977,

the Federal Probation Service provided supervision to 99,344 persons at some time during the year. With this supervision workload the probation service also prepared 101,725 investigative reports, 0.6 percent less than 1976. Of these reports, 32,738 were presentence investigation reports or selective presentence investigations ordered by the court.

The following tables illustrate graphically the workload of the probation system.

TABLE I

Investigative Reports by Probation Officers

For The Twelve Month Periods Ending June 30, 1976 and June 30, 1977

Type of Investigation	1976	1977
TOTAL	102,334	101,725
Presentence Investigation	32,193	29,678
Selective Presentence Investigation	2,255	3,060
Collateral Investigation for another district	14,526	16,483
Preliminary Investigation to assist U.S. Attorney	1,645	2,022
Postsentence Investigation for Institution	746	1,043
Pretransfer Investigation (Probation and Parole)	10,583	10,568
Alleged Violation Investigation (Probation and Parole)	10,351	10,810
Prerelease Investigation for a Federal or Military Institution	7,112	7,089
Special Investigation regarding a prisoner in confinement	5,085	5,478
Furlough and Work-Release Reports for Bureau of Prisons Institutions	3,175	5,460
Parole Supervision Reports	12,931	8,846
Parole Revocation Hearing Reports	1,732	1,188

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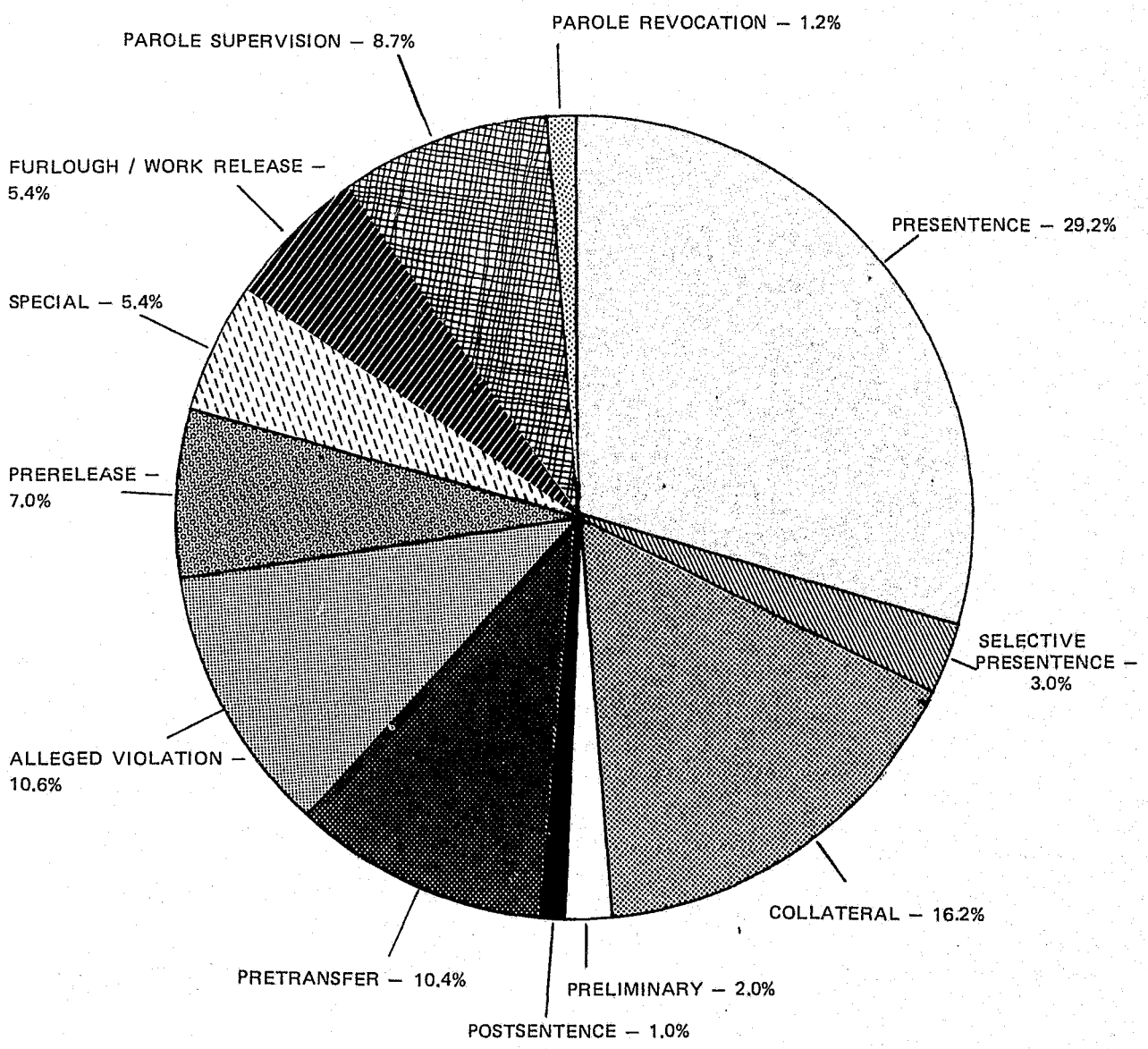
INVESTIGATIVE REPORTS BY PROBATION OFFICERS

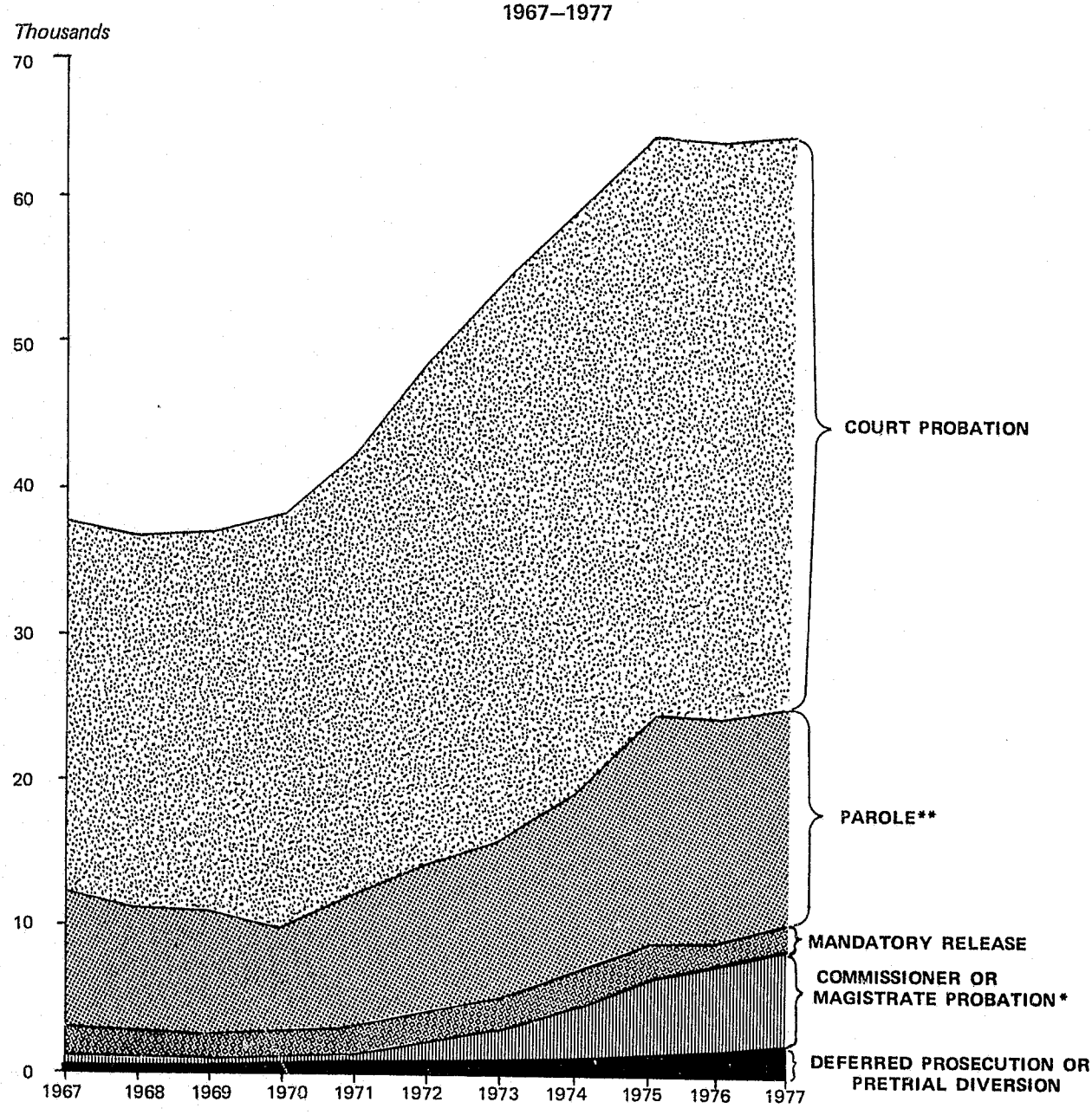
12 MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

TOTAL INVESTIGATIVE REPORTS: 101,725



PERSONS UNDER SUPERVISION OF THE FEDERAL PROBATION SERVICE ON JUNE 30 BY TYPE OF SUPERVISION

1967–1977



*The Federal Magistrates Act came into full effect as of July 1 1971.

**Includes Military Parole and Special Parole.

TABLE II

Persons Received for Supervision

For The Twelve Month Periods Ending June 30, 1976 and June 30, 1977

Type of Supervision	1976		1977		% of Change in Total
	Total	Total	Total	Total	
All cases.	35,102	100.0%	35,098	100.0%	-
Probation (court) . .	18,375	52.3	17,561	50.0	-4.4
Probation (U. S. Magistrate)	5,358	15.3	5,678	16.2	6.0
Pretrial Diversion	1,711	4.9	2,081	5.9	21.6
Parole	6,286	17.9	5,222	14.9	-16.9
Mandatory release .	1,935	5.5	2,521	7.2	30.3
Military parole. . .	232	.7	289	0.8	24.6
Special parole . . .	1,205	3.4	1,746	5.0	44.9

TABLE III

Persons Under Supervision

For The Twelve Month Periods Ending June 30, 1976 and June 30, 1977

Type of Supervision	Under Supervision		Increase or Decrease	Percent Increase or Decrease
	July 1, 1976	June 30, 1977		
Total.	64,246	64,427	181	0.3
Probation by Courts	39,234	38,846	- 388	- 1.0
Probation, U.S. Magistrates. .	6,038	6,732	694	11.5
Pretrial Diversion	1,763	2,120	357	20.3
Parole	14,090	12,492	-1,598	-11.3
Mandatory release. . . .	1,352	1,541	189	14.0
Military parole.	339	382	43	12.7
Special parole .	1,430	2,314	884	61.8

TABLE IV

MOVEMENT OF PERSONS UNDER SUPERVISION DURING THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 1977

	Total	Probation by courts	Probation, U. S. magistrate	Pretrial diversion	Parole	Special Parole	Mandatory release	Military parole
Under supervision July 1, 1976	64,246	39,234	6,038	1,763	14,090	1,430	1,352	339
Received during year	44,529	23,671	7,032	2,375	6,420	2,012	2,704	315
For supervision.	35,098	17,561	5,678	2,081	5,222	1,746	2,521	289
Transfers.	9,431	6,110	1,354	294	1,198	266	183	26
Removed during year.	44,348	24,059	6,338	2,018	8,018	1,128	2,515	272
From supervision	34,979	17,974	4,991	1,747	6,784	893	2,346	244
Transfers.	9,369	6,085	1,347	271	1,234	235	169	28
Under supervision June 30, 1977	64,427	38,846	6,732	2,120	12,492	2,314	1,541	382
Increase or decrease	181	-388	694	357	-1,598	884	189	43
Percent increase or decrease	0.3	-1.0	11.5	20.3	-11.3	61.8	14.0	12.7

TABLE V

Workload of Federal Probation Officers

Years Ending June 30, 1972 Through 1977

Year	Probation Officer Positions	Presentence Investigations	Officers Required for PSI	Officers Available for Supervision	Supervision Cases	Average Supervision Cases per Officer
1972	549	27,558	215	334	49,023	147
1973	717	29,736	232	485	54,346	112
1974	1,057	29,492	230	827	59,615	72
1975	1,377	31,740	248	1,129	64,261	57
1976	1,452	32,193	252	1,200	64,246	54
1977	1,578	32,738	232	1,346	64,427	48

Bankruptcy Administration

In the 12 months ending June 30, 1977, a total of 214,399 bankruptcy cases of all types was filed. This is a numerical decrease of 32,150 cases and a percentage decrease of 13 percent from the 1976 total. The number represents the third largest total of bankruptcy filings in a single year.

The following table shows bankruptcy cases filed since 1948, the first year under the Referees' Salary Act and illustrates the cyclical nature of bankruptcy filings which has occurred since 1967. If this trend continues, there will be a small increase in filings in Fiscal Years 1978 and 1979:

TABLE VI

BANKRUPTCY CASES FILED 12 MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 1948-1977

Year Ended June 30	Number	Numerical Increase (+) or Decrease (-)	Rate of Change
1948	18,510	+ 5,340	+ 40.5%
1949	26,021	+ 7,511	+ 40.5
1950	33,392	+ 7,371	+ 28.3
1951	35,193	+ 1,801	+ 5.4
1952	34,873	- 320	- .9
1953	40,087	+ 5,214	+ 15.0
1954	53,136	+ 13,049	+ 32.6
1955	59,404	+ 6,268	+ 11.8
1956	62,086	+ 2,682	+ 4.5
1957	73,761	+ 11,675	+ 18.8
1958	91,668	+ 17,907	+ 24.3
1959	100,672	+ 9,004	+ 9.8
1960	110,034	+ 9,362	+ 9.3
1961	146,643	+ 36,309	+ 33.3
1962	147,780	+ 1,137	+ .8
1963	155,493	+ 7,713	+ 5.2
1964	171,719	+ 16,226	+ 10.4
1965	180,323	+ 8,604	+ 5.0
1966	192,354	+ 12,031	+ 6.7
1967	208,329	+ 15,975	+ 8.3
1968	197,811	- 10,518	- 5.0
1969	184,930	- 12,881	- 6.5
1970	194,399	+ 9,469	+ 5.1
1971	201,352	+ 6,953	+ 3.6
1972	182,869	- 18,483	- 9.2
1973	173,197	- 9,672	- 5.3
1974	189,513	+ 16,316	+ 9.4
1975	254,484	+ 64,971	+ 34.3
1976	246,549	- 7,935	- 3.1
1977	214,399	- 32,150	- 13.0

The overall increase or decrease in bankruptcy case filings reflects the trend in non-business (consumer) bankruptcies which make up 85.0% of all bankruptcies filed. Just seven districts accounted for approximately 27% of all bankruptcy cases filed and 28% of the non-business cases.

Small increases in total filings were registered in 18 of the 94 districts where bankruptcy service is furnished.

All circuits other than the District of Columbia circuit registered decreases in filings. The greatest numerical decrease came in the Ninth Circuit which declined by 9,818 cases. The Ninth Circuit consistently has the greatest number of total filings as well as consumer cases. The following table shows filings by circuit for 1977 with the numerical and percentage increase or decrease for each circuit:

TABLE VII
BANKRUPTCY FILINGS, 12 MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 1976 and 1977

Circuit	1976	1977	Numerical Increase (+) Decrease (-)	Percentage Increase (+) Decrease (-)
District of Columbia	238	264	+ 26	+ 10.9
First	6,630	5,626	- 1,004	- 15.1
Second	17,093	15,674	- 1,419	- 8.3
Third	10,090	8,905	- 1,185	- 11.7
Fourth	16,162	14,015	- 2,147	- 13.3
Fifth	34,950	32,039	- 2,911	- 8.3
Sixth	38,003	32,089	- 5,914	- 15.6
Seventh	31,637	27,590	- 4,047	- 12.6
Eighth	17,915	15,552	- 2,363	- 13.2
Ninth	57,448	47,630	- 9,818	- 17.1
Tenth	16,383	15,015	- 1,368	- 8.4
Totals	246,549	214,399	-32,150	- 13.0

Business bankruptcies declined in Fiscal Year 1977 from 35,201 in 1976 to 32,189 in 1977, a drop of 3,012 cases. The number filed in 1977 represents the second largest number of business bankruptcy cases ever filed.

The following table shows the number of business and non-business cases* filed and the percent each group bears to the total filings over the past 10 years.

TABLE VIII
BUSINESS AND NON-BUSINESS BANKRUPTCIES

Year ended June 30	Non-Business	% of Total	Business	% of Total	Total Filings
1967	191,729	92.0	16,600	8.0	208,329
1968	181,266	91.6	16,545	8.4	197,811
1969	169,500	91.7	15,430	8.3	184,930
1970	178,202	91.7	16,197	8.3	194,399
1971	182,249	90.5	19,103	9.5	201,352
1972	164,737	90.1	18,132	9.9	182,869
1973	155,707	89.9	17,490	10.1	173,197
1974	168,767	89.1	20,746	10.9	189,513
1975	224,354	88.2	30,130	11.8	254,484
1976	211,348	85.7	35,201	14.3	246,549
1977	182,210	85.0	32,189	15.0	214,399

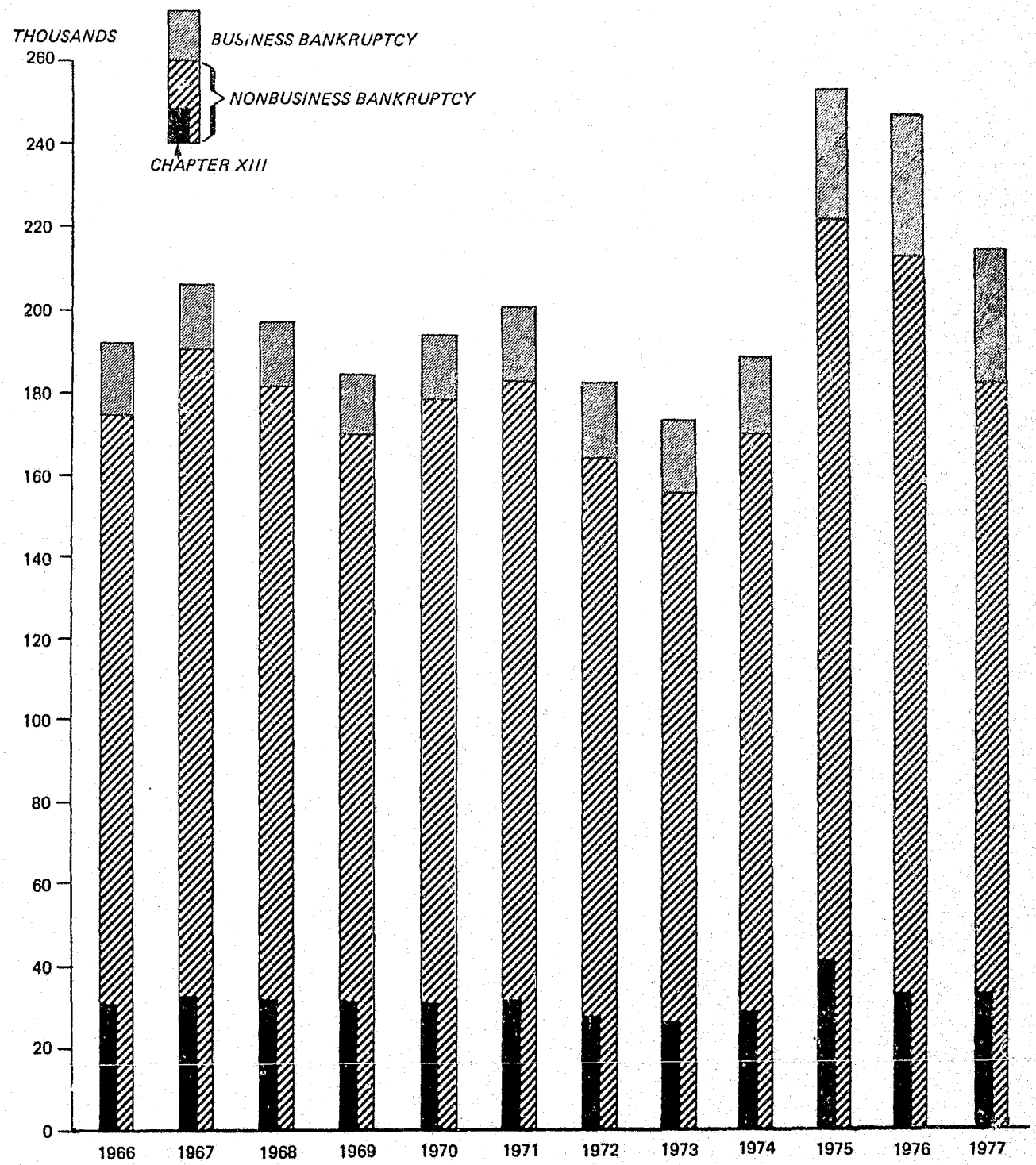
* The business cases include farmers, professionals, merchants, manufacturers, and others in business. The non-business cases include employees and others not in business.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURTS

BANKRUPTCY CASES COMMENCED

BUSINESS AND NONBUSINESS (INCL. CHAPTER XIII)

YEARS 1966 - 1977



The percentage of business cases to total filings has increased over the past eight years. The 15.0 percent of business cases to the total filings is the greatest since 1956 and the total number of 32,189 cases was exceeded only in 1976.

The following table shows that the highest percentage of business cases relative to total workload occur in the First, Second and Third Circuits while the Ninth Circuit has by far the greatest number of business cases.

TABLE IX

BUSINESS AND NON-BUSINESS FILINGS, 12 MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

Circuit	Non-Business	% of Total	Business	% of Total	Total Filings
District of Columbia	241	91.3%	23	8.7%	264
First	4,143	73.6	1,483	26.4	5,626
Second	12,453	79.5	3,221	20.5	15,674
Third	6,600	74.1	2,305	25.9	8,905
Fourth	12,492	89.1	1,523	10.9	14,015
Fifth	26,441	82.5	5,598	17.5	32,039
Sixth	29,195	91.0	2,894	9.0	32,089
Seventh	24,990	90.6	2,600	9.4	27,590
Eighth	13,010	83.7	2,542	16.3	15,552
Ninth	40,078	84.1	7,552	15.9	47,630
Tenth	12,567	83.7	2,448	16.3	15,015
Totals	182,210	85.0	32,189	15.0	214,399

In 1977, there were decreases in both voluntary and involuntary straight bankruptcy cases, as well as in all special relief chapters except Chapter XII, Real Property Arrangements, which increased by 115 cases.

Filings by chapter of Bankruptcy Act for the past 10 years, and increases or decreases in 1977 from the prior year are shown below:

TABLE X

FILINGS, BY CHAPTER OF BANKRUPTCY ACT

Year	Total	Voluntary straight bankruptcy	Involuntary straight bankruptcy	CHAPTER					
				Ch IX	Ch X	Ch XI	Ch XII	Ch XIII	Sec 77
1968	197,811	164,592	1,001	3	128	953	69	31,065	0
1969	184,930	154,054	946	0	87	867	66	28,910	0
1970	194,399	161,366	1,085	0	115	1,262	58	30,510	3
1971	201,352	167,149	1,215	2	179	1,782	120	30,904	1
1972	182,869	152,840	1,094	1	105	1,361	92	27,373	3
1973	173,197	144,929	985	0	101	1,458	92	25,632	0
1974	189,513	156,962	1,009	2	163	2,171	172	29,019	15
1975	254,484	208,064	1,266	0	189*	3,506	280	41,178	1
1976	246,549	207,926	1,141	2	141	3,235	525	33,579	0
1977	214,399	180,062	1,132	1	96	3,046	640	29,422	0
Percent	-13.0	-13.4	- 0.8	-	-31.9	-5.8	+21.9	-12.4	-

* Includes 25 involuntary petitions.

A total of 231,509 cases was closed in 1977. This is a decrease of 6,284 from 1976 and left 253,929 cases pending on June 30, 1977, a reduction of 17,110 from the number pending a year earlier.

Criminal Justice Act

During the year ended June 30, 1977, an estimated 46,279 cases were opened in which counsel was appointed under the Criminal Justice Act. Of this total, 26,147 persons were represented by private panel attorneys and 20,132 by defender organizations. This compares with an estimated representation of 29,037 persons by private attorneys and 18,439 by defender organizations for fiscal year 1976.

JUDICIAL ADMINISTRATION

Personnel

During fiscal year 1977, the Division of Personnel continued its efforts toward a fully operational personnel/position control system by coordinating its efforts in the uniform payroll system and the design and implementation of an interim position control system. A reorganization of the Division has enabled it to establish a function divided along circuit lines to provide better service through more thoroughly trained personnel and has resulted in direct lines of communication between the Administrative Office and court personnel.

The Judiciary Salary Plan, as it currently exists, was published and distributed to all court appointing officials for comment. These comments have been received and consolidated into the most critical areas for evaluation and review.

In the Administrative Office Branch, a draft Merit Promotion Plan has been assembled and a periodic classification review program of the positions within the Administrative Office has been designed and the first review conducted.

A Quality Step Increase Plan for the courts was fully implemented on April 11, 1977.

The transition to the new salary schedules, resulting from the pay legislation effective October 11, 1976 (as well as that of March 1, 1977), was accomplished smoothly and without administrative delay.

There were 663 judges in active or senior status on the rolls as of June 30, 1977, as compared to 660 a year earlier. All other areas within the Federal judiciary showed increases as reflected in the following table.

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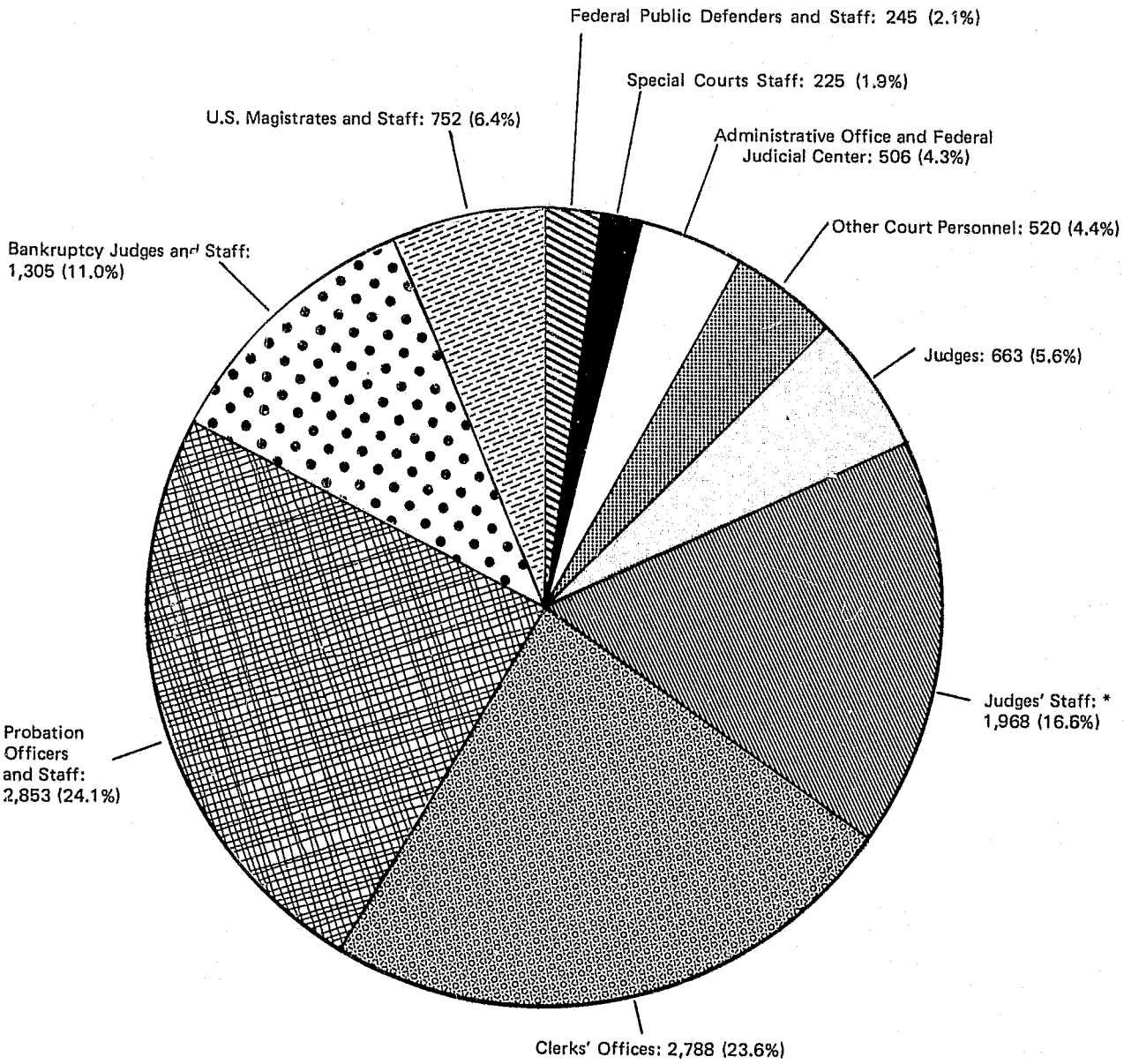
PERSONNEL IN THE U.S. JUDICIARY

12 MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

TOTAL PERSONNEL: 11,825



*Secretaries, Law Clerks, and Criers

TABLE XI

PERSONNEL IN THE FEDERAL JUDICIARY
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

	1976	1977
Judges:		
Circuit	94	87
District	375	373
Special Courts	21	19
Territorial Courts	4	3
Retired--resigned	166	181
TOTAL	660	663
Circuit Executives	9	10
Staff to circuit executives	15	11
Secretaries to judges	533	510
Secretary-law clerks to judges	1	1
Secretaries to retired judges	155	153
Court (Staff) secretaries	41	56
Law Clerks to judges	607	598
Law Clerks to retired judges	124	148
Senior law clerks	32	11
Court (Staff) law clerks	20	80
Total personnel for clerks' offices	2,557	2,788
TOTAL	4,085	4,366
Members of Probation Staffs:		
Probation officers	1,522	1,632
Probation officer assistants	19	30
Pre-trial services officers	79	86
Clerks	1,010	1,105
TOTAL	2,630	2,853
Members of Bankruptcy Staffs:		
Referees	224	228
Clerks	1,070	1,077
TOTAL	1,294	1,305
United States Magistrates	450	454
Staff to U. S. Magistrates	285	298
Federal Public Defenders & Assistants	111	124
Staff to Federal Public Defenders	118	121
Court Criers (including court crier-law clerks)	435	411
Court Reporters	390	403
Court reporter -- secretaries	1	1
Supporting Personnel of the Special Courts	220	222
Miscellaneous Personnel in the District of Columbia	23	24
Messengers	9	8
Librarians	40	48
Nurses	3	3
Interpreters	12	12
Temporary Emergency Court of Appeals	5	3
Members of the Staff of the Administrative Office	437	408
Members of the Staff of the Federal Judicial Center	---*	98
TOTAL**	11,217	11,825

* In 1976, this total was included in the members of the staff of the Administrative Office total.

** Permanent and temporary personnel are included in the above totals.

Magistrates - Jurisdictional Amendments

The legislation proposed by the Judicial Conference to clarify and broaden the jurisdiction of magistrates was enacted as Public Law 94-577 on October 21, 1976. The new law revised substantially the provisions of 28 U.S.C. 636(b), under which a magistrate may be delegated a wide range of "additional duties" by the district court. Under the new law a magistrate may be designated to hear and determine non-dispositive motions in civil and criminal cases. He may hear and recommend to a judge the determination of dispositive motions and various prisoner cases. The statute also permits a magistrate to serve as a special master to try the issues of any civil case upon the consent of the parties. A separate subsection provides that a magistrate may be assigned "such additional duties as are not inconsistent with the Constitution and laws of the United States."

Upon the enactment of the 1976 jurisdictional amendments to the Federal Magistrates Act, the Judicial Conference Committee on The Administration of the Federal Magistrates System distributed to all judges and magistrates a preliminary checklist of the duties that might be assigned to magistrates by the district courts. The committee solicited suggestions

for improvements from both judges and magistrates. It made appropriate changes based on these comments and distributed the jurisdictional checklist in final form to all judges and magistrates.

The new statute requires each district court to "establish rules pursuant to which the magistrates shall discharge their duties." The committee prepared and distributed model rules to assist the district courts in revising their local rules to implement Public Law 94-577.

Introduction of the Magistrate Act of 1977

On May 26, 1977, a bill sponsored by the Department of Justice was introduced in the Senate which would expand the criminal jurisdiction of magistrates to include all misdemeanors and provide magistrates with additional flexibility in sentencing. The legislation would provide explicit authorization for the trial and final disposition of any civil case by a magistrate, upon the consent of the parties. The bill also would authorize the Judicial Conference to promulgate qualification standards and selection procedures for magistrates.

The Federal Judicial Center, in coordination with the Magistrates Division of the Administrative Office, developed a seminar program to acquaint all full-time magistrates

with the provisions of the 1976 jurisdictional amendments and assist them in implementing their expanded responsibilities. Sessions were held at Atlanta in April, San Francisco in July, Denver, in August and Chicago in September.

Magistrates - Additional Duties

The volume of "additional duties" delegated to United States magistrates by the district courts under authority of 28 U.S.C. 636(b) has risen steadily since the inception of the magistrates system. During the year just ended, magistrates handled 100,318 judicial proceedings under this authority - up by 32 percent over the fiscal year 1976, by 49 percent over 1975, by 67 percent over 1974, by 95 percent over 1973 and by 124 percent over 1972. These include written reports and recommendations for disposition of prisoner petitions, civil pretrial conferences, review of motions in civil cases, special master reports under Rule 53 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, and civil trials, upon the consent of the parties.

The following table reflects the magistrate positions which have been authorized by the Judicial Conference:

TABLE XII

UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE POSITIONS AUTHORIZED BY THE JUDICIAL CONFERENCE

	Full-time Positions	Part-time Positions	Combination Positions	Total Positions
1970 Spring	61	449	8	518
Fall	82	449	11	542
1971 Spring	83	450	13	546
Fall	88	455	15	558
1972 Spring	90	455	16	561
Fall	103	452	17	572
1973 Spring	103	447	17	567
Fall	112	414	16	542
1974 Spring	112	411	18	541
Fall	130	336	16	482
1975 Spring	133	337	17	487
Fall	143	322	17	482
1976 Spring	150	316	16	482
Fall	159	306	18	483
1977 Spring	164	305	18	487

Probation

Probation officers traditionally have had two primary responsibilities: preparing presentence investigation reports and supervising clients on probation and parole. The priority has been to complete the presentence reports and give some time

to supervision. Until recent years the burden was on the probation officer to do the presentence reports first and intervene in supervision crises with whatever time was left. With the increase in personnel, probation officers now have more time to spend on supervision.

This year the United States General Accounting Office has reviewed the management of the Federal Probation System. Detailed studies were conducted in five districts supplemented by shorter visits to other districts, questionnaires to chief judges, chief probation officers, and probation officers; and extensive visits in the Probation Division. The reports indicate that the probation system is still not giving sufficient attention to supervision activities. The prescribed frequency of contacts for offenders called for by supervision guidelines is not being met. The General Accounting Office recommends that more emphasis be placed on supervision and that the Probation Division monitor and evaluate the work of probation offices in a more effective manner.

The Probation Division has been working closely with the field on the issues raised by GAO. Training programs have been designed which emphasize supervision and meeting client needs.

A committee chaired by a member of the Judicial Conference Committee on the Administration of the Probation System, representatives from field probation offices, the U. S. Parole Commission, Federal Bureau of Prisons, General Counsel's Office of the Administrative Office, and the Probation Division has developed a new presentence report monograph with emphasis on establishing supervision plans for prospective probationers. This will be issued early in fiscal year 1978. The plan of supervision will indicate goals, objectives to achieve those goals, and deadlines for delivery of needed services. The new monograph also requires that the probation officer inform the court of the anticipated level of supervision: maximum, medium, or minimum, and anticipated frequency of contacts during the initial period of supervision.

In addition to the attention given supervision the monograph reflects changes required by statutory and case law. The monograph introduces the Core Concept which sets forth a flexible model for preparing presentence reports. The Core Concept requires the probation officer to develop a core of essential information which is supplemented by additional pertinent data. That amount of information which is essential and pertinent determines the content and length of the report. Application of the core concept will result in more succinct

reports, for the concept emphasizes including only that information which is germane to the sentence decision.

Disclosure of information contained in presentence investigation reports is under study by the research division of the Federal Judicial Center. The Center is presently reviewing the presentence reports in a number of districts to determine probation system practices.

NEWS and VIEWS, the newsletter for the United States Probation System, was first published on September 27, 1976, following months of preparation and compilation of material and resources from across the probation system.

Of interest to the probation system is the Bureau of Prisons Community Treatment Centers field study project. This study, which began on May 1, 1976, and is to terminate on May 30, 1979, is designed to evaluate the effectiveness of Federal and federally contracted community treatment centers in a number of areas. Most important, the study is attempting to examine the impact of community treatment centers referral on recidivism and positive adjustment in the community after release. A sample of referrals through a community treatment center is compared with a control sample released directly from prison, controlling statistically for differences in background. The recidivism analysis looks at such varied

measures as rearrest for a new crime, conviction for a new crime, and the severity of any new criminal behavior. Positive adjustment is measured by employment data and an index of "social adjustment." Preliminary findings based on a six-month followup period have found that referral through a community treatment center results in significantly higher employment rates after release but does not appear to affect rearrest rates.

In addition to recidivism and positive adjustment, the project looks at who is most likely to fail within the community treatment center, what services are provided in the community treatment center and whether they meet the needs of residents, the social climate in the community treatment center as perceived by staff and residents, and community treatment center population trends over time.

Pretrial Services Agencies

The Pretrial Services Agencies established in 1975, under Title II of the Speedy Trial Act of 1974, on a demonstration basis in ten separate district courts have been operable for an average of 19 months. The Board of Trustees Agencies are in Baltimare, Brooklyn, Detroit, Kansas City, and Philadelphia. The Division of Probation agencies are in Atlanta, Chicago, Dallas,

Los Angeles, and New York City, With the approval of the Probation Committee other probation districts are now also participating in the project.

There are 156 employees in the ten demonstration districts. Seventy-five (49 officers, 26 clerical) are in the probation offices. Eighty-one (58 officers, 23 clerical) are in the board agencies. It is anticipated the existing staff positions will remain static for the duration of the project.

The Pretrial Services Agencies provide verified information to judicial officers, prosecutors, and defense counsel. Prior to making a bail recommendation, pretrial services officers investigate the personal history and present circumstances of a defendant. The investigation often reveals that a defendant has critical psychological, legal, medical, and economic needs. If bail is granted, the officer assists the releasee in reducing these pressing needs. The officer may refer the individual to a variety of sources: job training programs, legal aid, community health clinics, and alcoholic and narcotic rehabilitation programs to name a few.

Over 14,000 defendants have been interviewed, information provided to judicial officers to assist them with decisions for pretrial release, and supervision provided for those in need. Seven thousand cases have been terminated and processed

through the Pretrial Services Branch data bank. This data base is expected to grow at the rate of 1,000 cases per month for the remaining 24 months of the project.

During the past year all agencies have made significant progress in establishing their credibility and professionalism. All were represented at a management seminar conducted by the Pretrial Services Branch during the latter part of April 1977. Another orientation training seminar for new officer personnel was held in August 1977.

Bankruptcy - Referees' Salary and Expense Fund

The table shown below shows the status of the Referees' Salary and Expense Fund for the 10-year period ending June 30, 1977 and the current status of the fund.

The costs of the system have exceeded receipts into the Fund every year since 1965 in spite of the fact that the receipts to the Fund have increased each year.

In recognition of the impossibility of maintaining the bankruptcy system on a self-supporting basis without increasing filing fees and percentage charges on estates to a prohibition level, the Judicial Conference has authorized the drafting and introduction of legislation which would abolish the self-supporting system.

TABLE XIII

REFEREES' SALARY AND EXPENSE FUND

Fiscal Year	Receipts	Obligations	Surplus
1968	$10,881,669	$11,879,379	- 997,710
1969	11,028,819	13,295,643	- 2,266,824
1970	11,041,534	15,514,950	- 4,473,416
1971	12,141,854	16,584,603	- 4,442,749
1972	13,080,483	17,620,025	- 4,539,542
1973	14,252,107	19,619,143	- 5,367,036
1974	14,984,446	20,506,000	- 5,521,554
1975	18,383,954	20,878,414	- 2,494,460
1976	22,096,948	26,671,000 *	- 4,574,052
1977	23,840,642	31,660,000 *	- 7,919,358*
Deficit as of June 30, 1967			9,322,835
Cumulative Deficit as of June 30, 1977			32,032,292 *

*Estimated

Bankruptcy Legislation

No legislation was enacted in the year ending June 30, 1977 directly affecting bankruptcy. At the close of June 30, 1977 H.R. 7330 (formerly H.R. 6), a bill which would materially alter the structure of the bankruptcy system was reported out favorably by the House Judiciary Subcommittee on Civil and Constitutional Rights to the full Judiciary Committee. The bill would create an independent bankruptcy court with judges having life tenure as provided under Article III of the Constitution. The bill would also create an office of United States Trustee in the Department of Justice which would establish and maintain panels of trustees throughout the United States and to serve as trustee in certain situations. A five year transition period is provided to conduct studies to determine the number of bankruptcy judges needed under the new substantive law and enlarged jurisdiction. The Judicial Conference has opposed the concept of a separate bankruptcy court as unnecessary and costly and contrary to the trend of judicial administration. An Ad Hoc Committee was appointed which provided the Congress with more detailed reasons for the opposition of the Judicial Conference.

Federal Defenders

Expansion of the defender program has continued with the creation of four new defender organizations (South Carolina, West Virginia (Southern), Georgia (Southern) and Puerto Rico). The Criminal Justice Act Division assisted in the establishment of these offices as well as the creation of a branch office in the existing California (Eastern) operation. There are currently twenty-six federal public defender offices and eight community defender offices. The Administrative Office has assisted in developing and conducting seminars for various groups during the past year. These groups included federal public defenders, assistant public defenders, investigators and statistical and fiscal clerks. These seminars provided valuable information to the groups and enables individuals to meet and discuss issues with their respective counterparts.

Management Review

During the twelve month period ending June 30, 1977, the second full-year of operation for the Division of Management Review, the Division conducted on-site reviews of the management and operations of one circuit court and seventeen district

courts. The major purposes of the reviews were to identify areas where the efficiency and effectiveness of the operations of each office could be improved and recommend to the court specific actions and procedures by which those improvements could be effected. The reviews included an audit of the financial records of the court, desk-audits of court personnel, examination of records maintained, and observation of office procedure. Particular emphasis was placed upon compliance with statutory and regulatory requirements and utilization of sound management practices. Each report described in detail the operations of the court, with particular attention given to management techniques which might be useful to other federal courts.

Clerks of Court

The Clerks Division has completed its second year of operations.

New programs initiated during the year included an "Information & Management Bulletin" to keep clerks apprised of recent events and other items of general interest; beginning a project to accumulate functional data for each deputy clerk to correlate personnel with functions and workload indicators such as filings or terminations; establishing a standing committee of appellate clerks to identify and act on problems

of nationwide scope; sponsoring staff law clerk positions in several district courts in order to evaluate impact on speed and quality of processing of prisoner civil rights complaints (evaluation includes possibility of adapting techniques to other types of cases as well); a pilot project in the Northern District of California to employ two temporary positions to accommodate a myriad of general requests which ordinarily would require GSA, billable services.

Administrative Services

During the past year a system, "Guide to Judiciary Policies and Procedures," was developed as the official medium for transmitting information of this kind to members of the judiciary. The system is designed to eliminate inconsistencies in manuals, numbered bulletins and memorandums, group homogeneously related mate. .l together and significantly reduce the time required to find information.

The Administrative Office has added an architect to the staff to offer the courts a dimension of professional assistance in the development and supervision of construction projects not possible heretofore.

As of June 15, 1977 judicial space holdings totaled 9,044,891 square feet for which the annual rental bill was

$55,602,076. This amount reflects a reduction of $350,000 during fiscal year 1977 due to the release of under utilized facilities by the circuit councils.

As of June 30, 1977 there were 41 circuit courtrooms and 679 district courtrooms, of which 15 district facilities were limited to non-jury use.

Construction of new buildings housing court activities was completed during fiscal year 1977 at Charlotte Amalie, Virgin Islands; Syracuse, New York; Williamsport, Pennsylvania; Baltimore, Maryland; Rockford, Illinois; Jonesboro, Arkansas; Topeka, Kansas; and Honolulu, Hawaii.

As of June 30, 1977 new buildings containing court facilities were under construction or construction contracts had been awarded at Columbia, South Carolina; Atlanta, Georgia; Fort Lauderdale, Florida; Miami, Florida; Fairbanks, Alaska; and Anchorage, Alaska.

New buildings have been approved by the public works committees for East St. Louis, Illinois; Madison, Wisconsin; and San Jose, California.

It is estimated that during fiscal year 1977 the judiciary will expend approximately $7,300,000 for protection which includes reimbursable security officers, installation and maintenance of security systems.

Office of Legislative Analysis

During the past year the Administrative Office established a division to assist the federal judiciary in analyzing legislative proposals which have an impact on the federal judiciary, advising the appropriate committees of the Judicial Conference of such proposals and preparing responses to Congressional inquiries. It is expected that this office will substantially expedite replies to such inquiries and will keep judicial officers better advised of legislative proposals affecting their responsibilities.

Appropriations for Fiscal Year 1977*

The annual Appropriation Act for 1977, P.L. 94-362, approved July 14, 1976, included for the Judiciary, exclusive of the Supreme Court, budget authority in the amount of $368,019,000. The Congress in the Supplemental Appropriation Act for 1977, Public Law 95-26, approved May 4, 1977, appropriated an additional $43,364,000; $2,150,000 for "Fees of Jurors," $31,100,000 for "Judicial Survivors' Annuity Program," and $10,114,000 to cover general pay increases. The Appropriation Act for 1978, Public Law 95-86, approved August 2, 1977, included a supplemental appropriation of $6,780,000 for fiscal year 1977 to fund the statutory increases in the salaries of judges and other judicial officers in accordance with the recommendations of the President pursuant to P.L. 90-206.

As displayed on Table XIV, the total amount available in 1977, taking into account the above referred to supplemental appropriations, was $418,163,000. Not included as a direct cost, but included as part of the total amount appropriated, is $31,100,000 for deposit to the credit of "The Judicial Survivors' Annuity Fund." The projected cost of operations is $381,473,000, leaving an unobligated balance of $5,590,000.

* For budget year ended September 30, 1977.

TABLE XIV

THE JUDICIARY (EXCLUSIVE OF THE SUPREME COURT)

PRELIMINARY STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATION ACCOUNTS, FISCAL YEAR 1977*

	Annual Appropriation	Supplemental Appropriations		Transfers	Available	Projected Obligations	Unobligated Balance
		Pay Costs	Other				
Court of Customs and Patent Appeals:							
Salaries and Expenses	$ 898,000	$ 70,000	$	$	$ 968,000	$ 955,000	$ 13,000
Customs Court:							
Salaries and Expenses	2,705,000	181,000	.....	.....	2,886,000	2,688,000	198,000
Court of Claims:							
Salaries and Expenses	2,536,000	218,000	.....	.....	2,754,000	2,477,000	277,000
Courts of Appeals, District Courts, and Other Judicial Services:							
Salaries of Judges	29,782,000	4,300,000	.....	.....	34,082,000	33,816,000	266,000
Salaries of Supporting Personnel	132,250,000	7,062,000	.....	.....	139,312,000	138,148,000	1,164,000
Representation by Court-Appointed Counsel and Operation of Defender Organizations	20,686,000	314,000	.....	.....	21,000,000	21,000,000	.....
Fees of Jurors	19,350,000	.....	2,150,000	.....	21,500,000	20,725,000	775,000
Travel and Miscellaneous Expenses	24,380,000	.....	.....	.....	24,380,000	24,310,000	70,000
Salaries and Expenses of U.S. Magistrates	12,341,000	1,970,000	.....	.....	14,311,000	13,764,000	547,000
Salaries and Expenses of Referees	30,201,000	2,250,000	.....	-660,000	31,791,000	31,066,000	725,000
Space and Facilities, The Judiciary:							
Space and Facilities	71,980,000	.....	.....	.....	71,980,000	70,433,000	1,547,000
Expenses, U.S. Court Facilities:							
Furniture and Furnishing	4,940,000	.....	.....	.....	4,940,000	4,940,000	.....
Judicial Survivors' Annuity Program	.....	.....	31,100,000	.....	31,100,000	31,100,000[1]	.....
Subtotal	345,910,000	15,896,000	33,250,000	-660,000	394,396,000	389,302,000	5,094,000
Administrative Office, U.S. Courts:							
Salaries and Expenses	8,320,000	407,000	.....	660,000	9,387,000	9,379,000	8,000
Federal Judicial Center:							
Salaries and Expenses	7,650,000	122,000	.....	.....	7,772,000	7,772,000	.....
Grand Total: The Judiciary (Exclusive of the Supreme Court)	$368,019,000	$16,894,000	$33,250,000	.....	$418,163,000	$412,573,000	$5,590,000

[1] Deposited to the credit of "The Judicial Survivors' Annuities Fund".

* Ended September 30, 1977

Approximately 23 percent of the unobligated balance represents a savings in the appropriation for "Space and Facilities." The projected requirements for tenant alterations and other reimbursable services by GSA fell short of the original estimates. A savings of approximately 17 percent was realized in the appropriation for "Salaries of Supporting Personnel" as a result of judgeship vacancies and delays in recruitment and filling of newly authorized positions.

The Judicial Dollar graphically reflects the expenditures in fiscal year 1977 with respect to the various programs and activities of the Judiciary.

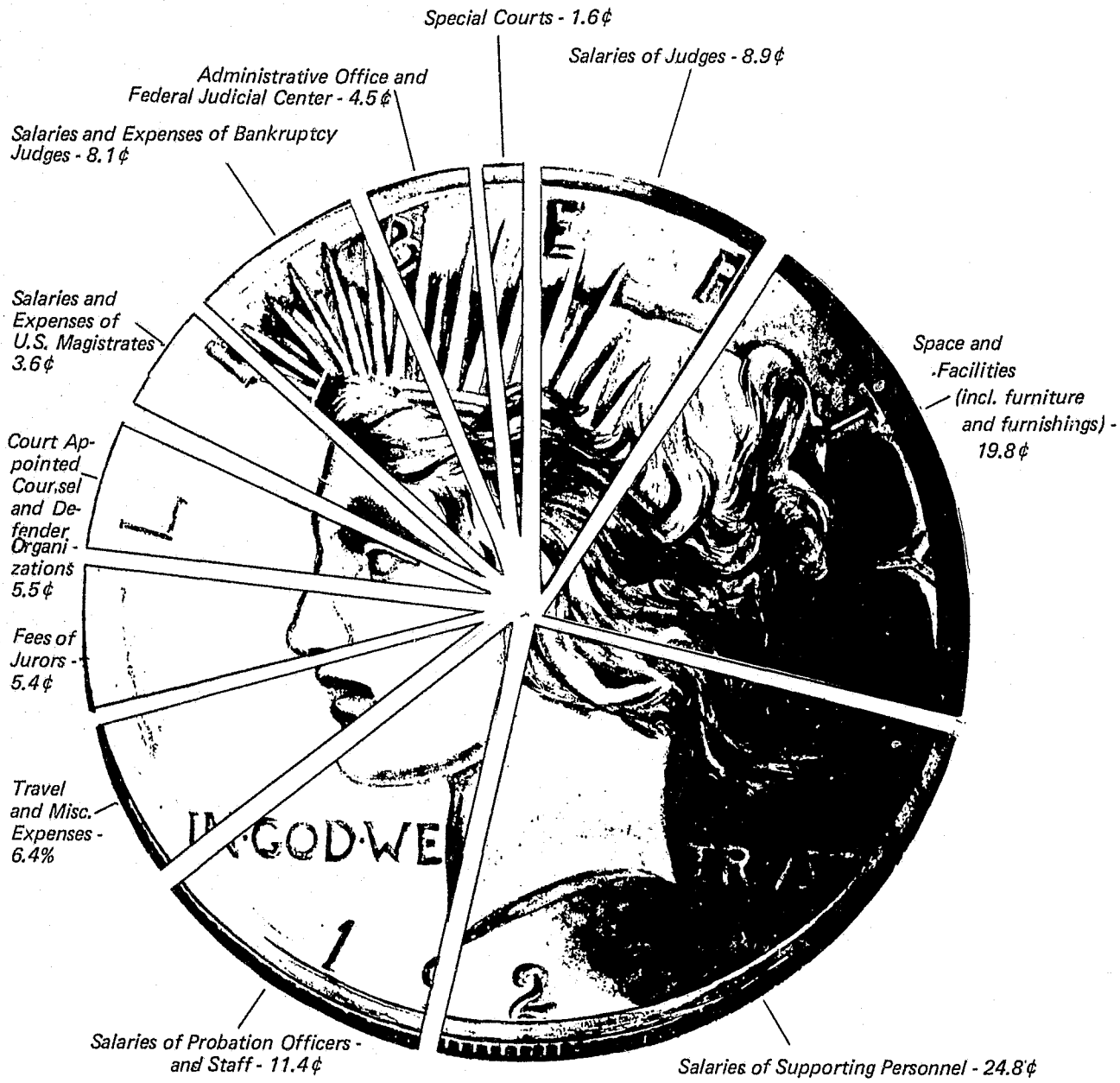
Appropriations for Fiscal Year 1978

The budget estimates submitted to the Congress for fiscal year 1978 (exclusive of the Supreme Court) initially were in the amount of $429,261,000. On March 24, 1977, the budget was amended (House Document 95-137) to include an additional $14,540,000 for fiscal year 1978 to fund the statutory increases in the salaries of judges and other judicial officers in accordance with the recommendations of the President pursuant to Public Law 90-206. At the same time, the budget was amended to include an additional $580,000 for "Salaries and Expenses of United States Magistrates" to implement actions of the Judicial Conference taken in March 1977.

UNITED STATES COURTS

THE JUDICIAL DOLLAR

PROJECTED OBLIGATIONS* — FISCAL YEAR 1977 ENDING SEPT. 30, 1977



Taking into account these amendments, the total amount requested for the Judiciary for fiscal year 1978 (exclusive of the Supreme Court) was $444,381,000. The Appropriation Act for 1978 approved on August 2, 1978, (P.L. 95-86) was for $435,127,000, $9,254,000 less than the amount requested but $16,964,000 more than the total appropriated for fiscal year 1977. The increase, 1978 over 1977, is approximately 4 percent. Table XV is a comparative statement of new budget estimates and amounts approved for fiscal year 1978.

For the first time in history, Congress approved all of the requests for personnel. The only positions denied were those which were conceded at the hearings.

With regard to the appropriation "Salaries of Judges," the full amount requested ($39,797,000) was approved by the House. The Senate rounded this figure to $39,700,000 which was approved by Congress. No provision was made for the salaries of new judges. When the Omnibus Judgeship bill is approved, supplemental appropriations will be requested.

The reduction ($2,512,000) in the appropriation "Salaries of Supporting Personnel" relates to the concession of 100 deputy clerks for district courts, 80 probation officer positions, and 50 clerk-stenographers for the probation service. All other supporting personnel positions requested were approved.

TABLE XV

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF NEW BUDGET (OBLIGATIONAL) AUTHORITY FOR FISCAL YEAR 1977 AND BUDGET ESTIMATES AND AMOUNTS APPROVED FOR FISCAL YEAR 1978

	Appropriation 1977	Estimates 1978	Appropriated 1978	Increase (+) or Decrease (-) compared with	
				1977 Appropriation	Budget Estimate
Court of Customs and Patent Appeals.....	$ 968,000	$ 1,020,000	$ 1,020,000	$ +52,000	$.....
Customs Court.....	2,886,000	2,907,000	2,907,000	+21,000	.....
Court of Claims.....	2,754,000	3,018,000	3,000,000	+246,000	-18,000
Courts of Appeals, District Courts, and Other Judicial Services;					
Salaries of Judges.....	34,082,000	39,797,000	39,700,000	+5,618,000	-97,000
Salaries of Supporting Personnel.....	139,312,000	150,912,000	148,400,000	+9,088,000	-2,512,000
Court-Appointed Counsel and Defender Organizations.....	21,000,000	24,877,000	24,000,000	+3,000,000	-877,000
Fees of Jurors.....	21,500,000	23,250,000	23,250,000	+1,750,000	.....
Travel and Miscellaneous Expenses.....	24,380,000	28,653,000	27,600,000	+3,220,000	-1,053,000
Salaries and Expenses of U.S. Magistrates.....	14,311,000	17,507,000	17,500,000	+3,189,000	-7,000
Salaries and Expenses of Referees.....	32,451,000	34,563,000	33,500,000	+1,049,000	-1,063,000
Space and Facilities.....	71,980,000	92,595,000	89,700,000	+17,720,000	-2,895,000
Expenses, U.S. Court Facilities.....	4,940,000	8,099,000	7,500,000	+2,560,000	-599,000
Judicial Survivors' Annuity Program.....	31,100,000	.....	.....	-31,100,000	.....
Administrative Office, U.S. Courts.....	8,727,000	10,589,000	10,500,000	+1,773,000	-89,000
Federal Judicial Center.....	7,772,000	6,594,000	6,550,000	-1,222,000	-44,000
TOTAL.....	$418,163,000	$444,381,000	$435,127,000	$+16,964,000	$-9,254,000

[1] As provided in the Appropriation Act for Fiscal Year 1978, Public Law 95-86, approved August 2, 1977, supplemental appropriation approved to cover pay increase of judges and other judicial officers for fiscal year 1977.

Congress approved $24 million for the "Defender Services," $877,000 less than the sum requested. This should not present a problem considering the fact that this is a "no-year" appropriation and any projected deficiency can be taken into account when formulating the budget for 1979.

The full amount requested ($23,250,000) for "Fees of Jurors and Commissioners" has been allowed. The Congress agreed to the transfer of $350,000 from the Department of Justice to the Judiciary for the compensation of land commissioners appointed pursuant to Rule 71A(h) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure.

The reduction ($1,053,000) in the appropriation "Travel and Miscellaneous Expenses" primarily relates to the reduction in personnel under the heading, "Salaries of Supporting Personnel." The Congress approved $182,000, or approximately one-half of the amount requested, for the procurement of West's Federal Practice Digest and $120,000, or one-half of the amount requested, for contractual reporting services. All other requests under this appropriation were approved in full.

The reduction in the appropriation "Salaries and Expenses of Magistrates" (from $17,507,000 to $17,500,000) was due to rounding. Congress provided all of the funds required for the impementation of actions of the Judicial Conference in September 1976 and in March 1977.

The reduction in the "Salaries and Expenses of Referees" appropriation ($1,063,000) was due primarily to the concession of 100 temporary bankruptcy clerks in view of the reduced filings. Provision was made for all of the new referees, the conversion of part-time referees to a full-time status, and any other changes in arrangements authorized by the Judicial Conference.

The bill included $89,700,000 for "Space and Facilities" which represents an increase of $17,720,000 over the amount appropriated for 1977, but which is $2,895,000 less than the amount requested for 1978. The reduction of $599,000 (from $8,099,000 to $7,500,000) in the "Furniture and Furnishings" appropriation relates primarily to the reduction in personnel.

With respect to the Administrative Office, the Congress approved all of the new positions requested. In addition, the transfer of funds ($660,000) for reimbursement of expenses from the appropriation "Salaries and Expenses of Referees" was approved on a permanent basis. The transfer of $30,000 from the Federal Judicial Center to the Administrative Office for education and training was also approved. The Federal Judicial Center was authorized 17 new positions. The reduction in the budget (from $6,594,000 to $6,550,000) was due to rounding.

Land Commissioners

Since the adoption of Rule 71A of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure in April 1951, the appointment and fixing of fees for land commissioners has been a judicial function but budgeted for and paid by the Department of Justice. A land commissioner appointed pursuant to Rule 71A(h) is judicial in nature. The determination of just compensation for the deprivation of private property for public use is a judicial function. The purpose of such a commissioner is to determine "the issue of just compensation." The use of land commissioners is a matter of judicial administration which is primarily the responsibility of the courts. Accordingly, the Judicial Conference recommended that the responsibility for budgeting, fixing, and paying of fees to land condemnation commissioners be transferred from the Department of Justice to the Judiciary.

Court Security

The Congress made a substantial reduction with respect to reimbursable protective services, security equipment, and maintenance in the "Space and Facilities" appropriation. In their reports, the Appropriations Committees of both houses of Congress expressed the view that the General Services Administration and the Marshals Service are responsible for building security and court security, respectively, and the Judiciary should not have to subsidize those agencies for protective services or security equipment. The Committees

went on to say that the federal courts should be relieved of any funding responsibilities for court security in fiscal year 1979. There is a task force of representatives from the Department of Justice, the Marshals Service, General Services Administration, and the Administrative Office currently working on this problem.

Furniture and Furnishings

In the past the General Services Administration has exercised complete control over the funds appropriated for the replacement and rehabilitation of furniture and furnishings. Beginning with fiscal year 1977 the Financial Management Division allocated funds for furniture and furnishings to the district and circuit courts, the special courts, the Administrative Office, and the Federal Judicial Center for the first time. This gave each court the opportunity to fix its own priorities and it substantially improved control over the resources.

Judicial Survivors' Annuities Fund

The Judicial Survivors' Annuities Reform Act (P.L. 94-554, approved October 19, 1976, (90 Stat. 2603)) completely amended and restructured the system (28 USC 376) in order to reform and update the existing program as well as provide additional funds to make the system actuarially sound. The Reform Act also granted a one-time opportunity for a judicial official already in office to join the system or to withdraw during a specified period. It increased the benefits payable by reducing the computation of the average salary from five years to three years. Among other actions the law also substantially increased the child's annuity and extended coverage to age 22 if a full-time student, raised the limitation in the spouse's annuity, provided an initial increase in the annuity of current survivors and future adjustments whenever the salary of a judicial official is increased, and authorized an appropriation to the fund in the amount of the actuarial deficiency as of January 1, 1977. The deficiency was determined to be $31,100,000 which sum was credited to the fund by Public Law 95-26, approved May 4, 1977. In addition to this direct appropriation, the deduction rate was increased from 3 percent to 4.5 percent of gross earnings.

The balance of the fund on June 30, 1977, was $40,223,732, an increase of $29,477,068 over the balance at the beginning of the fiscal year. This substantial increase was due to the direct appropriation authorized by the Reform Act. Investments as of June 30, 1977, consisting of U.S. Treasury

Bonds and Notes, had an aggregate par value of $39,887,000. The 22 judges who withdrew from the system (mainly because they had no eligible survivors) received an aggregate amount of $499,393 and there were 16 justices or judges who elected to participate during the limited specified period. The number of justices and judges on the roll eligible to participate in the system increased during the fiscal year from 669 to 672. On June 30, 1977, there were 598 justices and judges participating in the system.

As of June 30, 1977, there were 180 survivors annuitants, an increase of 3 over the number of annuitants on the roll as of June 30, 1976. Payments to annuitants during the year aggregated $1,514,694, an increase of $303,637 over the total paid in fiscal year 1976. The average annuity increased during fiscal year 1977 by $2,759, from $7,133 to $9,892 due mainly to the upward adjustment in annuity rates authorized by the Reform Act. Tables XVI and XVII show judicial participation, the number and amounts paid survivor annuitants, and the financial status of the fund during the preceding ten years. Table XVIII shows the amounts invested in Treasury Notes and Bonds.

Court Reporters

In order to improve the compilation of statistics pertaining to court reporters, new Forms JS-40(a) and JS-40(b) were developed and distributed with detailed instructions for the submission of information by court reporters

relating to attendance, transcripts, and earnings. Rules and regulations relating to the activities of official court reporters are in the final draft stage and will be distributed to all court reporters for their guidance.

TABLE XVI
JUDICIAL SURVIVORS' ANNUITIES SYSTEM
Comparative Statement of Judicial Participation and the Number of Survivor Annuitants as of June 30, Fiscal Years 1967-77

Fiscal Year	Judicial participation			Survivor annuitants	
	Judges on the roll	Judges participating	Percentage	Number of annuitants	Average annuity
1967----------	527	479	91	154	$3,668
1968----------	539	488	91	148	3,921
1969----------	552	503	91	148	4,077
1970----------	554	506	91	155	4,477
1971----------	605	543	90	157	4,976
1972----------	652	586	90	163	5,465
1973----------	669	612	91	163	5,888
1974----------	674	611	91	167	5,935
1975----------	673	614	91	172	6,433
1976----------	669	603	90	177	7,133
1977----------	672	598	89	180	9,892

TABLE XVII

JUDICIAL SURVIVORS' ANNUITIES SYSTEM

Comparative Statement of Receipts, Disbursements, and Balances in the Judicial Survivors' Annuities Fund-Fiscal Years 1968 Through 1977

	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977
Balance July 1:										
Investments (face amount)	$3,583,000	$4,132,000	$4,725,000	$5,510,500	$6,339,000	$7,234,000	$8,148,000	$9,055,000	$9,956,000	$10,691,000
Undisbursed balance------	1,860	3,708	1,994	-8,502[1]	11,716	8,625	219	1,388	-71,421[3]	55,664
Balance July 1--------	3,584,860	4,135,708	4,726,994	5,501,998	6,350,716	7,242,625	8,148,219	9,056,388	9,884,579	10,746,664
Receipts:										
Appropriated funds, P.L. 95-26----------	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	31,100,000
Salary deductions--------	451,072	502,478	620,109	643,946	706,627	743,128	751,500	751,408	774,048	1,019,091
Agency contributions-----	451,072	502,478	620,109	643,946	706,627	743,128	751,500	751,408	774,048	1,019,091
Service credit payments--	18,484	63,954	24,396	23,059	34,798	102,913	17,292	25,139	15,106	93,469
Interest on investments--	142,638	171,030	206,852	242,183	301,764	359,867	427,684	593,814	652,382	699,168
Discounts on investments (net)----------	80,034	16,215	106,766	91,938	-17,547	6,813	-26,379	-5,133	-6,656	-1,782,712
Repayments of accrued interest----------	6,869	8,385	6,290	10,213	9,597	9,125	26,392	-	-	-
Total receipts--------	1,150,169	1,264,540	1,584,522	1,655,285	1,741,866	1,964,974	1,947,989	2,116,639	2,208,928	32,148,107
Disbursements:										
Payments to annuitants---	575,920	609,096	726,557	765,424	841,847	933,223	975,393	1,081,324	1,211,057	1,514,694
Death claims----------	12,712	36,341	52,079	31,388	2,625	115,033	34,667	141,236	82,753	24,087
Refunds----------	5,784	17,449	25,543				18,159	35,096	35,368	477,223
Accrued interest purchases	4,904	10,367	5,338	9,755	5,485	11,125	11,601	30,790	17,665	655,035
Total disbursements	599,320	673,253	809,517	806,567	849,957	1,059,381	1,039,820	1,288,446	1,346,843	2,671,039
Balance June 30:										
Investments (face amount)	4,132,000	4,725,000	5,510,500	6,339,000	7,234,000	8,148,000	9,055,000	9,956,000	10,691,000	39,887,000
Undisbursed balance------	3,708	1,994	-8,502	11,716	8,625	219	1,388	-71,421[3]	55,664	336,732
Balance June 30[2]------	4,135,708	4,726,994	5,501,998	6,350,716	7,242,625	8,148,219	9,056,388	9,884,579	10,746,664	40,223,732

1 Offset by undeposited withholdings and agency contributions for June 1970, paid on July 1, 1970.
2 May not add due to rounding.
3 Offset by underposited withholdings and agency contributions for June 1975, paid on July 1, 1975, and accrued interest on investments as of June 30, 1975

TABLE XVIII
JUDICIAL SURVIVORS' ANNUITIES FUND
Investment Holdings as of June 30, 1977

INTEREST RATE	TYPE OF INTEREST	AMOUNT
7-3/4%	U.S. Treasury Notes 8/15/77	$ 155,000
4-1/4%	U.S. Treasury Bonds 5/15/75-85	755,000
6-1/4%	U.S. Treasury Notes 2/15/78	146,000
6%	U.S. Treasury Notes 11/15/78	359,000
6-1/4%	U.S. Treasury Notes 8/15/79	191,000
3-1/4%	U.S. Treasury Bonds 6/15/78-83	545,500
4%	U.S. Treasury Bonds 2/15/80	664,000
3-1/2%	U.S. Treasury Bonds 11/15/80	306,500
6-3/8%	U.S. Treasury Bonds 2/15/82	236,000
6-3/8%	U.S. Treasury Bonds 8/15/84	416,000
6-1/8%	U.S. Treasury Bonds 11/15/86	239,000
4-1/4%	U.S. Treasury Bonds 8/15/87-92	722,000
4-1/8%	U.S. Treasury Bonds 5/15/89-94	167,000
3-1/2%	U.S. Treasury Bonds 2/15/90	188,500
6-3/4%	U.S. Treasury Bonds 2/15/93	281,000
7-1/2%	U.S. Treasury Bonds 8/15/93	1,054,000
8-1/2%	U.S. Treasury Bonds 5/15/94-99	1,738,000
3%	U.S. Treasury Bonds 2/15/95	51,000
7%	U.S. Treasury Bonds 5/15/93-98	195,000
3-1/2%	U.S. Treasury Bonds 11/15/98	113,500
8-1/2%	MK Bonds 5/15/94-99	575,000
8-3/8%	MK Bonds 8/15/95-00	29,174,000
8%	MK Bonds 8/15/96-01	222,000
8-1/4%	MK Bonds 5/15/2000-05	998,000
7-5/8%	MK Bonds 2/15/02-07	395,000
	Total Investment Holdings (Par Value)	$39,887,000

TABLE XIX
REGISTRY FUNDS IN THE CUSTODY OF THE UNITED STATES COURTS
AS OF JUNE 30, 1977

District	U.S. Treasury	Local Depositaries Non-Interest Bearing	Local Depositaries Interest Bearing
Alabama, N.	$	$ 85,478	$ 1,004,974
Alabama, M.	114,502	.....	5,491,604
Alabama, S.	62,619	.....	960,698
Alaska	611,952	63,510	.....
Arizona	10,276,053	.....	1,185,044
Arkansas, E.	116,490	.....	391,839
Arkansas, W.	691,109	.....	.....
California, N.	6,171,486	.....	4,635,619
California, E.	807,990	.....	57,699
California, C.	1,929,431	.....	187,807
California, S.	1,106,071	3,737	618,153
Colorado	766,135	.....	516,251
Connecticut	.....	50,384	458,000
Delaware	115,387	.....	.....
District of Columbia	503,882	.....	1,756,958
Florida, N.	257,552	.....	.....
Florida, M.	332,378	3,250	1,416,375
Florida, S.	.....	2,385,751	1,988,040
Georgia, N.	905,055	.....	242,713
Georgia, M.	347,229	.....	213,191
Georgia, S.	567,902	.....	44,176
Hawaii	176,917	.....	970,288
Idaho	400,866	.....	.....
Illinois, N.	2,220,856	.....	2,173,950
Illinois, E.	.....	272,845	.....
Illinois, S.	173,555	.....	.....
Indiana, N.	784,141	89,894	318,603
Indiana, S.	810,988	.....	1,640,248
Iowa, N.	205,360	.....	.....
Iowa, S.	13,582	.....	561,729
Kansas	.....	628,665	4,326,670
Kentucky, E.	1,899,639	.....	.....
Kentucky, W.	.....	379,184	173,022
Louisiana, E.	.....	1,881,343	.....
Louisiana, M.	.....	.....	14,216,999
Louisiana, W.	1,325,698	.....	.....
Maine	220,189	.....	142,916
Maryland	882,368	.....	551,952
Massachusetts	2,620,479	.....	1,481,166
Michigan, E.	1,173,122	.....	544,869
Michigan, W.	219,986	.....	.....
Minnesota	302,934	.....	92,986
Mississippi, N.	1,412,368	51,958	47,276
Mississippi, S.	.....	460,948	3,203,911
Missouri, E.	1,067,355	247,106	174,621
Missouri, W.	1,407,800	141,133	1,699,502
Montana	176,823	.....	109,644
Nebraska	.....	149,699	.....
Nevada	404,241	470,554	.....
New Hampshire	$ 15,804	$	$ 6,877
New Jersey	2,897,124	.....	.....
New Mexico	478,185	.....	114,148
New York, N.	252,742	.....	.....
New York, E.	1,054,744	.....	28,861
New York, S.	3,388,800	488,290	6,318,441
New York, W.	108,337	.....	219,074
North Carolina, E.	1,033,186	.....	158,789
North Carolina, M.	780,267	.....	.....
North Carolina, W.	168,217	.....	106,647
North Dakota	114,429	.....	230,696
Ohio, N.	1,633,046	.....	6,589
Ohio, S.	.....	51,248	388,159
Oklahoma, N.	.....	283,408	308,889
Oklahoma, E.	.....	263,881	.....
Oklahoma, W.	1,257,400	410,660	244,281
Oregon	917,653	45,177	.....
Pennsylvania, E.	613,151	.....	529,997
Pennsylvania, M.	1,022,448	.....	.....
Pennsylvania, W.	343,089	.....	.....
Puerto Rico	1,828,061	.....	.....
Rhode Island	55,702	.....	.....
South Carolina	2,994,942	462,018	.....
South Dakota	.....	.....	193,025
Tennessee, E.	.....	206,667	13,203
Tennessee, M.	256,341	25,239	151,253
Tennessee, W.	216,858	9,900	1,889,111
Texas, N.	952,164	1,212	3,548,476
Texas, E.	1,435,546	.....	.....
Texas, S.	2,513,458	1,650,921	3,988,624
Texas, W.	1,925,006	.....	.....
Utah	435,145	.....	18,044
Vermont	28,284	.....	21,236
Virginia, E.	1,081,153	.....	818,610
Virginia, W.	24,499	.....	585,144
Washington, E.	755,362	.....	102,786
Washington, W.	832,084	.....	259,406
West Virginia, N.	.....	305,511	.....
West Virginia, S.	4,058,037	.....	.....
Wisconsin, E.	336,956	.....	373,286
Wisconsin, W.	258,111	.....	85,385
Wyoming	.....	109,333	315,043
Virgin Islands	.....	1,069	.....
Canal Zone	.....	51,344	511,950
Guam	.....	862,284	.....
TOTALS	$ 79,648,821	$ 12,593,601	$ 75,135,523

Treasury Only	Commercial Banks Only	Both Treasury and Commercial
19	20	55

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Registry Funds

In an effort to reduce the amount of registry funds being deposited in non-interest-bearing commercial accounts, the Subcommittee on Judicial Improvements of the Committee on Court Administration prepared a policy statement and general guidelines for adoption by the Judicial Conference. As a result of the action taken by the Conference on September 23, 1976, which adopted the policy of placing funds into the Treasury or into interest-bearing accounts in local depositaries, a total of 11 districts closed out local non-interest-bearing accounts. At the same time, 11 new accounts were established in the Treasury and 3 new interest-bearing accounts were opened in local depositaries.

Reflecting the action of the Judicial Conference, registry activity during fiscal year 1977 showed an increase in Treasury funds of $13,224,367, a decrease in non-interest-bearing commercial accounts of $7,565,457, and an increase in interest-bearing commercial accounts of $24,418,192.

Eliminating Separate Station Symbols for Registry Funds

To simplify the accounting of funds maintained by the clerk of court, the Administrative Office, in cooperation with the Treasury Department, closed out the separate station symbols used for registry funds by clerks' offices. These station symbols were used for reporting activity relating to

the registry funds held in the U.S. Treasury. Registry funds will be maintained in the same symbols which are employed for deposit funds and for general and special funds. This changeover has eliminated the separate check series for registry disbursement activity of the court. A separate trust fund account was created to report registry fund activity and to distinguish these funds from others maintained by clerks of court. These changes will result in less clerical effort in accounting for the funds. Of the 74 districts having registry funds on deposit with the Treasury, only 2 districts have retained separate station symbols.

Respectfully submitted,

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AN ANALYSIS

OF THE WORKLOAD

OF THE FEDERAL COURTS

FOR THE

TWELVE MONTH PERIOD

ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

The statistical analysis of the workload of the federal judiciary which appears in this chapter was prepared by the Statistical Analysis and Reports Division. Appendix tables for the courts of appeals, civil, criminal, bankruptcy, and probation statistics were computer generated by the Division of Information Systems.

AN ANALYSIS OF THE WORKLOAD OF THE FEDERAL COURTS FOR THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

INTRODUCTION

The report which follows reflects the efforts of practically everyone in the judiciary in quantifying workload into meaningful statistics. Though statistical data were obtained in summary fashion beginning in 1871, it was not until the recommendations of the Wickersham Commission were put into effect in 1935 that detailed figures could be obtained on a case by case basis. In 1940, with the establishment of the Administrative Office of the U.S. Courts, the case reporting concept was transferred from the Department of Justice and continues to this day.

Thus, for each filing and termination statistic appearing in this report for the courts of appeals and for civil, criminal and bankruptcy cases in the district courts including trials, an individual report is submitted by the court to the Administrative Office of the United States Courts where the Statistical Analysis and Reports Division reviews and records the information to be placed on high speed computers in the Division of Information Systems.

Other programs which lend themselves to monthly summary reporting were initiated in the following years.

1971 Petit Juror report

1972 Magistrate reporting including Central Violations Bureau

1972 Federal Public and Community Defenders Reports

1975 Grand Juror Reports

These reporting programs have been developed at the request of the Judicial Conference of the United States or under provisions of the law which require the Director to make reports on the workload of the courts.

Though readers may want to review the statistics for one segment of the court's work, to do so may prove a disservice in understanding the information system. The statistical system seeks to serve the court, the Congress, the bar, the public and those who research the workload of the courts.

The arrangement of analysis follows presentations similar to previous years with the courts of appeals and district courts statistical analysis followed by special reporting on jury utilization, both petit and grand, Federal public and community defenders and the magistrate activity.

Readers are invited to review the appendix tables which, because of their continuity and use of standard classifications, can be utilized as the basis for further study of the workload.

The entire series of criminal tables have been augmented this year to show the effect of counting minor offenses on the court docket pursuant to the reporting requirements of the Speedy Trial Act of 1974. Thus, the first series of criminal tables with AC as the suffix, reflect all cases and AD, all defendants, in such cases. The felony-misdemeanor series which generally represent criminal cases handled by district judges are designated as FM with a C for cases and a D for defendants. In such felony- misdemeanor cases this classification reflects those cases filed where the offense has a penalty which exceeds a year in prison or where the fine is greater than $1,000 or both.

The two series of tables provide a means of looking at the total caseload as well as the felony-misdemeanor cases (and defendants) which generally correspond to statistics in this series prior to June 30, 1975.

Readers are welcome to comment on the analysis and presentation of tables and charts. Such suggestions should be sent to the Director, Administrative Office of U.S. Courts, Washington, D.C. 20544.

SUMMARY OF WORKLOAD

The caseload of the United States Courts of Appeals rose for the nineteenth consecutive year to an all time high of 19,118 filings, a 3.9% increase over the 1976 figure of 18,408. Although appeals terminated increased 8.3% to a record high of 17,784,these closings fell 1,334 cases short of the number docketed, swelling the backlog of pending cases to 15,444 appeals, 9.5% greater than a year ago.

The pace of court of appeals activity for the last 15 years is graphically illustrated in Table 1. On analysis of the data in 5 year intervals shows the greatest increases to have occurred during the period 1967 to 1972 where the combined average rise in filings and terminations was 13% followed by the period 1962 to 1967 where the average rise was 11.6%.

TERMINATIONS

The United States courts of appeals terminated 17,784 appeals in the twelve month period ending June 30, 1977, an increase of 8.3% over last year's figure of 16,426. Increases in dispositions were reported in all eleven circuits led by the District of Columbia and the Tenth Circuit who accounted for over one-third of the overall increase (1,358 cases) in terminations.

PENDING

During the previous twelve month period filings exceeded terminations by 1,334 cases causing the backlog of pending cases to rise 9.5% to 15,444, with only the District of Columbia and the Second Circuit closing more cases than were filed. This was the fourth consecutive year the Second Circuit was able to reduce its pending file. The principle contributors to the overall climb in pending cases were the Third, Fourth, and Sixth circuits which accounted for over fifty percent of the national rise.

TABLE 1
APPEALS FILED, TERMINATED, AND PENDING IN THE U.S. COURTS OF APPEALS
STATISTICAL YEARS 1962 - 1977

Fiscal year	Number of judgeships as of June 30	Appeals			Increase in appeals pending
		Filed	Terminated	Pending	
1962	78	4,823	4,167	3,031	656
1963	78	5,437	5,011	3,457	426
1964	78	6,023	5,700	3,780	323
1965	78	6,766	5,771	4,775	995
1966	88	7,183	6,571	5,387	612
1967	88	7,903	7,527	5,763	376
1968	97	9,116	8,264	6,615	852
1969	97	10,248	9,014	7,849	1,234
1970	97	11,662	10,699	8,812	963
1971	97	12,788	12,368	9,232	420
1972	97	14,535	13,828	9,939	707
1973	97	15,629	15,112	10,456	517
1974	97	16,436	15,422	11,470	1,014
1975	97	16,658	16,000	12,128	658
1976	97	18,408	16,426	14,110	1,982
1977	97	19,118	17,784	15,444	1,334
Percent Change 1977 Over					
1962	24	296.4	326.8	409.5	-
1967	10	141.9	136.3	168.0	-
1972	-	31.5	28.6	55.4	
1976	-	3.9	8.3	9.5	-

TABLE 2
APPEALS COMMENCED, TERMINATED, AND PENDING IN THE U. S. COURTS OF APPEALS, STATISTICAL YEARS 1961 AND 1969 - 1977 BY CIRCUIT

Circuit	Statistical Year										Percentage Change	
	1961	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977	1977 over 1961	1977 over 1976
Filed												
All Circuits.....	4,204	10,248	11,662	12,788	14,535	15,629	16,436	16,658	18,406	19,118	354.5	3.9
District of Columbia.....	527	1,094	1,127	1,055	1,168	1,360	1,243	1,113	1,260	1,175	123.0	-6.7
First.....	146	221	277	383	421	401	387	477	564	563	285.6	-0.2
Second.....	674	1,263	1,343	1,423	1,317	1,709	1,802	1,739	1,898	2,063	206.1	8.7
Third.....	334	671	1,053	1,100	1,179	1,197	1,216	1,392	1,621	1,729	417.7	6.7
Fourth.....	250	1,098	1,166	1,211	1,399	1,573	1,462	1,319	1,464	1,656	562.4	13.1
Fifth.....	630	1,763	2,014	2,316	2,864	2,964	3,294	3,292	3,629	3,563	465.6	-1.8
Sixth.....	340	868	911	1,015	1,248	1,261	1,335	1,436	1,628	1,827	437.4	12.2
Seventh.....	328	712	854	902	999	1,117	1,086	1,170	1,247	1,386	322.6	11.1
Eighth.....	246	440	589	713	798	821	995	1,009	1,080	1,123	356.5	4.0
Ninth.....	443	1,494	1,585	1,936	2,258	2,316	2,697	2,731	2,907	2,905	555.8	-0.1
Tenth.....	286	624	743	734	884	910	919	980	1,110	1,128	294.4	1.6
Terminated												
All Circuits.....	4,049	9,014	10,699	12,368	13,828	15,112	15,422	16,000	16,426	17,784	339.2	8.3
District of Columbia.....	518	896	1,025	1,013	1,001	1,288	1,310	1,133	1,114	1,381	166.6	24.0
First.....	172	207	277	350	385	370	420	416	482	547	218.0	13.5
Second.....	663	932	1,177	1,571	1,593	1,462	1,819	1,808	1,947	2,093	215.7	7.5
Third.....	309	596	702	1,105	1,201	1,281	1,216	1,296	1,439	1,571	408.4	9.2
Fourth.....	242	1,092	1,127	1,050	1,391	1,676	1,201	1,252	1,336	1,475	598.7	10.3
Fifth.....	509	1,606	1,891	2,289	2,662	2,871	2,713	3,197	3,149	3,188	526.3	1.2
Sixth.....	324	947	1,004	1,001	1,098	1,239	1,207	1,326	1,396	1,425	339.8	2.1
Seventh.....	320	591	806	792	882	1,088	1,110	1,281	1,138	1,294	304.4	13.7
Eighth.....	243	406	554	703	797	821	918	1,002	987	1,059	335.8	7.3
Ninth.....	470	1,110	1,524	1,725	1,968	2,149	2,551	2,450	2,375	2,659	465.7	5.3
Tenth.....	279	631	612	769	850	876	957	839	863	1,094	292.1	26.8
Pending end of statistical year												
All Circuits.....	2,375	7,849	8,812	9,232	9,939	10,456	11,470	12,128	14,110	15,444	550.3	9.5
District of Columbia.....	262	909	1,011	1,053	1,220	1,292	1,225	1,205	1,351	[illegible]	537.0	-15.2
First.....	51	97	97	130	166	197	164	225	307	323	533.3	5.2
Second.....	386	939	1,105	957	681	928	911	842	793	763	97.7	-3.8
Third.....	169	515	866	861	839	755	755	851	1,033	1,191	604.7	15.3
Fourth.....	100	617	656	817	825	722	983	1,050	1,178	1,361	1,261.0	15.5
Fifth.....	400	1,284	1,407	1,434	1,636	1,729	2,310	2,405	2,885	3,260	715.0	13.0
Sixth.....	215	582	489	503	653	675	803	913	1,145	1,547	619.5	35.1
Seventh.....	148	617	665	775	892	921	897	786	895	987	566.9	10.3
Eighth.....	130	369	404	414	415	415	492	499	592	656	404.6	10.8
Ninth.....	372	1,471	1,532	1,743	2,033	2,209	2,355	2,636	2,968	3,214	764.0	8.3
Tenth.....	142	449	580	545	579	613	575	716	963	997	602.1	3.5

TABLE 3
FILINGS, TERMINATIONS, AND PENDING CASELOAD PER JUDGESHIP
FOR STATISTICAL YEARS 1961, 1966, 1977

Circuit	1961			1966			1977			Per Judgeship Percent Change	
	Number	Authorized judgeships	Per judgeship	Number	Authorized judgeships	Per judgeship	Number	Authorized judgeships	Per judgeship	1977 over 1961	1977 over 1966
Filings											
Total	4,204	78	54	7,153	88	82	19,115	97	197	264.8	140.2
District of Columbia	527	9	59	797	9	89	1,178	9	131	122.0	47.2
First	346	3	49	199	3	66	563	3	188	283.7	184.8
Second	674	9	75	876	9	97	2,065	9	229	205.3	136.1
Third	334	8	42	559	8	70	1,729	9	192	357.1	174.3
Fourth	250	5	50	612	7	87	1,6[illegible]	7	237	371.0	172.4
Fifth	630	9	70	1,093	13	84	3,093	13	238	240.0	183.3
Sixth	340	6	57	651	8	81	1,527	9	203	257.1	150.6
Seventh	328	7	47	545	8	68	1,356	8	173	268.1	154.4
Eighth	246	7	35	403	8	50	1,125	8	140	300.0	180.0
Ninth	443	9	49	877	9	97	2,005	13	223	355.1	129.9
Tenth	286	6	48	571	6	95	1,128	7	161	235.4	69.5
Terminations											
Total	4,049	78	52	6,571	88	75	17,784	97	183	251.9	141.0
District of Columbia	519	9	58	769	9	85	1,581	9	175	175.8	80.0
First	172	3	57	228	3	76	547	3	182	219.3	139.5
Second	663	9	74	791	9	88	2,093	9	233	214.9	164.8
Third	309	8	39	538	8	67	1,571	9	175	348.7	161.2
Fourth	242	5	48	508	7	73	1,475	7	210	337.5	187.7
Fifth	509	9	57	1,022	13	79	3,188	15	213	273.7	169.6
Sixth	324	6	54	558	8	70	1,425	9	158	192.6	125.7
Seventh	320	7	46	523	8	65	1,294	8	162	252.2	149.2
Eighth	243	7	35	376	8	47	1,059	8	132	277.1	180.9
Ninth	470	9	52	799	9	89	2,059	13	203	284.2	130.3
Tenth	279	6	47	459	6	77	1,094	7	156	231.9	102.6
Pending, end of statistical year											
Total	2,375	78	30	5,367	88	61	15,444	97	159	450.0	160.7
District of Columbia	262	9	29	461	9	51	1,143	9	127	337.9	149.0
First	51	3	17	63	3	21	325	3	108	535.3	414.3
Second	386	9	43	617	9	69	763	9	85	97.7	23.2
Third	169	8	21	372	8	47	1,191	9	132	528.6	180.9
Fourth	100	5	20	405	7	58	1,361	7	194	870.0	234.5
Fifth	400	9	44	1,004	13	77	3,260	15	217	393.2	181.8
Sixth	215	6	36	656	8	82	1,347	9	172	377.8	109.8
Seventh	148	7	21	359	8	45	987	8	123	485.7	173.3
Eighth	130	7	19	243	8	30	656	8	82	331.6	173.3
Ninth	372	9	41	807	9	90	3,214	13	247	502.4	174.4
Tenth	142	6	24	400	6	67	997	7	142	491.7	111.9

WORKLOAD INCREASE PER AUTHORIZED JUDGESHIP

Table 3 presents per judgeship workload data for all eleven circuits. Prompted by this year's modest 3.9% rise in appellate filings, the national per authorized judgeship filings caseload rose from 190 in 1976 to 197 in 1977. The per judgeship figures for terminations and pending cases, 183 and 159 respectively, also exhibited moderate gains. Here, it should be noted that cases are normally handled by panels of three judges. Therefore, the per judgeship figures should be multiplied by 3 to reflect a more realistic measure of the workload borne by individual judges.

TYPES OF APPEALS FROM DISTRICT COURTS

Civil and criminal cases brought from the U.S. district courts to the courts of appeals totaled 15,718, a rise of 664 cases - up 4.4% from last year and a 45.6% leap since 1971. Civil cases once again represented much of the activity, comprising 69.9% of the district court appeals - a climb of 5.5% over 1976 levels. Criminal matters totalled 4,738 cases, a modest 2% above 1976.

U.S. civil cases increased by 8.9% overall, while cases in which the U.S. was a plaintiff rose 10.3% after falling off by 20% a year ago. Yet contract actions in which the U.S. was a plaintiff continued to plummet (-41.5%) following in step with last year's decline of 28.1%. This decline was offset by 25% increases in civil rights appeals and miscellaneous classified cases. U.S. defendant cases rose a modest 8.7% highlighted by a 63.1% rise in social security appeals. These social security appeals accounted for 15% of the appeals where the U.S. was a defendant. Countering this thrust was a 39.4% decline in "other prisoner petitions", down for the third consecutive year, and a 9% drop in tax suits.

Private civil cases which accounted for 46.8% of all district court appeals and 67% of all civil appeals rose a modest 4% in 1977. Here, private civil cases involving federal question jurisdiction rose 6.1% marked by sharp increases in prisoner civil rights appeals (25%) and a 16.5% upswing in the miscellaneous category. Patent appeals, which rose over 30% in 1975, declined by 36.7% in 1977. Although state prisoner habeas corpus cases also fell, (33.5%), when taken as a whole with prisoner civil rights and other prisoner petitions, an increase of 7.2% was recorded overall for state prisoner petitions. Diversity of citizenship appeals were virtually unchanged from last year while local jurisdiction cases continued to drop from 251 in 1971 to 56 this year.

TABLE 4
NATURE OF SUIT OR OFFENSE OF APPEALS FROM THE U.S. DISTRICT COURTS
FILED IN THE U.S. COURTS OF APPEALS
DURING THE STATISTICAL YEARS 1971 - 1977

Nature of suit or offense	Statistical Year							Percent Change[1]	
	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977	1977 over 1971	1977 over 1976
Total cases	10,798	12,379	13,329	13,491	13,679	15,054	15,718	45.6	4.4
Total civil cases	7,601	8,399	8,876	9,424	9,492	10,404	10,980	44.5	5.5
U. S. cases	2,367	2,604	2,704	3,267	2,981	3,327	3,622	53.0	8.9
U. S. plaintiff	363	399	388	510	513	407	449	23.7	10.3
Contract actions	28	45	34	45	57	41	24	-14.3	-41.5
Real property actions	81	70	66	95	73	67	73	-9.9	9.0
Civil rights	34	38	22	62	42	44	55	61.8	25.0
Labor laws	67	83	75	82	65	59	52	-22.4	-11.9
All other	153	163	191	226	276	196	245	60.1	25.0
U. S. defendant	2,004	2,205	2,316	2,757	2,468	2,920	3,173	58.3	8.7
Contract actions	155	138	129	156	115	134	107	-31.0	20.1
Real property actions	19	45	51	40	40	33	32	-	-
Tort actions	119	162	165	163	146	162	181	52.1	11.7
Motions to vacate sentence	474	504	579	684	509	526	502	5.9	-4.6
Habeas corpus	261	234	261	261	207	206	242	-7.3	17.5
Prisoner civil rights	36	39	53	53	61	64	71	97.2	10.9
Other prisoner petitions	99	113	106	225	103	99	60	-39.4	-39.4
Selective Service Act	145	88	14	6	2	-	3	-97.9	-
Social security laws	130	210	193	246	247	293	478	267.7	63.1
Tax suits	220	260	213	233	220	212	193	-12.3	-9.0
All other	346	412	550	690	818	1,191	1,304	276.9	9.5
Private cases	5,234	5,795	6,172	6,157	6,511	7,077	7,358	40.6	4.0
Federal question	3,697	4,053	4,483	4,521	4,676	5,267	5,589	51.2	6.1
Contract actions	91	132	113	163	126	143	137	50.5	-4.2
Tort actions	191	262	381	319	310	341	349	82.7	2.3
Civil rights	804	991	953	1,118	1,126	1,297	1,334	65.9	2.9
Antitrust	227	131	190	256	233	251	261	15.0	4.0
Habeas corpus	1,261	1,319	1,301	1,084	871	866	837	-33.6	-33.5
Prisoner civil rights	311	349	478	472	633	619	774	148.9	25.0
Other prisoner petitions	71	56	49	46	48	54	39	-45.1	-27.8
Labor laws	236	226	260	235	284	279	287	21.6	2.9
Patent	134	117	144	114	149	150	95	-29.1	-36.7
All other	371	470	614	714	896	1,267	1,476	297.8	16.5
Diversity of citizenship	1,286	1,499	1,468	1,527	1,745	1,714	1,713	33.2	-0.1
Contract actions	665	789	779	864	1,004	942	996	49.8	5.7
Tort actions	562	610	620	605	619	709	622	10.7	-12.3
All other	59	100	69	58	122	63	95	61.0	50.8
General Local Jurisdiction	251	243	221	109	90	96	56	-77.7	-41.7
Contract actions	77	25	119	73	47	46	33	-57.1	-28.3
Tort actions	54	65	74	22	22	25	14	-74.1	-44.0
Prisoner petitions	22	7	5	11	6	11	9	-	-
All other	98	146	23	13	15	14	-	-	-
Total criminal cases	3,197	3,980	4,453	4,067	4,187	4,650	4,738	48.2	1.9
Homicide	66	76	97	46	63	48	39	-40.9	-18.8
Robbery and burglary	500	515	518	435	420	484	396	-20.8	-18.2
Larceny and theft	248	261	268	223	276	303	251	1.2	-17.2
Embezzlement and fraud	285	288	369	392	424	482	650	128.1	34.9
Auto theft	180	178	178	164	143	139	116	-35.6	-16.5
Narcotics	565	820	1,271	1,328	1,332	1,388	1,381	144.4	-0.5
Extortion, racketeering and threats	78	162	165	145	111	184	176	125.6	-4.3
Firearms	173	246	215	258	265	301	276	59.5	-8.3
Selective Service Act	261	324	214	95	56	14	5	-98.1	-64.3
All other	841	1,110	1,158	981	1,097	1,307	1,448	72.2	10.8

[1]Percent not calculated where base is 25 or less.

Decreases in the criminal area ranged from 18.8% in homicides and 18.2% in robbery and burglary cases, to a 4.3% drop in extortion, racketeering, and threats. Appeals for firearm violations dropped for the first time in four years to 276 filings.

Although there was a slight 2% increase in appeals of decisions in criminal cases, the only classified offense category showing a rise was "embezzlement and fraud." The unclassified "all other" category increased 11% from 1,307 to 1,448.

IMPACT OF STATE PRISONER PETITIONS

The number of state prisoner petitions placed on the general docket in the courts of appeals rose to 1,650, 7.2% above last year. The Fourth Circuit filed 406 such appeals or 24.6% of all such filings in statistical year 1977. The Fifth Circuit which accounted for 20.8% of the national total fell off 19% from last year's docketing of 424 cases. Circuits joining the Fourth with increases both numerically and in proportion of the national total were the District of Columbia and the Second, Seventh, and Tenth circuits. However, only the increases in the Fourth and Tenth Circuits appear to be significant.

FIGURE 1
IMPACT OF STATE PRISONER PETITIONS ON FILINGS IN U.S. COURTS OF APPEALS BY CIRCUIT, STATISTICAL YEAR 1977

Circuits	State prisoner petitions	Percent of total		Total filings	Percent of filings		Filings excluding state prisoner petitions
		1976	1977		1976	1977	
Total.....	1,650	100.0	100.0	19,118	8.4	8.6	17,468
District of Columbia.....	11	0.4	0.7	1,175	0.5	0.9	1,164
First.....	29	2.5	1.8	563	6.9	5.2	534
Second.....	103	5.8	6.2	2,063	4.7	5.0	1,960
Third.....	104	6.4	6.3	1,729	6.1	6.0	1,625
Fourth.....	406	17.4	24.6	1,656	18.3	24.5	1,250
Fifth.....	343	27.6	20.8	3,563	11.7	9.6	3,220
Sixth.....	159	9.7	9.6	1,827	9.2	8.7	1,668
Seventh.....	109	6.4	6.6	1,386	7.9	7.9	1,277
Eighth.....	98	8.4	5.9	1,123	12.0	8.7	1,025
Ninth.....	152	9.4	9.2	2,905	5.0	5.2	2,753
Tenth.....	136	6.0	8.2	1,128	8.4	12.1	992

CASES DISPOSED OF AFTER ORAL HEARING OR SUBMISSION

Disposition after oral hearing or submission on briefs rose to 11,400, a leap of 2,049 cases. The number of cases terminated in this manner increased 21.9%, with the proportion of cases disposed of after oral hearing or submission to total terminations experiencing a change for the first time in three years from 57% to 64% of the total. Subsequently, cases disposed of without hearing or submission decreased 22% while consolidations jumped 24.5%. Detailed data for individual circuits may be found in the appendix in Table B-1.

REVERSAL RATE

The reversal rate of those major types of appeals that were decided after oral hearing or submission on briefs declined from 17.9 last year to 14.6, while the total number of appeals included in this category fell 35 cases. Although reversal rates fell in each major classification, the number of reversals of criminal and administrative agency appeals still showed gains over last year's total. Nationally, the District of Columbia had the lowest reversal rate (10.2%) while the Eighth Circuit had the highest (18.4%). It is important to note that decisions affirmed in part and reversed in part are not included in the reversal rate, but are tabulated as affirmances.

FIGURE 2
REVERSAL RATE OF CASES TERMINATED AFTER HEARING OR SUBMISSION
STATISTICAL YEARS 1976 AND 1977

Type of Case[1]	Total		Reversed or Denied		Percent Reversed or Denied	
	1976	1977	1976	1977	1976	1977
Total.....	9,343	11,284	1,677	1,649	17.9	14.6
Civil.....	5,220	6,499	1,143	1,096	21.9	16.9
Criminal.....	3,114	3,335	334	344	10.7	10.3
Bankruptcy.....	135	181	33	29	24.4	16.0
Administrative..	874	1,269	167	180	19.1	14.2

[1]Excludes original proceedings.

ORAL HEARINGS AND SUBMISSIONS ON BRIEFS

During the year, the courts of appeals heard a total of 6,276 cases, excluding consolidations and cross appeals, 2.9% more than in the previous year. Four circuits reported fewer cases heard, and one circuit remained at the same level, while the remaining six circuits reported increases ranging from 2% in the Seventh Circuit to 19.7% in the D.C. Circuit.

Of the 6,276 oral hearings, 48 were held en banc, with the Third, Fourth, and Fifth circuits accounting for 32 such hearings. In addition to oral hearings, a total of 2,837 cases were reported submitted on briefs, with 17 of these en banc. Detailed data, by circuit, are shown in tables 5 and 6.

TABLE 5
TREND OF HEARINGS HELD IN U. S. COURT OF APPEALS
BY CIRCUIT 1971 - 1977

Circuit	Statistical Year							1977 over 1976
	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977	
Total	5,816	5,748	6,555	5,978	5,994	6,102	6,276	2.9
District of Columbia	417	367	381	410	403	380	455	19.7
First	155	175	190	183	197	221	264	19.5
Second	774	735	883	810	772	817	956	17.0
Third	419	422	361	355	408	421	404	-4.0
Fourth	331	346	352	382	454	503	527	4.8
Fifth	848	702	778	804	792	801	863	7.7
Sixth	624	705	733	652	679	613	575	-6.2
Seventh	482	517	667	627	668	626	639	2.1
Eighth	405	441	500	413	445	451	452	0.2
Ninth	988	912	1,266	991	809	950	842	-11.4
Tenth	373	426	444	351	367	319	299	-6.3

TABLE 6
ORAL HEARINGS AND SUBMISSIONS ON BRIEFS
IN THE U. S. COURTS OF APPEALS - STATISTICAL YEAR 1977

Circuit	Total	Oral Hearings			Submitted on Briefs		
		Total	EnBanc	Panel	Total	EnBanc	Panel
Total	9,113	6,276	48	6,228	2,837	17	2,820
District of Columbia	506	455	7	448	51	0	51
First	356	264	0	264	92	0	92
Second	1,061	956	0	956	105	6	99
Third	847	404	10	394	443	1	442
Fourth	572	527	11	516	45	0	45
Fifth	1,968	863	11	852	1,105	5	1,100
Sixth	747	575	0	575	172	2	170
Seventh	752	639	3	636	113	0	113
Eighth	671	452	2	450	219	0	219
Ninth	1,272	842	2	840	430	3	427
Tenth	361	299	2	297	62	0	62

TABLE 7
CASE PARTICIPATIONS IN THE U.S. COURTS OF APPEALS SUBMITTED ON BRIEFS OR ORALLY ARGUED, STATISTICAL YEAR 1977

Circuit	Total case participations	Case Participations by						
		Resident Active Circuit Judges		Resident Senior Circuit Judges		Visiting Judges		Percent by senior and visiting judges
		Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	
Total	27,323	20,377	74.6	3,663	13.4	3,283	12.0	25.4
D.C.	1,516	1,384	91.3	78	5.1	54	3.6	8.7
First	1,064	725	68.1	99	9.3	240	22.6	21.9
Second	3,183	1,806	56.7	790	24.8	587	18.4	43.2
Third	2,540	2,001	78.8	204	8.0	335	13.2	21.2
Fourth	1,714	1,358	79.2	242	14.1	114	6.7	20.8
Fifth	5,902	4,354	73.8	1,225	20.8	323	5.5	26.3
Sixth	2,241	2,035	90.8	57	2.5	149	6.6	9.1
Seventh	2,254	1,743	77.3	119	5.3	392	17.4	22.7
Eighth	2,013	1,645	81.7	112	5.6	256	12.7	18.3
Ninth	3,816	2,462	64.5	588	15.4	766	20.1	35.5
Tenth	1,080	864	80.0	149	13.8	67	6.2	20.0

CASE PARTICIPATIONS BY RESIDENT, SENIOR, AND VISITING JUDGES

The federal judiciary reported 27,323 case participations - where a judge hears oral argument or participates in appeals submitted on briefs - in the statistical year for 1977. Resident active judges handled 75% of the workload down from 80% a year ago. Of the remaining 6,946 case participations, 3,663 were by resident senior circuit judges, up 1,018 from a year ago, while visiting judges were credited with 3,283 participations, a rise of 555. Table 7 shows a varying degree of reliance on services of senior and visiting judges ranging from a high of 43.2% in the Second Circuit to a low of 8.7% in the District of Columbia. the Fifth Circuit availed itself of the services of its resident senior judges for a high of 1,225 participations, while the Ninth Circuit tallied a high of 766 visiting judge participations. In eight circuits, senior and visiting judges provided in excess of 20% of total case participations for those circuits.

OPINIONS AND MEMORANDA

Cases disposed of after oral hearing or submission an briefs accounted for 11,400 terminations in the Courts of Appeals - up 21.9% from 1976 levels. Here signed or reasoned opinions increased 14.7% to 7,570 cases representing 66.4% of all such dispositions heard orally or submitted on briefs. The remaining 3,830 cases were decided without opinions. Exclusive of consolidated cases, those cases disposed of after oral hearing or submission on brief numbered 64.2% of the 15,467 cases terminated, with written opinions being handed down in 49% of the decisions. Detailed data, by circuit, are shown in Table 8.

REVIEWS OF ADMINISTRATIVE AGENCY DECISIONS

Administrative agency cases filed in the U.S. courts of appeals rose 1.9% to 2,564 cases. Once again, over one-half of the filings nationwide occurred in the District of Columbia, Fifth, and Ninth circuits involving three agencies: National Labor Relations Board, Federal Power Commission, and Immigration and Naturalization Service. Highlighting these developments were significant downturns in Immigration and Naturalization Service cases, down 23.8%; Internal Revenue Service cases, down 20.8%; while Federal Power Commission reviews skyrocketed 71.1% from 218 cases in 1976 to 373 cases in 1977.

With the enactment of P.L. 93-584, January 2, 1975, reviews of Interstate Commerce Commission decisions were placed in the courts of appeals. Last year, 229 such cases were filed, with 124 (54%) brought to the D.C. Circuit. In 1977, there was a decline to 170 reviews, with only 75 (44%) brought to the D.C. Circuit.

TABLE 8
OPINIONS AND OTHER PAPERS FILED IN CASES DISPOSED OF IN THE UNITED STATES COURTS OF APPEALS DURING THE STATISTICAL YEAR 1977

Circuit	Total Cases Term.	Consolidations	Total Cases Term. Less Consolidations	Disposed of Without Oral Hearing or Submission on Briefs			Disposed of After Oral Hearing or Submission on Briefs			
				Total	Reasoned	Other	Total	Signed	Reasoned	Other
TOTAL....	17,784	2,317	15,467	4,067	3,701	366	11,400	3,699	3,830	3,871
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA...	1,381	462	919	262	247	15	657	147	136	374
FIRST.....	547	81	466	130	127	3	336	226	67	43
SECOND.....	2,093	363	1,730	622	614	8	1,108	391	550	167
THIRD.....	1,571	194	1,377	291	288	3	1,086	246	72	768
FOURTH.....	1,473	42	1,431	416	278	138	1,015	309	674	32
FIFTH.....	3,188	217	2,971	790	772	18	2,181	769	746	666
SIXTH.....	1,425	185	1,240	363	284	79	877	174	398	305
SEVENTH.....	1,294	88	1,206	258	241	17	948	301	531	116
EIGHTH.....	1,059	115	944	242	223	19	702	363	274	65
NINTH.....	2,659	383	2,276	465	451	14	1,811	421	259	1,131
TENTH.....	1,094	187	907	228	176	52	679	352	123	204

NOTE: Memorandum decisions are classified in both "Reasoned" and "Other" categories depending upon the category reported on court of appeals closing form JS-34.

TABLE 9
ADMINISTRATIVE AGENCY CASES FILED IN THE U. S. COURTS OF APPEALS
STATISTICAL YEAR 1977

Agency	Total	D.C.	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	Sixth	Seventh	Eighth	Ninth	Tenth
Total	2,564	541	79	260	182	124	389	267	154	101	391	76
Civil Aeronautics Board	53	48	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	-
Department of Labor	100	4	2	6	27	17	12	14	7	2	9	-
Environmental Protection Agency	220	38	5	2	9	33	9	81	14	7	18	4
Federal Communications Commission	130	107	-	17	3	-	-	1	-	2	-	-
Federal Power Commission	373	165	4	5	12	1	146	-	9	-	17	14
Immigration and Naturalization	295	6	9	57	35	3	36	9	11	2	126	1
Internal Revenue	213	5	3	28	10	13	47	21	13	11	47	15
Interstate Commerce Commission	170	75	6	2	10	7	16	10	20	9	10	5
National Labor Relations Board	711	28	39	114	61	27	87	101	65	44	127	18
Nuclear Regulatory Commission	16	8	4	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	1
Occupational Safety and Health	75	5	2	5	9	3	16	7	3	6	10	9
Securities and Exchange Commission	26	6	1	8	-	1	1	-	-	3	6	-
Transportation	18	-	-	1	-	2	1	3	4	2	2	3
Other	164	46	4	13	5	15	18	20	8	11	18	6

MISCELLANEOUS PROCEEDINGS FILED

The number of matters maintained on the miscellaneous record in the courts of appeals climbed 6.9% in 1977 to 3,345 cases, a rise of 216 proceedings over the last year. Although these matters are not entered on the general docket, they often consume an amount of court time equal to regularly docketed cases. Increases were recorded in almost all categories with a 119 case increase in state habeas corpus petitions and a 23 case (29.5%) rise in federal habeas corpus petitions leading the way. Figure 3 presents this data by circuits for statistical year 1977.

FIGURE 3
U. S. COURTS OF APPEALS MISCELLANEOUS PROCEEDINGS FILED DURING THE STATISTICAL YEARS 1976 - 1977

District	Total Filed		From denials of habeas corpus petitions by state and local prisoners[1]		From denials of habeas corpus petitions by Federal prisoners[1]		From motions to vacate sentence[1]		Direct applications for writs of habeas corpus 28 USC 2241(a)		Other	
	1976	1977	1976	1977	1976	1977	1976	1977	1976	1977	1976	1977
Total.....	3,129	3,345	973	1,092	78	101	60	69	24	15	1,994	2,068
District of Columbia.....	101	91	-	1	-	-	3	-	-	-	38	90
First.....	123	121	19	14	1	-	1	-	-	-	112	107
Second.....	505	526	88	95	4	13	11	11	-	-	472	407
Third.....	257	255	101	74	9	5	7	2	1	4	139	170
Fourth.....	408	426	329	343	33	47	-	-	-	-	46	36
Fifth.....	487	538	229	225	-	-	24	33	-	-	234	280
Sixth.....	272	254	75	134	2	3	5	3	18	1	172	113
Seventh.....	122	151	31	18	1	7	1	1	-	-	89	125
Eighth.....	250	282	56	76	7	10	7	10	-	2	180	184
Ninth.....	455	555	21	97	1	1	1	9	5	8	423	440
Tenth.....	151	146	24	15	20	15	-	-	-	-	107	116

[1] In forma pauperis applications.

SPECIAL COURTS

TEMPORARY EMERGENCY COURT OF APPEALS

The Temporary Emergency Court of Appeals (TECA) was established pursuant to section 211(b) of the Economic Stabilization Act of 1971. This act placed exclusive jurisdiction of all appeals from the district courts in controversies arising under section 4(e) of the Act. The jurisdiction of this court was further extended by the passage of the Emergency Petroleum Allocation Act of 1973, the Energy Policy and Conservation Act of 1975, and the Emergency Natural Gas Act of 1977.

Activity in the Temporary Emergency Court of Appeals decreased during the 12-month period ending June 30, 1977 with 23 cases filed and 20 terminated, compared to 26 filed and 35 terminated in 1976. As of June 30, 1977 the pending caseload was at 8, double that of 1976. The court convened for 7 days in several cities to hear oral arguments on 10 cases.

RAILROAD REORGANIZATION COURT

The Regional Rail Reorganization Act of 1973 established the Railroad Reorganization Court to decide appeals and to act as a district court in proceedings commenced pursuant to the Act. Since the court began reporting its statistics to the Administrative Office in January, 1976, the number of cases filed and terminated has been low in terms of actual numbers. However, it appears that the simple reporting of cases opened and closed understates significantly the workload of this new court, as it has been indicated that in a single case over 500 pleadings had been received as of the end of June. In addition, several cases have been consolidated into a single miscellaneous number, rather than being placed on the court's general docket.

For a more detailed discussion of the establishment of this court, see the 1976 Annual Report of the Director of the Administative Office of the U.S. Courts, page 166.

CASES UNDER SUBMISSION IN THE COURTS OF APPEALS AND IN THE COURT OF CLAIMS*

The rate in the growth of the number of cases under submission in the courts of appeals slowed considerably in 1977 with 487 cases under submission more than 90 days on June 30, 1977 compared to 470 in 1976. This can be attributed to the efforts of circuit judges to maintain current dockets despite increasing demands made upon them. A total of 320 cases, or 65.7%, had been submitted more than three months but less than six months; 109 cases, representing 22.4%, were reported as under submission for more than six months, but less than nine months; 21 cases, or 4.3%, had been submitted for more than nine months but less than one year; and 37 - or 7.6% - were submitted more than one year. The Court of Claims reported having no cases held under submission over three months on June 30, 1977. The cases reported by the courts of appeals were distributed as shown in Figure 4.

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*Required by the Judicial Conference Resolutions of January 1940 and March 1957.

FIGURE 4
CASES UNDER SUBMISSION MORE THAN THREE MONTHS
AS OF JUNE 30, 1977

Circuit	Total	Months Under Submission			
		3 - 6	6 - 9	9 - 12	over 12
Total.....	487	320	109	21	37
District of Columbia.....	86	47	25	6	8
First.....	17	13	3	1	-
Second.....	17	13	4	-	-
Third.....	1	1	-	-	-
Fourth.....	46	36	9	-	1
Fifth.....	135	99	28	3	5
Sixth.....	14	9	5	-	-
Seventh.....	49	32	6	1	10
Eighth.....	18	16	2	-	-
Ninth.....	81	40	23	5	13
Tenth.....	23	14	4	5	-
Total as of March 31, 1977.	369	245	55	37	32
U.S. Ct. of Claims and the Temporary Emergency Court of Appeals, as of June 30, 1977...	0	-	-	-	-
as of March 31, 1977..	0	-	-	-	-

As shown in Figure 5 the total number of cases reported held under submission has increased steadily over the past six years. However, the greatest increase was reported in 1976. Cases reported at the end of 1977 totaled 487 - an increase of only 17 cases, or 3.6%, over the 470 cases reported for the same period in 1976. There was a 13.1% increase in 1977 cases held more than three but less than six months, while the number of cases held over six but less than nine months and the cases held over 9 but less than 12 months decreased 7.6% and 34.4%, respectively. The number of cases under submission over one year remained at last year's high of 37 cases.

FIGURE 5
CASES UNDER SUBMISSION MORE THAN THREE MONTHS
AS OF JUNE 30, 1972 - 1977

Year	Total	Months Under Submission			
		3 - 6	6 - 9	9 - 12	over 12
1972	188	120	39	13	16
1973	232	142	62	16	12
1974	291	175	80	22	14
1975	306	172	93	19	22
1976	470	283	118	32	37
1977	487	320	109	21	37

CIVIL CASES IN THE DISTRICT COURTS

After 15 consecutive years of increases, civil filings decreased during the year ended June 30, 1977. The 130,567 cases filed during the current period was 30 cases less than the 130,597 civil cases filed during the same period from a year earlier, a drop of less than 0.1%. Civil cases terminated during the twelve month period rose substantially but not in sufficient volume to offset the number of cases filed. The 117,150 civil cases terminated was 6.3% above the number terminated during the previous year, but 13,417 cases short of the number filed during the current year. As a result the pending caseload on June 30 increased to 153,606 or 9.6% above the pending caseload on June 30, 1976.

The civil caseload per judgeship rose again this year despite the drop in civil filings. This came about because of a reduction in the number of authorized judgeships, which fell to 398 when a temporary judgeship in the Middle District of Pennsylvania lapsed. During the year ended June 30, 1977 there were 328 civil cases filed for each of the 398 judgeships, an increase of 0.3% compared to the 327 filings per judgeship recorded in the previous year. The district judges managed to increase their rate of civil terminations by 6.5% as the per judgeship figure rose to 294 compared to 276 in the previous year. However, the pending caseload per judgeship rose by a substantial 10% compared to one year ago. The current 386 pending cases per authorized judgeship is 66% above the figure recorded on June 30, 1970, just after the last omnibus judgeship bill was enacted.

FIGURE 6
CIVIL CASES PER AUTHORIZED JUDGESHIP
STATISTICAL YEARS 1940, 1950, 1960, 1970, 1974 - 1977

Statistical Year	Authorized judgeships	Civil Cases per authorized judgeship		
		Filed	Terminated	Pending on June 30
1940	183	190	204	161
1950	218	296	244	255
1960	245	242	252	250
1970	401	218	201	232
1974	400	259	244	268
1975	400	293	262	299
1976	399	327	276	351
1977	398	328	294	386

TABLE 10
CIVIL CASES FILED, TERMINATED, AND PENDING
STATISTICAL YEARS 1960 TO 1977

Statistical Year	Filed	Terminated	Pending June 30
1960.....	59,284	61,829	61,251
1961.....	58,293	55,416	64,128
1962.....	61,836	57,996	67,968
1963.....	63,630	62,379	69,219
1964.....	66,930	63,954	72,195
1965.....	67,678	65,478	74,395
1966.....	70,906	66,184	79,117
1967.....	70,961	70,172	79,906
1968.....	71,449	68,873	82,482
1969.....	77,193	73,354	86,321
1970.....	87,321	80,435	93,207
1971.....	93,396	86,563	100,040
1972.....	96,173	95,181	101,032
1973.....	98,560	98,259	101,333
1974.....	103,530	97,633	107,230
1975.....	117,320	104,783	119,767
1976.....	130,597	110,175	140,189
1977.....	130,567	117,150	153,606
Percent increase			
1977 over 1960.....	120.2	89.5	150.8
1977 over 1976.....	-	6.3	9.6

FILINGS BY ORIGIN

Of the 130,567 civil cases filed during the year ended June 30, 1977, 116,777 or 89.4% were original filings in the district courts. This represents a slight 0.2% decline compared to one year ago. Removals from state courts and reopened cases, which together comprised 8.4% of the civil filings this year, rose by 2.9% and 37.8% respectively. The remaining 2.2% of the civil case filings were remands from the courts of appeals, intra-district transfers, and multidistrict litigation transfers, all of which decreased by more than 15% during the current year.

FIGURE 7
CIVIL FILINGS BY ORIGIN
STATISTICAL YEARS 1970 - 1977

Statistical Year	Total Filings	Original	Removals From State Courts	Remands From Courts of Appeals	Reopens	Transfers	Multidistrict Litigation Transfers
1970	87,321	80,062	4,222	614	1,308	1,115	-
1971	93,396	85,244	4,354	659	1,201	1,224	714
1972	96,173	87,988	4,141	741	1,555	1,526	222
1973	98,560	90,176	4,397	900	1,637	1,236	214
1974	103,530	94,014	4,815	926	1,830	1,645	300
1975	117,320	105,705	6,512	922	1,883	1,836	462
1976	130,597	117,061	7,979	961	1,991	2,016	589
1977	130,567	116,777	8,209	759	2,743	1,712	367

FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT

The overall drop in civil filings during the year ended June 30, 1977, came as a result of decreases in several major nature of suit classifications which, until the current year, had experienced substantial growth. Land condemnation filings fell by 7.8% after an increase of 118% in the previous year. Petitions filed by State and Federal prisoners decreased 1.4% after steady growth for 16 consecutive years. I.C.C. cases fell by 42% to 2,549 cases, the lowest figure recorded since 1971. Most of this decrease can be traced to the District of Massachusetts which in prior years had approximately 60% of all such cases filed. This year Massachusetts recorded only 1,665 such cases, down more than 47% compared to the 3,155 such cases filed last year.

TABLE 11
CIVIL CASES COMMENCED IN THE DISTRICT COURTS DURING THE STATISTICAL YEARS 1971 - 1977, BY NATURE OF SUIT

Nature of Suit	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977	Percent Change 1976 over 1977
Total	93,396	96,173	98,560	103,530	117,320	130,597	130,567	-
Contract actions	18,575	18,977	19,468	19,426	22,905	23,998	23,907	-0.3
Insurance	2,732	2,572	2,421	2,286	2,644	3,184	3,293	3.4
Marine	3,630	3,381	3,440	3,195	3,662	4,060	3,757	-7.5
Miller Act	718	572	553	646	1,037	955	1,009	5.7
Negotiable instruments	2,998	3,205	3,074	2,410	2,490	2,240	2,355	5.1
Other	8,497	9,247	9,980	10,889	13,072	13,559	13,493	-0.5
Real property actions	3,608	3,553	4,113	5,098	6,488	8,475	8,387	-1.0
Mortgage foreclosure	1,648	1,921	2,025	2,938	3,546	3,683	3,979	8.0
Land Condemnation	891	602	835	917	1,391	3,037	2,801	-7.8
Other	1,069	1,030	1,253	1,243	1,551	1,755	1,607	-8.4
Tort actions	25,405	24,012	23,105	24,231	25,691	25,736	26,029	1.1
Employers' Liability Act	1,353	1,391	1,164	1,202	1,243	1,329	1,306	-1.7
Marine	7,232	6,534	5,630	5,236	5,410	5,170	5,056	-2.2
Motor vehicle	8,779	7,700	7,371	7,398	6,794	6,068	6,036	-0.5
Other personal injury	6,047	6,419	6,466	6,628	7,774	8,635	9,067	5.0
Property damage	1,994	1,968	2,474	3,767	4,470	4,534	4,564	0.7
Actions under statutes	43,750	47,501	49,950	52,960	60,051	70,372	70,694	4.6
Antitrust	1,505	1,379	1,206	1,270	1,431	1,555	1,658	6.6
Civil rights	5,138	6,133	7,679	8,443	10,392	12,329	13,113	6.4
Commerce (ICC rates, etc.)	2,014	3,335	3,341	3,925	4,042	4,396	2,549	-42.0
Deportations	119	170	271	412	386	291	292	0.3
Forfeiture and penalty suits	2,031	2,565	2,917	1,961	2,446	2,587	2,854	10.3
Labor laws	4,663	4,987	4,861	5,400	6,617	7,743	7,739	-0.1
Narcotic Addict Rehabilitation Act	2,725	2,530	1,716	515	276	150	113	-24.7
Patent, copyright and trademark	2,042	2,194	2,056	2,084	2,276	2,632	3,071	16.7
Prisoner petitions:								
Federal	4,121	4,179	4,535	4,987	5,047	4,780	4,691	-1.9
State	12,145	12,088	12,683	13,423	14,260	15,029	14,846	-1.2
Securities, commodities and exchange	1,962	1,919	1,999	2,378	2,408	2,230	1,960	-12.1
Selective Service Act	695	281	82	7	1	4	7	-
Social Security laws	1,792	2,288	2,497	3,585	5,846	10,355	10,095	-2.5
Tax suits	1,464	1,464	1,577	1,917	1,699	1,849	1,981	7.1
Other	1,334	1,989	2,510	2,653	2,924	4,442	5,725	28.9
Other Actions	2,058	2,130	1,924	1,815	2,185	2,016	1,550	-23.1
Domestic relations (local jurisdiction)	758	938	1,014	1,007	1,130	1,186	729	-38.5
Insanity (local jurisdiction)	317	272	55	14	40	18	77	-
Other	983	920	855	794	1,015	812	744	-8.4

Percent change not computed when base is less than 25.

Social security filings also declined slightly this year, -2.5%, after three years of substantial increases. This decrease was due totally to a 52% drop in "black lung" filings. Social security filings other than "black lung" increased by 42%.

There were several major nature of suit categories which experienced increased filing activity during the current year. The most significant of these was a 16.7% increase in protected property rights litigation which includes copyright, patent and trademark cases. These cases rose to 3,071 filings compared to 2,632 in the previous year. Forfeiture and penalty suits also rose as 2,854 cases were filed this year compared to 2,587 last year, an increase of 10.3%. Civil rights cases, which have been on the rise since 1967, continued the increasing trend this year as 6.4% more cases were filed than in the previous 12-month period.

CIVIL FILINGS BY DISTRICT

While civil filings nationwide fell by less than 0.1%, among the individual districts the changes ranged from a decrease of 44.7% in California, Southern to an increase of 57.6% in Rhode Island. The increase in Rhode Island occurred in nearly every nature of suit category. However, the largest increase was in state prisoner civil rights petitions which rose from only 20 last year to 169 this year. In Southern California land condemnation filings decreased from 843 cases last year to only 18 this year. If land condemnation cases are excluded from both this year and last, the filings in California Southern show an increase of nearly 19%.

During the current year there were only three districts other than Rhode Island which showed increased civil filings of more than 20%.

District	% Increase in Filings
Rhode Island	57.6
Maine	46.5
Indiana, Northern	26.1
Puerto Rico	20.7

While there were only four districts this year which showed substantial increases in civil filings there were six which showed substantial decreases. Including California Southern the six which had decreases of more than 20% are as follows:

TABLE 12
CIVIL CASES COMMENCED, TERMINATED AND PENDING IN
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURTS
STATISTICAL YEARS 1976 AND 1977

CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	FILINGS			TERMINATIONS			PENDING		
	PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1976	PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977	PERCENT CHANGE	PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1976	PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977	PERCENT CHANGE	PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1976	PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977	PERCENT CHANGE
TOTAL ALL DISTRICTS..	130,597	130,567	-	110,175	117,150	6.3	140,189	153,606	9.6
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.	2,464	2,464	-	2,418	2,289	-5.3	1,787	1,962	9.8
FIRST CIRCUIT.....	8,028	7,372	-8.2	6,089	5,549	-8.9	14,968	16,791	12.2
MAINE.....	273	400	46.5	244	272	11.5	276	404	46.4
MASSACHUSETTS.....	5,278	3,911	-25.9	3,538	2,749	-22.3	12,162	13,324	9.6
NEW HAMPSHIRE.....	423	417	-1.4	452	367	-18.8	315	365	15.9
RHODE ISLAND.....	448	706	57.6	303	458	51.2	569	817	43.6
PUERTO RICO.....	1,606	1,938	20.7	1,552	1,703	9.7	1,646	1,881	14.3
SECOND CIRCUIT....	11,587	11,840	2.2	10,614	11,295	6.4	15,202	15,747	3.6
CONNECTICUT.....	1,245	1,477	18.6	998	1,135	13.7	1,693	2,035	20.2
NEW YORK NORTHERN....	594	533	-10.3	540	446	-17.4	699	786	12.4
NEW YORK EASTERN.....	2,438	2,512	3.0	1,958	2,189	11.8	3,029	3,352	10.7
NEW YORK SOUTHERN....	6,440	6,350	-1.4	6,181	6,699	8.4	8,441	8,092	-4.1
NEW YORK WESTERN.....	610	678	11.1	681	554	-18.7	1,043	1,167	11.9
VERMONT.....	260	290	11.5	256	272	6.3	297	315	6.1
THIRD CIRCUIT.....	12,325	11,780	-4.4	11,371	12,159	6.9	12,336	11,957	-3.1
DELAWARE.....	460	495	7.6	389	468	20.3	454	481	5.9
NEW JERSEY.....	2,451	2,572	4.9	2,170	2,741	26.3	3,137	2,968	-5.4
PENNSYLVANIA EASTERN.	3,978	4,315	8.5	3,781	3,994	5.6	3,896	4,217	8.2
PENNSYLVANIA MIDDLE..	1,706	1,389	-18.6	1,546	1,438	-7.0	1,256	1,207	-3.9
PENNSYLVANIA WESTERN.	1,899	1,770	-6.8	1,723	1,600	-7.1	1,703	1,873	10.0
VIRGIN ISLANDS.....	1,831	1,239	-32.3	1,762	1,918	8.9	1,890	1,211	-35.9
FOURTH CIRCUIT....	13,067	13,018	-.4	10,168	11,738	15.4	11,714	12,993	10.9
MARYLAND.....	1,995	2,081	4.3	1,655	1,858	12.3	1,792	2,014	12.4
NO. CAROLINA EASTERN.	596	692	16.1	498	480	-3.6	630	842	33.7
NO. CAROLINA MIDDLE..	638	685	7.4	453	542	19.6	677	820	21.1
NO. CAROLINA WESTERN.	680	574	-15.6	582	639	9.8	561	496	-11.6
SOUTH CAROLINA.....	2,466	2,609	5.8	2,162	2,260	4.5	1,671	2,020	20.9
VIRGINIA EASTERN.....	2,442	2,703	10.7	2,345	2,645	12.8	1,461	1,519	4.0
VIRGINIA WESTERN.....	1,793	1,645	-8.3	1,372	1,807	31.7	1,256	1,094	-12.9
W. VIRGINIA NORTHERN.	544	578	6.3	331	382	15.4	643	839	30.5
W. VIRGINIA SOUTHERN.	1,913	1,451	-24.2	770	1,125	46.1	3,023	3,349	10.8
FIFTH CIRCUIT.....	30,542	30,950	1.3	25,388	26,344	3.8	29,128	33,734	15.8
ALABAMA NORTHERN.....	1,818	1,775	-2.4	1,536	1,662	8.2	1,450	1,563	7.8
ALABAMA MIDDLE.....	700	764	9.1	661	723	9.4	261	302	15.7
ALABAMA SOUTHERN.....	682	702	2.9	614	664	8.1	402	440	9.5
FLORIDA NORTHERN.....	543	591	8.8	535	532	-.6	292	351	20.2
FLORIDA MIDDLE.....	2,608	2,598	-.4	2,043	2,185	7.0	2,971	3,384	13.9
FLORIDA SOUTHERN.....	3,909	4,308	10.2	3,479	2,431	-30.1	1,873	3,750	100.2
GEORGIA NORTHERN.....	2,665	2,481	-6.9	2,424	2,315	-4.5	2,314	2,480	7.2
GEORGIA MIDDLE.....	599	648	8.2	588	558	-5.1	403	493	22.3
GEORGIA SOUTHERN.....	784	790	.8	666	747	12.2	761	804	5.7
LOUISIANA EASTERN....	4,063	4,267	5.0	3,131	3,803	21.5	4,906	5,370	9.5
LOUISIANA MIDDLE.....	480	435	-9.4	450	365	-18.9	405	475	17.3
LOUISIANA WESTERN....	1,436	1,406	-2.1	1,196	1,403	17.3	1,586	1,589	.2
MISSISSIPPI NORTHERN.	683	653	-4.4	585	547	-6.5	662	768	16.0
MISSISSIPPI SOUTHERN.	1,039	1,135	9.2	955	942	-1.4	940	1,133	20.5
TEXAS NORTHERN.....	2,585	2,439	-5.7	2,007	2,309	15.0	2,720	2,850	4.8
TEXAS EASTERN.....	1,313	1,320	.5	975	939	-3.7	1,281	1,662	29.7
TEXAS SOUTHERN.....	2,880	2,832	-1.7	1,995	2,572	28.9	4,182	4,442	6.2
TEXAS WESTERN.....	1,231	1,205	-2.1	1,058	1,117	5.6	1,270	1,358	6.9
CANAL ZONE.....	524	601	14.7	490	530	8.2	449	520	15.8

TABLE 12
CIVIL CASES COMMENCED, TERMINATED AND PENDING IN
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURTS
STATISTICAL YEARS 1976 AND 1977

CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	FILINGS			TERMINATIONS			PENDING		
	PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1976	PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977	PERCENT CHANGE	PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1976	PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977	PERCENT CHANGE	PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1976	PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977	PERCENT CHANGE
SIXTH CIRCUIT.....	13,478	14,213	5.5	10,379	11,738	13.1	14,370	16,845	17.2
KENTUCKY EASTERN.....	2,259	1,699	-24.8	1,048	1,114	6.3	2,785	3,370	21.0
KENTUCKY WESTERN.....	881	1,023	16.1	661	628	-5.0	1,025	1,420	38.5
MICHIGAN EASTERN.....	2,990	3,392	13.4	2,266	2,948	30.1	3,480	3,924	12.8
MICHIGAN WESTERN.....	751	810	7.9	527	586	11.2	1,233	1,457	18.2
OHIO NORTHERN.....	2,433	2,747	12.9	2,068	2,547	23.2	2,311	2,511	8.7
OHIO SOUTHERN.....	1,894	1,997	5.4	1,595	1,787	12.0	1,778	1,988	11.8
TENNESSEE EASTERN....	946	1,018	7.6	907	961	6.0	505	562	11.3
TENNESSEE MIDDLE.....	605	684	13.1	577	576	-.2	586	694	18.4
TENNESSEE WESTERN....	719	843	17.2	730	591	-19.1	667	919	37.8
SEVENTH CIRCUIT...	9,097	9,147	.5	8,002	8,630	7.8	9,699	10,217	5.3
ILLINOIS NORTHERN....	4,508	4,531	.5	3,912	4,180	6.9	4,018	4,370	8.8
ILLINOIS EASTERN.....	595	622	4.5	644	610	-5.3	711	723	1.7
ILLINOIS SOUTHERN....	462	489	5.8	387	418	8.0	547	618	13.0
INDIANA NORTHERN.....	701	884	26.1	589	729	23.8	1,178	1,333	13.2
INDIANA SOUTHERN.....	1,266	1,302	2.8	1,186	1,145	-3.5	1,206	1,363	13.0
WISCONSIN EASTERN....	838	800	-4.5	757	926	22.3	1,145	1,019	-11.0
WISCONSIN WESTERN....	727	519	-28.6	527	622	18.0	894	791	-11.5
EIGHTH CIRCUIT....	7,810	8,128	4.1	6,866	7,153	4.2	7,970	8,945	12.2
ARKANSAS EASTERN.....	935	1,075	15.0	693	775	11.8	1,307	1,607	23.0
ARKANSAS WESTERN.....	525	529	.8	392	407	3.8	657	779	18.6
IOWA NORTHERN.....	243	262	7.8	236	229	-3.0	251	284	13.1
IOWA SOUTHERN.....	592	540	-8.8	481	470	-2.3	557	627	12.6
MINNESOTA.....	1,209	1,211	.2	1,006	1,199	19.2	1,642	1,654	.7
MISSOURI EASTERN.....	1,399	1,537	9.9	1,355	1,383	2.1	825	979	18.7
MISSOURI WESTERN.....	1,711	1,762	3.0	1,611	1,543	-4.2	1,454	1,673	15.1
NEBRASKA.....	712	700	-1.7	668	707	5.8	732	725	-1.0
NORTH DAKOTA.....	205	239	16.6	192	185	-3.7	174	228	31.0
SOUTH DAKOTA.....	279	273	-2.2	232	255	9.9	371	389	4.9
NINTH CIRCUIT.....	15,670	15,448	-1.4	12,923	14,669	13.5	17,418	18,197	4.5
ALASKA.....	324	371	14.5	251	296	17.9	421	496	17.8
ARIZONA.....	1,187	1,330	12.0	1,087	1,043	-4.1	1,249	1,536	23.0
CALIFORNIA NORTHERN..	2,886	3,104	7.6	2,742	2,960	8.0	3,001	3,145	4.8
CALIFORNIA EASTERN...	1,009	930	-7.8	787	851	8.1	1,383	1,462	5.7
CALIFORNIA CENTRAL...	4,169	4,463	7.1	3,685	4,240	15.1	4,176	4,399	5.3
CALIFORNIA SOUTHERN..	1,549	857	-44.7	730	1,235	69.2	1,538	1,160	-24.6
HAWAII.....	442	462	4.5	288	341	18.4	622	743	19.5
IDAHO.....	389	383	-1.6	264	386	46.2	459	456	-.7
MONTANA.....	373	389	4.3	327	324	-.9	430	495	15.1
NEVADA.....	534	497	-6.9	461	476	3.3	625	646	3.4
OREGON.....	1,198	1,036	-13.5	1,028	1,093	6.3	1,298	1,241	-4.4
WASHINGTON EASTERN...	346	348	.6	252	267	6.0	407	488	19.9
WASHINGTON WESTERN...	1,195	1,206	.9	935	1,040	11.2	1,524	1,690	10.9
GUAM.....	69	72	4.3	86	117	36.0	285	240	-15.8
TENTH CIRCUIT.....	6,529	6,207	-4.9	5,957	5,586	-6.2	5,597	6,218	11.1
COLORADO.....	1,425	1,223	-14.2	1,375	1,204	-12.4	1,438	1,457	1.3
KANSAS.....	1,363	1,315	-3.5	1,032	979	-5.1	1,481	1,817	22.7
NEW MEXICO.....	781	751	-3.9	754	691	-8.4	507	567	11.8
OKLAHOMA NORTHERN....	684	574	-16.1	622	595	-4.4	544	523	-3.9
OKLAHOMA EASTERN.....	376	403	7.2	352	403	14.5	266	266	.0
OKLAHOMA WESTERN.....	1,124	1,188	5.7	1,069	1,031	-3.6	676	833	23.2
UTAH.....	533	499	-6.4	501	450	-10.2	531	580	9.2
WYOMING.....	243	254	4.5	252	233	-7.5	154	175	13.6

District	% Decrease in Filings
California, Southern	44.7
Virgin Islands	32.3
Wisconsin, Western	28.6
Massachusetts	25.9
Kentucky, Eastern	24.8
West Virginia, Southern	24.2

The decrease in filings in the Virgin Islands was due primarily to a significant drop in local jurisdiction cases. In Massachusetts the decrease was due totally to a drop in private I.C.C. cases which fell from 3,155 last year to 1,665 this year. In Wisconsin, Western civil rights petitions from state prisoners dropped from 68 to 209. The decrease in Kentucky, Eastern and West Virginia, Southern were due to significant drops in the filing of black lung social security cases.

CIVIL PENDING CASELOAD

Though the overall increase in pending civil cases was 9.6% -- on a district by district basis, the range, was from a decline of 35.9% in the Virgin Islands to an increase of 100.2% in Florida, Southern. In Florida, Southern filings increased by 10.1% while terminations decreased by 30.1% resulting in a substantial increase in the pending caseload. In the Virgin Islands, the large drop resulted from a 32% decrease in filings coupled with a 9% increase in terminations.

In addition to Florida, Southern, 7 other districts experienced increases in their pending caseload of more than 30%. These districts and their percentages are shown in the following table.

District	Increase of 30% or more	District	Increase of 30% or more
Florida, Southern	100.2	Tennessee, Western	37.8
Maine	46.4	North Carolina, Eastern	33.7
Rhode Island	43.6	North Dakota	31.0
Kentucky, Western	38.5	West Virginia, Northern	30.5

During the year ended June 30, 1977 there were 14 district courts that reduced their pending civil caseload. The Virgin Islands, with primarily local jurisdiction cases, led the group

with a reduction of 35.9% in its pending caseload. Of the 14 districts, 7 managed to reduce their backlog of pending civil cases by 10% or more.

District	% Decrease
Virgin Islands	35.9
California, Southern	24.6
Guam	15.8
Virginia, Western	12.9
North Carolina, Western	11.6
Wisconsin, Western	11.5
Wisconsin, Eastern	11.0

TWENTY-FIVE METROPOLITAN COURTS CASELOAD INCREASES

Those courts with five or more judgeships make up the twenty-five metropolitan courts. During the year ended June 30, 1977 these districts experienced an increase of 8.8% in their pending civil caseload, compared to a 16.2% increase last year and a nationwide increase of 9.6%.

During the current year the twenty-five courts accounted for approximately 57% of all civil filings, terminations and pending cases among all district courts. Of the twenty-five courts, only three experienced a decrease in their pending caseloads this year: New York, Southern down 4.1%; New Jersey down 5.4%; and California, Southern down 24.6%. As mentioned earlier Florida, Southern had a substantial increase of 100.2% in its pending caseload.

PENDING CIVIL LITIGATION

The 9.6% increase in pending civil cases resulted from a 16.8% increase in pending United States cases and a 7.2% in pending private actions. Every major nature of suit classification on the United States side (shown in the accompanying table) increased this year. Pending federal prisoner petitions overall rose by more than 35% as motions to vacate sentence jumped by 51%, habeas corpus by 27% and civil rights petitions by nearly 19%. Pending land condemnation cases rose again this year after an increase of 54% last year. This year's increase, while substantial, was a more modest 34.7%.

There were two other areas where pending civil cases grew by more than 20%. Real property actions other than land condemnation rose by 21.3% and pending social security cases increased by 20.2%.

TABLE 13
CIVIL CASES FILED AND TERMINATED IN TWENTY-FIVE LARGE COURTS, STATISTICAL YEARS 1976 AND 1977

DISTRICT	NUMBER OF AUTHORIZED JUDGESHIPS	CIVIL CASES FOR THE PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1976			CIVIL CASES FOR THE PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977			PERCENT CHANGE		
	JUNE 30, 1977	COM-MENCED*	TERMI-NATED	PENDING JUNE 30, 1976	COM-MENCED*	TERMI-NATED	PENDING JUNE 30, 1977	COM-MENCED	TERMI-NATED	PENDING JUNE 30,
ALL DISTRICTS..	398	130,597	110,175	140,189	130,567	117,150	153,606	-	6.3	9.6
NEW YORK SOUTHERN....	27	6,440	6,181	8,441	6,350	6,699	8,092	-1.4	8.4	-4.1
MASSACHUSETTS.....	6	5,278	3,538	12,162	3,911	2,749	13,324	-25.9	-22.3	9.6
ILLINOIS NORTHERN....	13	4,508	3,912	4,019	4,531	4,180	4,370	.5	6.9	8.7
CALIFORNIA CENTRAL...	16	4,169	3,685	4,176	4,463	4,240	4,399	7.1	15.1	5.3
LOUISIANA EASTERN....	9	4,063	3,131	4,906	4,267	3,803	5,370	5.0	21.5	9.5
PENNSYLVANIA EASTERN.	19	3,978	3,781	3,896	4,315	3,994	4,217	8.5	5.6	8.2
FLORIDA SOUTHERN.....	7	3,909	3,479	1,873	4,308	2,431	3,750	10.2	-30.1	100.2
MICHIGAN EASTERN.....	10	2,990	2,266	3,480	3,392	2,948	3,924	13.4	30.1	12.8
CALIFORNIA NORTHERN..	11	2,886	2,742	3,001	3,104	2,960	3,145	7.6	8.0	4.8
TEXAS SOUTHERN.....	8	2,880	1,995	4,182	2,832	2,572	4,442	-1.7	28.9	6.2
GEORGIA NORTHERN.....	6	2,665	2,424	2,314	2,481	2,315	2,480	-6.9	-4.5	7.2
FLORIDA MIDDLE.....	6	2,608	2,043	2,971	2,598	2,185	3,384	-.4	7.0	13.9
TEXAS NORTHERN.....	6	2,585	2,007	2,720	2,439	2,309	2,850	-5.7	15.0	4.8
SOUTH CAROLINA.....	5	2,466	2,162	1,671	2,609	2,260	2,020	5.8	4.5	20.9
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.	15	2,464	2,418	1,787	2,464	2,289	1,962	.0	-5.3	9.8
NEW JERSEY.....	9	2,451	2,170	3,137	2,572	2,741	2,968	4.9	26.3	-5.4
VIRGINIA EASTERN.....	6	2,442	2,345	1,461	2,703	2,645	1,519	10.7	12.8	4.0
NEW YORK EASTERN.....	9	2,438	1,958	3,029	2,512	2,189	3,352	3.0	11.8	10.7
OHIO NORTHERN.....	8	2,433	2,068	2,311	2,747	2,547	2,511	12.9	23.2	8.7
MARYLAND.....	7	1,995	1,655	1,791	2,081	1,858	2,014	4.3	12.3	12.5
PENNSYLVANIA WESTERN.	10	1,899	1,723	1,703	1,770	1,600	1,873	-6.8	-7.1	10.0
OHIO SOUTHERN.....	5	1,894	1,595	1,778	1,997	1,787	1,988	5.4	12.0	11.8
CALIFORNIA SOUTHERN..	5	1,549	730	1,538	857	1,235	1,160	-44.7	69.2	-24.6
TEXAS WESTERN.....	5	1,231	1,058	1,270	1,205	1,117	1,358	-2.1	5.6	6.9
ARIZONA.....	5	1,187	1,087	1,249	1,330	1,043	1,536	12.0	-4.1	23.0
TOTAL OF 25 COURTS..	233	73,408	62,153	80,866	73,838	66,696	88,008	.6	7.3	8.8
PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL.	58.5	56.2	56.4	57.7	56.6	56.9	57.3	-	-	-

* COURTS WITH 5 OR MORE JUDGESHIPS FOR THE PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977 IN ORDER OF CASES COMMENCED

TABLE 14
CIVIL CASES PENDING JUNE 30, BY NATURE OF SUIT
STATISTICAL YEARS 1970 - 1977

Nature of suit	Fiscal Years 1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977	Percent change 1977 over 1976
Total	93,207	100,040	101,032	101,333	107,230	119,767	140,189	153,606	9.6
United States Cases	20,465	20,692	21,305	21,442	22,325	26,155	34,288	40,048	16.8
Contract	3,462	3,278	3,525	3,067	2,491	2,415	2,524	2,959	17.2
Land condemnation	2,112	2,075	1,777	1,774	1,761	2,136	3,299	4,444	34.7
Other real property	902	943	1,190	1,311	1,652	1,916	2,362	2,864	21.3
Tort Actions	3,116	2,929	2,572	2,422	2,524	2,773	2,963	3,180	7.3
Antitrust	84	91	117	111	96	113	109	113	3.7
Prisoner petitions:									
Motions to vacate sentence	616	519	553	592	614	654	615	931	51.4
Habeas corpus	396	424	372	353	422	386	426	542	27.2
Civil Rights	73	96	120	188	203	250	255	303	18.8
Mandamus, other	235	268	325	415	351	463	350	353	0.9
Forfeiture and penalties	1,040	1,334	1,526	1,679	1,291	1,481	1,692	1,827	8.0
Labor suits	1 344	1,489	1,474	1,350	1,477	1,457	1,739	1,851	6.4
Tax suits	2,655	2,519	2,301	2,249	2,415	2,327	2,504	2,582	3.1
Social Security laws	1,935	2,160	2,577	2,595	3,397	5,595	10,122	12,166	20.2
Narcotic Addict Rehabilitation Act	554	519	522	368	207	82	57	60	5.3
Civil Rights	388	532	620	884	1,139	1,443	1,946	2,216	13.9
All other U. S. cases	1,553	1,516	1,734	2,084	2,285	2,664	3,325	3,657	10.0
Private Cases	72,742	79,348	79,727	79,891	84,905	93,612	105,901	113,588	7.2
Contract	17,385	19,293	19,079	18,482	18,973	21,109	23,678	24,355	2.9
Real property	1,569	1,720	1,421	1,402	1,538	1,765	1,835	1,811	-1.3
Federal Employers' Liability Act	2,090	2,107	1,872	1,605	1,525	1,544	1,677	1,770	5.5
Motor vehicle personal injury	11,191	10,711	8,762	7,758	7,421	6,812	6,438	6,711	4.2
Marine personal injury	10,300	10,436	9,413	7,659	6,794	6,602	6,727	6,464	-3.9
Other personal injury	7,752	8,136	8,121	7,961	8,074	8,908	10,248	11,246	9.7
Other tort actions	2,089	2,331	2,323	2,540	3,408	4,050	4,750	5,040	6.1
Antitrust	1,933	2,213	2,563	2,734	2,492	2,526	2,778	3,028	9.0
Prisoner petitions:									
Habeas corpus	3,043	3,370	3,133	2,978	3,142	3,281	3,715	3,688	-0.7
Civil Rights	1,281	1,933	2,403	3,069	4,146	5,241	6,341	7,414	16.9
Mandamus and other	289	390	388	317	273	194	150	122	-18.7
Copyright, patent and trademark	2,742	2,799	2,739	2,634	2,573	2,609	2,861	3,300	15.3
Labor suits	2,126	2,543	2,609	2,810	3,256	4,292	5,469	6,428	17.5
Securities, commodities and exchanges	1,925	2,893	3,334	3,489	3,825	4,047	4,166	3,978	-4.5
Civil Rights	3,616	4,639	5,661	6,785	8,159	10,400	12,911	15,035	16.5
Interstate Commerce	1,056	1,759	3,235	4,766	6,285	7,261	8,743	9,209	5.3
All other	2,355	2,475	2,671	2,902	3,021	2,971	3,414	3,959	16.0

NOTE; This table summarizes pending civil cases by nature of suit appearing in Table C-3a in the appendix with more detail being provided for the all other" class.

On the private side pending civil rights petitions from state prisoners continued an increasing trend that began as early as 1966. These pending cases increased by nearly 17% compared to the previous year. Pending labor cases rose again this year by 17.5% and civil rights cases increased by 16.5%.

There were only five major classifications which saw decreases in pending cases on June 30, 1977 compared to one year earlier. However, only two of these represent a significant volume of total cases. Pending marine personal injury cases dropped by nearly 4% and securities, commodities, and exchange cases fell by 4.5%.

CASES PENDING 3 YEARS OR MORE

The number of civil cases which have been pending for more than three years, exclusive of land condemnation showed an increase of 2,421 cases compared to the same figure from last year. This represents an increase of 25.7%. With this increase, these three year old cases now represent 7.9% of the total pending caseload. The 11,835 such cases is the highest total recorded in the 17 years for which comparable data have been maintained.

An analysis of three year old cases by nature of suit is shown in Table 14. As illustrated by this table, none of the decreases in the backlog of three year old cases were substantial. For example antitrust actions decreased by 15 cases or only 2.7% Probate actions decreased by 50.5%, but they represent only 0.4% of the total civil three year old backlog. Actions filed under the statutes have increased by 1,949 cases. The biggest contributors to this increase were: Commerce (I.C.C. Rates, etc.) - up 935 cases; Civil Rights - up 379 cases, prisoner petitions - up 246 cases, and Securities, commodities and exchange - up 173 cases.

FOURTEEN DISTRICTS HAVE 200 OR MORE CIVIL CASES PENDING THREE YEARS OR MORE

On June 30, 1977 there were fourteen district courts which had 200 or more civil cases which were pending three years or more. Massachusetts again leads the list of these districts with a three-year-old backlog of 2,402 cases. New York, Southern with the second largest backlog of such cases had 724 three-year- old cases pending on June 30, 1977. Each of the 14 districts are shown in the following table.

Among those districts which had 200 or more pending civil cases at the close of June last year, only New York, Southern and Illinois, Northern managed to decrease the number of such

TABLE 15
AGE OF CIVIL CASES[1] PENDING JUNE 30, STATISTICAL YEARS 1961 - 1977

Fiscal year	Total cases pending	Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	2 to 3 years	3 years and over	
					Number	Percent
1961.....	61,085	33,703	14,910	6,401	6,071	9.9
1962.....	64,723	36,720	15,261	7,035	5,707	8.8
1963.....	66,130	36,903	[illegible] 791	6,890	5,546	8.4
1964.....	69,701	38,636	16,204	8,803	6,058	8.7
1965.....	71,941	40,113	16,861	8,341	6,626	9.2
1966.....	76,607	42,094	18,300	8,786	7,427	9.7
1967.....	77,575	41,430	18,893	9,122	8,130	10.5
1968.....	80,245	43,517	19,338	9,149	8,241	10.3
1969.....	83,957	46,436	20,006	9,268	8,247	9.8
1970.....	90,932	52,303	21,012	9,613	8,004	8.8
1971.....	97,799	55,261	23,141	10,375	9,022	9.2
1972.....	99,114	57,363	22,674	10,393	8,684	8.8
1973.....	99,437	58,957	23,036	9,842	7,602	7.6
1974.....	105,349	63,850	24,022	10,125	7,352	7.0
1975.....	117,491	73,692	25,999	10,237	7,563	6.4
1976.....	136,753	82,051	32,522	12,644	9,414	6.9
1977.....	149,035	83,013	37,425	16,762	11,835	7.9
Percent change: 1977 over 1976.....	9.0	1.2	14.7	32.6	25.7	-

[1] Excludes land condemnation cases.

TABLE 16
CIVIL CASES PENDING 3 YEARS OR MORE, AS OF JUNE 30, 1977
BY JURISDICTION AND NATURE OF SUIT
(LAND CONDEMNATION CASES EXCLUDED)

NATURE OF SUIT	THREE YEAR OLD CASES PENDING		U.S. CASES		PRIVATE CASES		
	JUNE 30, 1976	JUNE 30, 1977	PLAINTIFF	DEFENDANT	FEDERAL QUESTION	DIVERSITY OF CITIZENSHIP	LOCAL JURISDICTION
TOTAL CASES	9,414	11,835	700	1,067	7,100	2,736	232
CONTRACT ACTIONS, TOTAL	1,798	1,955	108	87	272	1,415	73
INSURANCE	203	206	-	3	2	199	2
MARINE	196	211	3	6	202	-	-
MILLER ACT	49	58	-	-	58	-	-
NEGOTIABLE INSTRUMENTS	124	134	56	2	-	73	3
RECOVERY OF OVERPAYMENTS AND ENFORCEMENT OF JUDGMENTS	12	16	2	-	-	14	-
OTHER CONTRACT ACTIONS	1,214	1,330	47	76	10	1,129	68
REAL PROPERTY ACTIONS, TOTAL	221	257	65	62	25	79	26
CONDEMNATION OF LAND	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
FORECLOSURE	28	47	36	-	2	5	4
RENT, LEASE, AND EJECTMENT	23	25	8	8	1	5	3
TORTS TO LAND	97	93	10	26	19	37	1
OTHER REAL PROPERTY ACTIONS	73	92	11	28	3	32	18
TORT ACTIONS, TOTAL	1,758	2,083	19	263	521	1,240	40
PERSONAL INJURY:							
AIRPLANE	143	181	-	48	19	112	2
ASSAULT, LIBEL, AND SLANDER	73	84	-	7	1	68	8
EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY ACT	83	74	-	-	74	-	-
MARINE	349	353	-	10	249	94	-
MOTOR VEHICLE	325	369	-	46	1	315	7
MEDICAL MALPRACTICE	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
OTHER PERSONAL INJURY	521	676	-	136	2	525	13
PERSONAL PROPERTY DAMAGE:							
FRAUD INCLUDING TRUTH IN LENDING	116	189	16	2	94	72	5
OTHER PERSONAL PROPERTY DAMAGE	148	157	3	14	81	54	5
ACTIONS UNDER STATUTES, TOTAL	5,419	7,368	501	641	6,221	-	5
ANTITRUST	562	547	23	2	522	-	-
BANKRUPTCY SUITS:							
TRUSTEE	87	63	-	-	63	-	-
TRANSFER (915B)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
APPEAL (801)	-	2	-	-	2	-	-
BANKS AND BANKING	18	33	2	9	22	-	-
CIVIL RIGHTS:							
VOTING	8	11	1	-	10	-	-
JOBS	309	549	45	50	454	-	-
ACCOMMODATIONS	23	27	4	4	19	-	-
WELFARE	25	39	-	4	35	-	-
OTHER CIVIL RIGHTS	689	807	26	56	725	-	-
COMMERCE (ICC RATES, ETC.)	746	1,681	2	14	1,665	-	-
NARCOTIC ADDICT REHABILITATION ACT	4	3	3	-	-	-	-
ECONOMIC STABILIZATION ACT	3	8	3	3	2	-	-
ENVIRONMENTAL MATTERS	34	47	14	22	11	-	-

TABLE 16
CIVIL CASES PENDING 3 YEARS OR MORE, AS OF JUNE 30, 1977
BY JURISDICTION AND NATURE OF SUIT
(LAND CONDEMNATION CASES EXCLUDED)

NATURE OF SUIT	THREE YEAR OLD CASES PENDING		U.S. CASES		PRIVATE CASES		
	JUNE 30, 1976	JUNE 30, 1977	PLAINTIFF	DEFENDANT	FEDERAL QUESTION	DIVERSITY OF CITIZENSHIP	LOCAL JURISDICTION
ACTIONS UNDER STATUTES, CONTINUED							
DEPORTATION	5	2	-	2	-	-	-
PRISONER PETITIONS:							
MOTIONS TO VACATE SENTENCE	16	22	-	22	-	-	-
PAROLE COMMISSION REVIEW	3	4	-	4	-	-	-
PRISON OFFICIALS - HABEAUS CORPUS	133	176	-	14	159	-	3
PRISON OFFICIALS - MANDAMUS, ETC	63	47	-	12	35	-	-
CIVIL RIGHTS	556	768	-	23	745	-	-
FORFEITURE AND PENALTY:							
AGRICULTURAL ACTS	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
FOOD AND DRUG ACT	9	9	9	-	-	-	-
LIQUOR LAWS	2	2	2	-	-	-	-
RAILROAD AND TRUCKING REQULATIONS	1	1	1	-	-	-	-
AIR TRAFFIC REGULATIONS	2	1	1	-	-	-	-
OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH ACT	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
OTHER FORFEITURE AND PENALTY SUITS	69	67	67	-	-	-	-
LABOR LAWS:							
FAIR LABOR STANDARDS ACT	92	123	76	-	47	-	-
LABOR MANAGEMENT RELATIONS ACT	216	336	5	1	330	-	-
LABOR MANAGEMENT REPORTING AND DISCLOSURE ACT	15	20	3	-	17	-	-
RAILWAY LABOR ACT	21	20	1	1	18	-	-
OTHER LABOR LITIGATION	7	17	2	5	10	-	-
PROTECTED PROPERTY RIGHTS:							
COPYRIGHT	41	44	-	-	44	-	-
PATENT	232	221	1	3	217	-	-
TRADEMARK	33	38	-	-	38	-	-
SECURITIES, COMMODITIES, AND EXCHANGES	834	1,007	46	1	960	-	-
SOCIAL SECURITY LAWS:							
BLACK LUNG CASES	-	6	-	6	-	-	-
OTHER	80	88	-	88	-	-	-
STATE REAPPORTIONMENT SUITS	2	4	-	-	4	-	-
TAX SUITS	263	262	56	204	-	-	2
OTHER STATUTORY ACTIONS	216	265	107	91	67	-	-
OTHER ACTIONS, TOTAL	218	172	7	14	61	2	88
DOMESTIC RELATIONS	11	14	-	-	-	-	14
INSANITY	6	6	-	-	-	-	6
PROBATE	103	51	-	-	-	-	51
SUITS INVOLVING LOCAL OFFICIALS	47	67	-	2	59	2	4
OTHER	51	34	7	12	2	-	13

cases this year. These two decreased their old pending cases by 144 cases and 26 cases respectively.

FIGURE 8
DISTRICTS WITH 200 OR MORE CIVIL CASES PENDING THREE YEARS OR MORE ON JUNE 30, 1977

District	1976	1977	Percent Change
Massachusetts	1,321	2,402	81.8
New York, Southern	868	724	-16.6
Florida, Middle	285	438	53.7
California, Central	306	417	36.3
New York, Eastern	358	379	5.9
Texas, Southern	304	379	24.7
West Virginia, Southern	202	294	45.5
Louisiana, Eastern	186	256	37.6
Michigan, Eastern	215	252	17.2
Illinois, Northern	264	238	-9.8
New York, Western	188	235	25.0
California, Northern	230	230	-
Connecticut	154	220	42.9
Arizona	146	200	37.0

CIVIL TERMINATIONS IN THE DISTRICT COURTS

For the year ended June 30, 1977 the number of case terminations in the district courts rose by 6.3% over the 110,175 terminations recorded last period. However, this year's terminations of 117,150 fell short of the number of filings by 13,417 cases.

Five tables in the Appendix, C-4, C-4a, C-5, C-5a, and C-5b, show civil cases terminated for the year ended June 30, 1977 by type of litigation, district and method of disposition. The proportion of those cases terminated which required court action has averaged about 60% during the last nine years. Though this average has stayed about the same, the percentage of civil cases reaching trial continued to decline to 7.8% this period. This is slightly lower than the 8.1% of last period and is the lowest percentage recorded in at least the last nine years.

TABLE 17
CIVIL CASES TERMINATED BY ACTION TAKEN, 1969 - 1977
(LAND CONDEMNATION CASES OMITTED)

Statistical year	Total	Percent no court action	Percent with court action	Percent of total reaching trial
1969.....	72,461	39.4	60.6	10.8
1970.....	79,466	39.0	60.9	10.0
1971.....	85,638	39.5	60.5	9.3
1972.....	94,256	39.7	60.3	9.0
1973.....	97,402	40.8	59.2	8.4
1974.....	96,701	37.1	62.9	8.7
1975.....	103,787	37.8	62.2	8.4
1976.....	108,298	38.5	61.5	8.2
1977.....	115,484	39.2	60.8	7.8

TERMINATIONS BY NATURE OF SUIT

Table C-4 in the appendix shows the method of disposition for major categories of civil litigation. The proportion of cases reaching trial ranged from 0.3% for social security cases to a high of 21.7% for marine personal injury cases.

Trial activity was also high for U.S. antitrust cases with 16.3% of such cases reaching trial, and for private civil rights cases in which 14.2% reached trial.

MEDIAN TIME TO DISPOSE OF CIVIL CASES REMAINS AT 9 MONTHS

Appendix Table C-5 shows for each district the median time interval for civil cases closed, with certain exclusions, for the period ended June 30, 1977. The overall median was 9 months, the same as in the past three years.

Four districts managed to record a low median time of only 5 months from filing to disposition of all civil cases. These four districts were: Alabama, Middle; Florida, Northern; Florida, Southern; and Tennessee, Eastern.

This year 6 districts recorded median times of more than 15 months. Guam led all districts with a median figure of 30 months from filing to disposition for all civil cases. The District of Massachusetts, last year's leader, recorded a median of 26 months while West Virginia, Southern; Indiana, Northern; and Michigan, Western all recorded medians of 16 months. Arkansas, Western recorded a median of 15 months.

Tables C-5a and C-5b in the appendix show by nature of suit and method of disposition the median time interval from filing to disposition of civil cases terminated for the year ended June 30, 1977. Exclusive of local jurisdiction cases the longest median time was for U.S. antitrust cases. The 43 such cases terminated during this period had a median time from filing to disposition of 22 months. This compares to a median of 15 months for this same class of cases last year. Private antitrust action, with a median of 16 months from filing to disposition, showed the second largest median time interval.

Prisoner petitions which had medians last year that ranged from 1 to 3 months, experienced an increase in that range this year. The range this year was from 2 to 4 months. Again Parole Commission Reviews and state prisoner civil rights petitions, each showed the longest medians among these cases this period.

TABLE 18
PRISONER PETITIONS FILED IN THE U. S. DISTRICT COURTS
STATISTICAL YEARS 1970 - 1977

Type of petition	Statistical Years								Percent Change	
	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977	1977 Over 1970	1977 Over 1976
Total all petitions.....	15,997	16,266	16,267	17,218	18,410	19,307	19,809	19,537	22.1	-1.4
Petitions by Federal prisoners.	4,185	4,121	4,179	4,535	4,987	5,047	4,780	4,691	12.1	-1.9
Parole Commission reviews.....	232	202	268	466	371	662	538	237	2.2	-55.9
Motions to vacate sentence.....	1,729	1,335	1,591	1,722	1,822	1,690	1,693	1,921	11.1	13.5
Habeas corpus.....	1,600	1,671	1,368	1,294	1,718	1,682	1,421	1,508	-5.8	6.1
Other prisoner petitions.....	624	913	952	1,053	1,076	1,013	1,128	1,025	64.3	-9.1
Mandamus, etc.....	488	699	700	639	631	535	626	542	11.1	-13.4
Civil rights.....	136	214	252	414	445	478	502	483	255.1	-3.8
Petitions by state prisoners...	11,812	12,145	12,088	12,683	13,423	14,260	15,029	14,846	25.7	-1.2
Habeas corpus.....	9,063	8,372	7,949	7,784	7,626	7,843	7,833	6,866	-24.2	-12.3
Other prisoner petitions.....	2,749	3,773	4,139	4,899	5,797	6,417	7,196	7,980	190.3	10.9
Mandamus, etc.....	719	858	791	725	561	289	238	228	-68.3	-4.2
Civil rights.....	2,030	2,915	3,348	4,174	5,236	6,128	6,958	7,752	281.9	11.4

TABLE 19
CIVIL CASES FILED IN THE U. S. DISTRICT COURTS SHOWING PRISONER PETITIONS, STATISTICAL YEARS 1960 - 1977

Statistical year	All civil filings		United States civil		Private civil	
	Total	Prisoner petitions only	Total	Prisoner petitions only	Total	Prisoner petitions only
1960.....	59,284	2,177	20,840	1,305	38,444	872
1961.....	58,293	2,609	19,843	1,589	38,450	1,020
1962.....	61,836	2,948	20,298	1,496	41,538	1,452
1963.....	63,630	4,254	21,385	1,630	42,245	2,624
1964.....	66,930	6,240	22,268	2,098	44,662	4,142
1965.....	67,678	7,888	21,651	2,559	46,027	5,329
1966.....	70,906	8,540	23,181	2,292	47,725	6,248
1967.....	70,961	10,443	21,593	2,639	49,368	7,804
1968.....	71,449	11,152	19,666	2,851	51,783	8,301
1969.....	77,193	12,924	22,295	3,612	54,898	9,312
1970.....	87,321	15,997	24,965	4,185	62,356	11,812
1971.....	93,396	16,266	25,086	4,121	68,310	12,145
1972.....	96,173	16,267	26,729	4,179	69,444	12,088
1973.....	98,560	17,218	27,484	4,535	71,076	12,683
1974.....	103,530	18,410	27,585	4,987	75,945	13,423
1975.....	117,320	19,307	31,779	5,047	85,541	14,260
1976.....	130,597	19,809	39,864	4,780	90,733	15,029
1977.....	130,567	19,537	40,210	4,691	90,357	14,846
Percent						
1977 over 1960....	120.2	797.4	92.9	259.5	135.0	1,602.5
1977 over 1976....	-	-1.4	0.9	-1.9	-0.4	-1.2

Land condemnation cases which showed a median of 6 months in 1976 recorded a median of 12 months for the year ended June 30, 1977.

PRISONER PETITIONS DROP SLIGHT 1.4%

As shown in the accompanying table petitions filed by State and Federal prisoners fell slightly this year by 1.4%. Both Federal and State prisoner petitions experienced slight decreases of under 2%.

U. S. Parole Commission Review, after a sharp decrease of -18.7% last year, dropped substantially again this year by over 55%. This was the major contributor to the overall drop in Federal petitions, as both motions to vacate sentence and habeas corpus cases increased by 13.5% and 6.1% respectively.

Among State prisoner petitions, habeas corpus cases continued to drop. Last year the decrease was less than 1%; however, these cases decreased by more than 12% during the present 12-month period.

Petitions filed by State and Federal prisoners continue to represent a significant portion of the workload of the U. S. District Courts. During the current twelve month period prisoner petitions represented 15% of all civil filings, slightly below the 15.2% recorded last year.

ANTITRUST CASES INCREASE 7.3%

For the second year in a row antitrust cases filed in the district courts increased by 7.3%. The 1,689 such cases filed during the year ended June 30, 1977 were 115 cases greater than the number filed in the previous year. The current year's filings were the highest number recorded in the last 17 years, except for 1962 when 1,739 of the 2,079 cases involved the electrical equipment industry.

Civil antitrust cases involving the U.S. government dropped again this year and numbered only 47 cases. However, criminal antitrust cases rose from only 19 cases last year to 31 during the year ended June 30, 1977. Antitrust suits in the private sector rose by 7.1% this year.

Civil antitrust filing and pending figures by district can be found in Appendix Tables C-3 and C-3a. A review of those tables shows that five districts account for approximately one-third of all the civil antitrust filings and pending cases. The Northern District of California leads all districts with 291

TABLE 20
ANTITRUST CASES COMMENCED, STATISTICAL YEARS 1960 - 1977

Statistical year	Total	Government cases		Private cases	
		Civil	Criminal	Electrical equipment industry	Other and (transferred)[4]
1960	315	60	27	-	228
1961	441	42[1]	21	37	341
1962	2,079	41[1]	33	1,739	266
1963	457	52[1]	25	97	283
1964	446	59	24	46	317
1965	521	38	11	29[2]	443
1966	770	36	12	278[3]	444
1967	598	39	16	7[3]	536
1968	718	48	11	-	659
1969	797	43	14	-	740
1970	933	52	4	-	877
1971	1,515	60	10	-	1,445 (442)
1972	1,393	80	14	-	1,299 (96)
1973	1,224	54	18	-	1,152 (63)
1974	1,294	40	24	-	1,230 (68)
1975	1,467	56	36	-	1,375 (41)
1976	1,574	51	19	-	1,504 (88)
1977	1,689	47	31	-	1,611 (83)

[1] Includes 9 U.S. electrical industry cases filed in 1961, 2 in 1962, and 3 in 1963.
[2] Includes 26 cases transferred under 28 U.S.C. 1404(a).
[3] All cases were transferred under 28 U.S.C. 1404(a).
[4] Antitrust cases transferred under 28 U.S.C. 1407.

pending antitrust cases. This district is followed closely by Illinois, Northern with 242, New York, Southern with 203. California, Central and Pennsylvania, Eastern had 148 and 135 pending antitrust cases, respectively.

I.C.C. CASES DROP

After several years of increasing filings, Interstate Commerce Commission regulation cases fell by nearly 42% this year. A large majority of these cases, 77% last year and 69% this year, are filed in Massachusetts. The overall decrease came as a result of a 47% decline in such cases in Massachusetts.

On a nationwide basis I.C.C. cases account for approximately 2% of all case filings. In Massachusetts these cases represent 43% of the filings and terminations and nearly 64% of the pending caseload. The accompanying figure shows the impact of these cases on the overall civil caseload.

FIGURE 9
CASE FLOW OF I.C.C. CASES IN UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURTS
STATISTICAL YEARS 1976 AND 1977

Type	Year Ended June 30					
	1976			1977		
		I.C.C. only			I.C.C. only	
	Total	Number	Percent of total	Total	Number	Percent of total
94 district courts						
Filed.....	130,597	4,113	3.1	130,567	2,398	1.8
Terminated.....	110,175	2,631	2.4	117,150	1,932	1.6
Pending on June 30.	140,189	8,743	6.2	153,606	9,209	6.0
93 district courts						
Filed.....	125,319	958	0.8	126,656	733	0.6
Terminated.....	106,637	803	0.8	114,401	754	0.7
Pending on June 30.	128,027	739	0.6	140,282	718	0.5
Massachusetts only						
Filed.....	5,278	3,155	59.8	3,911	1,665	42.6
Terminated.....	3,538	1,828	51.7	2,749	1,178	42.9
Pending on June 30.	12,162	8,004	65.8	13,324	8,491	63.7

LAND CONDEMNATION

The number of land condemnation cases filed in the district courts, which had been increasing over the last three years, decreased this year by 7.7%. The increase over the last two years was partially a result of the March 1975 Judicial Conference Guidelines for docketing such cases. These guidelines tended to

TABLE 21
UNITED STATES PLAINTIFF LAND CONDEMNATION CASES FILED, TERMINATED, AND PENDING ON JUNE 30, STATISTICAL YEARS 1962 - 1977

Statistical Year	Land condemnation cases			Increase or decrease in pending cases
	Filed	Terminated	Pending June 30	
1962.....	963	832	3,016	-
1963.....	1,052	1,235	2,833	-183
1964.....	960	1,271	2,522	-311
1965.....	847	962	2,407	-115
1966.....	779	893	2,293	-114
1967.....	698	830	2,161	-132
1968.....	796	319	2,138	- 32
1969.....	904	789	2,253	+115
1970.....	721	893	2,081	-172
1971.....	787	810	2,058	- 23
1972.....	518	819	1,757	-301
1973.....	752	760	1,749	- 8
1974.....	833	838	1,744	- 5
1975.....	1,280	929	2,095	+351
1976.....	2,958	1,775	3,278	+1,183
1977.....	2,730	1,588	4,420	+1,142
Percent Change 1977 over 1976.....	-7.7	-10.5	34.8	

increase the number of docketed cases even though there may have been no true increase in land condemnation activity by the Department of Justice.

During the current year there were 2,730 land condemnation cases filed in the district courts. Approximately 57% of those cases were filed in the Southern District of Florida where the government has been very heavily involved in land condemnation over the last three years. In this district these cases make-up 36% of all civil case filings and more than 45% of the pending civil caseload. Figure 10 illustrates the effect of land condemnation cases on this district.

FIGURE 10
CASE FLOW OF GOVERNMENT LAND CONDEMNATION CASES
STATISTICAL YEARS 1976 AND 1977

Type	Number	Land condemnation only	Percent of total
94 district courts			
Filed.....	130,567	2,730	2.1
Pending on June 30.....	153,606	4,444	2.9
93 district courts			
Filed.....	126,259	1,180	0.9
Pending on June 30.....	149,856	2,750	1.8
Florida, Southern			
Filed.....	4,308	1,550	36.0
Pending on June 30.....	3,750	1,694	45.2

PRODUCT LIABILITY SUITS

Over the past two years (years ended June 30, 1975 and 1976), suits alleging product liability increased by nearly 83 and 28 percent, respectively. The 10.3% increase for the period ended June 30, 1977 is modest by comparison. However, these suits continue to rise and now number more than 4,000 cases.

Again the bulk, 83%, of the product liability suits involved personal injuries due to malfunctioning household appliances, tools, and other manufactured products. The remaining 17% were contract actions involving breach of warranties, personal property damage and real property damage.

TABLE 32
PRODUCT LIABILITY CASES COMMENCED BY NATURE OF SUIT
FOR THE TWELVE MONTH PERIODS ENDED JUNE 30, 1976 AND 1977

CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1976	PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977							
						PERSONAL INJURY			
		TOTAL	CONTRACT ACTIONS	TORTS TO LAND	PROPERTY DAMAGE	AIRLINE	MARINE	MOTOR VEHICLE	OTHER
TOTAL ALL DISTRICTS..	3,696	4,077	405	50	256	198	149	372	2,647
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.	36	21	2	-	-	-	-	4	15
FIRST CIRCUIT.....	231	193	16	1	6	5	14	15	136
MAINE.....	9	5	3	-	-	-	-	-	2
MASSACHUSETTS.....	109	105	7	-	2	2	2	8	84
NEW HAMPSHIRE.....	52	33	-	-	3	1	-	2	27
RHODE ISLAND.....	22	21	2	-	-	1	-	3	15
PUERTO RICO.....	39	29	4	1	1	1	12	2	8
SECOND CIRCUIT....	257	294	23	2	10	20	90	11	138
CONNECTICUT.....	34	62	2	1	2	4	1	1	51
NEW YORK NORTHERN....	11	13	1	-	1	1	-	1	9
NEW YORK EASTERN.....	105	131	4	1	2	3	87	4	30
NEW YORK SOUTHERN....	72	54	7	-	4	12	2	5	24
NEW YORK WESTERN.....	19	12	3	-	1	-	-	-	8
VERMONT.....	16	22	6	-	-	-	-	-	16
THIRD CIRCUIT.....	466	522	45	7	44	22	2	41	361
DELAWARE.....	5	13	2	-	2	-	-	1	8
NEW JERSEY.....	76	77	10	-	2	5	1	6	53
PENNSYLVANIA EASTERN.	264	304	21	4	31	3	1	22	222
PENNSYLVANIA MIDDLE..	35	48	4	1	5	3	-	4	31
PENNSYLVANIA WESTERN.	51	61	5	1	4	2	-	7	42
VIRGIN ISLANDS.....	35	19	3	1	-	9	-	1	5
FOURTH CIRCUIT....	310	348	40	5	22	8	3	33	237
MARYLAND.....	34	39	8	1	2	3	1	5	19
NO. CAROLINA EASTERN.	11	10	1	2	-	1	-	-	6
NO. CAROLINA MIDDLE..	10	7	1	-	2	-	-	-	4
NO. CAROLINA WESTERN.	13	11	-	-	2	1	-	-	8
SOUTH CAROLINA.....	116	138	15	2	9	2	1	16	93
VIRGINIA EASTERN.....	49	74	7	-	2	1	1	5	58
VIRGINIA WESTERN.....	29	30	5	-	3	-	-	4	18
W. VIRGINIA NORTHERN.	12	12	-	-	2	-	-	-	10
W. VIRGINIA SOUTHERN.	36	27	3	-	-	-	-	3	21
FIFTH CIRCUIT.....	736	861	100	13	57	30	28	113	520
ALABAMA NORTHERN.....	71	76	12	1	1	4	1	8	49
ALABAMA MIDDLE.....	17	16	7	1	1	2	-	2	3
ALABAMA SOUTHERN.....	8	14	1	-	2	-	-	-	11
FLORIDA NORTHERN.....	5	10	2	-	2	1	-	-	5
FLORIDA MIDDLE.....	21	40	5	-	-	1	1	5	28
FLORIDA SOUTHERN.....	59	41	8	-	1	5	4	-	23
GEORGIA NORTHERN.....	38	57	8	1	4	1	-	6	37
GEORGIA MIDDLE.....	11	20	-	1	-	-	-	4	15
GEORGIA SOUTHERN.....	16	27	4	-	3	1	-	5	14
LOUISIANA EASTERN....	85	123	10	1	18	2	11	22	59
LOUISIANA MIDDLE.....	6	12	2	-	-	-	-	-	10
LOUISIANA WESTERN....	43	45	6	1	2	2	3	11	20
MISSISSIPPI NORTHERN.	24	19	3	2	4	-	-	-	10
MISSISSIPPI SOUTHERN.	46	50	3	1	2	-	1	5	38
TEXAS NORTHERN.....	105	113	10	2	5	5	-	22	69
TEXAS EASTERN.....	106	99	5	2	3	3	4	13	69
TEXAS SOUTHERN.....	35	62	10	-	6	3	2	4	37
TEXAS WESTERN.....	40	35	3	-	3	-	1	6	22
CANAL ZONE.....	-	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	1

TABLE 22
PRODUCT LIABILITY CASES COMMENCED BY NATURE OF SUIT
FOR THE TWELVE MONTH PERIODS ENDED JUNE 30, 1976 AND 1977

CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1976	PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977							
						PERSONAL INJURY			
		TOTAL	CONTRACT ACTIONS	TORTS TO LAND	PROPERTY DAMAGE	AIRLINE	MARINE	MOTOR VEHICLE	OTHER
SIXTH CIRCUIT.....	418	459	49	4	25	15	2	46	318
KENTUCKY EASTERN.....	16	18	1	-	1	-	-	2	14
KENTUCKY WESTERN.....	12	15	1	-	1	-	-	3	10
MICHIGAN EASTERN.....	140	183	12	1	9	3	2	9	147
MICHIGAN WESTERN.....	34	32	2	1	2	-	-	1	26
OHIO NORTHERN.....	110	85	15	1	2	5	-	8	54
OHIO SOUTHERN.....	21	26	5	-	2	1	-	2	16
TENNESSEE EASTERN....	44	49	2	1	4	5	-	10	27
TENNESSEE MIDDLE.....	23	27	4	-	3	1	-	6	13
TENNESSEE WESTERN....	18	24	7	-	1	-	-	5	11
SEVENTH CIRCUIT...	228	239	27	3	18	9	1	23	158
ILLINOIS NORTHERN....	55	55	9	-	5	5	1	6	29
ILLINOIS EASTERN.....	19	15	2	-	-	-	-	3	10
ILLINOIS SOUTHERN....	19	23	1	-	2	-	-	3	17
INDIANA NORTHERN.....	29	46	5	1	3	3	-	4	30
INDIANA SOUTHERN.....	67	62	7	-	5	1	-	3	46
WISCONSIN EASTERN....	22	19	1	-	2	-	-	2	14
WISCONSIN WESTERN....	17	19	2	2	1	-	-	2	12
EIGHTH CIRCUIT....	309	408	45	5	29	8	-	26	295
ARKANSAS EASTERN.....	35	36	1	1	4	-	-	4	26
ARKANSAS WESTERN.....	24	31	4	1	1	-	-	1	24
IOWA NORTHERN.....	16	20	1	-	2	1	-	2	14
IOWA SOUTHERN.....	18	27	5	-	4	-	-	2	16
MINNESOTA.....	77	118	10	1	6	3	-	3	95
MISSOURI EASTERN.....	53	53	7	-	1	1	-	9	35
MISSOURI WESTERN.....	32	54	5	-	4	3	-	3	39
NEBRASKA.....	37	35	3	-	4	-	-	2	26
NORTH DAKOTA.....	6	13	2	1	-	-	-	-	10
SOUTH DAKOTA.....	11	21	7	1	3	-	-	-	10
NINTH CIRCUIT.....	314	304	37	5	24	57	7	33	141
ALASKA.....	17	14	1	-	1	6	-	-	6
ARIZONA.....	14	23	5	-	1	4	-	4	9
CALIFORNIA NORTHERN..	43	39	3	1	3	8	2	-	22
CALIFORNIA EASTERN...	27	25	-	-	3	4	1	1	16
CALIFORNIA CENTRAL...	57	63	4	1	6	22	4	3	23
CALIFORNIA SOUTHERN..	6	6	-	-	-	1	-	1	4
HAWAII.....	8	13	3	-	-	2	-	2	6
IDAHO.....	11	15	3	1	2	-	-	1	8
MONTANA.....	24	23	1	2	3	1	-	4	12
NEVADA.....	22	6	-	-	-	1	-	2	3
OREGON.....	53	42	10	-	2	1	-	8	21
WASHINGTON EASTERN...	12	11	1	-	1	2	-	3	4
WASHINGTON WESTERN...	20	21	6	-	2	2	-	4	7
GUAM.....	-	3	-	-	-	3	-	-	-
TENTH CIRCUIT.....	397	428	21	5	21	24	2	27	328
COLORADO.....	38	37	4	-	3	4	-	6	20
KANSAS.....	228	236	9	2	8	9	-	2	206
NEW MEXICO.....	18	17	1	2	1	-	1	2	10
OKLAHOMA NORTHERN....	21	27	2	1	1	3	-	1	19
OKLAHOMA EASTERN.....	10	15	1	-	2	-	-	1	11
OKLAHOMA WESTERN.....	62	66	1	-	5	1	-	12	47
UTAH.....	12	19	2	-	-	7	-	1	9
WYOMING.....	8	11	1	-	1	-	1	2	6

Eastern, Pennsylvania continues to lead in the number of product liability cases filed, with 304 filings. Kansas, which recorded only 53 product liability cases in 1975, recorded 228 in 1976 and during the current year increased to 236 cases.

ENVIRONMENTAL MATTERS, ECONOMIC STABILIZATION ACT AND ENERGY ALLOCATION LITIGATION

Suits filed under the Energy Allocation Act, after declining by 21% last year, grew by 7% during the 12-months ended June 30, 1977. Economic Stabilization Act cases experienced no change at all, as the same number of cases were filed this year and last. Environmental matters, which experienced a substantial increase of 23% last year dropped during the current year by nearly 4%. These suits include any cases filed under the National Environmental Policy Act and any other environmental allegations pertaining to air, water, solid waste, pesticides, radiation, and noise pollution.

There were eight districts with 13 or more filings which involved environmental matters: Texas, Southern with 45; District of Columbia with 35; New Jersey with 17; Louisiana, Western with 15; Washington, Western and Lousisiana Eastern with 14 each and New York, Southern and Florida, Southern with 13 each. These eight districts accounted for 166 or 34.6% of the 480 environmental matters filed during the year ended June 30, 1977.

TRUTH-IN-LENDING CASES

The accompanying table shows by district for the years 1974 through 1977 the volume of cases alleging violations of the Truth-in- Lending Act which are classified in the appendix tables under Federal question jurisidiction as a personal property (fraud) litigation.

For the year ended June 30, 1977 truth-in-lending case filings increased slightly from 2,147 to 2,183 or 1.7%. The Northern District of Georgia, which since 1972 has led the country in the number of such cases, experienced a decrease from 507 cases last year to 379 during the current year, a drop of 25%. The number of such cases filed in Connecticut rose by more than 67% and this district now ranks next to Georgia, Northern in truth in lending filings. These two districts and the Eastern District of Louisiana accounted for nearly 40% of the 2,183 cases filed during the year ended June 30, 1977.

EMPLOYMENT CIVIL RIGHTS

Although employment civil rights filings continued to rise during the current year, the rate of increase has slowed considerably from previous years. Last year these cases increased by 35% and two years ago they rose by 59%. However, during the current year employment cases rose to 5,931 from the 5,321 filed last year, an increase of only 11.5%. Compare to only five years ago these filings have increased by nearly 500%.

The Southern District of Texas continued to lead the nation in the number of employment civil rights filings with 315 cases this year. Five other districts had more than 200 such filings. These were: California Northern with 259, District of Columbia and Illinois Northern each with 224, Ohio Northern with 217, and Michigan Eastern with 201.

The number of employment civil rights cases filed is shown by district in the accompanying table.

SOCIAL SECURITY ACT LITIGATION - BLACK LUNG

As shown in the accompanying table Social Security Act filings decreased 2.5% this year. However, this drop should not over shadow the fact that the 10,095 Social Security Act case filings made up nearly 8% of the total civil cases filed this period. These cases arise as a result of denials of benefits under administrative regulations established by the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare.

The decrease in Social Security Act filings was brought about as a result of a 52% decrease in the filing of cases which involve denials of black lung disability benefits. These cases which rose to a high of 4,908 last year dropped to 2,365 during the current year. Exclusive of black lung cases, social security filings increased substantially by 42%.

The two accompanying tables show Social Security Act filings and black lung filings by district. Four of these districts - Kentucky, Eastern; West Virginia, Southern; Virginia, Western; and Pennsylvania Middle - accounted for 25% of all social security filings and 73% of the black lung cases only.

TABLE 23
ENVIRONMENTAL, ECONOMIC STABILIZATION ACT AND ENERGY ALLOCATION ACT CASES COMMENCED, STATISTICAL YEARS 1976 - 1977

CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	ENVIRONMENTAL MATTERS		ECONOMIC STABILIZATION ACT		ENERGY ALLOCATION	
	1976	1977	1976	1977	1976	1977
TOTAL ALL DISTRICTS..	499	480	30	30	85	91
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.	38	35	-	1	13	5
FIRST CIRCUIT.....	40	25	4	-	1	5
MAINE.....	1	2	-	-	-	-
MASSACHUSETTS.....	20	8	4	-	1	4
NEW HAMPSHIRE.....	2	7	-	-	-	1
RHODE ISLAND.....	1	6	-	-	-	-
PUERTO RICO.....	16	2	-	-	-	-
SECOND CIRCUIT....	39	32	1	2	4	8
CONNECTICUT.....	5	7	-	-	-	1
NEW YORK NORTHERN....	4	4	-	1	-	3
NEW YORK EASTERN.....	13	3	-	-	-	1
NEW YORK SOUTHERN....	15	13	1	1	4	2
NEW YORK WESTERN.....	1	4	-	-	-	1
VERMONT.....	1	1	-	-	-	-
THIRD CIRCUIT.....	41	33	4	-	8	7
DELAWARE.....	-	5	-	-	1	6
NEW JERSEY.....	12	17	1	-	2	1
PENNSYLVANIA EASTERN.	23	6	1	-	4	-
PENNSYLVANIA MIDDLE..	3	2	-	-	-	-
PENNSYLVANIA WESTERN.	2	3	2	-	1	-
VIRGIN ISLANDS.....	1	-	-	-	-	-
FOURTH CIRCUIT....	47	47	2	2	5	-
MARYLAND.....	5	4	1	1	2	-
NO. CAROLINA EASTERN.	13	5	-	-	-	-
NO. CAROLINA MIDDLE..	3	1	-	-	-	-
NO. CAROLINA WESTERN.	1	4	-	-	-	-
SOUTH CAROLINA.....	13	8	-	1	1	-
VIRGINIA EASTERN.....	9	7	1	-	1	-
VIRGINIA WESTERN.....	1	4	-	-	-	-
W. VIRGINIA NORTHERN.	-	6	-	-	1	-
W. VIRGINIA SOUTHERN.	2	8	-	-	-	-
FIFTH CIRCUIT.....	103	126	5	5	15	19
ALABAMA NORTHERN.....	6	9	-	-	-	-
ALABAMA MIDDLE.....	3	-	-	-	-	-
ALABAMA SOUTHERN.....	3	1	-	-	-	-
FLORIDA NORTHERN.....	6	2	-	-	-	-
FLORIDA MIDDLE.....	12	11	1	-	-	-
FLORIDA SOUTHERN.....	18	13	-	-	-	1
GEORGIA NORTHERN.....	8	6	-	-	1	-
GEORGIA MIDDLE.....	-	-	-	-	-	-
GEORGIA SOUTHERN.....	2	1	-	-	-	2
LOUISIANA EASTERN....	8	14	1	-	-	2
LOUISIANA MIDDLE.....	2	1	-	-	-	-
LOUISIANA WESTERN....	17	15	-	-	-	2
MISSISSIPPI NORTHERN.	1	2	-	-	-	-
MISSISSIPPI SOUTHERN.	1	3	1	-	-	-
TEXAS NORTHERN.....	1	-	1	-	6	2
TEXAS EASTERN.....	2	3	-	3	-	3
TEXAS SOUTHERN.....	12	45	1	1	6	7
TEXAS WESTERN.....	1	-	-	1	2	-
CANAL ZONE.....	-	-	-	-	-	-

TABLE 23
ENVIRONMENTAL, ECONOMIC STABILIZATION ACT AND ENERGY ALLOCATION ACT CASES COMMENCED, STATISTICAL YEARS 1976 AND 1977

CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	ENVIRONMENTAL MATTERS		ECONOMIC STABILIZATION ACT		ENERGY ALLOCATION	
	1976	1977	1976	1977	1976	1977
SIXTH CIRCUIT.....	39	43	5	4	21	11
KENTUCKY EASTERN.....	1	6	-	-	-	-
KENTUCKY WESTERN.....	6	1	-	-	4	1
MICHIGAN EASTERN.....	4	7	1	-	6	2
MICHIGAN WESTERN.....	5	2	1	1	8	1
OHIO NORTHERN.....	8	12	1	3	2	5
OHIO SOUTHERN.....	1	6	1	-	1	-
TENNESSEE EASTERN....	5	6	-	-	-	1
TENNESSEE MIDDLE.....	5	2	-	-	-	-
TENNESSEE WESTERN....	4	1	1	-	-	1
SEVENTH CIRCUIT...	24	25	3	2	-	6
ILLINOIS NORTHERN....	12	9	1	-	-	1
ILLINOIS EASTERN.....	2	3	-	-	-	1
ILLINOIS SOUTHERN....	5	4	-	1	-	-
INDIANA NORTHERN.....	3	3	2	-	-	1
INDIANA SOUTHERN.....	-	5	-	-	-	3
WISCONSIN EASTERN....	1	1	-	1	-	-
WISCONSIN WESTERN....	1	-	-	-	-	-
EIGHTH CIRCUIT....	29	26	1	2	2	2
ARKANSAS EASTERN.....	1	1	-	-	1	-
ARKANSAS WESTERN.....	-	1	-	-	-	-
IOWA NORTHERN.....	2	3	-	-	-	-
IOWA SOUTHERN.....	-	4	-	-	-	-
MINNESOTA.....	8	4	1	1	1	-
MISSOURI EASTERN.....	2	3	-	1	-	-
MISSOURI WESTERN.....	5	6	-	-	-	-
NEBRASKA.....	4	2	-	-	-	1
NORTH DAKOTA.....	2	-	-	-	-	1
SOUTH DAKOTA.....	5	2	-	-	-	-
NINTH CIRCUIT.....	75	64	3	9	6	18
ALASKA.....	2	4	-	-	-	-
ARIZONA.....	2	5	-	-	1	-
CALIFORNIA NORTHERN..	23	10	-	2	-	5
CALIFORNIA EASTERN...	5	3	-	-	-	-
CALIFORNIA CENTRAL...	12	5	-	2	4	5
CALIFORNIA SOUTHERN..	-	1	-	-	-	-
HAWAII.....	5	4	-	-	-	1
IDAHO.....	6	4	-	-	-	-
MONTANA.....	5	4	-	-	-	-
NEVADA.....	4	3	-	-	-	4
OREGON.....	4	6	-	-	1	2
WASHINGTON EASTERN...	1	1	-	-	-	1
WASHINGTON WESTERN...	4	14	3	5	-	-
GUAM.....	2	-	-	-	-	-
TENTH CIRCUIT.....	24	24	2	3	10	10
COLORADO.....	11	8	-	-	-	-
KANSAS.....	4	1	-	2	1	4
NEW MEXICO.....	2	2	-	-	-	-
OKLAHOMA NORTHERN....	1	4	1	-	5	3
OKLAHOMA EASTERN.....	1	1	-	-	1	2
OKLAHOMA WESTERN.....	2	1	-	-	-	1
UTAH.....	3	6	-	-	2	-
WYOMING.....	-	1	1	1	1	-

TABLE 24
TRUTH IN LENDING ACT CASES FILED BY DISTRICT
STATISTICAL YEARS 1974 - 1977

CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	1974	1975	1976	1977
TOTAL ALL DISTRICTS..	1,682	2,237	2,147	2,183
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.	8	19	25	25
FIRST CIRCUIT.....	9	35	47	55
MAINE.....	2	2	1	4
MASSACHUSETTS.....	5	2	3	4
NEW HAMPSHIRE.....	1	6	1	2
RHODE ISLAND.....	1	24	42	44
PUERTO RICO.....	-	1	-	1
SECOND CIRCUIT....	88	172	178	283
CONNECTICUT.....	67	151	141	236
NEW YORK NORTHERN....	1	2	8	7
NEW YORK EASTERN.....	6	8	8	11
NEW YORK SOUTHERN....	11	10	18	15
NEW YORK WESTERN.....	2	-	2	12
VERMONT.....	1	1	1	2
THIRD CIRCUIT.....	36	107	109	79
DELAWARE.....	-	6	4	4
NEW JERSEY.....	3	10	14	7
PENNSYLVANIA EASTERN.	14	22	30	27
PENNSYLVANIA MIDDLE..	2	7	6	4
PENNSYLVANIA WESTERN.	17	62	55	37
VIRGIN ISLANDS.....	-	-	-	-
FOURTH CIRCUIT....	83	94	118	212
MARYLAND.....	8	15	13	7
NO. CAROLINA EASTERN.	-	2	3	10
NO. CAROLINA MIDDLE..	2	1	37	87
NO. CAROLINA WESTERN.	11	4	9	30
SOUTH CAROLINA.....	3	8	15	17
VIRGINIA EASTERN.....	21	24	15	35
VIRGINIA WESTERN.....	20	24	15	14
W. VIRGINIA NORTHERN.	1	1	3	-
W. VIRGINIA SOUTHERN.	15	15	8	12
FIFTH CIRCUIT.....	1,076	1,249	1,057	947
ALABAMA NORTHERN.....	15	24	33	38
ALABAMA MIDDLE.....	3	4	8	6
ALABAMA SOUTHERN.....	1	5	5	8
FLORIDA NORTHERN.....	3	5	2	2
FLORIDA MIDDLE.....	21	23	28	38
FLORIDA SOUTHERN.....	7	24	23	41
GEORGIA NORTHERN.....	749	706	507	379
GEORGIA MIDDLE.....	17	40	30	46
GEORGIA SOUTHERN.....	39	85	71	60
LOUISIANA EASTERN....	105	190	218	205
LOUISIANA MIDDLE.....	2	5	3	4
LOUISIANA WESTERN....	7	22	24	31
MISSISSIPPI NORTHERN.	7	3	9	7
MISSISSIPPI SOUTHERN.	35	26	18	28
TEXAS NORTHERN.....	19	26	21	12
TEXAS EASTERN.....	6	10	6	6
TEXAS SOUTHERN.....	22	35	22	17
TEXAS WESTERN.....	18	16	29	19
CANAL ZONE.....	-	-	-	-

TABLE 24
TRUTH IN LENDING ACT CASES FILED BY DISTRICT
STATISTICAL YEARS 1974 - 1977

CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	1974	1975	1976	1977
SIXTH CIRCUIT.....	112	207	194	175
KENTUCKY EASTERN.....	3	2	2	12
KENTUCKY WESTERN.....	33	44	39	24
MICHIGAN EASTERN.....	10	14	17	16
MICHIGAN WESTERN.....	2	1	6	13
OHIO NORTHERN.....	20	22	40	42
OHIO SOUTHERN.....	19	88	46	37
TENNESSEE EASTERN....	12	12	10	8
TENNESSEE MIDDLE.....	13	14	23	13
TENNESSEE WESTERN....	-	10	11	10
SEVENTH CIRCUIT...	65	99	115	118
ILLINOIS NORTHERN....	33	34	51	67
ILLINOIS EASTERN.....	3	1	2	4
ILLINOIS SOUTHERN....	3	5	6	13
INDIANA NORTHERN.....	4	12	6	4
INDIANA SOUTHERN.....	18	19	36	19
WISCONSIN EASTERN....	3	17	7	8
WISCONSIN WESTERN....	1	11	7	3
EIGHTH CIRCUIT....	46	70	103	116
ARKANSAS EASTERN.....	17	17	12	7
ARKANSAS WESTERN.....	2	-	3	4
IOWA NORTHERN.....	2	2	1	2
IOWA SOUTHERN.....	1	6	4	1
MINNESOTA.....	7	7	13	15
MISSOURI EASTERN.....	4	10	15	38
MISSOURI WESTERN.....	6	9	20	10
NEBRASKA.....	5	15	31	32
NORTH DAKOTA.....	-	1	-	4
SOUTH DAKOTA.....	2	3	4	3
NINTH CIRCUIT.....	106	141	154	126
ALASKA.....	-	1	1	2
ARIZONA.....	12	15	17	7
CALIFORNIA NORTHERN..	43	28	23	24
CALIFORNIA EASTERN...	3	4	1	2
CALIFORNIA CENTRAL...	14	16	16	8
CALIFORNIA SOUTHERN..	7	7	6	4
HAWAII.....	1	26	37	32
IDAHO.....	1	3	2	1
MONTANA.....	2	2	-	10
NEVADA.....	-	8	3	2
OREGON.....	15	19	36	27
WASHINGTON EASTERN...	3	3	8	4
WASHINGTON WESTERN...	5	9	4	2
GUAM.....	-	-	-	1
TENTH CIRCUIT.....	53	44	47	47
COLORADO.....	14	9	2	6
KANSAS.....	2	3	5	2
NEW MEXICO.....	19	14	15	18
OKLAHOMA NORTHERN....	-	4	15	6
OKLAHOMA EASTERN.....	1	1	-	2
OKLAHOMA WESTERN.....	11	6	7	5
UTAH.....	3	5	3	7
WYOMING.....	3	2	-	1

TABLE 25
CIVIL RIGHTS ACT OF 1964 - EMPLOYMENT CASES FILED, BY DISTRICT
STATISTICAL YEARS 1972 - 1977

CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977
TOTAL ALL DISTRICTS..	1,015	1,787	2,472	3,931	5,321	5,931
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.	26	76	87	123	207	224
FIRST CIRCUIT.....	28	35	79	142	152	139
MAINE.....	5	5	4	5	12	4
MASSACHUSETTS.....	11	19	43	87	88	98
NEW HAMPSHIRE.....	1	3	8	6	12	6
RHODE ISLAND.....	7	3	4	8	6	11
PUERTO RICO.....	4	5	20	36	34	20
SECOND CIRCUIT....	33	77	118	228	303	264
CONNECTICUT.....	11	17	35	52	46	24
NEW YORK NORTHERN....	3	7	10	10	9	5
NEW YORK EASTERN.....	1	7	17	54	69	77
NEW YORK SOUTHERN....	11	20	33	84	138	104
NEW YORK WESTERN.....	7	23	20	21	36	48
VERMONT.....	-	3	3	7	5	6
THIRD CIRCUIT.....	33	73	106	211	359	438
DELAWARE.....	1	8	6	19	20	24
NEW JERSEY.....	23	30	43	87	127	114
PENNSYLVANIA EASTERN.	4	15	22	48	136	148
PENNSYLVANIA MIDDLE..	1	6	6	7	11	13
PENNSYLVANIA WESTERN.	4	14	29	49	64	138
VIRGIN ISLANDS.....	-	-	-	1	1	1
FOURTH CIRCUIT....	82	140	184	296	430	480
MARYLAND.....	9	37	41	80	106	126
NO. CAROLINA EASTERN.	5	2	4	13	31	31
NO. CAROLINA MIDDLE..	4	8	19	31	50	68
NO. CAROLINA WESTERN.	12	23	25	29	64	58
SOUTH CAROLINA.....	12	23	23	39	32	54
VIRGINIA EASTERN.....	21	32	50	63	89	84
VIRGINIA WESTERN.....	14	7	12	22	26	35
W. VIRGINIA NORTHERN.	1	2	1	4	17	10
W. VIRGINIA SOUTHERN.	4	6	9	15	15	14
FIFTH CIRCUIT.....	312	485	676	1,090	1,440	1,551
ALABAMA NORTHERN.....	31	57	70	89	87	132
ALABAMA MIDDLE.....	12	20	20	14	13	15
ALABAMA SOUTHERN.....	10	19	22	22	24	26
FLORIDA NORTHERN.....	1	8	6	12	21	25
FLORIDA MIDDLE.....	13	24	31	46	57	73
FLORIDA SOUTHERN.....	20	20	23	50	72	87
GEORGIA NORTHERN.....	39	53	55	106	131	131
GEORGIA MIDDLE.....	4	4	8	15	19	28
GEORGIA SOUTHERN.....	3	7	8	11	16	24
LOUISIANA EASTERN....	37	51	54	70	109	112
LOUISIANA MIDDLE.....	5	8	5	17	24	34
LOUISIANA WESTERN....	15	20	29	28	43	45
MISSISSIPPI NORTHERN.	9	5	26	47	52	43
MISSISSIPPI SOUTHERN.	17	27	38	62	95	84
TEXAS NORTHERN.....	34	48	94	151	185	173
TEXAS EASTERN.....	15	21	29	64	81	85
TEXAS SOUTHERN.....	34	71	103	219	294	315
TEXAS WESTERN.....	13	21	55	67	117	116
CANAL ZONE.....	-	-	-	-	-	3

TABLE 25
CIVIL RIGHTS ACT - EMPLOYMENT CASES FILED, BY DISTRICT
STATISTICAL YEARS 1972 - 1977

CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977
SIXTH CIRCUIT.....	152	288	402	529	663	748
KENTUCKY EASTERN.....	4	8	3	13	7	12
KENTUCKY WESTERN.....	7	16	6	18	14	20
MICHIGAN EASTERN.....	22	28	85	158	227	201
MICHIGAN WESTERN.....	18	7	13	23	32	40
OHIO NORTHERN.....	56	119	141	151	176	217
OHIO SOUTHERN.....	13	39	59	79	102	111
TENNESSEE EASTERN....	3	18	24	16	18	26
TENNESSEE MIDDLE.....	9	14	17	17	13	27
TENNESSEE WESTERN....	20	39	54	54	74	94
SEVENTH CIRCUIT...	64	138	190	298	378	437
ILLINOIS NORTHERN....	28	80	107	171	204	224
ILLINOIS EASTERN.....	5	4	7	15	11	17
ILLINOIS SOUTHERN....	8	4	11	9	20	12
INDIANA NORTHERN.....	10	8	17	23	33	51
INDIANA SOUTHERN.....	3	26	21	40	60	68
WISCONSIN EASTERN....	8	13	20	36	29	46
WISCONSIN WESTERN....	2	3	7	4	21	19
EIGHTH CIRCUIT....	73	134	178	291	358	470
ARKANSAS EASTERN.....	5	18	21	54	66	123
ARKANSAS WESTERN.....	2	6	3	9	10	18
IOWA NORTHERN.....	3	1	1	7	10	8
IOWA SOUTHERN.....	2	3	3	7	14	15
MINNESOTA.....	7	16	15	24	33	34
MISSOURI EASTERN.....	21	45	71	106	114	120
MISSOURI WESTERN.....	28	31	41	66	79	115
NEBRASKA.....	13	13	15	13	23	31
NORTH DAKOTA.....	-	-	5	3	6	3
SOUTH DAKOTA.....	1	1	3	2	3	3
NINTH CIRCUIT.....	158	235	306	502	671	768
ALASKA.....	1	1	-	4	7	10
ARIZONA.....	3	15	23	78	62	83
CALIFORNIA NORTHERN..	76	98	125	165	243	259
CALIFORNIA EASTERN...	8	15	20	29	22	30
CALIFORNIA CENTRAL...	40	56	74	86	135	199
CALIFORNIA SOUTHERN..	5	5	6	17	27	18
HAWAII.....	-	1	6	12	20	29
IDAHO.....	-	-	3	-	8	7
MONTANA.....	2	1	3	1	7	6
NEVADA.....	3	3	8	13	20	13
OREGON.....	6	14	5	39	59	57
WASHINGTON EASTERN...	-	5	6	6	8	5
WASHINGTON WESTERN...	14	21	27	52	52	51
GUAM.....	-	-	-	-	1	1
TENTH CIRCUIT.....	54	106	146	221	360	412
COLORADO.....	21	30	47	100	143	155
KANSAS.....	7	36	17	35	55	65
NEW MEXICO.....	12	21	42	33	48	59
OKLAHOMA NORTHERN....	-	2	6	7	30	31
OKLAHOMA EASTERN.....	-	-	2	4	5	9
OKLAHOMA WESTERN.....	6	11	25	31	58	77
UTAH.....	1	1	1	8	15	14
WYOMING.....	7	5	6	3	6	2

TABLE 26
SOCIAL SECURITY ACT CASES FILED IN THE U.S. DISTRICT COURTS
STATISTICAL YEARS 1970 - 1977

CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977	PERCENT CHANGE 1977 OVER 1970	PERCENT CHANGE 1977 OVER 1976
TOTAL ALL DISTRICTS..	1,735	1,[illegible]	2,288	2,497	3,585	5,846	10,355	10,095	481.1	-2.5
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.	85	54	115	42	36	125	108	143	68.2	32.4
FIRST CIRCUIT.....	109	92	162	237	266	293	527	783	618.3	48.6
MAINE.....	8	2	3	3	5	14	17	29	-	-
MASSACHUSETTS.....	13	13	21	22	47	39	70	106	-	51.4
NEW HAMPSHIRE.....	3	1	-	7	6	13	15	28	-	-
RHODE ISLAND.....	2	2	5	1	5	6	19	37	-	-
PUERTO RICO.....	83	74	133	204	203	221	406	583	602.4	43.6
SECOND CIRCUIT....	71	81	92	111	162	175	262	451	535.2	72.1
CONNECTICUT.....	6	9	14	10	23	27	31	52	-	67.7
NEW YORK NORTHERN....	9	5	11	10	13	12	21	15	-	-
NEW YORK EASTERN.....	32	33	33	46	60	68	90	180	462.5	100.0
NEW YORK SOUTHERN....	15	22	20	29	46	48	83	153	-	84.3
NEW YORK WESTERN.....	7	8	11	9	13	9	27	27	-	-
VERMONT.....	2	4	3	7	7	11	10	24	-	-
THIRD CIRCUIT.....	117	112	149	146	330	752	1,002	801	584.6	-20.1
DELAWARE.....	2	7	6	4	13	13	11	18	-	-
NEW JERSEY.....	15	19	39	32	52	51	77	99	-	28.6
PENNSYLVANIA EASTERN.	31	30	12	39	58	102	225	180	480.6	-20.0
PENNSYLVANIA MIDDLE..	28	24	63	34	135	141	437	320	1042.9	-26.8
PENNSYLVANIA WESTERN.	41	32	25	37	72	145	252	184	338.8	-27.0
VIRGIN ISLANDS.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
FOURTH CIRCUIT....	381	342	344	445	643	1,335	2,720	2,104	452.2	-22.7
MARYLAND.....	20	16	18	26	42	63	139	189	-	36.0
NO. CAROLINA EASTERN.	8	8	10	12	13	8	31	40	-	29.0
NO. CAROLINA MIDDLE..	14	14	7	21	23	34	45	57	-	26.7
NO. CAROLINA WESTERN.	9	9	9	12	27	19	28	43	-	53.6
SOUTH CAROLINA.....	114	127	122	198	210	140	266	308	170.2	15.8
VIRGINIA EASTERN.....	15	18	28	36	46	44	72	97	-	34.7
VIRGINIA WESTERN.....	64	54	56	54	124	399	964	680	962.5	-29.5
W. VIRGINIA NORTHERN.	8	8	7	7	16	69	99	90	-	-9.1
W. VIRGINIA SOUTHERN.	129	88	87	79	142	559	1,076	600	365.1	-44.2
FIFTH CIRCUIT.....	317	349	468	489	561	610	1,211	1,318	315.8	8.8
ALABAMA NORTHERN.....	49	45	65	63	66	187	278	249	408.2	-10.4
ALABAMA MIDDLE.....	10	9	10	14	12	10	16	31	-	-
ALABAMA SOUTHERN.....	7	4	4	6	13	7	28	39	-	39.3
FLORIDA NORTHERN.....	9	10	6	8	10	9	23	19	-	-
FLORIDA MIDDLE.....	21	21	17	19	26	39	75	88	-	17.3
FLORIDA SOUTHERN.....	4	12	14	14	12	25	29	47	-	62.1
GEORGIA NORTHERN.....	30	34	40	56	45	35	60	117	290.0	95.0
GEORGIA MIDDLE.....	3	5	11	7	14	15	23	44	-	-
GEORGIA SOUTHERN.....	5	6	11	14	12	7	40	42	-	5.0
LOUISIANA EASTERN....	21	16	23	19	36	19	51	74	-	45.1
LOUISIANA MIDDLE.....	-	-	13	8	9	5	31	14	-	-54.8
LOUISIANA WESTERN....	46	39	57	58	72	56	112	98	113.0	-12.5
MISSISSIPPI NORTHERN.	11	5	10	7	8	9	19	32	-	-
MISSISSIPPI SOUTHERN.	21	25	27	24	24	35	75	68	-	-9.3
TEXAS NORTHERN.....	22	38	43	52	53	49	95	97	-	2.1
TEXAS EASTERN.....	25	31	54	50	72	48	139	122	388.0	-12.2
TEXAS SOUTHERN.....	21	38	31	40	37	38	55	73	-	32.7
TEXAS WESTERN.....	12	11	32	30	40	17	62	64	-	3.2
CANAL ZONE.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

TABLE 26
SOCIAL SECURITY ACT CASES FILED IN THE U. S. DISTRICT COURTS
STATISTICAL YEARS 1970 - 1977

CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977	PERCENT CHANGE 1977 OVER 1970	PERCENT CHANGE 1977 OVER 1976
SIXTH CIRCUIT.....	332	360	479	502	839	1,627	2,997	2,814	747.6	-6.1
KENTUCKY EASTERN.....	93	120	175	151	303	845	1,723	932	902.2	-45.9
KENTUCKY WESTERN.....	24	19	31	44	53	98	139	159	-	14.4
MICHIGAN EASTERN.....	45	52	50	48	120	147	258	485	977.8	88.0
MICHIGAN WESTERN.....	14	21	50	39	48	70	85	170	-	100.0
OHIO NORTHERN.....	21	22	42	34	74	78	150	270	-	80.0
OHIO SOUTHERN.....	63	57	74	89	150	247	373	470	646.0	26.0
TENNESSEE EASTERN....	36	36	29	52	33	93	181	160	344.4	-11.6
TENNESSEE MIDDLE.....	24	21	19	28	31	34	66	103	-	56.1
TENNESSEE WESTERN....	12	12	9	17	27	15	22	65	-	-
SEVENTH CIRCUIT...	46	53	73	70	164	285	354	299	550.0	-15.5
ILLINOIS NORTHERN....	14	6	23	19	39	42	77	82	-	6.5
ILLINOIS EASTERN.....	4	7	4	4	27	93	59	28	-	-52.6
ILLINOIS SOUTHERN....	6	9	10	8	21	35	55	30	-	-45.5
INDIANA NORTHERN.....	5	3	8	9	20	22	34	42	-	23.5
INDIANA SOUTHERN.....	9	16	16	14	40	68	94	83	-	-11.7
WISCONSIN EASTERN....	8	7	10	15	13	23	25	24	-	-
WISCONSIN WESTERN....	-	5	2	1	4	2	10	10		-
EIGHTH CIRCUIT....	67	91	100	104	143	199	347	399	495.5	15.0
ARKANSAS EASTERN.....	17	13	12	11	25	25	50	60	-	20.0
ARKANSAS WESTERN.....	13	17	15	18	17	56	80	66	-	-17.5
IOWA NORTHERN.....	1	1	1	4	6	3	4	14	-	-
IOWA SOUTHERN.....	1	2	2	6	3	17	30	33	-	10.0
MINNESOTA.....	16	13	24	22	23	24	46	66	-	43.5
MISSOURI EASTERN.....	6	13	13	17	25	33	58	70	-	20.7
MISSOURI WESTERN.....	4	16	19	14	25	33	65	62	-	-4.6
NEBRASKA.....	6	7	10	8	9	4	11	12	-	-
NORTH DAKOTA.....	1	3	1	1	4	-	2	3	-	-
SOUTH DAKOTA.....	2	6	3	3	6	4	1	13	-	-
NINTH CIRCUIT.....	153	193	230	263	334	299	593	774	405.9	30.5
ALASKA.....	1	1	-	1	-	-	1	1	-	-
ARIZONA.....	21	23	24	31	44	33	66	52	-	-21.2
CALIFORNIA NORTHERN..	24	29	42	42	62	41	104	182	-	75.0
CALIFORNIA EASTERN...	12	21	31	29	26	38	57	70	-	22.8
CALIFORNIA CENTRAL...	23	43	46	68	86	78	159	212	-	33.3
CALIFORNIA SOUTHERN..	10	10	11	6	8	8	18	37	-	-
HAWAII.....	-	2	1	1	7	5	9	12	-	-
IDAHO.....	9	7	5	9	4	7	12	17	-	-
MONTANA.....	9	5	6	10	8	7	15	9	-	-
NEVADA.....	4	2	3	3	5	3	10	10	-	-
OREGON.....	19	20	28	30	35	43	78	93	-	19.2
WASHINGTON EASTERN...	17	18	15	20	16	16	34	36	-	5.9
WASHINGTON WESTERN...	4	12	18	13	33	20	28	43	-	53.6
GUAM.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-
TENTH CIRCUIT.....	57	65	76	88	107	146	234	209	266.7	-10.7
COLORADO.....	4	6	4	12	15	34	51	30	-	-41.2
KANSAS.....	18	14	16	21	27	18	34	25	-	-26.5
NEW MEXICO.....	11	7	13	12	9	13	28	38	-	35.7
OKLAHOMA NORTHERN....	8	13	10	6	14	12	14	18	-	-
OKLAHOMA EASTERN.....	5	12	15	24	13	37	47	40	-	-14.9
OKLAHOMA WESTERN.....	10	10	14	8	17	16	28	23	-	-17.9
UTAH.....	1	3	2	4	9	15	26	27	-	3.8
WYOMING.....	-	-	2	1	3	1	6	8	-	-

*Percent change calculated only where base is greater than 25.

TABLE 27
CASES FILED INVOLVING BLACK LUNG BENEFITS*
STATISTICAL YEARS 1976 AND 1977

CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	1976	1977
TOTAL ALL DISTRICTS..	4,908	2,365
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.	3	4
FIRST CIRCUIT.....	1	–
MAINE.....	–	–
MASSACHUSETTS.....	1	–
NEW HAMPSHIRE.....	–	–
RHODE ISLAND.....	–	–
PUERTO RICO.....	–	–
SECOND CIRCUIT....	5	6
CONNECTICUT.....	2	3
NEW YORK NORTHERN....	–	–
NEW YORK EASTERN.....	1	–
NEW YORK SOUTHERN....	–	1
NEW YORK WESTERN.....	2	2
VERMONT.....	–	–
THIRD CIRCUIT.....	643	377
DELAWARE.....	1	3
NEW JERSEY.....	6	6
PENNSYLVANIA EASTERN.	117	56
PENNSYLVANIA MIDDLE..	373	253
PENNSYLVANIA WESTERN.	146	59
VIRGIN ISLANDS.....	–	–
FOURTH CIRCUIT....	1,930	1,051
MARYLAND.....	19	16
NO. CAROLINA EASTERN.	–	–
NO. CAROLINA MIDDLE..	5	3
NO. CAROLINA WESTERN.	–	1
SOUTH CAROLINA.....	–	–
VIRGINIA EASTERN.....	8	3
VIRGINIA WESTERN.....	826	478
W. VIRGINIA NORTHERN.	85	71
W. VIRGINIA SOUTHERN.	987	479
FIFTH CIRCUIT.....	157	64
ALABAMA NORTHERN.....	138	50
ALABAMA MIDDLE.....	–	–
ALABAMA SOUTHERN.....	1	–
FLORIDA NORTHERN.....	1	1
FLORIDA MIDDLE.....	12	9
FLORIDA SOUTHERN.....	2	1
GEORGIA NORTHERN.....	1	1
GEORGIA MIDDLE.....	–	–
GEORGIA SOUTHERN.....	–	–
LOUISIANA EASTERN....	1	1
LOUISIANA MIDDLE.....	–	–
LOUISIANA WESTERN....	–	1
MISSISSIPPI NORTHERN.	–	–
MISSISSIPPI SOUTHERN.	–	–
TEXAS NORTHERN.....	–	–
TEXAS EASTERN.....	–	–
TEXAS SOUTHERN.....	–	–
TEXAS WESTERN.....	1	–
CANAL ZONE.....	–	–

CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	1976	1977
SIXTH CIRCUIT.....	1,858	751
KENTUCKY EASTERN.....	1,423	506
KENTUCKY WESTERN.....	56	35
MICHIGAN EASTERN.....	22	15
MICHIGAN WESTERN.....	1	1
OHIO NORTHERN.....	53	46
OHIO SOUTHERN.....	179	91
TENNESSEE EASTERN....	96	44
TENNESSEE MIDDLE.....	28	13
TENNESSEE WESTERN....	–	–
SEVENTH CIRCUIT...	126	48
ILLINOIS NORTHERN....	8	3
ILLINOIS EASTERN.....	29	9
ILLINOIS SOUTHERN....	27	8
INDIANA NORTHERN.....	14	11
INDIANA SOUTHERN.....	47	16
WISCONSIN EASTERN....	1	1
WISCONSIN WESTERN....	–	–
EIGHTH CIRCUIT....	74	20
ARKANSAS EASTERN.....	1	3
ARKANSAS WESTERN.....	47	12
IOWA NORTHERN.....	–	–
IOWA SOUTHERN.....	20	3
MINNESOTA.....	–	1
MISSOURI EASTERN.....	4	1
MISSOURI WESTERN.....	2	–
NEBRASKA.....	–	–
NORTH DAKOTA.....	–	–
SOUTH DAKOTA.....	–	–
NINTH CIRCUIT.....	21	10
ALASKA.....	–	–
ARIZONA.....	4	1
CALIFORNIA NORTHERN.	3	1
CALIFORNIA EASTERN...	–	–
CALIFORNIA CENTRAL...	3	1
CALIFORNIA SOUTHERN..	1	–
HAWAII.....	–	–
IDAHO.....	–	–
MONTANA.....	8	3
NEVADA.....	–	1
OREGON.....	1	1
WASHINGTON EASTERN...	1	1
WASHINGTON WESTERN...	–	1
GUAM.....	–	–
TENTH CIRCUIT.....	90	34
COLORADO.....	36	10
KANSAS.....	11	1
NEW MEXICO.....	2	2
OKLAHOMA NORTHERN....	–	1
OKLAHOMA EASTERN.....	24	12
OKLAHOMA WESTERN.....	1	–
UTAH.....	12	6
WYOMING.....	4	2

*Federal Coal Mine Health and Safety Act of 1969, 30 U.S.C. 901, et. seq.

THREE-JUDGE COURT CASES DECLINE 44%

On August 12, 1976, the President signed into law the Act (P.L. 94-381) abolishing the general requirements of three-judge courts in situations now covered under Title 28 U.S.C. §§2281 and 2282.

The Act created the general right to the three court injunctive procedure where constitutional issues are raised. It further ammended 28 U.S.C. §2284 providing where the procedure will still be applicable.

1. Where under a special statute elsewhere in the laws, a three-judge court procedure is otherwise specially required. Such statutes include various three-judge court provisions of the Voting Rights Act of 1965 and the Civil Rights Act of 1964.

2. Where an action is filed challenging the constitutionality of the apportionment of congressional districts, or

3. Where an action is filed challenging the constitutionality of the apportionment of any statewide legislative body.

Pursuant to Section 7 of the Act, any three-judge court actions commenced before August 12, 1976 will not apply.

In last year's report, the early impact of the transfer of hearings held to review orders of the Interstate Commerce Commission pursuant to the January 2, 1975 approval of Public Law 93-584 brought about an immediate decline in such hearings, and the two cases recorded this year represented those on the docket before January 2, 1975.

Thus, with the passage of Public Law 94-381 and the transfer of the I.C.C. hearings to the Courts of Appeals, the volume of such three-judge hearings in the district courts declined 46.2%, from 208 in 1976 to 112 in 1977.

Of the 112 three-judge hearings in 1977, 59 were classified as involving civil rights issues, 8 were voting rights, 6 dealt with reapportionment, 2 were I.C.C. hearings and 37 were a variety of other matters.

The 116 was the lowest number of hearings since 1962 when there 195 such three-judge hearings were recorded. The next lowest year was the 119 hearings held in 1964.

TABLE 28
THREE-JUDGE COURT HEARINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT
STATISTICAL YEARS 1963 - 1977

Fiscal year	Total	Review Of ICC orders	Civil Rights	Reappor-tionment	All other
1963....	129	67	19	16	27
1964....	119	50	21	18	30
1965....	147	60	35	17	35
1966....	162	72	40	28	22
1967....	171	64	55	10	42
1968....	179	51	55	6	67
1969....	215	64	81	1	69
1970....	291	42	162	8	79
1971....	318	41	176	2	99
1972....	310	52	166	32	60
1973....	320	52	183	7	78
1974....	249	51	171	8	19
1975....	267	47	192	9	19
1976....	208	25	161	5	17
1977....	112	2	59	6	45
Percent Change 1977 over 1976	-46.2	-92.0	-63.4	20.0	164.7

TABLE 29
THREE-JUDGE COURT HEARINGS BY DISTRICT AND NATURE OF SUIT
STATISTICAL YEAR 1977

Circuit and District	Total	Review of ICC orders	Reapportionment	Civil Rights	Voting Rights	All Other
Total	112	2	6	59	8	37
District of Columbia	5	-	-	1	1	3
First Circuit	9	-	-	6	-	3
Maine	-	-	-	-	-	-
Massachusetts	6	-	-	4	-	2
New Hampshire	1	-	-	-	-	1
Rhode Island	1	-	-	1	-	-
Puerto Rico	1	-	-	1	-	-
Second Circuit	17	-	-	15	-	2
Connecticut	8	-	-	8	-	-
New York:						
Northern	-	-	-	-	-	-
Eastern	5	-	-	4	-	1
Southern	2	-	-	1	-	1
Western	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vermont	2	-	-	2	-	-
Third Circuit	3	-	-	1	-	2
Delaware	-	-	-	-	-	-
New Jersey	1	-	-	-	-	1
Pennsylvania:						
Eastern	2	-	-	1	-	1
Middle	-	-	-	-	-	-
Western	-	-	-	-	-	-
Virgin Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fourth Circuit	14	-	-	10	-	4
Maryland	1	-	-	1	-	-
North Carolina:						
Eastern	2	-	-	1	-	1
Middle	3	-	-	3	-	-
Western	1	-	-	1	-	-
South Carolina	4	-	-	1	-	3
Virginia:						
Eastern	1	-	-	1	-	-
Western	-	-	-	-	-	-
West Virginia:						
Northern	1	-	-	1	-	-
Southern	1	-	-	1	-	-
Fifth Circuit	22	1	3	6	5	7
Alabama:						
Northern	2	1	-	-	1	-
Middle	2	-	-	7	-	3
Southern	1	-	-	1	-	-
Florida:						
Northern	-	-	-	-	-	-
Middle	-	-	-	-	-	-
Southern	1	-	-	-	-	1
Georgia:						
Northern	4	-	1	1	1	1
Middle	1	-	-	-	1	-
Southern	-	-	-	-	-	-
Louisiana:						
Eastern	1	-	-	1	-	-
Middle	-	-	-	-	-	-
Western	1	-	1	-	-	-
Mississippi:						
Northern	1	-	-	-	1	-
Southern	1	-	-	-	-	1
Texas:						
Northern	2	-	-	2	-	-
Eastern	2	-	1	1	-	-
Southern	2	-	-	-	1	1
Western	1	-	-	-	-	1
Canal Zone	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sixth Circuit	11	-	2	3	1	4
Kentucky:						
Eastern	-	-	-	-	-	-
Western	-	-	-	-	-	-
Michigan:						
Eastern	5	-	-	2	1	2
Western	1	-	-	1	-	-
Ohio:						
Northern	2	-	-	-	-	1
Southern	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tennessee:						
Eastern	-	-	-	-	-	-
Middle	1	-	-	-	-	1
Western	2	-	2	-	-	-
Seventh Circuit	4	-	-	3	-	1
Illinois:						
Northern	3	-	-	2	-	1
Eastern	-	-	-	-	-	-
Southern	-	-	-	-	-	-
Indiana:						
Northern	-	-	-	-	-	-
Southern	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wisconsin:						
Eastern	1	-	-	1	-	-
Western	-	-	-	-	-	-
Eighth Circuit	8	-	-	4	-	4
Arkansas:						
Eastern	2	-	-	2	-	2
Western	-	-	-	-	-	-
Iowa:						
Northern	-	-	-	-	-	-
Southern		-	-	-	-	-
Minnesota		-	-	2	-	1
Missouri:						
Eastern	2	-	-	1	-	1
Western	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nebraska	1	-	-	1	-	-
North Dakota	-	-	-	-	-	-
South Dakota	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ninth Circuit	12	-	1	6	-	5
Alaska	-	-	-	-	-	-
Arizona	1	-	-	1	-	-
California:						
Northern	-	-	-	-	-	-
Eastern	-	-	-	-	-	-
Central	2	-	-	1	-	1
Southern	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hawaii		-	1	-	-	-
Idaho		-	-	2	-	1
Montana	-	-	-	-	-	1
Nevada	-	-	-	-	-	-
Oregon	1	-	-	1	-	-
Washington:						
Eastern	-	-	-	-	-	-
Western	3	-	-	1	-	2
Guam	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tenth Circuit	7	1	-	4	-	2
Colorado	2	1	-	1	-	-
Kansas	-	-	-	-	-	-
New Mexico	2	-	-	1	-	1
Oklahoma:						
Northern	-	-	-	-	-	-
Eastern	1	-	-	1	-	-
Western	2	-	-	1	-	1
Utah	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wyoming	-	-	-	-	-	-

TABLE 30
THREE JUDGE CIVIL RIGHTS CASES BY NATURE OF SUIT
STATISTICAL YEARS 1974 - 1977

Nature of Civil Rights Suits	1974	1975	1976	1977
Total	171	192	161	67
Abortion laws	2	10	3	3
Assistance to nonpublic schools	5	1	3	2
Attachment, seizure without hearing	16	15	17	2
Education for handicapped	3	1	1	1
Employment	13	12	14	5
Expelling or suspending students	2	-	-	-
Housing	5	-	-	-
Jury selection procedures	2	-	-	-
Licensing procedures	11	14	10	5
Mental patients, commitment	7	4	6	1
Obscenity	11	5	3	1
Penal codes & prisoner petitions	3	9	7	3
Prescription drug advertising	2	3	-	-
Racial discrimination	2	2	-	-
Residency requirements	2	8	2	1
Sobriety tests	-	-	-	1
Taxes	1	4	5	-
Voting & election laws	20	32	19	13
Welfare, Social Security, unemployment benefits	17	18	23	9
Constitutionality of other state statutes	29	30	27	9
Other (not specified, or otherwise unclassifiable)	18	24	21	11

CLASS ACTION CASES DECREASE

After a substantial increase of 15.6% last year, class action suits filed under Rule 23, Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, decreased 10.9% this year. The period began with 5,987 pending civil suits alleging class action to which were added 3,153 new filings.

The first of three special tables that follow, provides by nature of suit the volume of class actions filed. Civil Rights class action suits numbered 1,837 or 14% of the 13,113 total civil rights cases filed. Of the 1,960 securities, commodities and exchanges cases, 176 contained class action allegations. (See Appendix Table C-2 for total cases filed by nature of suit.)

FIGURE 11
PROPORTION OF CLASS ACTION ALLEGATIONS TO TOTAL CIVIL CASES
STATISTICAL YEARS 1974 - 1977

Fiscal Year	Beginning	Filed	Total Workload (Pending and Filings)	Pending Ending
Total Civil Cases				
1974	101,333	103,530	204,863	107,230
1975	107,230	117,320	224,550	119,767
1976	119,767	130,597	250,364	140,189
1977	140,189	130,567	270,756	153,606
Percent Increase Over 1976	17.1	-	8.1	9.6
Class Action Cases Included in Above				
1974	3,756	2,717	6,473	4,680
1975	4,680	3,061	7,741	5,184
1976	5,184	3,584	8,768	5,987
1977	5,987	3,153	9,140	6,281
Percent Increase Over 1976	15.5	-12.0	4.2	4.9
Proportion Class Action Cases of Total				
1974	3.7	2.6	3.2	4.4
1975	4.4	2.6	3.4	4.3
1976	4.3	2.7	3.5	4.3
1977	4.3	2.4	3.4	4.1

Figure 12 shows class action allegations involving prisoner petitions. These cases dropped significantly this year as only 252 of the 19,537 prisoner petitions alleged a class action. This 252 is down 36% from the 392 such cases filed last year.

TABLE 31
CIVIL CLASS ACTION CASES PENDING IN THE U.S. DISTRICT COURTS
ON JUNE 30, 1977, BY NATURE OF SUIT AND DISTRICT
(ALLEGATIONS FILED UNDER RULE 23, FEDERAL RULES OF CIVIL PROCEDURE)

CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	TOTAL CIVIL CASES	UNITED STATES CASES																
		TOTAL U.S. CIVIL	CON-TRACT	LAND CONDEM-NATION	OTHER REAL PROP-ERTY	TORT ACTIONS	ANTI-TRUST	CIVIL RIGHTS	PRISONER PETITIONS				FORFEIT-URES AND PENAL-TIES	LABOR SUITS	NARA[1]	SOCIAL SECURITY	TAX SUITS	ALL OTHER
									MOTIONS TO VACATE SENTENCE	HABEAS CORPUS	CIVIL RIGHTS	MAN-DAMUS AND OTHER						
TOTAL ALL DISTRICTS	6,281	651	28	3	16	11	2	332	-	1	18	4	1	31	-	64	2	138
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	139	58	2	-	1	2	-	33	-	-	3	-	-	6	-	2	-	9
FIRST CIRCUIT....	202	22	-	-	-	-	-	9	-	-	1	-	-	4	-	3	-	5
MAINE.....	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MASSACHUSETTS.....	136	13	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	1	-	5
NEW HAMPSHIRE.....	13	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
RHODE ISLAND.....	18	4	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
PUERTO RICO.....	28	4	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	1	-	-
SECOND CIRCUIT...	674	66	2	-	4	-	-	32	-	1	1	-	-	3	-	6	-	17
CONNECTICUT.....	187	33	1	-	1	-	-	16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	12
NEW YORK NORTHERN...	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NEW YORK EASTERN....	72	10	-	-	3	-	-	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NEW YORK SOUTHERN...	340	13	1	-	-	-	-	5	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	2	-	3
NEW YORK WESTERN....	56	5	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
VERMONT.....	14	5	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	2
THIRD CIRCUIT....	379	32	-	-	1	2	-	17	-	-	2	2	-	1	-	3	-	4
DELAWARE.....	23	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NEW JERSEY.....	66	8	-	-	1	1	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	2
PENNSYLVANIA EASTERN	154	20	-	-	-	1	-	14	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	2
PENNSYLVANIA MIDDLE.	21	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
PENNSYLVANIA WESTERN	113	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
VIRGIN ISLANDS.....	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
FOURTH CIRCUIT...	472	49	4	3	2	-	1	22	-	-	2	-	1	1	-	8	1	4
MARYLAND.....	141	12	2	1	1	-	-	6	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
NO. CAROLINA EASTERN	36	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NO. CAROLINA MIDDLE.	72	4	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	1
NO. CAROLINA WESTERN	59	6	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
SOUTH CAROLINA.....	45	6	2	-	-	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
VIRGINIA EASTERN....	42	11	-	2	-	-	-	7	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
VIRGINIA WESTERN....	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
W. VIRGINIA NORTHERN	24	2	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
W. VIRGINIA SOUTHERN	42	7	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	4	-	1
FIFTH CIRCUIT....	1,988	135	4	-	1	-	-	93	-	-	3	-	-	7	-	10	1	16
ALABAMA NORTHERN....	161	8	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2
ALABAMA MIDDLE.....	41	4	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
ALABAMA SOUTHERN....	21	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
FLORIDA NORTHERN....	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
FLORIDA MIDDLE.....	246	11	-	-	-	-	-	7	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	1	-	1
FLORIDA SOUTHERN....	111	9	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	2	-	1
GEORGIA NORTHERN....	127	13	-	-	-	-	-	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	1
GEORGIA MIDDLE.....	33	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
GEORGIA SOUTHERN....	37	5	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
LOUISIANA EASTERN...	104	8	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	2
LOUISIANA MIDDLE....	30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LOUISIANA WESTERN...	60	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MISSISSIPPI NORTHERN	109	7	-	-	1	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MISSISSIPPI SOUTHERN	105	8	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	2
TEXAS NORTHERN.....	191	17	2	-	-	-	-	14	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
TEXAS EASTERN.....	92	6	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TEXAS SOUTHERN.....	424	24	-	-	-	-	-	18	-	-	2	-	-	1	-	-	-	3
TEXAS WESTERN.....	71	8	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	2
CANAL ZONE.....	7	4	2	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-

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	PRIVATE CASES																
											PRISONER PETITIONS						
TOTAL PRIVATE CIVIL	CONTRACT	REAL PROPERTY	FELA[2]	MARINE PERSONAL INJURY	MOTOR VEHICLE PERSONAL INJURY	OTHER PERSONAL INJURY	OTHER TORT ACTIONS	ANTI-TRUST	CIVIL RIGHTS	COMMERCE	HABEAS CORPUS	CIVIL RIGHTS	MANDAMUS AND OTHER	COPYRIGHT PATENT TRADEMARK	LABOR SUITS	ALL OTHER	CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT
5,630	112	19	-	8	4	57	167	514	3,095	10	8	532	9	9	219	867	TOTAL ALL DISTRICTS
81	4	-	-	-	-	3	1	37	23	-	-	-	1	4	3	5	DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
180	3	4	-	1	-	2	2	10	100	5	-	19	-	-	9	25	FIRST CIRCUIT....
7	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	MAINE.....
123	-	-	-	1	-	2	1	10	66	5	-	11	-	-	5	22	MASSACHUSETTS.....
12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	-	-	2	-	-	1	-	NEW HAMPSHIRE.....
14	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	8	-	-	3	-	-	-	2	RHODE ISLAND.....
24	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	14	-	-	2	-	-	3	1	PUERTO RICO.....
608	17	1	-	2	-	12	27	43	220	1	-	42	-	-	20	223	SECOND CIRCUIT...
154	-	1	-	-	-	2	17	4	87	-	-	16	-	-	6	21	CONNECTICUT.....
5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	NEW YORK NORTHERN...
62	3	-	-	-	-	2	3	6	21	1	-	1	-	-	2	23	NEW YORK EASTERN....
327	11	-	-	2	-	8	4	31	75	-	-	14	-	-	10	172	NEW YORK SOUTHERN...
51	3	-	-	-	-	-	3	2	26	-	-	8	-	-	2	7	NEW YORK WESTERN....
9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	VERMONT.....
347	3	2	-	-	-	5	6	28	158	-	1	29	-	-	14	101	THIRD CIRCUIT....
23	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	9	-	-	2	-	-	-	9	DELAWARE.....
58	1	2	-	-	-	3	2	2	24	-	-	11	-	-	7	6	NEW JERSEY.....
134	1	-	-	-	-	2	2	17	69	-	1	7	-	-	1	34	PENNSYLVANIA EASTERN
17	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3	7	-	-	5	-	-	-	1	PENNSYLVANIA MIDDLE.
113	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	4	48	-	-	4	-	-	6	50	PENNSYLVANIA WESTERN
2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	VIRGIN ISLANDS.....
423	8	-	-	-	1	1	11	11	309	1	1	32	1	1	18	28	FOURTH CIRCUIT...
129	1	-	-	-	-	-	3	9	90	1	-	21	-	1	1	2	MARYLAND.....
35	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	32	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	NO. CAROLINA EASTERN
68	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	60	-	-	2	-	-	4	1	NO. CAROLINA MIDDLE.
53	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	48	-	-	2	-	-	2	1	NO. CAROLINA WESTERN
39	5	-	-	-	1	1	1	-	22	-	-	1	-	-	2	6	SOUTH CAROLINA.....
31	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	18	-	-	3	-	-	1	6	VIRGINIA EASTERN....
11	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	VIRGINIA WESTERN....
22	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	13	-	-	2	-	-	4	2	W. VIRGINIA NORTHERN
35	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	20	-	1	-	-	-	4	7	W. VIRGINIA SOUTHERN
1,853	20	6	-	2	3	3	45	141	1,163	-	3	281	6	1	35	144	FIFTH CIRCUIT....
153	4	-	-	-	1	1	17	1	113	-	1	2	-	-	5	8	ALABAMA NORTHERN....
37	2	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	15	-	-	8	-	-	1	8	ALABAMA MIDDLE.....
20	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	12	-	-	4	-	-	-	1	ALABAMA SOUTHERN....
18	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	13	-	-	1	-	-	-	3	FLORIDA NORTHERN....
235	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	42	-	1	168	1	-	2	10	FLORIDA MIDDLE.....
102	3	2	-	1	-	-	2	53	26	-	-	3	-	-	3	9	FLORIDA SOUTHERN....
114	-	1	-	-	-	-	4	29	53	-	-	3	-	1	2	21	GEORGIA NORTHERN....
32	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	24	-	-	6	1	-	-	-	GEORGIA MIDDLE.....
32	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	26	-	-	4	-	-	-	1	GEORGIA SOUTHERN....
96	-	1	-	-	-	1	6	10	63	-	-	4	-	-	1	10	LOUISIANA EASTERN...
30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	24	-	-	1	-	-	1	1	LOUISIANA MIDDLE....
59	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	1	38	-	-	5	-	-	1	12	LOUISIANA WESTERN...
102	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	90	-	-	5	2	-	1	3	MISSISSIPPI NORTHERN
97	-	1	-	-	-	-	4	1	82	-	-	5	-	-	-	4	MISSISSIPPI SOUTHERN
174	2	-	-	-	-	-	3	8	124	-	-	4	1	-	4	28	TEXAS NORTHERN.....
86	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	3	75	-	-	7	-	-	-	-	TEXAS EASTERN.....
400	3	-	-	1	-	-	2	23	297	-	-	46	1	-	9	18	TEXAS SOUTHERN.....
63	-	-	-	-	1	-	2	-	44	-	1	5	-	-	4	6	TEXAS WESTERN.....
3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	CANAL ZONE.....

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CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	TOTAL CIVIL CASES	UNITED STATES CASES																
		TOTAL U.S. CIVIL	CON-TRACT	LAND CONDEM-NATION	OTHER REAL PROP-ERTY	TORT ACTIONS	ANTI-TRUST	CIVIL RIGHTS	PRISONER PETITIONS				FORFEIT-URES AND PENAL-TIES	LABOR SUITS	NARA[1]	SOCIAL SECURITY	TAX SUITS	ALL OTHER
									MOTIONS TO VACATE SENTENCE	HABEAS CORPUS	CIVIL RIGHTS	MAN-DAMUS AND OTHER						
SIXTH CIRCUIT....	467	47	3	-	-	2	-	23	-	-	1	-	-	2	-	7	-	9
KENTUCKY EASTERN....	32	6	2	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	2
KENTUCKY WESTERN....	46	11	-	-	-	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	3	-	1
MICHIGAN EASTERN....	108	5	1	-	-	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
MICHIGAN WESTERN....	45	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	1
OHIO NORTHERN.....	118	9	-	-	-	-	-	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
OHIO SOUTHERN.....	23	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
TENNESSEE EASTERN...	5	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TENNESSEE MIDDLE....	33	4	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TENNESSEE WESTERN...	57	6	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
SEVENTH CIRCUIT..	510	51	-	-	-	-	1	28	-	-	3	-	-	2	-	7	-	10
ILLINOIS NORTHERN...	301	32	-	-	-	-	-	18	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	6	-	7
ILLINOIS EASTERN....	15	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ILLINOIS SOUTHERN...	10	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
INDIANA NORTHERN....	51	3	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
INDIANA SOUTHERN....	42	5	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
WISCONSIN EASTERN...	46	6	-	-	-	-	1	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
WISCONSIN WESTERN...	45	2	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
EIGHTH CIRCUIT...	370	38	1	-	2	1	-	19	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	3	-	10
ARKANSAS EASTERN....	138	10	-	-	-	-	-	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
ARKANSAS WESTERN....	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
IOWA NORTHERN.....	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
IOWA SOUTHERN.....	18	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
MINNESOTA.....	82	8	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	4
MISSOURI EASTERN....	31	2	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
MISSOURI WESTERN....	48	5	-	-	1	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NEBRASKA.....	20	5	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	2
NORTH DAKOTA.....	5	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
SOUTH DAKOTA.....	11	6	-	-	-	1	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	2
NINTH CIRCUIT....	892	121	11	-	5	4	-	36	-	-	1	1	-	4	-	14	-	45
ALASKA.....	19	15	1	-	2	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10
ARIZONA.....	99	9	5	-	-	1	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
CALIFORNIA NORTHERN.	313	29	-	-	1	1	-	14	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	-	7
CALIFORNIA EASTERN..	33	9	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7
CALIFORNIA CENTRAL..	193	13	-	-	-	2	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	2	-	3
CALIFORNIA SOUTHERN.	33	9	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	2	-	4
HAWAII.....	54	10	-	-	1	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	2	-	3
IDAHO.....	16	6	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
MONTANA.....	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NEVADA.....	19	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
OREGON.....	36	8	-	-	1	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	3
WASHINGTON EASTERN..	28	6	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	4
WASHINGTON WESTERN..	42	6	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	2
GUAM.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TENTH CIRCUIT....	188	32	1	-	-	-	-	20	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	9
COLORADO.....	40	5	1	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
KANSAS.....	80	4	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	2
NEW MEXICO.....	22	11	-	-	-	-	-	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
OKLAHOMA NORTHERN...	13	2	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
OKLAHOMA EASTERN....	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
OKLAHOMA WESTERN....	11	2	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
UTAH.....	19	7	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
WYOMING.....	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1 CIVIL COMMITMENT UNDER THE NARCOTIC ADDICT REHABILITATION ACT OF 1966, PUBLIC LAW 89-793 APPROVED NOVEMBER 8, 1966.

2 FEDERAL EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY ACT, 45 USC 51.

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											PRISONER PETITIONS						
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420	12	3	-	-	-	2	11	14	264	-	-	26	-	-	43	45	SIXTH CIRCUIT....
26	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	7	-	-	2	-	-	8	6	KENTUCKY EASTERN....
35	2	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	19	-	-	2	-	-	3	6	KENTUCKY WESTERN....
103	7	1	-	-	-	-	5	3	65	-	-	3	-	-	7	12	MICHIGAN EASTERN....
42	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	20	-	-	9	-	-	5	5	MICHIGAN WESTERN....
109	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	4	78	-	-	3	-	-	12	8	OHIO NORTHERN.....
21	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	-	-	3	-	-	3	3	OHIO SOUTHERN.....
4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	TENNESSEE EASTERN...
29	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	21	-	-	2	-	-	1	2	TENNESSEE MIDDLE....
51	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	42	-	-	2	-	-	2	1	TENNESSEE WESTERN...
459	10	-	-	-	-	5	21	89	199	2	-	51	1	1	20	60	SEVENTH CIRCUIT..
269	4	-	-	-	-	4	15	82	105	1	-	8	1	1	8	40	ILLINOIS NORTHERN...
13	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	4	-	-	4	-	-	1	2	ILLINOIS EASTERN....
9	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	5	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	ILLINOIS SOUTHERN...
48	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	3	27	-	-	8	-	-	2	5	INDIANA NORTHERN....
37	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	22	1	-	3	-	-	4	4	INDIANA SOUTHERN....
40	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	3	23	-	-	3	-	-	2	6	WISCONSIN EASTERN....
43	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13	-	-	24	-	-	3	2	WISCONSIN WESTERN...
332	4	-	-	-	-	2	17	31	199	1	2	15	-	1	15	45	EIGHTH CIRCUIT...
128	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	121	-	1	2	-	-	-	2	ARKANSAS EASTERN....
13	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	8	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	ARKANSAS WESTERN....
4	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	IOWA NORTHERN.....
17	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	1	10	IOWA SOUTHERN.....
74	2	-	-	-	-	1	1	12	27	-	-	3	-	1	5	22	MINNESOTA.....
29	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	18	1	-	-	-	-	3	3	MISSOURI EASTERN....
43	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	17	12	-	1	6	-	-	3	2	MISSOURI WESTERN....
15	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	7	-	-	2	-	-	-	2	NEBRASKA.....
4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	NORTH DAKOTA.....
5	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	2	SOUTH DAKOTA.....
771	21	2	-	3	-	21	20	104	376	-	-	30	-	1	34	159	NINTH CIRCUIT....
4	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	ALASKA.....
70	4	1	-	-	-	1	3	22	39	-	-	1	-	-	5	14	ARIZONA.....
264	3	-	-	-	-	-	2	57	171	-	-	4	-	-	9	38	CALIFORNIA NORTHERN.
24	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	13	-	-	2	-	-	2	3	CALIFORNIA EASTERN..
180	5	-	-	1	-	19	2	8	61	-	-	4	-	1	6	73	CALIFORNIA CENTRAL..
24	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	11	-	-	-	-	-	3	8	CALIFORNIA SOUTHERN.
44	5	1	-	-	-	-	4	2	22	-	-	1	-	-	5	6	HAWAII.....
12	2	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	5	-	-	3	-	-	-	1	IDAHO.....
5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	3	-	-	1	-	MONTANA.....
18	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	11	-	-	2	-	-	1	1	NEVADA.....
28	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	16	-	-	2	-	-	-	6	OREGON.....
22	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	7	6	-	-	7	-	-	-	1	WASHINGTON EASTERN..
36	1	-	-	2	-	-	3	2	17	-	-	1	-	-	2	8	WASHINGTON WESTERN..
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	GUAM.....
156	10	1	-	-	-	1	6	6	84	-	1	7	-	-	8	32	TENTH CIRCUIT....
35	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	18	-	-	1	-	-	3	9	COLORADO.....
76	3	1	-	-	-	1	1	1	49	-	-	3	-	-	2	15	KANSAS.....
11	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	7	-	-	1	-	-	1	1	NEW MEXICO.....
11	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	1	5	OKLAHOMA NORTHERN...
1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	OKLAHOMA EASTERN....
9	2	-	-	-	-	-	1	4	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	OKLAHOMA WESTERN....
12	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	5	-	1	1	-	-	1	1	UTAH.....
1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	WYOMING.....

TABLE 32
CIVIL CLASS ACTION CASES COMMENCED IN THE U. S. DISTRICT COURTS
BY BASIS OF JURISDICTION AND NATURE OF SUIT (ALLEGATIONS FILED UNDER
RULE 23, F.R.C.P.) STATISTICAL YEAR 1977

NATURE OF SUIT	1976	1977					
			U.S. CASES		PRIVATE CASES		
		TOTAL	PLAINTIFF	DEFENDANT	FEDERAL QUESTION	DIVERSITY OF CITIZENSHIP	LOCAL JURISDICTION
TOTAL CASES	3,538[R]	3,153	20	378	2,647	107	1
CONTRACT ACTIONS, TOTAL	112	92	3	13	9	67	-
INSURANCE	16	10	-	-	-	10	-
MARINE	7	5	-	-	5	-	-
MILLER ACT	1	2	-	-	2	-	-
NEGOTIABLE INSTRUMENTS	5	8	2	-	1	5	-
RECOVERY OF OVERPAYMENTS AND ENFORCEMENT OF JUDGMENTS	4	1	1	-	-	-	-
OTHER CONTRACT ACTIONS	79	66	-	13	1	52	-
REAL PROPERTY ACTIONS, TOTAL	21	25	3	12	2	8	-
CONDEMNATION OF LAND	2	2	1	-	1	-	-
FORECLOSURE	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
RENT, LEASE, AND EJECTMENT	2	6	-	3	-	3	-
TORTS TO LAND	5	3	-	-	1	2	-
OTHER REAL PROPERTY ACTIONS	12	13	1	9	-	3	-
TORT ACTIONS, TOTAL	151	152	-	3	117	32	-
PERSONAL INJURY:							
AIRPLANE	7	8	-	1	1	6	-
ASSAULT, LIBEL, AND SLANDER	2	4	-	-	-	4	-
EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY ACT	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
MARINE	5	1	-	-	1	-	-
MOTOR VEHICLE	3	3	-	-	-	3	-
MEDICAL MALPRACTICE	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
OTHER PERSONAL INJURY	19	13	-	2	-	11	-
PERSONAL PROPERTY DAMAGE:							
FRAUD INCLUDING TRUTH IN LENDING	108	122	-	-	114	8	-
OTHER PERSONAL PROPERTY DAMAGE	4	1	-	-	1	-	-
ACTIONS UNDER STATUTES, TOTAL	3,[illegible]34	2,848	14	347	2,487	-	-
ANTITRUST	190	235	-	-	235	-	-
BANKRUPTCY SUITS:							
TRUSTEE	2	3	-	-	3	-	-
TRANSFER (915B)	-	-	-	-	-		-
APPEAL (801)	-	1	-	-	1	-	-
BANKS AND BANKING	6	11	-	-	11	-	-
CIVIL RIGHTS:							
VOTING	58	60	-	-	60	-	-
JOBS	1,174	1,138	6	71	1,061	-	-
ACCOMMODATIONS	92	38	1	4	33	-	-
WELFARE	122	116	-	26	90	-	-
OTHER CIVIL RIGHTS	560	485	3	70	412	-	-
COMMERCE (ICC RATES, ETC.)	6	6	-	1	5	-	-
NARCOTIC ADDICT REHABILITATION ACT	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ECONOMIC STABILIZATION ACT	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
ENVIRONMENTAL MATTERS	13	17	-	8	9	-	-

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TABLE 32
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BY BASIS OF JURISDICTION AND NATURE OF SUIT (ALLEGATIONS FILED UNDER
RULE 23, F.R.C.P.) STATISTICAL YEAR 1977

NATURE OF SUIT	1976	1977					
			U.S. CASES		PRIVATE CASES		
		TOTAL	PLAINTIFF	DEFENDANT	FEDERAL QUESTION	DIVERSITY OF CITIZENSHIP	LOCAL JURISDICTION
ACTIONS UNDER STATUTES, CONTINUED							
DEPORTATION	2	2	-	2	-	-	-
PRISONER PETITIONS:							
MOTIONS TO VACATE SENTENCE	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
PAROLE COMMISSION REVIEW	4	2	-	2	-	-	-
PRISON OFFICIALS - HABEAUS CORPUS	20	11	-	4	7	-	-
PRISON OFFICIALS - MANDAMUS, ETC.	10	10	-	4	6	-	-
CIVIL RIGHTS	358	229	-	10	219	-	-
FORFEITURE AND PENALTY:							
AGRICULTURAL ACTS	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
FOOD AND DRUG ACT	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LIQUOR LAWS	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
RAILROAD AND TRUCKING REGULATIONS	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
AIR TRAFFIC REGULATIONS	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH ACT	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
OTHER FORFEITURE AND PENALTY SUITS	2	1	1	-	-	-	-
LABOR LAWS:							
FAIR LABOR STANDARDS ACT	50	41	1	10	30	-	-
LABOR MANAGEMENT RELATIONS ACT	47	40	-	3	37	-	-
LABOR MANAGEMENT REPORTING AND DISCLOSURE ACT	22	7	-	-	7	-	-
RAILWAY LABOR ACT	6	8	-	-	8	-	-
OTHER LABOR LITIGATION	46	47	-	9	38	-	-
PROTECTED PROPERTY RIGHTS:							
COPYRIGHT	1	1	-	-	1	-	-
PATENT	1	1	-	-	1	-	-
TRADEMARK	2	2	-	-	2	-	-
SECURITIES, COMMODITIES, AND EXCHANGES	212	176	1	1	174	-	-
SOCIAL SECURITY LAWS:							
BLACK LUNG CASES	3	2	-	2	-	-	-
OTHER	44	37	-	37	-	-	-
STATE REAPPORTIONMENT SUITS	12	7	-	-	7	-	-
TAX SUITS	5	3	-	3	-	-	-
OTHER STATUTORY ACTIONS	112	111	1	80	30	-	-
OTHER ACTIONS, TOTAL	70	36	-	3	32	-	1
DOMESTIC RELATIONS	-	1	-	-	-	-	1
INSANITY	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
PROBATE	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
SUITS INVOLVING LOCAL OFFICIALS	70	33	-	1	32	-	-
OTHER	-	2	-	2	-	-	-

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TABLE 33
CLASS ACTION CIVIL SUITS COMMENCED IN STATISTICAL YEAR 1976
AND PENDING JULY 1, 1976 AND JUNE 30, 1977
(ALLEGATIONS FILED UNDER RULE 23, FEDERAL RULES OF CIVIL PROCEDURE)

Circuit and district	Pending July 1, 1976	Filed 1977	Pending June 30, 1977
Total all districts	5,987	3,153	6,281
District of Columbia	141	59	139
First Circuit	193	73	202
Maine	9	2	7
Massachusetts	137	36	136
New Hampshire	9	12	13
Rhode Island	22	3	18
Puerto Rico	16	20	28
Second Circuit	724	251	674
Connecticut	176	86	187
New York:			
Northern	5	3	5
Eastern	71	26	72
Southern	408	108	340
Western	53	16	56
Vermont	11	12	14
Third Circuit	389	203	379
Delaware	19	16	23
New Jersey	78	36	66
Pennsylvania:			
Eastern	170	86	154
Middle	16	17	21
Western	104	48	113
Virgin Islands	2	–	2
Fourth Circuit	459	217	472
Maryland	120	62	141
North Carolina:			
Eastern	38	9	36
Middle	61	42	72
Western	55	34	59
South Carolina	35	29	45
Virginia:			
Eastern	64	13	42
Western	20	5	11
West Virginia:			
Northern	24	9	24
Southern	42	14	42
Fifth Circuit	1,825	1054	1988
Alabama:			
Northern	131	114	161
Middle	41	46	41
Southern	21	17	21
Florida:			
Northern	19	12	18
Middle	307	38	246
Southern	77	76	111
Georgia:			
Northern	122	67	127
Middle	35	20	33
Southern	35	17	37
Louisiana:			
Eastern	97	57	104
Middle	19	13	30
Western	65	37	60
Mississippi:			
Northern	87	59	109
Southern	90	68	105
Texas:			
Northern	179	121	191
Eastern	95	57	92
Southern	347	187	424
Western	57	41	71
Canal Zone	1	7	7
Sixth Circuit	440	242	467
Kentucky:			
Eastern	23	17	32
Western	49	13	46
Michigan:			
Eastern	104	50	108
Western	41	15	45
Ohio:			
Northern	121	78	118
Southern	28	9	23
Tennessee:			
Eastern	7	9	5
Middle	25	16	33
Western	42	35	57
Seventh Circuit	489	282	510
Illinois:			
Northern	262	[illegible]	301
Eastern	17	[illegible]	15
Southern	15	7	10
Indiana:			
Northern	49	17	51
Southern	26	36	42
Wisconsin:			
Eastern	60	18	46
Western	60	12	45
Eighth Circuit	331	199	370
Arkansas:			
Eastern	82	70	138
Western	9	7	13
Iowa:			
Northern	5	2	4
Southern	18	6	18
Minnesota	92	43	82
Missouri:			
Eastern	44	30	31
Western	44	19	48
Nebraska	15	10	20
North Dakota	7	4	5
South Dakota	15	8	11
Ninth Circuit	836	446	892
Alaska	12	11	19
Arizona	65	51	99
California:			
Northern	296	170	313
Eastern	50	6	33
Central	200	93	193
Southern	33	12	33
Hawaii	37	31	54
Idaho	10	13	18
Montana	6	2	5
Nevada	25	10	19
Oregon	35	17	36
Washington:			
Eastern	24	12	28
Western	43	18	42
Guam	–	–	–
Tenth Circuit	160	127	188
Colorado	37	27	40
Kansas	66	33	80
New Mexico	26	27	22
Oklahoma:			
Northern	18	6	13
Eastern	1	2	2
Western	5	11	11
Utah	6	18	19
Wyoming	1	3	1

FIGURE 12
CLASS ACTION ALLEGATIONS IN PRISONER PETITIONS FILED AND PENDING
STATISTICAL YEARS 1973 - 1977

Statistical Year	Filed		Pending	
	Total	Rule 23	Total	Rule 23
1973	17,218	(355)	7,912	(322)
1974	18,410	(337)	9,151	(466)
1975	19,307	(367)	10,469	(564)
1976	19,809	(397)	11,852	(630)
1977	19,537	(252)	13,353	(572)

Table 33 shows the number of class action cases pending at the beginning of the year, those filed during the year and the volume pending by district on June 30, 1977. Again the greatest number of filings were in Texas, Southern, with 187 cases. The second greatest number was 184 in Illinois, Northern. There were 4 other districts with over 100 civil cases alleging class action under Rule 23. These six districts accounted for 884 or 28% of the 3,153 suits filed.

The number of class action cases pending by district, jurisdiction and nature of suit can be found in Table 31. Texas, Southern had 424 of its 4,442 civil pending cases denoted as class actions. This is 9.5% of the pending cases and more than double the 4.1% national average. New York, Southern with 8,092 pending civil cases recorded 340 or 4.2% as class actions.

TRANSFER OF CASES UNDER 28 U.S.C. 1407

During the twelve months ending June 30, 1977, the Judicial Panel on Multidistrict Litigation transferred 345 civil actions which were originally filed in 69 different districts courts to 24 transferee district courts. In 1976, 491 civil cases were transferred from 69 different district courts to 24 transferee districts for the purpose of coordinated or consolidated pretrial proceedings.

The district judges to whom actions have been assigned by the Panel have the responsibility of conducting coordinated or consolidated pretrial proceedings in those actions. Unless an action is closed in the transferee court or ordered transferred by the transferee judge to the transferor court or other district under 28. U.S.C.§1404(a) or 28. U.S.C. 1406, each of the

transferred actions will, at the conclusion of pretrial proceedings, be remanded by the Panel for trial to the district where the action was originally filed.

Since the enactment of the Multidistrict Litigation Act, approved April 29, 1968 (Public Law 90-296), which established Section 1407 and the Panel, there have been 3,075 transfers of civil actions to which were joined 2,498 civil actions originally filed in the districts receiving the transfers. Thus, 5,573 cases have been a part of Section 1407 pretrial proceedings in the 54 different transferee districts courts from 1968 through June 30, 1977. To date, 3,381 actions have either been remanded by the Panel or terminated by the transferee courts.

The following tables provide statistics on the number of cases transferred since the Panel was enacted, and the flow of cases into and out of individual districts for the twelve month period ending June 30, 1977, and cumulatively for the entire period since 1968. Information on specific cases transferred can be obtained by writing the Judicial Panel on Multidistrict Litigation.

FIGURE 13
SUMMARY OF MULTIDISTRICT LITIGATION AS OF JUNE 30, 1976 AND 1977

SUMMARY OF MULTIDISTRICT LITIGATION

	As of 7/1/76	During 12 months ending 6/30/77	As of 6/30/77
Actions Transferred	2,730	345	3,075
Actions Originally Filed in Transferee Districts	2,233	265	2,498
TOTAL ACTIONS SUBJECTED TO SECTION 1407 PROCEEDINGS	4,963	610	5,573
Actions Terminated by Transferee Courts or Actions Remanded by the Panel	(2,811)	(570)	(3,381)*
TOTAL ACTIONS PRESENTLY PENDING AND SUBJECTED TO SECTION 1407 PROCEEDINGS	2,152		2,192

* Includes a total of 152 actions which have been remanded by the Panel and 21 actions reassigned to transferor judges within the transferee district.

TABLE 34
CASES TRANSFERRED BY ORDER OF
THE JUDICIAL PANEL ON MULTIDISTRICT LITIGATION
STATISTICAL YEAR 1977 & CUMULATIVE FROM 9/68 TO DATE

Circuit and district	1977		1968-1977	
	Into District	Out of District	Into District	Out of District
Total all districts	345	345	3,075	3,075
District of Columbia	18	7	112	51
First Circuit	1	10	126	104
Maine	0	0	0	2
Massachusetts	1	7	80	68
New Hampshire	0	1	27	18
Rhode Island	0	2	0	8
Puerto Rico	0	0	19	8
Second Circuit	22	42	352	647
Connecticut	0	6	19	19
New York:				
Northern	0	3	2	8
Eastern	16	5	86	63
Southern	6	24	245	510
Western	0	2	0	9
Vermont	0	2	0	38
Third Circuit	12	43	580	246
Delaware	1	2	3	14
New Jersey	5	14	15	52
Pennsylvania:				
Eastern	6	23	504	121
Middle	0	1	0	29
Western	0	3	58	30
Virgin Islands	0	0	0	0
Fourth Circuit	3	20	111	154
Maryland	2	3	8	47
North Carolina:				
Eastern	0	1	0	11
Middle	0	1	3	13
Western	0	1	24	8
South Carolina	0	1	0	26
Virginia:				
Eastern	0	3	28	31
Western	0	0	0	4
West Virginia:				
Northern	1	0	1	1
Southern	0	10	47	13
Fifth Circuit	44	54	194	328
Alabama:				
Northern	0	2	33	31
Middle	0	0	0	3
Southern	0	0	0	10
Florida:				
Northern	0	2	0	7
Middle	0	4	1	17
Southern	2	9	74	41
Georgia:				
Northern	4	5	10	26
Middle	0	0	0	0
Southern	0	0	0	2
Louisiana:				
Eastern	19	3	31	44
Middle	0	2	0	5
Western	0	9	6	16
Mississippi:				
Northern	0	1	0	1
Southern	0	5	0	9
Texas:				
Northern	15	4	27	60
Eastern	0	2	1	6
Southern	4	3	8	40
Western	0	3	3	10
Canal Zone	0	0	0	0
Sixth Circuit	8	21	89	251
Kentucky:				
Eastern	0	1	53	13
Western	0	1	0	6
Michigan:				
Eastern	3	6	11	42
Western	0	3	0	9
Ohio:				
Northern	3	3	8	49
Southern	0	4	6	96
Tennessee:				
Eastern	0	0	2	7
Middle	2	1	3	8
Western	0	2	6	21
Seventh Circuit	33	18	353	331
Illinois:				
Northern	33	10	267	275
Eastern	0	0	0	2
Southern	0	0	0	3
Indiana:				
Northern	0	1	0	9
Southern	0	1	81	11
Wisconsin:				
Eastern	0	3	5	21
Western	0	3	0	10
Eighth Circuit	9	60	99	212
Arkansas:				
Eastern	0	0	0	7
Western	0	0	0	1
Iowa:				
Northern	0	2	0	3
Southern	0	6	3	12
Minnesota	3	38	23	100
Missouri:				
Eastern	6	2	8	27
Western	0	6	65	37
Nebraska	0	4	0	20
North Dakota	0	2	0	2
South Dakota	0	0	0	3
Ninth Circuit	43	62	593	623
Alaska	0	1	0	35
Arizona	0	1	3	25
California:				
Northern	19	21	248	272
Eastern	0	11	8	19
Central	23	13	307	123
Southern	0	0	12	16
Hawaii	0	8	0	17
Idaho	0	0	2	5
Montana	0	0	0	3
Nevada	0	1	0	14
Oregon	0	4	0	31
Washington:				
Eastern	0	0	0	4
Western	1	1	13	58
Guam	0	1	0	1
Tenth Circuit	152	8	466	128
Colorado	0	4	10	29
Kansas	151	0	407	29
New Mexico	0	0	0	2
Oklahoma:				
Northern	0	1	6	7
Eastern	0	0	7	0
Western	1	1	36	16
Utah	0	2	0	45
Wyoming	0	0	0	0

NOTE: Names of cases transferred may be obtained from the Judicial Panel on Multidistrict Litigation.

CRIMINAL CASE REPORTING IN DISTRICT COURTS

During the year ended June 30, 1977, criminal reporting forms were slightly revised. District court personnel responsible for completing the criminal docket were provided revised docket sets which required more comprehensive data. The current reporting system permits the Administrative Office, using a real time computer input system with desk terminals, to place in the computer file data on each defendant charged by indictment or information (including all juveniles proceeded against under provisions of the Federal Juvenile Delinquency Act), remands from the courts of appeals, a reopen of a case which failed to meet the pretrial diversion conditions set by the court, removals from state courts and appeals from decisions of U.S. magistrates.

For each defendant, the time intervals from arrest to indictment, indictment to arraignment and arraignment to trial are provided along with the time interval computations to sentencing for those convicted. This comprehensive record is used for criminal statistics appearing in the Annual Report and as resource data for most of the requests on defendants in the criminal justice system. Time interval data, with information on excludable time periods and reasons for such exclusions, are used for a report submitted to Congress on the Implementation of the Speedy Trial Act of 1974.

The computer system also permits matching of presentence investigations and records of persons received for probation supervision with the criminal record. Data from the probation records is demographic in nature (age, sex, prior criminal record, marital status and education).

In an on-line computer system with terminal entry stations, the entire criminal-speedy trial-probation system is able to operate as a service to the courts. Data generated by the system is processed on a large computer in the Division of Information Systems. The system is self-contained and does not interact with any Courtran II systems under development by the Federal Judicial Center.

After the first full year of operation of the new system, it is obvious that there are some reporting problems. Minor offenses, which are handled almost exclusively by U.S. magistrates, are required to be reported with the detailed criminal statistics of the district courts. Magistrates also report these minor offenses on monthly summary reports which are compiled and published in the Annual Report in Appendix Table M-1. It is apparent that the detailed reporting requirements are not being fully met

since the number of minor offense defendants terminated, as reported in the criminal statistics, are approximately one-half the number reported by U.S. Magistates in their summary reporting program. As a consequence, any comparison of criminal data with previous years should take into account the under-reporting of minor offenses in both 1976 and 1977. (The under-reporting of minor offenses on the district court's dockets is being addressed.)

Aside from the comparison problem, caution should be applied in direct comparisons with years prior to 1976. The two major reasons are the reporting requirements occasioned by the implementation of the Speedy Trial Act of 1974 and, as previously noted, the inclusion of minor offenses in the district court's workload. Also case-defendant counts have been diminished by a change in the counting of superseding indictments or informations. When the government's motion to dismiss an original indictment or information is granted, the superseding indictment or information does not become a new case as in the years prior to 1976, but remains the same case. To assist the reader, two sets of tables have been provided in the Appendix of this report. A note preceding the tables should be read in conjunction with the analysis which follows.

With the changes in the method of recording criminal defendants by the Administrative Office, the inclusion of minor offenses and the exclusion of superseding indictments or informations, 1977 has truly been a year of transition.

Except for 1935, when the first case recording of criminal cases began in the Department of Justice, (and the later transfer of the judicial statistical programs to the newly organized Administrative Office of United States Courts in 1940, with the criminal program being transferred in 1942), the collective effort of the clerks of courts and their deputy clerks as well as the U.S. magistrates and their supporting staff to complete these reports cannot be surpassed. The Administrative Office can meet the many demands for criminal and speedy trial data because of this dedication. With this comprehensive set of criminal data and the reports furnished by the probation officers and supporting staff, this system meets the highest standards of a criminal justice information system.

CRIMINAL CASELOAD

The twelve month period ended June 30, 1977 saw an increase of 1.1% in the total number of criminal cases filed in the district courts, from 41,020 June 30, 1976 to 41,464 June 30, 1977. This increase can be attributed to the inclusion of minor of-

TABLE 35
CRIMINAL CASES COMMENCED, TERMINATED AND PENDING JUNE 30, IN THE DISTRICT COURTS STATISTICAL YEARS 1955 - 1977

Fiscal year	Pending July 1	Total filed		Total terminated	Pending June 30
		Original proceedings	Received by transfer		
1955.....	10,100	35,310	1,813	38,580	8,643
1956.....	8,643	28,739	1,914	32,053	7,243
1957.....	7,243	28,120	1,958	29,826	7,495
1958.....	7,495	28,897	1,840	30,781	7,451
1959.....	7,451	28,729	1,924	30,377	7,727
1960.....	7,727	28,137	1,691	29,864	7,691
1961.....	7,691	28,460	1,808	29,881	8,078
1962.....	8,078	29,274	1,743	30,013	9,082
1963.....	9,082	29,858	1,888	31,546	9,282
1964.....	9,282	29,944	1,789	31,437	9,578
1965.....	9,578	31,569	1,765	32,078	10,834
1966.....	10,834	29,729	1,765	30,644	11,684
1967.....	11,684	30,534	1,673	30,350	13,541
1968.....	13,541	30,714	1,857	31,349	14,763
1969.....	14,763	33,585	1,828	32,406	17,770
1970.....	17,770	38,102	1,857	36,819	20,910
1971.....	20,910	41,290	1,867	39,582	24,485
1972.....	24,485	47,043	2,011	48,101	25,438
1973.....	25,438	40,367	2,067	43,456	24,416
1974.....	24,416	37,667	2,087	41,526	22,644
1975.....	22,644	41,108	2,174	43,515	22,411
1976.....	22,411	39,147	1,873	43,675	19,756
1977.....	19,756	39,786	1,678	44,111	17,109
Percent change 1977 over 1976.....	-11.8	1.6	-10.4	1.0	-13.4

fenses in the reporting system of district courts and occurred despite the exclusion of superseding indictments and informations where the government moves to close the original charge.

Cases terminations increased by 1.0%, also the disposition rate; (the number of terminations divided by the total available workload that is, pending cases at beginning of year and new filings) increased from 69% on June 30, 1976 to 72% on June 30, 1977. This disposition rate coupled with a lower beginning - year pending caused a decrease of 13.4% in the criminal cases pending June 30, 1977, from 19,756 in 1976 to 17,109 in 1977. This is the lowest pending figure since 1968 when there were 14,763 cases pending on June 30. (See Table 35) A comparision of the totals in appendix tables D1AC and D1FMC indicates that 79% of cases filed, 81% of cases terminated and 94% of cases pending June 30, 1977 are offenses classified as a felony or misdemeanor with the remainder of the filings, termination and pending cases classified as minor offenses or petty offenses appealed to the district court from a U.S. magistrate's decision.

CRIMINAL FILINGS

The rise in criminal case filings as of June 30, 1977, (all offenses) can be attributed to increased activity in six major offense groups. Of the six offense groups, fraud and miscellaneous general offenses represent the most significant gains. Fraud prosecutions showed an increase of 1,056 cases for a total of 4,986 reported and prosecutions under miscellaneous general offenses increased an additional 2,184 cases for a total of 10,155 for the year ended June 30, 1977.

An 18.1% increase in larceny and theft, a 13% increase in burglary, an 11.2% increase in embezzlement and an 11.0% increase in sex offense prosecutions represented substantial growth compared to a year ago. One final major offense group, forgery and counterfeiting, showed a slight increase of 0.1% from 3,972 in 1976 to 3,976 in 1977.

All other major offense groups experienced a decline in prosecutions ranging from 30.6% for immigration offenses to 15.1% for robbery offenses. This latter offense had been on an upswing until 1977.

Two offense categories show a steady decline since 1973. These are narcotic prosecutions and auto theft prosecutions.

TABLE 36
CRIMINAL CASES FILED BY NATURE OF OFFENSE, (EXCLUDES TRANSFERS)
STATISTICAL YEARS 1975 - 1977

Nature of offense	1975	1976		1977	
		All offenses	Felonies & misdemeanors	All offenses	Felonies & misdemeanors
Total	41,108	39,147	34,113	39,786	31,288
Homicide	149	158	158	131	131
Robbery	2,616	2,042	2,035	1,734	1,732
Bank	2,032	1,905	1,900	1,629	1,627
Postal	63	68	68	63	63
Other	71	69	67	42	42
Assault	833	832	778	691	616
Burglary	411	354	354	400	393
Larceny and theft	4,626	4,006	3,576	4,733	3,375
Embezzlement	1,870	1,778	1,711	1,977	1,726
Fraud	3,666	3,930	3,609	4,986	4,284
Auto theft	1,591	1,430	1,419	1,167	1,156
Forgery and counterfeiting	4,607	3,972	3,935	3,976	3,910
Sex offenses	176	127	124	141	123
Narcotic laws	7,331	6,198	6,007	4,866	4,620
Miscellaneous general offenses	7,230	7,971	5,740	10,155	5,692
Weapons and firearms	3,165	2,847	2,800	2,858	2,817
Escape[1]	1,497	1,433	1,384	1,352	1,330
Drunk driving & traffic	1,220	2,587	516	4,966	665
Other misc. general offenses	2,568	1,104	1,040	979	830
Immigration laws	1,947	2,070	1,782	1,436	1,397
Liquor, Internal Revenue	349	187	178	140	118
Federal statutes	4,156	4,092	2,707	3,253	2,015
Civil rights[2]	127	85	66	63	43
Food and Drug Acts	85	61	45	111	95
Migratory bird laws	361	944	223	561	240
Motor Carrier Act	146	113	91	114	67
Selective Service Act	274	120	119	137	136
Other Federal statutes	3,163	2,769	2,163	2,267	1,434

[1]Includes escape from custody, aiding and abetting an escape, failure to appear in court and bail jumping.

[2]These are principally cases removed from State courts under provisions of the Civil Rights Act, 28 U.S.C. 1443.

Narcotic prosecutions declined 21.5% from 6,198 in 1976 to 4,866 in 1977. There has been an overall decline of 44.8% since 1973 when there were 8,817 cases filed. Auto theft cases recorded a decline of 18.4% from 1,430 in 1976 to 1,167 in 1977. The overall decline since 1973 is 40.5% when there were 1,960 such cases filed. The decline represents the Department of Justice policy of prosecuting defendants involved in organized car theft rings.

There are four offense categories with substantial increases of more than 55% in filings over the previous year. Drunk driving and traffic offense filings increased by 2,379 over 1976 for a total of 4,966 cases (all offenses). Most of these cases were classified as minor and generally were handled by U.S. Magistrates.

Filings on violations of the Food and Drug Act increased by 50 cases from 61 cases in 1976 to 111 cases in 1977, or 82.0% over 1976. Counterfeiting and theft of other U. S. Government property cases increased by 59.8% and 59.2% respectively over 1976.

A comparison of the appendix tables D-2AC and D-2FMC will show that of the 4,966 cases filed for drunk driving and traffic violations, only 665 or 13.4% were classified as felonies or misdemeanors; of the 1,052 cases filed for theft of U.S. Government property, 353 or 33.6% were classified as felonies or misdemeanors. In these offense categories, minor offenses comprise the greatest number of filings. (See Table 36)

TYPE OF CRIMINAL PROCEEDING

The proportion of criminal cases commenced by indictment comprised 62.8% of the 39,786 criminal filings in the twelve-month period ended June 30, 1977, down from 66.8% noted in 1976. Cases commenced by indictment decreased 4.4% to 24,991 and cases commenced after waiver of indictment dropped 11.8% to 2,278. Under Rule 7(b) of the Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure a defendant may waive indictment in open court and be charged by information.

There was a 20.5% increase in the filing of "other informations" for cases where the maximum penalty of imprisonment is not more than one year. These 11,543 cases commenced by the filing of informations comprised 29.0% of the criminal cases filed compared to 24.5% during the last reporting period ended June 30, 1976. Also, of the 11,543 "other informations" cases filed, over one-fourth (3,395) were reported as felonies and misdemeanors.

TABLE 37
CRIMINAL CASES COMMENCED SHOWING NATURE OF ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS DURING THE STATISTICAL YEARS 1975 - 1977 (EXCLUDES TRANSFERS)

Nature of proceeding	1976		1977	
	All offenses reported	Felonies and misdemeanors only	All offenses reported	Felonies and misdemeanors only
Total.....	39,147	34,213	39,786	31,288
Proceedings commenced by:				
Indictment.....	26,150	26,031	24,991	24,854
Information-indictment waived.....	2,583	2,572	2,278	2,274
Information-other.....	9,577	4,861	11,543	3,395
Remanded from Appellate court.....	114	112	119	116
Removed from State court.....	95	65	154	122
Reopened/Reinstated.....	220	216	333	325
Appeal from U.S. magistrates decisions..	108	69	148	12
Juvenile delinquency proceedings.....	300	287	220	190

Cases removed from state courts showed a gain of 62% from 95 in 1976 to 154 in 1977. Of such cases in 1977 79% were felonies and misdemeanors. Appeals to the district court from U. S. Magistrate decisions increased from 108 in 1976 to 148 in 1977, a 37.0% gain.

Filings under the Federal Juvenile Delinquency Act continued to decrease from 300 in 1976 to 220 in 1977, a loss of 26.7%. Compared to 1974, when 727 cases where filed, the 1977 figure of 220 filings represented a 69.7% drop.

CASES FILED BY DISTRICT

Although the overall increase in original filings is 1.6%, five districts experienced increases greater than 40.0%: the District of New Jersey, the Western District of Texas, the Middle District of Tennessee, the Western District of Washington and the District of Colorado. The District of New Jersey saw an increase of 486 cases filed, 77% over the previous year. The increase of 341 cases in the offense category of "fraud" and gains in the offense categories of larceny, embezzlement, "other general offenses" and immigration were responsible for most of the increase in New Jersey. The District of Western Texas saw the majority of its 42% or 316 case gain in the larceny offense category, from 46 in 1976 to 269 in 1977, a gain of 484.8%. The majority of these cases, 83.6%, were filed as minor offenses. The Middle District of Tennessee showed an increase of 126 cases in the "other general offenses" category from 15 in 1976 to 141 in 1977. This one offense category accounted for the entire increase in cases filed for 1977. Of the 141 cases filed, only 9.2% were filed as felonies and misdemeanors. The Western District of Washington had an upswing of 105.2% in cases filed. The swell in "other general offenses" from 70 in 1976 to 466 in 1977 contributed largely to the increase noted.

Filings for the fifth district, the District of Colorado, rose by 74.1% from 274 in 1976 to 477 in 1977. The major portion of the increase can be attributed to the rise in the offense category "other general offenses" which includes minor offense violations of drunk driving and other traffic violations.

Similar analyses can be made by comparing Appendix Table D-3AC with previous years. Care should be exercised in making any comparisons of Appendix Table D-3FMC with any other tables as data for felony and misdemeanor cases only is not available prior to 1976.

DISPOSITION OF CRIMINAL DEFENDANTS

During the twelve month period ended June 30, 1977, there were 44,111 cases (all offenses) terminated in the 94 district courts, involving 53,188 defendants - counting those defendants in more than one case only once. These 53,188 defendants represent a rise of 3.0% in terminations over 1976. The territorial courts of the Canal Zone, Guam and the Virgin Islands are included in this report for the first time, therefore, care should be taken when attempting comparisons of this data with previously published reports. These three courts accounted for 856 of the total 53,188 defendants whose cases were terminated.

Figure 14 provides a summary of defendant disposition data for statistical year 1975 (all offenses), and for 1976 and 1977 (all offenses and felonies and misdemeanors).

The conviction rate continues to rise, from 76.1% in 1975 to 77.7 in 1976 to 78.0% in 1977 for all offenses. The number of convicted defendants receiving a "fine only" sentence increased substantially from 3,199 in 1976 to 5,409 in 1977, for an increase of 69.1%. The majority of this increase occurred in the minor offense categories of traffic violations and migratory bird laws. (See Appendix Table D-5AD and D-5FMD)

The number of defendants charged with contempt violations increased from 105 in 1976 to 461 in 1977 or 339.0% and the convictions rose from 55 to 106, a 92.7% increase. For the third consecutive year, defendant dispositions for drunk driving and traffic offenses has increased substantially. In the last reporting year, an additional 2,453 defendants were disposed of, from 2,270 in 1976 to 4,723 in 1977. Of these 4,723 dispositions 3,863, or 81.8%, were convicted. Since 1974, there has been an increase of 4,353 defendant dispositions from 370 in 1974 to 4,723 in 1977 with 246 convicted in 1974 and 3,863 convicted in 1977 resulting in a conviction rate of 66.5% in 1974 and 81.8% in 1977 in 1977 for this offense category.

MEDIAN TIME INTERVAL

The first statistics on the median time interval from filing of a criminal indictment or information to the final disposition of a defendant in the United States district courts were published in 1963. To date, this data has been published each year, except 1964, in this volume or in the Federal Offenders series published by the Administrative Office of the United States Courts.

FIGURE 14
SUMMARY OF CRIMINAL DEFENDANT DISPOSITIONS IN THE U. S. DISTRICT COURTS, STATISTICAL YEARS 1975 - 1977 (EXCLUDES TERRITORIES)

Disposition	1975	1976		1977	
		All offenses reported	Felonies & misdemeanors only	All offenses reported	Felonies & misdemeanors only
Total Defendants	49,212	51,612	47,256	53,188	44,854
Defendants Convicted and Sentenced (Percent of Total)	37,433 (76.1)	40,112 (77.7)	36,491 (77.2)	41,468 (78.0)	34,619 (77.2)
Imprisonment (Percent of Convicted)	17,301 (46.2)	18,478 (46.1)	18,068 (49.5)	19,613 (47.3)	19,169 (55.4)
Average Sentence of Imprisonment in Months	45.5	47.2	48.1	45.1	46.0
Probation (Percent of Convicted)	17,913 (47.9)	18,208 (45.4)	16,694 (45.7)	16,134 (38.9)	13,781 (39.8)
Fine (Percent of Convicted)	1,876 (5.0)	3,198 (8.0)	1,545 (4.2)	5,409 (13.0)	1,486 (4.3)
Other (Percent of Convicted)	343 (0.9)	228 (0.6)	184 (0.5)	312 (0.8)	183 (0.5)

The median time interval does not reflect the average time from filing to disposition but rather expresses the middle time value where one-half of the defendants had their cases disposed of in greater time than the median and one-half of the defendants cases required less time than the median. The median time interval reflects only the time a defendant's criminal proceeding has been on the docket of the district court. Thus, the intervals do not include time between arrest and indictment, pre-indictment matters in the criminal justice process or time involved in post-conviction appeals.

The median intervals do include time when the defendant was fugitive from justice, time required for study and observation procedures following conviction (up to 30, 60, or 90 days depending on the statute), and time between conviction and sentencing for the Federal Probation Service to conduct its pre-sentence investigation. (See Table 38).

Appendix Table D-6AC presents median time interval statistics for 94 federal district courts. These figures include for the first time the territorial district courts of Canal Zone, Guam and the Virgin Islands.

A comparison of Appendix Tables D-6 for 1976 and D-6AD for 1977 reveals that the overall median time interval from the filing to the disposition of criminal defendants has decreased from 3.3 months in 1976 to 3.2 months in 1977. The 1976 median time does not include the District of Columbia whose median was 3.9 months in 1976. There were no significant changes in the median time for the total defendants within the district courts. However, in 23 federal district courts substantial increases appeared in the median time for defendants whose cases were dismissed. Of the 23 districts with increased median time intervals for dismissed defendants, the District of Maine, Western Michigan, Southern Illinois, Southern Indiana and Nebraska experienced the largest increase over 1976.

The District of Maine increased its dismissal median time from 3.7 months in 1976 to 70.4 months in 1977; the District of Western Michigan, from 17.0 months to 63.0 months; the District of Southern Illinois, from 16.6 months to 72.0 months; the District of Southern Indiana, from 6.5 months to 68.0 months; and the District of Nebraska from 7.0 months in 1976 to 61.5 months in 1977.

The increase in dismissal medians can be attributed largely to the number of Selective Service Act defendants whose cases were disposed of by dismissal. This offense group generally has a lengthy median time interval between filing and disposition due to the number of fugitive defendants.

TABLE 38
U. S. DISTRICT COURTS CRIMINAL DEFENDANTS DISPOSED OF SHOWING MEDIAN TIME INTERVAL FROM FILING TO DISPOSITION STATISTICAL YEARS 1970 - 1977

Type of disposition and median time interval	Statistical years							
	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976 (all offenses)	1977 (all offenses)
Total	36,356	44,615	49,516	46,724	46,543	48,244	50,608	53,188
Median (mos.)	3.2	2.9	3.4	3.9	3.8	3.6	3.1	3.2
Dismissed	6,608	10,655	10,219	11,741	9,634	10,144	9,633	9,940
Median (mos.)	7.1	6.4	7.7	6.8	7.0	7.4	5.5	6.6
Plea of guilty	24,111	27,544	31,714	29,009	29,843	31,170	33,327	35,335
Median (mos.)	2.2	2.3	2.5	3.0	3.0	2.9	2.5	2.6
Court trial	19,103	2,537	1,873	2,240	2,238	1,929	2,038	2,027
Median (mos.)	5.5	5.2	5.5	4.6	4.2	3.8	3.3	2.7
Jury trial	3,644	4,313	5,046	4,101	4,828	5,001	5,610	5,886
Median (mos.)	5.9	5.9	6.3	5.8	5.5	5.3	5.0	5.0

NOTE: 1970-1976 excludes District of Columbia and the territories of Canal Zone, Guam and Virgin Islands.

1977 includes 90 districts, District of Columbia and the territories of Canal Zone, Guam and Virgin Islands.

TABLE 39
CRIMINAL CASES PENDING JUNE 30, 1970 - 1977
BY NATURE OF OFFENSE

Nature of Offense	Statistical Years							
	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977*
Total	20,910	24,485	25,438	24,416	22,644	22,411	19,756	17,109
Homicide	206	200	223	78	57	61	56	66
Robbery	1,093	1,323	1,445	785	748	969	780	707
Bank	658	756	752	665	687	914	726	666
Postal	17	25	35	16	20	22	30	28
Other	418	542	658	104	41	33	24	13
Assault	337	369	299	301	305	364	263	247
Burglary	342	300	196	112	100	138	133	113
Larceny and theft	1,732	1,948	1,849	1,553	1,486	1,851	1,441	1,382
Embezzlement	777	880	694	608	525	599	542	516
Fraud	1,684	1,605	1,843	2,027	1,934	2,166	2,176	2,357
Auto theft	1,386	1,063	993	832	691	576	531	387
Forgery and counterfeiting	2,295	2,564	2,409	2,191	2,094	1,970	1,569	1,663
Sex offenses	161	153	174	93	107	83	53	43
Narcotics laws	2,472	3,298	4,273	5,221	4,889	4,911	4,620	4,107
Miscellaneous general offenses	2,324	2,989	3,417	3,625	3,942	4,003	3,778	3,858
Weapons and firearms	859	1,086	1,259	1,128	1,397	1,443	1,124	1,149
Other miscellaneous general offenses	1,465	1,903	2,158	2,497	2,545	2,560	2,654	2,709
Immigration laws	575	539	547	558	542	605	517	567
Liquor, Internal Revenue	452	360	348	206	174	83	49	48
Federal statutes	5,074	6,894	6,728	6,226	5,050	4,032	3,248	1,048
Civil rights	89	95	58	52	55	49	22	21
Selective Service Act	3,744	5,305	5,424	4,953	3,826	2,704	2,123	65
Other Federal statutes	1,241	1,494	1,246	1,221	1,169	1,279	1,103	962

*All offenses.

TABLE 39A
CRIMINAL CASES PENDING IN THE U. S. DISTRICT COURTS
AS OF JUNE 30, STATISTICAL YEAR 1976 - 1977

Circuit and district	1976 (All offenses)	1977 (All offenses)	Percent Change 1977 over 1976
Total all districts	19,756	17,109	-13.4
District of Columbia	400	337	-15.7
First Circuit	708	440	-37.9
Maine	58	40	-31.0
Massachusetts	440	252	-42.7
New Hampshire	29	8	-72.4
Rhode Island	77	57	-26.0
Puerto Rico	104	83	-20.2
Second Circuit	2,734	1,987	-27.3
Connecticut	271	133	-50.9
New York:			
Northern	152	105	-30.9
Eastern	922	709	-23.1
Southern	903	738	-18.3
Western	387	211	-45.5
Vermont	99	91	- 8.1
Third Circuit	1,182	991	-16.2
Delaware	50	39	-22.0
New Jersey	358	397	10.9
Pennsylvania:			
Eastern	238	191	-19.7
Middle	89	71	-20.2
Western	224	160	-28.6
Virgin Islands	223	133	-40.4
Fourth Circuit	1,406	1,175	-16.4
Maryland	619	372	-39.9
North Carolina:			
Eastern	69	82	18.8
Middle	64	64	-
Western	57	38	-33.3
South Carolina	145	170	17.2
Virginia:			
Eastern	288	303	5.2
Western	35	23	-34.3
West Virginia:			
Northern	18	29	61.1
Southern	111	94	-15.3
Fifth Circuit	3,457	3,257	- 5.8
Alabama:			
Northern	142	138	- 2.8
Middle	32	60	87.5
Southern	47	63	34.0
Florida:			
Northern	45	42	- 6.7
Middle	283	270	- 4.6
Southern	556	654	17.6
Georgia:			
Northern	262	244	- 6.9
Middle	69	45	-34.8
Southern	227	121	-46.7
Louisiana:			
Eastern	153	161	5.2
Middle	36	21	-41.7
Western	126	54	-57.1
Mississippi:			
Northern	20	26	30.0
Southern	44	52	18.2
Texas:			
Northern	210	220	4.8
Eastern	40	59	47.5
Southern	778	591	-24.0
Western	327	356	8.9
Canal Zone	60	80	33.3
Sixth Circuit	2,088	1,555	-25.5
Kentucky:			
Eastern	141	126	-10.6
Western	74	74	-
Michigan:			
Eastern	1,034	667	-35.5
Western	190	116	-38.9
Ohio:			
Northern	350	201	-42.6
Southern	69	95	37.7
Tennessee:			
Eastern	30	37	23.3
Middle	63	72	14.3
Western	137	167	21.9
Seventh Circuit	1,283	1,076	-16.1
Illinois:			
Northern	667	664	- 0.4
Eastern	46	46	-
Southern	70	41	-41.4
Indiana:			
Northern	213	104	-51.2
Southern	126	79	-37.3
Wisconsin:			
Eastern	123	101	-17.9
Western	38	41	7.9
Eighth Circuit	997	750	-24.8
Arkansas:			
Eastern	86	83	- 3.5
Western	36	29	-19.4
Iowa:			
Northern	40	44	10.0
Southern	53	31	-41.5
Minnesota	147	103	-29.9
Missouri:			
Eastern	126	91	-27.8
Western	170	149	-12.4
Nebraska	115	48	-58.3
North Dakota	34	31	- 8.8
South Dakota	190	141	-25.8
Ninth Circuit	4,870	4,890	0.4
Alaska	84	86	2.4
Arizona	934	950	1.7
California:			
Northern	210	283	34.8
Eastern	265	265	-
Central	1,039	865	-16.7
Southern	1,501	1,440	- 4.1
Hawaii	101	313	209.9
Idaho	43	38	-11.6
Montana	74	64	-13.5
Nevada	113	111	- 1.8
Oregon	170	142	-16.5
Washington:			
Eastern	74	55	-25.7
Western	251	266	6.0
Guam	11	12	9.1
Tenth Circuit	631	651	3.2
Colorado	134	136	1.5
Kansas	193	147	-23.8
New Mexico	118	119	0.8
Oklahoma:			
Northern	56	26	-53.6
Eastern	8	23	187.5
Western	57	71	24.6
Utah	55	113	105.5
Wyoming	10	16	60.0

TABLE 40
DISTRICT COURTS - NARCOTIC DRUG LAW CASE FLOW - 1970 - 1977

Statistical Year	Pending July 1	Filed	Terminated		Pending June 30
			Number	Disposition rate*	
1970	2,248	3,511	3,287	57.1	2,472
1971	2,472	4,679	3,853	53.9	3,298
1972	3,298	6,758	5,783	57.2	4,273
1973	4,273	8,817	7,869	60.1	5,221
1974	5,221	7,374	7,706	61.2	4,889
1975	4,889	7,331	7,309	59.8	4,911
1976	4,911	6,198	6,489	58.4	4,620
1977	4,620	4,866	5,379	56.7	4,107

*Percent of the total of new filings and the beginning pending.

CASES PENDING BY OFFENSE

The criminal pending caseload on June 30, 1977 was 17,109, 13.4% below June 30, 1976. Table 39 represents eight years of pending data as of June 30 by nature of offense. There were decreases in every offense category with the exception of homicide, which showed an increase of 17.9%; fraud a gain of 8.3%; forgery and counterfeiting, a plus of 6.0%; miscellaneous general offenses gained 2.1% and immigration laws up by 9.7%.

The largest single offense category experiencing a decline was Selective Service Act prosecutions (65), which was down 96.9% from 2,123 in 1976 (See discussion).

The second largest pending caseload was narcotics with 4,107, cases down 11.1% from 1976. At the beginning of the reporting period, July 1, 1976, there were 4,620 narcotic law violations on the criminal docket. During the next twelve months, 4,866 new cases were added resulting in a total of 9,486 on the district dockets. Of this group 56.7% were disposed of leaving 4,107 cases pending. (See Table 40) Similar analyses may be carried but for other offenses using Appendix Table D-3AC for cases filed and D-8AC for cases pending.

SELECTIVE SERVICE ACT VIOLATIONS

Executive Order No. 11803, signed by President Gerald R. Ford on September 16, 1974, established the Presidential Clemency Board which was concerned with persons convicted of acts of draft-evasion committed between the inclusive dates of August 4, 1964, (Gulf of Tonkin Resolution) and March 28, 1973 (the day the last American combatant left Vietnam).

Section 2 of the Executive Order generally applied to defendants convicted of violating Section 12 or 6 (j) of the Military Selective Service Act (50 App. U.S.C.§462), or those who had received punitive or undesirable discharges as a consequence of violations of Article 85, 86 or 87 of the Uniform Code of Military Justice or those who were serving sentences to confinement for such violations.

The Clemency Board would consider only the cases of Military Selective Service Act violators who "were convicted for unlawfully

failing (i) to register or register on time, (ii) to keep the local board informed of their current address, (iii) to report for or submit to preinduction or induction examination, (iv) to report for or submit to induction itself or (v) to report or submit to, or complete service under Section 6(j) of such Act. However, the Board [would] not consider cases of individuals who [were] precluded from re-entering the United States under 8 U.S.C. 1182(a)(22) or other law." (Exec. Order No. 11803, Sec.2).

Unconvicted draft violators under the Department of Justice program had their prosecutions dropped which contributed to the down trend in the filings as well as the closing out of many cases by dismissals beginning in 1975 with the U.S. attorneys placing such violators in Alternate Service programs.

On January 21, 1977, President Jimmy Carter issued Executive Order 11967, referred to as the Presidential Proclamation of Pardon for Violations of the Selective Service Act for the period August 4, 1964 to March 28, 1973. The proclamation provided for the Attorney General to dismiss with prejudice to the government all pending indictments for violations of the Military Selective Service Act with the exception of those cases alleging acts of force or violence and those cases where alleged acts by agents, employees or officers of the Selective Service System violated the Military Selective Service Act. It further ordered the Attorney General to terminate all investigations which were pending on January 21, 1977 and to initiate no new investigations alleging violations of the Military Selective Service Act with the exceptions noted above.

Persons who had been precluded from re-entering the United States by reason of having committed, or who apparently committed, any violation of the Military Selective Service Act would be permitted, as any other alien, to re-enter the United States.

The effect of the presidental pardon was to require the dismissal of the majority of Selective Service Act violators on the criminal docket. Therefore, the dismissal of 2,142 defendants in 1977 was the third largest number of such dispositions since 1945 and effectively reduced the volume of such pending cases to 65 on June 30, 1977. This can be compared to 2,123 Selective Service cases pending a year ago and 5,424 such cases pending on June 30, 1972.

To a great extent, the high volume of fugitive cases on the criminal docket has been reduced by the actions taken subsequent to the President's Pardon of January 21, 1977. In addition, the overall pending criminal caseload has been reduced by over

TABLE 41
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURTS
DISPOSITION OF DEFENDANTS CHARGED WITH VIOLATION OF SELECTIVE SERVICE ACT
SHOWING TYPE OF SENTENCE FOR FISCAL YEARS 1945 THROUGH 1977

Fiscal year	Total defendants	Not convicted				Convicted and Sentenced				Type of Sentence							Average sentence of imprisonment (in mos.)[3]
				Acquitted by				Convicted by			Imprisonment[1]						
		Total	Dis-missed	Court	Jury	Total	Plea of guilty or nolo contendere	Court	Jury	Total	1 year and 1 day and under	Over 1 year 1 day to 3 years	3-5 years	5 years and over	Pro-bation	Fine and other	
1945....	4,287	1,449	1,399	25	25	2,838	1,823	319	696	2,368	438	775	744	411	453	17	31.9
1946....	2,651	999	953	26	20	1,652	1,130	222	300	1,339	547	501	244	47	301	12	20.6
1947....	2,074	937	908	18	11	1,137	898	178	61	775	394	317	61	3	245	117	14.3
1948....	833	529	511	7	11	304	264	11	29	212	133	69	9	1	84	8	14.1
1949....	506	214	202	3	9	292	263	20	9	213	134	62	17	-	73	6	14.6
1950....	449	274	272	1	1	175	156	6	13	109	78	24	6	1	65	1	13.4
1951....	368	212	202	6	4	156	105	24	27	123	35	37	29	22	32	1	29.6
1952....	561	248	222	16	10	313	160	97	56	272	58	77	97	40	39	2	30.5
1953....	630	285	236	39	10	345	185	129	31	280	61	101	84	34	64	1	29.3
1954....	822	398	278	116	4	424	194	185	45	356	78	137	126	15	64	4	26.4
1955....	719	430	367	57	6	289	157	106	26	217	54	105	47	11	70	2	24.8
1956....	371	185	167	16	2	186	109	67	10	123	35	50	35	3	61	2	24.0
1957....	357	95	75	17	3	262	183	70	9	194	60	85	41	8	68	-	23.7
1958....	325	96	66	26	4	229	154	66	9	190	66	81	42	1	36	3	21.6
1959....	258	56	44	11	1	202	159	39	4	152	46	63	39	4	49	1	23.2
1960....	239	73	65	7	1	166	131	31	4	126	47	48	28	3	37	3	21.5
1961....	244	45	37	8	-	199	160	33	6	141	45	59	35	2	57	1	22.6
1962....	274	49	46	2	1	225	182	31	12	164	58	75	28	3	60	1	21.6
1963....	338	73	66	7	-	265	212	46	7	189	79	65	36	9	74	2	21.5
1964....	276	70	63	6	1	206	161	32	13	146	46	77	22	1	59	1	20.8
1965....	341	99	88	8	3	242	197	28	17	189	64	90	30	5	52	1	21.0
1966....	516	145	132	11	2	371	265	74	32	301	61	128	95	17	64	6	26.4
1967....	996	248	224	22	2	748	538	141	69	666	47	270	291	58	78	4	32.1
1968....	1,192	408	353	49	6	784	520	196	68	580	44	131	301	104	202	2	37.3
1969....	1,744	844	747	88	9	900	511	252	137	544	40	155	261	88	350	6	36.3
1970....	2,833	1,806	1,570	222	14	1,027	570	321	136	450	53	144	208	45	572	5	33.3
1971....	2,973	1,937	1,701	217	19	1,036	590	350	96	377	79	140	129	29	650	9	29.1
1972....	4,906	3,264	2,937	294	33	1,642	934	578	130	458	199	120	123	16	1,178	6	22.0
1973....	3,495	2,518	2,338	137	43	977	631	253	93	260	146	66	41	7	707	10	17.5
1974....	2,094	1,295	1,196	73	26	799	643	114	42	155	107	21	27	-	637	7	14.5
1975....	1,376	1,147	1,133	10	4	229	171	38	20	20	14	4	2	-	203	6	-
1976....	696	573	562	4	7	123	105	13		12		2	4	1	108	3	-
1977....	2,175	2,146	2,142	2	2	29	22	5	2	4	2	1	1	-	22	3	-

[1]Includes sentences of more than 6 months which are to be followed by a term of probation (mixed sentences).
[2]Includes split sentences where a defendant receives a sentence on a one-count indictment of 6 months or less in a jail type institution, followed by a term of probation, 18 U.S.C. 3651. Included in these figures are mixed sentences involving confinement for 6 months or less on one count, to be followed by a term of probation on one or more other counts.
[3]Not computed where base is less than 25.

NOTE: Excludes District of Columbia, Canal Zone, Guam and Virgin Islands through fiscal year 1973. Figures for 1974 to 1977 include the District of Columbia. Statistics reflect defendants charged with violation of the Selective Training and Service Act of 1940, Title 50, U.S.C., App. 301-318 and the Universal Military Training and Service Act of 1948, Title 50, U.S.C., App., 451-470.

2,000 cases. Thus, the number of criminal defendants pending on June 30, 1976 and 1977 which was respectively 27,770 and 24,655, dropped by 3,115, of which two-thirds were the result of dispositions of defendants charged with violation of the Military Selective Service Act.

Two historical tables appear in these pages. The first table shows the case flow of violations of the Selective Service Act beginning in 1967 together with the number of defendants convicted showing the type of sentence imposed. The second table shows the disposition of defendants prosecuted for Selective Service Act violations beginning with 1945 through 1977.

TABLE 41A
SELECTIVE SERVICE ACT VIOLATIONS - CASE FLOW
12 MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 1967 - 1977

Year	Cases Pending July 1	Cases Filed	Defendants Terminated			Type of Sentence[1]					Cases Pending June 30
			Total	Not convicted	Convicted	Imprisonment	Average Sentence (mos.)[2]	Probation	Fine only	Other	
1967	NA	1,335	996	248	748	666	32.1	78	-	4	733
1968	733	1,826	1,192	408	784	580	37.3	202	1	1	1,345
1969	1,345	3,305	1,744	844	900	544	36.3	350	2	4	2,893
1970	2,893	3,712	2,833	1,806	1,027	450	33.5	572	2	3	3,744
1971	3,744	4,539	2,973	1,937	1,036	377	29.1	650	3	6	5,305
1972	5,305	5,142	4,906	3,264	1,642	458	22.0	1,178	4	2	5,424
1973	5,424	3,043	3,495	2,518	977	260	17.5	707	7	3	4,953
1974	4,953	1,008	2,094	1,295	799	155	14.5	637	5	2	3,826
1975	3,826	274	1,376	1,147	229	20	-	203	5	1	2,704
1976	2,704	120	696	573	123	12	-	108	2	1	2,123
1977	2,123	137	2,175	2,146	29	4	-	22	3	-	65

[1] Includes sentences of more than 6 months which are to be followed by a term of probation (mixed sentences).

[2] Not computed where base is less than 25.

NOTE: Excludes District of Columbia, Canal Zone, Guam and Virgin Islands through fiscal year 1973. Beginning with 1974, figures include the District of Columbia. Statistics reflect defendants charged with violation of the Selective Training and Service Act of 1940, Title 50, U.S.C., App. 301 - 318 and the Universal Military Training and Service Act of 1948, Title 50, U.S.C., App., 451 - 470.

PENDING CRIMINAL CASES

The number of criminal cases pending on June 30, 1977 dropped 13.4% from the previous year to 17,109. Fifty-seven of the 94 district courts experienced decreases in their pending criminal caseload. Thirty-five of these districts lowered their year-end criminal caseload by 20% or more. These were:

District Name	Percent Decrease
New Hampshire	72.4
Nebraska	58.3
Louisiana, Western	57.1
Oklahoma, Northern	53.6
Indiana, Northern	51.2
Connecticut	50.9
Georgia, Southern	46.7
New York, Western	45.5
Massachusetts	42.7
Ohio, Northern	42.6
Louisiana, Middle	41.7
Iowa, Southern	41.5
Illinois, Southern	41.4
Virgin Islands	40.4
Maryland	39.9
Michigan, Western	38.9
Indiana, Southern	37.3
Michigan, Eastern	35.5
Georgia, Middle	34.8
Virginia, Western	34.3
North Carolina, Western	33.3
Maine	31.0
New York, Northern	30.9
Minnesota	29.9
Pennsylvania, Western	28.6
Missouri, Eastern	27.8
Rhode Island	26.0
South Dakota	25.8
Washington, Eastern	25.7
Texas, Southern	24.0
Kansas	23.8
New York, Eastern	23.1
Delaware	22.0
Puerto Rico	20.2
Pennsylvania, Middle	20.2

TABLE 42
CRIMINAL CASES PENDING ONE YEAR OR MORE SHOWING PROPORTION OF CASES WITH FUGITIVE DEFENDANTS AS OF JUNE 30, 1968 - 1977 (INCLUDES ALL OFFENSES REPORTED)

June 30	Number of Criminal Cases pending 1 year or more			
	Total	Without fugitive defendants	With fugitive defendants	
			Number	Percent
1968.....	4,029	2,534	1,495	37.1
1969.....	4,845	2,627	2,218	45.8
1970.....	6,179	2,964	3,215	52.0
1971.....	7,271	3,147	4,124	56.7
1972.....	8,067	2,654	5,413	67.1
1973.....	9,064	2,771	6,293	69.4
1974.....	9,341	2,499	6,842	73.3
1975.....	8,889	2,606	6,283	70.7
1976.....	8,223	2,016	6,207	75.5
1977.....	6,356	1,563	4,793	75.4
Percent Change 1977 over 1976.....	-22.7	-22.5	-22.8	---

FIGURE 15
DISTRICT COURTS HAVING MORE THAN 500 CRIMINAL CASES PENDING, JUNE 30, 1977 (INCLUDES ALL OFFENSES REPORTED)

District	Total pending cases	Cases pending less than 6 months	Cases pending 6 to 12 months			Cases pending 1 year or more		
			Number	Cases with fugitive defendants, etc.		Number	Cases with fugitive defendants, etc.	
				Number	Percent		Number	Percent
All districts.....	17,109	8,865	1,888	697	36.9	6,356	4,793	75.4
Total 9 districts..	7,278	2,615	713	339	47.5	3,950	3,174	80.4
Percent.....	42.5	29.5	37.8	48.6	-	62.1	66.2	-
California, Southern....	1,440	264	87	39	44.8	1,089	1,013	93.0
Arizona.....	950	254	86	68	79.1	610	590	96.7
California, Central.....	865	398	56	18	32.1	411	312	75.9
New York, Southern.....	738	281	102	51	50.0	355	207	58.3
New York, Eastern.....	709	252	78	24	30.8	379	249	65.7
Michigan, Eastern.....	667	349	85	11	12.9	233	59	25.3
Illinois, Northern.....	664	327	72	23	31.9	265	197	74.3
Florida, Southern.....	654	267	86	59	68.6	301	273	90.7
Texas, Southern.....	591	223	61	46	75.4	307	274	89.3

The pending caseload showed an increase over 1976 in thirty-two district courts, with 15 districts showing gains in excess of 20%:

District Name	Percent Increase
Hawaii	209.9
Oklahoma, Eastern	187.5
Utah	105.5
Alabama, Middle	87.5
West Virginia, Northern	61.1
Wyoming	60.0
Texas, Eastern	47.5
Ohio, Southern	37.7
California, Northern	34.8
Alabama, Southern	34.0
Canal Zone	33.3
Mississippi, Northern	30.0
Oklahoma, Western	24.6
Tennessee, Eastern	23.3
Tennessee, Western	21.9

PENDING CRIMINAL CASES WITH FUGITIVE DEFENDANTS

The number of criminal cases pending one year or more decreased 22.7% from 8,225 in 1976 to 6,356 in 1977. Of these older cases, 4,793 or 75.4% were pending criminal cases with fugitive defendants. The change is only slightly lower than the 75.6% reported for 1976. Thus, the percentage of cases with fugitive defendants remains high for the second year. Appendix Table D-10AC contains individual district data on the length of time pending for fugitive and non-fugitive cases for all offenses reported.

DISTRICTS WITH MORE THAN 500 CRIMINAL CASES PENDING

At the close of the reporting period on June 30, 1977, nine district courts had over 500 cases pending. These districts accounted for 42.5% of the total pending criminal caseload and 62.1% of the cases pending one year or more. Of the 713 cases pending 6 to 12 months, 339 or 47.5% had fugitve defendants, and 3,174 or 80.4% of the 3,950 cases pending 1 year or more had fugitive defendants. (See Figure 15).

STATUS REPORT ON DEFENDANTS PENDING ON THE CRIMINAL DOCKET ON JUNE 30, 1977

The status of the majority of criminal defendants pending on the district courts' dockets on June 30, 1977 can be divided into two groups: "triable" and "not triable". Those defendants who are regarded as ready to stand trial; i.e., available for final plea or trial by judge or jury, are referred to as "triable" defendants. The defendants in the "not triable" status include those who were fugitives from justice or who could not be tried because of excludable delays as provided under 18 U.S.C. §3161(h) of the Speedy Trial Act of 1974. Defendants who had been tried but for some reason could not be sentenced, possibly because they became fugitive before sentencing, and those who were under observation and study in order to assist the court in determining the sentence are also included in the "not triable" group.

Since each clerk of court supplies the actual status of defendants on June 30, 1977, it is possible to obtain a one day account, or a "snapshot", of all defendants in criminal cases in the district courts on that particular day. Many of these defendants did not come under the provisions of the Speedy Trial Act of 1974, such as juveniles proceeded against under the Federal Juvenile Delinquency Act, removals from State courts, and those appealing the decisions of U.S. magistrates . Thus, this status report is inclusive. It covers all defendants in pending criminal cases on June 30, 1977.

A complete statement appears in a separate report on the implementation of the Speedy Trial Act of 1974 for those defendants who came under the provisions of counting time intervals and for whom excludable time is a part of the analysis.

Altogether there are twenty-four classifications used by the clerks of court to determine the status of a defendant on June 30, 1977. It is important to emphasize that a defendant can have more than one status classification while under prosecution. For example, a defendant could have been a fugitive at the time of the filing of the indictment or information and three years later the defendant either turned himself in to the authorities or was apprehended and, therefore, was triable on June 30. This defendant would be shown as triable in the 37-48 months time period. This would explain why some "triable" defendants are shown with rather lengthy pending time periods from date of filing. The present system does not permit the separate reporting of fugitivity or other reasons a defendant is unavailable for trial since only at time of disposition is such a report submitted for all exclusions. This information appears in the Speedy Trial Report.

FIGURE 16
U.S. DISTRICT COURTS, STATUS OF CRIMINAL DEFENDANTS PENDING
AS OF JUNE 30, 1977

Status	Total	Number of Months Pending						
		0 to 5 Months	6 to 12 Months	13 to 24 Months	25 to 36 Months	37 to 48 Months	49 to 60 Months	61 months and over
Total	24,655	12,971	3,121	2,837	1,579	1,108	942	2,097
Excludable Delay Status:								
Examination or hearing for mental or physical incapacity	121	86	24	8	2	1	-	-
NARA	4	2	1	1	-	-	-	-
State or federal trials on other charges	72	47	7	6	5	-	1	6
Interlocutory appeals	122	26	30	37	9	12	2	6
Hearings on pretrial motions	192	132	19	27	9	4	-	1
Transfers from other districts (F.R. CR. P. 20, 21, and 40 - Magistrate Rule 6)	52	37	2	12	-	-	-	1
Defendant motion is actually under advisement	174	88	38	36	7	-	1	4
Miscellaneous proceedings, probation revocation, deportation proceedings, extradition	7	5	2	-	-	-	-	-
Prosecution deferred by mutual agreement	243	80	76	49	24	13	1	-
Unavailability of defendant (fugitive) or essential witness	8,268	1,343	951	1,525	1,065	813	755	1,816
Period of mental or physical incompetence of defendant to stand trial	91	40	14	21	6	4	2	4
Period of NARA committment or treatment	2	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
Superseding indictment and/or new charges	36	18	1	11	-	-	-	6
Defendant awaiting trial or co-defendant when no severance has been granted	110	13	19	22	15	4	3	34
Continuances granted per 3161 (H)(8)	229	115	74	28	3	8	1	-
Time between guilty plea and plea withdrawal	6	3	2	1	-	-	-	-
Grand jury indictment time extended per 3161(B)	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other Status:								
Tried - awaiting sentence	2,828	2,104	497	137	44	26	13	7
Tried - committed for observation and study Section: 18:2444, 4245, 5034, 5010(E), 4208(B), 4252 or 28: 2902(A)	207	128	48	22	4	1	1	3
Tried - became fugitive before sentencing	243	19	37	53	28	25	21	60
Triable - committed under 4246	10	4	1	2	1	1	-	1
Triable - available for final plea or trial by judge or jury	10,778	8,283	1,141	706	300	169	82	97
Authorization for dismissal requested by U.S. Attorney from Department of Justice	87	46	21	10	5	1	3	1
Any defendant who cannot be classified under Excludable Delay or under Other Status Classifications	772	351	115	122	52	26	56	50

FIGURE 16 A
United States District Courts
Status Of Criminal Defendants Pending As Of
June 30, 1976

Status	Total	Number of Months Pending						
		0 to 5 Months	6 to 12 Months	13 to 24 Months	25 to 36 Months	37 to 48 Months	49 to 60 Months	61 months and over
Total	27,770	13,217	4,269	3,056	1,725	1,500	1,190	2,813
Excludable Delay Status:								
Examination or hearing for mental or physical incapacity	98	72	19	2	3	1	-	1
NARA	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
State or federal trials on other charges	74	43	12	9	3	-	2	5
Interlocutory appeals	142	32	33	34	22	3	2	16
Hearings on pretrial motions	581	317	161	75	15	2	1	10
Transfers from other districts (F.R. CR.P 20, 21, and 40 - Magistrate Rule 6)	47	40	4	2	1	-	-	-
Defendant motion is actually under advisement	175	115	28	15	8	2	4	3
Miscellaneous proceedings, probation revocation, deportation proceeding, extradition	6	6	-	-	-	-	-	-
Prosecution deferred by mutual agreement	446	210	108	90	22	3	1	12
Unavailability of defendant (fugitive) or essential witness	9,704	1,342	1,258	1,374	1,082	1,147	954	2,547
Period of mental or physical incompetence of defendant to stand trial	67	25	14	12	6	6	2	2
Period of NARA committment or treatment	8	5	-	1	2	-	-	-
Superseding indictment and/or new charges	54	39	4	5	-	-	6	-
Defendant awaiting trial or co-defendant when no severance has been granted	170	113	26	16	7	8	-	-
Continuances granted per 3161(H)(8)	296	203	45	34	9	4	1	-
Time between guilty plea and plea withdrawal	10	6	4	-	-	-	-	-
Grand jury indictment time extended per 3161(B)	6	-	-	6	-	-	-	-
Other Status:								
Tried - awaiting sentence	2,747	1,978	518	170	38	25	11	7
Tried - committed for observation and study Section: 18:2444, 4245, 5034, 5010(E), 4208(B), 4252 or 28: 2902(A)	286	181	77	19	6	-	3	-
Tried - became fugitive before sentencing	212	23	27	38	24	26	14	60
Triable - committed under 4246	24	12	4	5	-	-	2	1
Triable - available for final plea or trial by judge or jury	11,014	7,629	1,627	977	360	186	146	89
Authorization for dismissal requested by U.S. Attorney from Department of Justice	134	41	49	18	7	3	13	3
Any defendant who cannot be classified under Excludable Delay or under Other Status Classifications	1,466	782	251	154	110	84	28	57

The two accompanying tables, one for June 30, 1976 and the other for June 30, 1977, indicate that:

1) there has been a reduction in the number of defendants pending in criminal cases before the district courts. On June 30, 1976, there were 27,770 pending defendants. A year later, there were 26,655 or 11.2% fewer.

2) the volume of "triable" cases in 1976 represented 39.7% of the defendants in pending caseloads. In 1977, the percentage rose to 43.7%.

3) in 1976, 69.3% of the triable defendants had been pending under 6 months. In 1977, the figure had increased to 76.9%. In 1976, 84.0% of the triable defendants were involved in cases pending 12 months or less. In 1977, 87.4% of the triable defendants had been pending on the dockets for 12 months or less.

These observations indicated that the district courts have shown decided improvement in the disposition of criminal defendants and have done so with fewer defendants pending for longer time periods than a year ago.

TRIALS

TRIALS COMPLETED

Overall there was a decline of 3.8% in trials completed during the year ended June 30, 1977. The 18,827 completed trials were comprised of 11,605 civil trials and 7,222 criminal trials. More than 67% of the civil trials and only 37% of the criminal trials were non-jury, that is, before the district judge.

The overall decline in trials completed was a result of a 8.9% drop in criminal trials and a 0.4% decrease in civil. The only type of trial that showed an increase in activity this year was civil jury trials which increased by 7.2% from 3,558 last year to 3,813 during the current twelve-month period.

18% OF TRIALS LAST FOUR DAYS OR MORE

Until last year the percentage of trials which required four days or more for completion had increased steadily. Last year the percentage dropped slightly to 16.5% after a percentage of 16.6% was recorded in 1975. However, during the current twelve-month period, the percentage increased to 18.2%. For jury trials only the longer trials accounted for 31.4% of the total compared to 28.7% last year.

TABLE 43
TRIALS COMPLETED IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURTS DURING THE STATISTICAL YEARS 1962 - 1977

Statistical Year	Total trials	Civil			Criminal		
		Total	Non-jury	Jury	Total	Non-jury	Jury
1962.....	10,048	6,260	3,335	2,925	3,788	1,090	2,698
1963.....	10,960	7,095	3,925	3,170	3,865	1,159	2,706
1964.....	11,079	7,155	4,059	3,096	3,924	1,076	2,848
1965.....	11,485	7,613	4,459	3,154	3,872	1,143	2,729
1966.....	12,193	7,783	4,607	3,176	4,410	1,239	3,171
1967.....	12,500	8,095	4,742	3,353	4,405	1,345	3,060
1968.....	14,221	8,688	5,478	3,210	5,533	1,800	3,733
1969.....	14,397	8,834	5,619	3,215	5,563	1,883	3,680
1970.....	16,032	9,449	6,078	3,371	6,583	2,357	4,226
1971.....	17,549	10,093	6,600	3,493	7,456	2,923	4,533
1972.....	18,780	10,962	7,285	3,677	7,818	2,968	4,850
1973.....	19,467	10,896	7,289	3,607	8,571	2,927	5,644
1974.....	18,572	10,972	7,403	3,569	7,600	2,753	4,847
1975.....	19,236	11,603	7,903	3,700	7,633	2,726	4,907
1976.....	19,580	11,656	8,098	3,558	7,924	2,773	5,151
1977.....	18,827	11,605	7,792	3,813	7,222	2,661	4,561
Percent change 1977 over 1976....	-3.8	-0.4	-3.8	7.2	-8.9	-4.0	-11.5

TABLE 44
LENGTH OF TRIALS IN U. S. DISTRICT COURTS
STATISTICAL YEARS 1972 - 1977

Length of trial	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977	Percent Change 1977 over 1976
Total	18,780	19,467	18,572	19,236	19,580	18,827	-3.8
Less than 1 day	5,177	5,352	5,279	5,446	5,654	5,366	-5.1
1 day	4,837	4,730	4,150	4,272	4,122	3,822	-7.3
2 days	4,204	4,380	4,084	4,140	4,221	3,993	-5.4
3 days	1,968	2,202	2,128	2,183	2,352	2,224	-5.4
4 to 9 days	2,262	2,414	2,515	2,758	2,773	2,950	6.4
10 to 19 days	273	304	315	355	337	372	10.4
20 days and over	59	85	101	82	121	100	-17.4
Percent 4 days and over	13.8	14.4	15.8	16.6	16.5	18.2	-
Jury trials only	8,527	9,251	8,416	8,607	8,709	8,374	-3.8
Percent of total	45.4	47.5	45.3	44.7	44.5	44.5	-
Less than 1 day	928	974	788	821	719	654	-9.0
1 day	1,457	1,586	1,262	1,265	1,177	1,095	-7.0
2 days	2,724	2,901	2,558	2,543	2,592	2,359	-9.0
3 days	1,475	1,665	1,584	1,558	1,725	1,639	-5.0
4 to 9 days	1,698	1,851	1,924	2,094	2,154	2,277	5.7
10 to 19 days	205	222	228	270	259	279	7.7
20 days and over	40	52	72	56	83	71	-14.5
Percent 4 days and over	22.8	23.0	26.4	28.1	28.7	31.4	-

Along with the increase in the percentage of long trials the number of trials requiring such time also increased. Those trials which required four to nine days for completion increased by 6.4% and those requiring between 10 and 19 days grew by 10.4%. However, trials requiring more than 20 days dropped from 121 to 100, a reduction of 17.4%. Overall, trials which lasted four days or more increased by 6%. This occurred while the shorter trials, those which require three days or less, decreased by 6%. This increase in long trials may provide some explanation for the drop in the number of trials completed. As the district judges are required to devote more time to the trial of a single case the number of trials which can be conducted would logically decrease. In addition, the number of long non-jury trials, which generally require greater overall judge time than jury trials, are increasing at a greater rate than jury trials. This may also be a contributing factor to the decline in the number of trials completed.

A review of Table C-8 in the Appendix shows that civil trials which require more than four days are concentrated primarily in two areas. Trials involving personal injury accounted for 34% and civil rights accounted for 17% of all long civil trials. On the criminal side there were four offenses which accounted for 55.6% of all long trials. Drug cases represented 22.9%; income tax fraud and other fraud made up 22.5%; and trials involving robbery accounted for 10.2%.

MEDIAN TIME INTERVAL FROM ISSUE TO TRIAL RISES TO 12 MONTHS

The median time interval from issue to trial in civil cases, which has remained at 11 months for the last six years, rose to 12 months for those trials completed during the year ended June 30, 1977. (Trials used in this discussion are exclusive of certain non-jury trials as explained in the footnote to Table 47.)

The median time from issue to trial among the 94 district courts ranged from one month in the Canal Zone and four months in Alabama, Middle to 35 months in Massachusetts. There were six districts where the median time interval was more than double the national median of one year. Six of these were districts where additional judgeships were recommended in 1972 and the seventh received Judicial Conference approval for additional judgeships in 1976.

Among the 25 metropolitan courts, those courts with 5 or more judgeships, only 8 had median times from issue to trial equal to or less than the national median. Virgina, Eastern

with a median of 5 months recorded the lowest figure among these 25 courts.

There were three courts which reduced their median time by three months or more. New Jersey reduced its median by 7 months from 23 months last year to 16 during the current year. Ohio, Northern dropped its median 5 months by recording a median time from issue to trial of only 7 months this year. The Southern District of New York continued to reduce its median time which was 25 months in 1975, 21 in 1976, and only 17 months this year. The neighboring Eastern District of New York also dropped its median this year by 3 months.

TABLE 45
MEDIAN TIME INTERVAL FROM ISSUE TO TRIAL IN CIVIL CASES IN WHICH TRIALS WERE COMPLETED,* STATISTICAL YEARS 1962 - 1977

Statistical Year	Total trials		Nonjury trials		Jury trials	
	Number	Median (in months)	Number	Median (in months)	Number	Median (in months)
1962	5,978	10	3,226	9	2,752	12
1963	6,656	10	3,720	9	2,930	12
1964	6,020	11	3,187	11	2,833	12
1965	6,385	11	3,394	9	2,991	12
1966	6,309	11	3,288	10	3,021	13
1967	6,341	12	3,161	10	3,180	15
1968	7,130	12	4,039	10	3,091	15
1969	6,716	13	3,629	11	3,087	15
1970	7,152	12	3,781	10	3,371	14
1971	7,713	11	4,220	9	3,493	14
1972	8,469	11	4,792	10	3,677	14
1973	8,267	11	4,660	10	3,607	13
1974	8,238	11	4,669	9	3,569	13
1975	8,485	11	4,785	9	3,700	13
1976	8,041	11	4,483	10	3,558	12
1977	8,268	12	4,455	11	3,813	13
Percent change 1977 over 1976	2.8	-	-0.1	-	7.2	-

Includes all jury trials as well as all preliminary injunctions and temporary restraining orders requiring more than a day in trial. Excludes certain nonjury trials as follows: land condemnation cases; forfeiture and penalty cases; prisoner petitions (includes habeas corpus and motions to vacate sentence under 28 U.S.C. 2255); and hearings on evidentiary matters, preliminary injunctions and bankruptcy petitions. Excludes 3 judge courts.

TABLE 46
MEDIAN TIME INTERVAL FROM ISSUE TO TRIAL IN CIVIL CASES IN WHICH TRIALS WERE COMPLETED IN THE 25 LARGE METROPOLITAN* DISTRICT COURTS, STATISTICAL YEARS 1976 AND 1977

District[2]	Number of authorized judgeships June 30, 1977	1976		1977	
		Number of trials	Median (in months)	Number of trials	Median (in months)
All districts.....	398	8,041	11	8,268	12
Massachusetts.....	6	75	29	118	35
Arizona.....	5	36	25	27	24
New Jersey.....	9	131	23	186	16
New York, S.....	27	367	21	505	17
Michigan, E.....	10	127	18	214	21
Texas, S.....	8	106	18	162	22
Pennsylvania, E.....	19	407	16	390	15
New York, E.....	9	151	16	185	13
California, S.....	5	51	16	41	17
California, N.....	11	170	15	167	15
Georgia, N.....	6	205	14	116	15
Ohio, S.....	5	108	14	102	14
Texas, W.....	5	86	13	72	14
District of Columbia...	15	113	12	119	10
Florida, M.....	6	101	12	89	14
Ohio, N.....	8	171	12	254	7
Louisiana, E.....	9	209	11	332	16
California, C.....	16	151	11	203	13
Illinois, N.....	13	134	11	131	13
Pennsylvania, W.....	10	175	10	139	12
Maryland.....	7	101	9	99	12
Texas, N.....	6	211	9	231	11
South Carolina.....	5	163	8	125	8
Virginia, E.....	6	229	6	231	5
Florida, S.....	7	156	6	119	8

[1]Courts with 5 or more judgeships
[2]District arranged by highest to lowest median time interval in 1976.

JUROR UTILIZATION

This section on Juror Utilization is divided into two parts, the first part deals with summary statistics on grand jurors and the second with the use of petit jurors in the federal court system. Included are national juror statistics for comparisons of 1977 data with that for previous years.

Final figures on payments to jurors in the 12 month period ended June 30, 1977 are not available at this printing, but will appear in the annual Juror Utilization Report which will be distributed in the fall of 1977.

GRAND JURY

The following pages present an overview of federal grand jury activity for the period July 1, 1976 through June 30, 1977. Statistical information on the individual districts is contained in Appendix Tables J-1 and J-2.

Figure 17, "Grand Juror Statistics - National Totals", compares data on total grand jury activity for the twelve-month period ended June 30, 1975 - 1977. The total number of grand juries in existence (those in existence on July 1, 1976 plus those impaneled in the twelve-month period) increased by 6.3% from 603 in 1976 to 641 in 1977. Since 1975, the first year in which a full twelve months' data was collected, the total number of grand juries in existence has increased by 12.5%. The number of sessions convened rose 5.3% with 8,404 sessions convened in 1976 as compared to 8,849 in 1977. Correspondingly, the number of jurors in session and the number of hours in session increased by 5.1% and 5.2%, respectively.

On the district level, the total number of grand juries in existence ranged from a high of 53 in New York, Southern to a low of one in six of the 92 districts which reported grand jury activity during this twelve-month period. The Virgin Islands and the Canal Zone did not report any grand juries in existence during this time.

Nationally, 343 grand juries were in existence on July 1, 1976. During the succeeding twelve months, 298 grand juries were impaneled, while 295 were discharged resulting in a total of 346 grand juries in existence on June 30, 1977, an increase of approximately 1%.

New York, Southern which had the greatest number of grand juries in existence also reported the greatest number of grand jury sessions convened with a total of 990. This district also

reported the greatest number of jurors and hours in session with 19,905 and 4,210, respectively. At the other end of the range Wyoming, which reported only one grand jury in existence during this time, reported five sessions convened with a total of 99 jurors and 37 hours in session. Overall, 49 of the 92 districts having grand juries in existence reported an increase in grand jury activity as measured by an increase in the number of grand jury sessions convened.

FIGURE 17
U.S. DISTRICT COURTS, GRAND JUROR
STATISTICS - NATIONAL TOTALS, STATISTICAL YEARS 1975 - 1977

Grand Jurors and Juries	1975	1976	1977	1977 over 1976 Increase (Decrease)	1977 over 1976 Percent Change
Total Number of:					
Sessions convened.....	7,846	8,404	8,849	445	5.3
Jurors in session.....	156,167	167,185	175,687	8,502	5.1
Hours in session.....	41,421	44,765	47,094	2,329	5.2
Average Number of:					
Jurors per session....	19.90	19.90	19.90	-	-
Hours per session.....	5.28	5.33	5.32	-	-
Total Number of Grand Juries:					
In existence.....	570	603[R]	641	38	6.3
Impaneled.....	291	301	298	(3)	-1.0
Discharged.....	268[R]	260[R]	295	35	13.5

[R]Revised to more accurately reflect the count of grand juries in the twelve month periods ended June 30, 1975 and 1976.

Rule 6, Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure, requires that 16 to 23 jurors be present in order to conduct a grand jury session. Georgia, Southern recorded the lowest average number of jurors per session with 17.6 jurors, while Alabama, Middle recorded the highest average with 22.4 jurors per session. Nationally, the average for the past three years has been 19.9 jurors per session. The average number of hours per session, which is one indication of efficient or inefficient utilization of grand jurors' time, ranged from a high of 7.64 hours in Georgia, Middle to a low of 3.65 in California, Eastern. The national average remains stable at 5.32 hours per session.

Figure 18, "Proceedings by Indictment and Grand Juror Usage", indicates that 24,991 cases were commenced by indictment in 1977 as compared to 26,150 in 1976, a decrease of 1,159 cases, or 4.4%. The number of defendants for whom indictments were obtained also dropped from the recorded 38,753 in 1976 to 36,610 defendants in 1977, a decrease of 5.5%. This information, when compared to

the number of grand jury sessions convened and the number of hours in session, gives an indication of what was produced by the federal grand jury system in the twelve-month periods ended June 30, 1975 - 1977. On the average, slightly more than four defendants were proceeded against and 2.8 cases were commenced as a result of each grand jury session in 1977. This represents a slight decrease over the 4.6 defendants proceeded against and 3.1 cases commenced as a result of each grand jury session convened in 1976.

FIGURE 18
PROCEEDINGS BY INDICTMENT AND GRAND JUROR USAGE
U.S. DISTRICT COURTS, STATISTICAL YEARS 1975 - 1977

Statistical Year	Proceedings Commenced by Indictment		Grand Jury Sessions Convened	Hours in Session
	Cases	Defendants		
1975	26,775	40,038	7,846	41,421
1976	26,150	38,753	8,404	44,765
1977	24,991	36,610*	8,849	47,094

*Estimated.

PETIT JURY

The Juror Usage Index, obtained by dividing the number of total available juror days by the total number of jury trial days, is an indicator of efficient juror utilization management practices. The national Juror Usage Index or J.U.I. recorded in the 12 month period ended June 30, 1977 was 19.55. This is a slight decrease from the 19.73 J.U.I. reported for the comparable period in 1976.

In the seven years since the institution of the Petit Juror Usage (JS-11) reporting program on July 1, 1970, the national J.U.I. has decreased 16.1% from 23.31 on June 30, 1971 to the present J.U.I. of 19.55. This means that approximately three and one half fewer people are needed for every jury trial day due to the efforts of judges and court personnel to reduce the number of excess jurors called to the courthouse. The total available prospective jurors who reported to the courthouse is broken down into three categories to designate the status of jury service attained by each person each day. The three categories are jurors selected or serving; prospective jurors challenged by the court or counsel; and those persons not

selected, serving or challenged. The accompanying table, "National Petit Juror Usage", provides this breakdown of the total available jurors for the 94 districts for the years ended June 30, 1973 through 1977.

The total number of available jurors decreased from 592,594 in 1976 to 584,094 in 1977, a decrease of 8,500 or 1.4%. The number of jury trial days also decreased slightly from 30,032 in 1976 to 29,873 in 1977 - a decrease of 159 days or 0.5%. This decline was the result of a 4.9% decrease in the number of criminal jury trial days which accounted for only 56.7% of all jury trial days in 1977 compared to nearly 60% in 1976. Correspondingly, the number of civil jury trial days increased 5.8% and represented 43.3% of the jury trial days this past year compared to 40.7% in 1976.

There has been a small but steady increase in the percentage of jurors selected for or serving on jury trials. Of the 584,094 total available jurors in 1977, 352,912, or 60.4%, were selected for or served on jury trials. This means that approximately 60 of every 100 persons who reported to the courthouse for jury duty were selected for or served on a trial jury. The number of prospective jurors challenged either peremptorily or for cause decreased slightly from 92,727 in 1976 to 90,693 in 1977; however, this is still an increase of 4,173 over the 86,520 challenged jurors reported in 1973. The percentage of jurors not selected, serving or challenged - the not used juror - remained unchanged at the 1976 level with 24.1% of all prospective jurors falling in this category in 1977. Nevertheless, the 24.1% is 4.3 percentage points lower than the 28.4% recorded for the same period in 1973. This decline can be attributed to improved management of the juror operations by the district courts in an effort to call only the jurors necessary for actual or anticipated needs.

Detailed statistics for the 94 districts appear in appendix table J-3 "Petit Juror Usage". The table provides information by district on the total available juror days for the 12 month period July 1, 1976 to June 30, 1977, as well as a percentage breakdown of the jurors into the categories of selected or serving; challenged; and not selected, serving or challenged. Also to be found in this table are the number of jury trial days with a breakdown into percent civil and percent criminal, and the Juror Usage Index which indicates the average number of jurors required by a district to conduct each jury trial day. An asterisk is used to denote those districts which have not yet adopted local rules reducing the size of the civil juries. The number of districts which have instituted use of a less than 12 member civil jury remains at 82.

FIGURE 19
NATIONAL PETIT JUROR USAGE - UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURTS
STATISTICAL YEARS 1973 - 1977

Petit Jurors	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977	1977 over 1976 Increase (Decrease)	1977 over 1976 Percent Change
Total Available.....	573,150	540,628	546,627	592,594	584,094	(8,500)	-1.4
Selected or Serving.....	324,038	315,419	328,445	356,951	352,912	(4,039)	-1.1
Percent.....	56.5	58.3	60.1	60.2	60.4	-	-
Challenged.....	86,520	82,152	88,228	92,727	90,693	(2,034)	-2.2
Percent.....	15.1	15.2	16.1	15.6	15.5	-	-
Not Selected, Serving or Challenged.....	162,592	143,057	129,954	142,916	140,489	(2,427)	-1.7
Percent.....	28.4	26.5	23.8	24.1	24.1	-	-
Jury Trial Days.....	28,425	28,274	28,293	30,032	29,873	(159)	-0.5
Criminal.....	16,791	16,426	15,818	17,818	16,945	(873)	-4.9
Percent.....	59.1	58.1	55.9	59.3	56.7	-	-
Civil.....	11,634	11,848	12,475	12,214	12,928	714	5.8
Percent.....	40.9	41.9	44.1	40.7	43.3	-	-

When reviewing the J-3 table the reader is cautioned to keep in mind that there is sometimes a special problem within a district or an unusual set of circumstances which would adversely affect the district's statistics. Such occurrences could include one or more notoriety trials requiring large jury panels for selection, a district's practices regarding challenges, a heavy criminal caseload requiring the use of alternate jurors or large number of jurors in travel status, any of which may affect a district's standing.

In 1977 the Juror Usage Indexes for the 94 districts ranged from a low of 12.24 in Wyoming to a high of 60.00 in Guam. Fifty-seven districts recorded indexes under 20 for the twelve month period, with 46 districts having improved their J.U.I.'s over 1976 figures. When comparing the 1977 J.U.I.'s with those of the previous year Indiana, Northern experienced a notable decline, reducing its J.U.I. by 10.33 index points from 31.26 in 1976 to 20.93 in 1977.

The percentage of jurors selected for or serving on jury trials ranged from a high of 81.9% in Michigan, Western to a low of 20.5 in the District of Guam. Of the 94 districts, thirty-three were able to report 65% or more of their prospective jurors in this category. Moreover, 48 districts recorded increases in the percentage of selected or serving jurors compared to 1976. West Virginia, Northern exhibited an improvement of 21.5 percentage points, increasing its percent selected or serving from 39.0% in 1976 to 60.5% in 1977. Jurors challenged for cause or peremptorily ranged from a low of 6.0% in the Canal Zone to highs of 36.8% and 37.3% in Virginia, Eastern and Virginia, Western, respectively. The national average of challenged jurors in 1977 was 15.5% of the total available jurors. The wide range in the category of challenged jurors is partially attributable to the various local court practices and traditions regarding the use of challenges and to the particular type of voir dire process in use.

Twenty of the 94 districts recorded 15% or less of their jurors in the not selected, serving or challenged category. This category of the not used juror is considered to be an important indicator of the efficient or inefficient use of available jurors revealing as it does how close a district is in making a realistic assessment of its juror needs. Wisconsin, Western recorded the lowest figure with only 4.7% of its available jurors falling in this category; while Guam with 63.1% recorded the highest percentage in the not used category. When 1977 figures are compared to those of 1976 forty-eight districts reduced their percentage of jurors not selected, serving or challenged. The

District of West Virginia, Northern exhibited the greatest amount of improvement in this category by dropping 24.7 percentage points, from 39.5% in 1976 to 14.8% in 1977.

The information on jury trial days provided in the J-3 table should be used for a better understanding of the type of jury trial demands which the different districts must meet. It should be noted that a high percentage of criminal jury trials generally presents more problems to overcome in attempting to utilize jurors effectively. The criminal jury trial often requires a larger panel of prospective jurors in anticipation of a number of challenges, and the use of alternates. In 1977 the District of the Canal Zone reported 100% criminal jury trial days and in Arizona 94.8% of the jury trial days were criminal. Texas, Eastern and Virginia, Western fell at the opposite end of the range with only 17.2% and 18.2% criminal jury trial days, respectively.

FEDERAL PUBLIC/COMMUNITY DEFENDERS

Detailed statistical information on the case activity of federal public and community defenders has been collected by the Administrative Office since July 1, 1971. The 1970 amendments to the Criminal Justice Act of 1964 authorized the formation of these organizations to provide counsel for individuals who are financially unable to retain adequate representation.

The following is a summary report on defender activity in the 12 months ended June 30, 1977 based on information contained in Appendix Table K-1 for Federal Public Defenders and L-1 for Community Defender Organizations.

FEDERAL PUBLIC DEFENDERS

The number of federal public defender offices continues to grow with two new offices opening in 1977 bringing the total to 24 offices in operation compared to only 15 in 1974. A total of 13,743 cases were opened in 1977 by the federal public defenders - an increase of 6.6% over the 12,895 cases opened in 1976 and a significant 63.7% increase over the 8,395 cases opened by federal public defenders in 1974.

Although two offices opened in 1977, only 12.7% of the 848 case increase is attributable to them with the majority of the increase being a result of the growth in the activity of the 22 previously existing offices. The number of cases opened in the 22 offices which were in operation the entire year ranged from the high of 2,012 opened cases reported by California, Central to 157 in Tennessee, Western.

FIGURE 20
FEDERAL PUBLIC DEFENDERS - STATISTICAL COMPARISON OF ACTIVITY
STATISTICAL YEARS 1974 - 1977

Activity	1974	1975	1976	1977	Percent Change	
					1977 over 1974	1977 over 1976
Offices in operation	15	20	22	24		
Total Cases						
Cases Opened	8,395	11,301	12,895	13,743	63.7	6.6
Cases Closed	8,007	10,320	12,678	13,622	70.1	7.4
Pending on June 30th	2,104	3,035[R]	3,224[R]	3,345	59.0	3.8
Criminal Activity						
Cases Opened	5,722	7,952	8,915	9,570	67.2	7.3
Cases Closed	5,228	7,194	8,884	9,582	83.3	7.9
Pending on June 30th	1,657	2,385[R]	2,403[R]	2,391	44.3	-0.5
Other Representations						
Cases Opened	2,673	3,349	3,980	4,173	56.1	4.8
Cases Closed	2,779	3,126	3,794	4,040	45.4	6.5
Pending on June 30th	447	650[R]	821[R]	954	113.4	16.2

[R]Revised to more accurately reflect the number of cases pending.

The majority of cases the federal public defenders are assigned to handle are criminal cases. In 1977, 9,570 or 69.6% of the total cases opened involved criminal matters, slightly more than the 69.1% reported in 1976.

The federal public defender offices were assigned 4,173 "other representations" in 1977. Of these, 953, or 22.8%, were court directed prisoner representations of inmates of the U. S. Medical Center for Federal Prisoners at Springfield, Missouri, handled by the defender organization for the Western District of Missouri.

Federal public defenders closed 9,582 criminal cases in 1977, a 7.9% increase over the total number of criminal case closings in 1976. The average in court time per closed criminal case decreased slightly from 2.22 hours in 1976 to 2.18 hours in 1977. The number of "other representations" case closings increased from 3,794 to 4,040 this past year. Correspondingly, the average time in court per closed "other representation" case increased slightly from 0.41 hours in 1976 to 0.52 hours in 1977.

COMMUNITY DEFENDER ORGANIZATIONS

During the 12 month period July 1, 1976 to June 30, 1977 a total of 6,389 cases were opened by the eight community defender organizations, while 6,454 cases were disposed of in the same time period.

The accompanying table, "Community Defender Organizations - Statistical Comparison of Activity", provides the reader with an overview of community defender activity for the past four years (excluding the District of Minnesota in 1974 and 1975; see Figure 21, footnote 1. Statistics for Minnesota are included in 1976 and 1977 totals).

Total cases opened decreased by 2.8% from 1976 to 1977. The districts of California, Southern and Michigan, Eastern accounted for most of this decrease, down 17.9% and 10.4%, respectively, over the previous year. Of the total cases opened for this period 4,639, or 73%, were criminal defendant cases, while 1,750, or 27%, were opened under the category of "other representations".

The total number of cases opened during the year ranged from a high of 1,816 cases in the New York organization to a low of 99 new cases in the District of Minnesota. Although Minnesota had the smallest number of new cases, its 99 opened

FIGURE 21
COMMUNITY DEFENDER ORGANIZATIONS - STATISTICAL COMPARISON OF ACTIVITY, STATISTICAL YEARS 1974 - 1977

Activity	1974[1]	1975[2]	1976[3]	1977[3]	Percent Change 1977 over 1976
Total Cases					
Cases Opened	6,419	6,678	6,573	6,389	-2.8
Cases Closed	6,265	6,424	6,380	6,454	1.2
Pending on June 30th	2,046	2,300	2,510	2,445	-2.6
Criminal Activity					
Cases Opened	5,151	5,366	4,939	4,639	-6.1
Cases Closed	5,099	5,204	4,933	4,756	-3.6
Pending on June 30th	1,688	1,850	1,864	1,747	-6.3
Other Representations					
Cases Opened	1,268	1,312	1,634	1,750	7.1
Cases Closed	1,166	1,220	1,447	1,698	17.3
Pending on June 30th	358	450	646	698	8.0

[1] Figures for the District of Minnesota Community Defender Organization have been excluded for the twelve month periods ended June 30, 1974 and 1975. Prior to July 1, 1975, the reporting for this District included all Criminal Justice Act appointments in addition to those cases assigned to the Community Defender, thus inflating the statistics for past years. For this reason, the percent change for 1977 over 1974 has also been excluded.
7 Community Defender Organizations in operation. Data is for 6 Organizations (Minnesota not included).

[2] 8 Community Defender Organizations in operation. Data is for 7 Organizations (Minnesota not included).

[3] Data is for all 8 Community Defender Organizations in operation.

cases represent a 59.7% increase over the 62 cases opened in 1976. The number of criminal defendant cases opened declined 6.1% from 4,939 in 1976 to 4,639 this past year, while the number of "other representations" increased 7.1% in 1977 compared to the previous year.

The number of cases disposed of by community defender organizations increased 1.2%, with defenders closing 74 more cases in 1977 than in 1976. However, while the number of criminal case terminations was down 3.6%, defenders increased their terminations of "other representations" by 17.3%. The New York community defender organization recorded the greatest number of case closings in 1977 with 1,965 closed cases, while Minnesota reported 88, the lowest number of closings.

The average number of hours in court per closed case was 2.44, a slight decrease from the 2.55 hours in court required for each closed case in 1976. The number of hours in court continues to be greater for closed criminal cases compared to "other representations". The average number of hours in court per closed criminal case remained at the 1976 level of 2.92 hours, while 1.08 hours was the recorded average per "other representation" compared to 1.30 in 1976.

The eight community defender organizations recorded an overall 2.6% decrease in their pending caseload in 1977, falling from 2,510 cases pending in 1976 to 2,445 pending cases on June 30, 1977. Approximately seventy-one percent, or 1,747 cases, of the pending caseload in 1977 were criminal defendant cases, while the remaining 698, or 29%, were "other representations".

U. S. MAGISTRATES

As noted in the Director's report (supra) additional statistics and commentary will be provided in these pages.

The workload of the U. S. Magistrates during the year ended June 30, 1977 has continued to increase and can be best illustrated by the table which presents the volume of matters disposed of by U. S. magistrates during the years ended June 30, 1972, 1975, 1976 and 1977.

United States magistrates now assist the district judges in expediting civil and criminal litigation in the great majority of the 92 district courts covered by the Federal Magistrates Act. During the year ended June 30, 1977, for example, magistrates in 67 districts filed written reports and recommendations for disposition of 8,515 prisoner petitions. Magistrates conducted 22,787 civil pretrial conferences for the judges in 66 district

courts. In 64 districts they reviewed 17,687 motions in civil cases. During the year magistrates in 52 districts submitted 546 special master reports under Rule 53 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure. In addition, in 36 districts magistrates conducted 325 civil trials, upon the consent of the parties. They filed reports and recommendations on 3,449 Social Security appeals in 59 districts.

In criminal cases magistrates conducted 21,799 arraignments following indictment under Rule 10 of the Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure in 82 districts. They conducted 4,787 pretrial conferences or omnibus hearings in 35 districts and reviewed 7,301 motions in 68 districts.

MINOR OFFENSE CASES

Magistrates disposed of 103,061 minor offense cases, including petty offenses, during the year ending June 30, 1977. The total was 14 percent more than the peak of 90,166 cases handled in 1976 and 22 percent more than the 84,505 cases handled in 1975, 25 percent more than the 82,705 cases handled in 1974, and 43 percent more than the 72,082 handled in 1972.

Of the total, 85,880 were petty offense cases, the largest volume of such proceedings reported in any year to date. The caseload of 1977 was 9 percent greater than the 78,474 handled in 1976, 17 percent greater than the 73,102 handled in 1975, 20 percent greater than the 71,463 handled in 1974, 18 percent above the 72,746 disposed of in 1973, and 36 percent greater than the 62,915 handled in 1972. The increase in petty offense cases in the year ending June 30, 1977 occurred despite continuing improvements and refinements in the statistical reporting system and the spreading use of collateral forfeiture procedures which permit the disposition of many petty offenses without appearance before a federal judicial officer.

The 13,231 immigration (illegal entry) petty offenses disposed of by magistrates in the year ending June 30, 1977 represented a decrease of less than 1 percent over the 13,273 handled in 1976, but an increases of 19 percent over the 11,147 handled in 1975 and 35 percent above the 9,798 immigration cases handled by magistrates in 1972. It was, however, still 16 percent less than the peak of 15,824 cases disposed of in 1974 and 5 percent less than the 13,986 in 1973. There were 6,511 petty offenses charging violations of hunting, fishing or camping regulations during the year ending June 30, 1977 - 12 percent more than the 5,837 disposed of in 1976.

Of the total number of minor offenses disposed of by magistrates during the year, 17,181 were above the level of petty offenses - 47 percent more than the 11,692 handled in 1976 and 51 percent above the 11,403 terminated in 1975. This volume was 45 percent more than the previous peak of 11,834 cases handled during 1973, and 87 percent more than the 9,167 handled in 1972. About 73 percent, or 12,478, of the minor offense cases involved serious traffic violation charges such as driving while intoxicated. The other categories of minor offense cases above petty offenses experienced a general decrease during the year ending June 30, 1977.

The accompanying figure shows the number of minor offense cases disposed of by United States magistrates for 1972, 1975, 1976 and 1977, classified by nature of offense:

TABLE 47

MINOR OFFENSE DEFENDANTS DISPOSED OF BY UNITED STATES MAGISTRATES, BY NATURE OF OFFENSE, FOR THE YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1972, 1975, 1976 AND 1977

OFFENSE	1972	1975	1976	1977
TOTAL OFFENSES	72,082	84,505	90,166	103,061
Minor offenses other than petty				
TOTAL.....	9,167	11,403	11,692	17,181
Traffic.....	4,972	5,164	6,399	12,478
Theft.....	1,928	2,770	2,661	2,610
Food and drug.....	397	938	602	454
Other.....	1,870	2,531	2,030	1,639
Petty Offenses				
TOTAL.....	62,915	73,102	78,474	85,880
Traffic.....	41,997	49,896	50,988	56,941
Immigration.....	9,798	11,147	13,273	13,231
Hunting, fishing, and camping	6,223	4,637	5,837	6,511
Mail.....	N/A	N/A	1,754	1,928
Drunk/Disorderly.....	N/A	N/A	1,368	1,552
Other.....	4,897	7,422	5,254	5,717

Of the 103,061 minor offense cases handled by magistrates last year, 20 percent were disposed of following a trial on merits, while 68 percent were terminated upon a plea of guilty by the defendant. The remaining 12 percent of the minor offense cases were terminated through dismissals in open court by the magistrates. 81 percent of the defendants who appeared before

TABLE 48
MATTERS DISPOSED OF BY UNITED STATES MAGISTRATES FOR THE YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1972, 1975, 1976 AND 1977

Activity	1972	1975	1976	1977	Percent Change 1977 over 1976
Trial jurisdiction cases.....	72,082	84,505	90,166	103,061	14.3
Minor offenses other than Petty offenses.....	9,167	11,403	11,692	17,181	46.9
Petty offenses.....	62,915	73,102	78,474	85,880	9.4
Preliminary proceedings in Criminal cases.....	120,723	103,326	86,084	83,357	-3.2
Search warrants.....	7,338	5,563	6,068	5,203	-14.3
Arrest warrants.....	36,833	27,893	22,531	20,467	-9.2
Bail Proceedings.....	64,518	59,528	48,616	50,302	3.5
-Initial apprearances.....	NA	50,194	37,837	37,278	-1.5
-Probation appearances....	NA	1,407	1,576	1,819	15.4
-Material witness.....	NA	NA	2,048	3,230	57.7
-Bail Review.....	NA	7,927	7,155	7,975	11.5
Preliminary exams.....	9,554	8,144	7,142	5,502	-23.0
Removal hearings.....	2,480	2,198	1,727	1,883	9.0
Additional duties.....	44,717	67,230	75,894	100,318	32.2
Criminal proceedings.....	22,336	30,464	35,596	43,303	21.6
Post-indictment arraignments.	10,799	15,769	18,694	21,799	16.6
Pretrial conferences.....	5,279	6,629	5,397	4,787	-11.3
Motions.....	5,870	7,286	7,861	7,301	-7.1
Final probation revocation...	NA	*	726	943	29.9
Indictments.....	NA	NA	NA	3,518	NA
Other matters.....	388	780	2,918	4,955	69.8
Civil Proceedings.....	22,381	36,766	40,298	57,015	41.5
Prisoner Petitions.....	6,786	8,464	8,231	8,515	3.4
Pretrial conferences.....	7,168	17,776	17,559	22,787	29.8
Motions.....	6,077	7,938	9,583	17,687	84.6
Special Master reports.....	256	391	684	871	27.3
Social Security reviews.....	334	537	1,480	3,449	133.0
Other matters.....	1,760	1,660	2,761	3,706	34.2

*Statistics for probation appearances and final probation revocation for 1975 were combined.

magistrates were convicted, including 52 percent in those cases in which a full trial was conducted.

During the year the Federal Probation System received 5,678 defendants for supervision following conviction by United States magistrates. This represents an increase of 6 percent from the 5,358 defendants received for supervision in 1976, a decrease of 3 percent over the 5,853 in 1975, an increase of 70 percent over the 3,351 in 1974, an increase of 154 percent over the 2,237 in 1973, and an increase of 278 percent over the 1,501 defendants received for supervision in 1972.

The ten districts with the largest number of minor offense cases disposed of by magistrates during the year ending June 30, 1977 are set out below:

TABLE 49

DISTRICTS WITH HIGHEST NUMBER OF MINOR OFFENSES DISPOSED OF BY MAGISTRATES FOR YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1977

Districts	Traffic	Immigration	Other	Total
Virginia, Eastern	10,010	-	1,386	11,396
Georgia, Southern	8,171	-	398	8,569
Texas, Western	3,194	3,424	1,009	7,627
Texas, Southern	538	5,747	262	6,547
Washington, Western	5,699	4	293	5,996
Maryland	4,962	-	684	5,646
California, Northern	4,089	69	936	5,094
California, Southern	1,377	2,180	583	4,140
California, Eastern	1,654	520	1,671	3,845
Oklahoma, Western	2,865	-	398	3,263

INITIAL CRIMINAL PROCEEDINGS

The number of pre-commitment proceedings in criminal cases conducted by United States magistrates during the year ending June 30, 1977 decreased by 3 percent from 1976 - down from 86,084 to 83,357. The number of such proceedings was also 31 percent less than in 1972. This decline was, in large part, attributable to an overall drop in the number of felony prosecutions initiated over that period in the district courts by the Department of Justice. The decrease is also due in part to changes in court procedures, such as the conduct of arraignments by magistrates. This procedure permits the combining of some bail hearings with the arraignment; thus, a separate bail hearing is not counted in the statistics.

Applications for arrest warrants considered by magistrates fell by 9 percent, from 22,531 in 1976 to 20,467 in the year ending June 30, 1977. Search warrant applications fell by 14 percent, from 6,068 to 5,203, over the same period. The number of bail hearings, including those on material witnesses and alleged probation violators and applications for review of bail determinations, increased by 3 percent, from 48,616 in 1976 to 50,302 in the year ending June 30, 1977. Preliminary examinations conducted by magistrates decreased by 23 percent, from 7,142 in 1976 to 5,502 in 1977, while removal hearings rose by 9 percent, from 1,727 to 1,883.

WORK PERFORMED BY FULL-TIME AND PART-TIME MAGISTRATES

The full-time magistrates who were on duty during the year ending June 30, 1977 disposed of 213,154 matters during the year - over 74 percent of the total matters handled by magistrates nationally. The remaining 73,582 matters were handled by the part-time magistrates.

The full-time magistrates conducted 79 percent of the preliminary proceedings in criminal cases, disposed of 53 percent of the minor offense cases, and handled 92 percent of the "additional duties" performed during the year. The figure below shows the breakdown of matters handled by full-time magistrates vis-a-vis part-time magistrates in 1977.

At least two full-time magistrates have been authorized in each of the 25 largest district courts, and the extent to which these full- time officers have been used and the types of matters disposed of are shown in the accompanying figure.

TABLE 50
BREAKDOWN OF MATTERS HANDLED BY FULL-TIME AND PART-TIME MAGISTRATES DURING THE 12 MONTH PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 1977

Activity	Full Time	Part Time	Total
Total All Matters	213,154	73,582	286,736
Trial Jurisdiction:			
Minor offenses other than petty offenses	5,411	11,770	17,181
Petty offenses	49,654	36,226	85,880
Preliminary proceedings in Criminal cases:	66,242	17,115	83,357
Search warrants	4,104	1,099	5,203
Summons	1,944	807	2,751
Arrest warrants	12,988	4,728	17,716
Bail proceedings:	34,640	7,687	42,327
-Initial appearances. . .	30,332	6,946	37,278
-Probation appearances. .	1,574	245	1,819
-Material witness	2,734	496	3,230
Bail review	7,034	941	7,975
Preliminary examinations. .	4,188	1,314	5,502
Removal hearings.	1,344	539	1,883
Criminal:	39,735	3,568	43,303
Post-indictment arraignment.	20,026	1,773	21,799
Pretrial conferences. . . .	4,717	70	4,787
Motions	7,026	275	7,301
Probation revocation. . . .	761	182	943
Indictments	3,305	213	3,518
Other	3,900	1,055	4,955
Civil:	52,112	4,903	57,015
Prisoner petitions.	7,640	875	8,515
Pretrial conferences. . . .	21,582	1,205	22,787
Motions	15,389	2,298	17,687
Special Master reports. . .	819	52	871
Social Security	3,308	141	3,449
Other	3,374	332	3,706

TABLE 51
MATTERS DISPOSED OF BY FULL-TIME MAGISTRATES IN THE 25 LARGE DISTRICT COURTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1977

District	Judge-ships	Full-Time Magistrates	Trial Matters	Pre-Commitment Matters								
			Minor and Petty Offenses	Search warrants	Summonses	Arrest warrants	Bail Proceedings			Bail review	Preliminary examinations	Removal hearings
							Initial appearances	Probation appearances	Material witness			
New York, Southern....	27	6	25	169	-	336	1,173	19	-	138	1	77
Pennsylvania, Eastern.	19	4	541	63	5	809	923	110	2	103	400	63
California, Central...	16	5	560	291	27	906	2,093	12	244	237	1	76
District of Columbia..	15	3	343	327	697	497	1,142	66	52	250	418	6
Illinois, Northern....	13	3	665	103	-	876	848	4	6	298	307	71
California, Northern..	11	4	3,862	118	120	556	927	52	-	237	20	74
Michigan, Eastern.....	10	3	236	124	8	310	968	143	3	374	51	28
Pennsylvania, Western.	10	2	80	107	28	180	387	14	15	66	68	16
New Jersey.....	9	4	1,392	75	11	218	716	23	1[illegible]	62	29	7
Louisiana, Eastern....	9	3	483	60	-	104	524	19	-	43	18	12
New York, Eastern.....	9	2	961	121	-	272	782	37	8	116	11	3
Ohio, Northern.....	8	2	92	104	1	221	251	39	-	8	77	3
Texas, Southern.....	8	6	5,423	62	27	210	1,56[illegible]	63	378	133	55	41
Florida, Southern.....	7	3	154	80	3	207	1,1[illegible]5	46	3	218	381	57
Maryland.....	7	4	5,259	102	183	470	5[illegible]	84	-	81	54	51
Florida, Middle.....	6	3	505	66	91	340	593	69	33	224	169	110
Georgia, Northern.....	6	3	451	73	29	188	546	36	3	129	67	14
Massachusetts.....	6	3	584	60	10	209	486	10	1	52	132	21
Texas, Northern.....	6	3	56	24	1	95	616	-	3	36	27	15
Virginia, Eastern.....	6	4	8,955	128	116	488	451	81	4	73	293	81
Arizona.....	5	2	505	105	50	205	3,012	39	770	629	117	41
California, Southern..	5	3	927	87	[illegible]	307	1,756	113	938	1,532	16	8
Ohio, Southern.....	5	2	45	88	5	132	237	13	-	10	44	7
South Carolina.....	5	2	78	73	32	198	229	16	1	57	51	8
Texas, Western.....	5	3	3,125	45	147	188	526	52	191	270	199	10

District	Additional Duties Performed Pursuant to 20 U.S.C. 636(b)												
	Criminal Matters						Civil Matters						
	Post-indictment arraignment	Pretrial conferences	Motions	Probation revocation	Indictments	Other	Prisoner petitions	Pretrial conferences	Motions	Special Master report	Civil trials	Social security	Other
New York, Southern....	107	-	2	2	-	117	1	5,463	723	10	13	2	75
Pennsylvania, Eastern.	767	-	7	70	-	59	279	887	65	3	27	61	39
California, Central...	1,848	-	332	29	-	435	490	8	64	2	2	128	409
District of Columbia..	146	-	194	127	-	204	2	195	211	3	2	-	248
Illinois, Northern....	174	-	514	1	-	-	-	394	221	23	1	16	31
California, Northern..	763	1	131	43	-	428	-	84	497	-	20	3	113
Michigan, Eastern.....	1,518	721	129	28	305	120	59	64	66	14	16	42	50
Pennsylvania, Western.	448	1	8	10	173	3	163	8	28	1	1	112	43
New Jersey.....	34	-	59	17	62	51	52	1,600	421	9	6	36	50
Louisiana, Eastern....	644	121	74	5	208	18	134	2,954	3,053	47	26	29	65
New York, Eastern.....	123	-	-	-	265	21	-	603	-	1	-	-	-
Ohio, Northern.....	228	-	3	6	173	5	2	31	-	-	-	29	12
Texas, Southern.....	749	9	31	115	-	61	265	1,883	615	13	6	7	28
Florida, Southern.....	1,005	-	1,530	8	200	299	244	2	35	6	1	23	23
Maryland.....	486	-	11	29	-	7	54	26	10	1	3	47	100
Florida, Middle.....	752	604	557	18	168	253	301	216	312	-	2	43	51
Georgia, Northern.....	679	154	568	17	189	86	57	17	34	5	-	23	55
Massachusetts.....	415	11	587	5	28	1	12	254	832	4	-	-	15
Texas, Northern.....	24	-	43	3	-	-	364	65	16	-	-	-	78
Virginia, Eastern.....	1	-	11	14	-	101	424	-	-	1	1	23	37
Arizona.....	1,381	-	7	-	432	138	102	1	5	7	-	-	4
California, Southern..	1,405	1,245	206	48	-	183	-	166	173	27	3	-	115
Ohio, Southern.....	-	-	17	-	2	-	136	448	252	10	-	226	13
South Carolina.....	539	-	-	7	-	2	188	-	-	5	-	184	27
Texas, Western.....	204	-	3	37	-	22	248	78	4	136	10	12	32

CASES AND MOTIONS UNDER ADVISEMENT IN THE DISTRICT COURTS*

The backlog of cases under advisement in the U. S. district courts continued its upward trend in 1977 as 176 district judges reported a record 527 cases and 609 motions under advisement over 60 days on June 30, 1977. This total does not include matters which were pending on that date, but which have since been reported as decided. Over 60% of the 457 reporting judges had no cases pending; however, 19 judges (not including senior judges who are not required to reply) did not report. The following summary shows, by circuit, the distribution of judges with cases or motions held under advisement for more than 60 days on June 30, 1977.

The number of matters under advisement over 60 days rose from 812 matters in 1976 to 1,136 in 1977 - an increase of 39.9%. Four circuits - the 2nd, 5th, 6th and 7th, accounted for 783 of the total matters under advisement, or 68.9% of the total. The 374 cases and 399 motions which had been held under advisement more than 60 days but less than 6 months represent 68.0% of the total; 95 cases and 127 motions - or 19.6% of the total - were held more than 6 months, but less than one year; 12.4% of the total - 58 cases and 83 motions - had been held more than one year. Second Circuit district judges accounted for 46.8% of the total matters held under advisement over one year reporting 25 cases and 41 motions in this category. The cases and motions held under advisement over 60 days on June 30th were distributed by circuit as shown in Figure 23.

As illustrated by the accompanying table "Cases and Motions Under Advisement 1970-1977" the total number of matters under advisement rose sharply from a low of 296 on June 30, 1970 to a high of 1,136 in 1977, an increase of 283.8%. The number of matters held over one year has continued to grow from 11 cases and 27 motions in 1970 to 58 cases and 83 motions in 1977.

An examination of Figure 25, "Average Number of Matters Held over 60 Days" reveals that over the past eight years an increasing number of judges have reported matters under advisement over 60 days. In 1970, 88 judges reported having an average of 3.4 cases or motions pending over 60 days. The average number of matters per judge has increased steadily in the eight year period to a high of 6.5 matters per judge in 1977. These totals do not take into account the judges who do not report and who may have matters pending.

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*Required by the Judicial Conference Resolutions of January 1940 and March 1957.

FIGURE 22
DISTRICT JUDGES REPORTING ON CASES HELD UNDER ADVISEMENT AS OF JUNE 30, 1977

Circuit	Judges reporting	Senior Judges reporting	Judges not reporting	Judges having no cases over 60 days	Judges having cases over 60 days
Total.....	457	95	19	281	176
District of Columbia.....	17	5	2	11	6
First.....	13	3	1	8	5
Second.....	52	8	-	21	31
Third.....	53	11	2	32	21
Fourth.....	35	6	3	23	12
Fifth.....	83	16	4	51	32
Sixth.....	45	8	-	24	21
Seventh.....	26	4	3	15	11
Eighth.....	33	9	1	22	11
Ninth.....	73	16	3	54	19
Tenth.....	27	9	-	20	7
Total as of March 31, 1977..	455	90	13	286	169

FIGURE 23
CASES AND MOTIONS HELD UNDER ADVISEMENT OVER 60 DAYS ON JUNE 30, 1977

	Total held over 60 days		Held over 60 days-not more than 6 months		Held over 6 months-not more than 1 year		Held over 1 year	
Circuit	Cases	Motions	Cases	Motions	Cases	Motions	Cases	Motions
Total.....	527	609	374	399	95	127	58	83
District of Columbia.....	1	11	1	10	-	1	-	-
First.....	14	35	8	4	4	15	2	16
Second.....	138	174	84	89	29	44	25	41
Third.....	27	41	24	35	3	6	-	-
Fourth.....	15	21	10	20	3	1	2	-
Fifth.....	93	64	55	38	24	17	14	9
Sixth.....	35	139	24	117	11	10	-	12
Seventh.....	126	14	120	13	5	1	1	-
Eighth.....	29	36	17	19	7	14	5	3
Ninth.....	36	51	20	32	7	17	9	2
Tenth.....	13	23	11	22	2	1	-	-
Total as of March 31, 1977..	600	559	356	362	126	115	118	82

FIGURE 24
CASES AND MOTIONS HELD UNDER ADVISEMENT OVER 60 DAYS IN THE DISTRICT COURTS AS OF JUNE 30 STATISTICAL YEARS 1970 - 1977

Statistical Year	Held Under Advisement							
	Total Over 60 days		60 Days to 6 months		6 Months to 1 year		Over 1 year	
	Cases	Motions	Cases	Motions	Cases	Motions	Cases	Motions
1970	173	123	145	77	17	19	11	27
1971	217	145	175	109	35	30	8	6
1972	216	126	168	93	32	26	16	7
1973	248	119	213	111	25	7	10	1
1974	250	85	206	73	33	7	11	5
1975	405	165	338	150	50	10	17	5
1976	355	457	236	297	67	109	52	51
1977	527	609	374	399	95	127	58	83
Percent Increase 1977 over 1976	48.5	33.3	58.5	34.3	41.8	16.5	11.5	62.7

FIGURE 25
AVERAGE NUMBER OF MATTERS HELD OVER 60 DAYS AS OF JUNE 30, 1970 - 1977

Statistical Year	Total Judges Reporting	Judges Reporting Matters Held Over 60 days	Average Number of Matters Per Judge	Percent of Judges Reporting Matters
1970	364	88	3.4	24
1971	402	110	3.3	27
1972	428	111	3.1	26
1973	440	129	2.8	29
1974	434	120	2.8	28
1975	445	154	3.7	35
1976	441	171	4.7	39
1977	457	176	6.5	39

PASSPORTS AND NATURALIZATION

During the twelve-month period July 1976 through June 1977, the number of passport applications processed by the United States district courts was 42,031, a 24.0% decrease from the previous year. Processing of passport applications by the federal courts has been declining steadily since 1970. In 1970, there were 79 federal courts which handled passport applications compared to 54 in 1977. The District of Arizona processed 11.6% of the 1977 passport applications.

Naturalization petitions filed with the federal courts increased 17.7%, from 129,317 in 1976 to 152,247 in 1977. This is the highest volume reported by the courts since 1955. The number of aliens naturalized in 1977 also increased significantly over the previous year, from 115,946 to 140,859 in 1977, an increase of 21.5%.

Passport and naturalization statistics for the last twenty-three years are summarized in Table 52. Detailed data on the number of passport applications processed, the number of petitions for naturalization filed and the number of aliens naturalized in each federal district court are provided in Appendix Table P-1 for the year ending June 30, 1977.

TABLE 52
PASSPORT APPLICATIONS, PETITIONS FOR NATURALIZATION, AND ALIENS NATURALIZED
STATISTICAL YEARS 1955 - 1977

Statistical year	Passport applications	Petitions for naturalization	Aliens naturalized
1955	172,065	159,217	158,562
1956	188,379	105,239	107,161
1957	171,737	107,405	104,855
1958	185,684	87,534	89,863
1959	197,828	83,704	78,053
1960	222,141	97,972	92,314
1961	220,699	104,352	101,002
1962	249,655	101,804	98,573
1963	294,267	95,885	98,398
1964	292,590	86,953	87,344
1965	298,959	82,556	80,766
1966	333,146	81,157	79,704
1967	348,210	86,561	83,009
1968	344,251	81,559	84,503
1969	369,409	82,189	79,795
1970	473,270	94,660	89,025
1971	470,260	90,044	89,503
1972	370,953	100,941	95,842
1973	139,356	104,213	98,558
1974	82,238	113,026	108,736
1975	55,974	124,308	115,494
1976	55,293	129,317	115,946
1977	42,031	152,247	140,859

APPENDIX I

DETAILED STATISTICAL TABLES

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE OF THE UNITED STATES COURTS

1977

TWELVE MONTH PERIOD

ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

(STATISTICAL YEAR)

NOTE

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CIRCUIT AND NATURE OF PROCEEDING	CASES PENDING JULY 1 1976	CASES COMMENCED	CASES TERMINATED	CASES PENDING JUNE 30 1977	CASES DISPOSED OF BY CONSOLIDATION	CASES DISPOSED OF WITHOUT HEARING OR SUBMISSION	CASES DISPOSED OF AFTER HEARING OR SUBMISSION					
							TOTAL	AFFIRMED OR GRANTED[1]	DISMISSED	REVERSED OR DENIED[1]	OTHER	PERCENT REVERSED OR DENIED*
ALL CIRCUITS	14,110	19,118	17,784	15,444	2,317	4,067	11,400	7,826	1,451	1,715	408	14.6
CRIMINAL	3,175	4,738	4,554	3,359	723	496	3,335	2,763	186	344	42	10.3
UNITED STATES CIVIL	2,587	3,622	3,198	3,011	309	863	2,026	1,266	323	317	120	15.6
PRIVATE CIVIL	5,713	7,358	6,680	6,391	734	1,473	4,473	2,968	600	779	126	17.4
BANKRUPTCY	287	303	320	270	60	79	181	110	39	29	3	16.0
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS	2,229	2,564	2,510	2,283	479	762	1,269	706	268	180	115	14.2
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS	119	533	522	130	12	394	116	13	35	66	2	-
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	1,351	1,175	1,381	1,145	462	262	657	279	211	79	88	10.2
CRIMINAL	104	144	143	105	23	17	103	62	21	13	7	12.6
UNITED STATES CIVIL	351	328	348	331	68	80	200	83	54	28	35	14.0
PRIVATE CIVIL	149	130	150	129	26	27	97	46	26	12	13	12.4
BANKRUPTCY	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS	742	541	713	570	345	124	244	88	110	13	33	5.3
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS	5	31	26	10	-	13	13	-	-	13	-	-
FIRST CIRCUIT	307	563	547	323	81	130	336	266	9	60	1	18.2
CRIMINAL	102	122	138	86	34	35	69	59	2	8	-	11.6
UNITED STATES CIVIL	47	74	74	47	4	20	50	42	-	8	-	16.0
PRIVATE CIVIL	125	258	248	135	39	47	162	128	3	31	-	19.1
BANKRUPTCY	-	15	10	5	1	3	6	5	-	1	-	-
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS	32	79	62	49	1	19	42	26	3	12	1	28.6
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS	1	15	15	1	2	6	7	6	1	-	-	-
SECOND CIRCUIT	793	2,063	2,093	763	363	622	1,108	860	99	128	21	11.6
CRIMINAL	221	598	607	212	163	54	390	338	18	30	4	7.7
UNITED STATES CIVIL	108	293	280	121	57	79	144	103	17	17	7	11.8
PRIVATE CIVIL	304	792	770	326	104	263	403	283	44	66	10	16.4
BANKRUPTCY	21	35	43	13	5	12	26	15	6	5	-	19.2
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS	128	260	302	86	30	128	144	121	13	10	-	6.9
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS	11	85	91	5	4	86	1	-	1	-	-	-
THIRD CIRCUIT	1,033	1,729	1,571	1,191	194	291	1,086	676	189	206	15	16.8
CRIMINAL	201	407	345	263	42	38	265	235	14	14	2	5.3
UNITED STATES CIVIL	203	379	298	284	22	52	224	140	47	33	4	14.7
PRIVATE CIVIL	436	668	635	469	103	100	432	249	92	90	1	20.8
BANKRUPTCY	38	29	41	26	18	11	12	6	3	3	-	-
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS	144	182	193	133	9	68	116	46	26	36	8	31.0
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS	11	64	59	16	-	22	37	-	7	30	-	-
FOURTH CIRCUIT	1,178	1,656	1,473	1,361	42	416	1,015	747	33	130	105	12.5
CRIMINAL	282	394	335	341	12	73	250	213	8	23	6	9.2
UNITED STATES CIVIL	194	299	255	238	4	92	159	121	5	17	16	10.7
PRIVATE CIVIL	541	805	692	654	18	195	479	357	14	73	35	15.2
BANKRUPTCY	3	-	3	-	-	-	3	3	-	-	-	-
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS	151	124	152	123	8	26	118	52	5	13	48	11.0
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS	7	34	36	5	-	30	6	1	1	4	-	-

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CIRCUIT AND NATURE OF PROCEEDING	CASES PENDING JULY 1 1976	CASES COMMENCED	CASES TERMINATED	CASES PENDING JUNE 30 1977	CASES DISPOSED OF BY CONSOLIDATION	CASES DISPOSED OF WITHOUT HEARING OR SUBMISSION	CASES DISPOSED OF AFTER HEARING OR SUBMISSION					
							TOTAL	AFFIRMED OR GRANTED[1]	DISMISSED	REVERSED OR DENIED[1]	OTHER	PERCENT REVERSED OR DENIED*
FIFTH CIRCUIT	2,885	3,563	3,188	3,260	217	790	2,181	1,646	154	350	31	15.9
CRIMINAL	732	906	877	763	36	112	729	617	23	84	5	11.5
UNITED STATES CIVIL	393	507	466	434	22	163	281	193	25	56	7	19.9
PRIVATE CIVIL	1,473	1,625	1,440	1,658	107	314	1,019	731	86	185	17	18.2
BANKRUPTCY	41	66	49	58	3	20	26	19	1	6	-	23.1
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS	233	389	291	331	46	127	118	83	18	15	2	12.7
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS	13	68	65	16	3	54	8	3	1	4	-	-
SIXTH CIRCUIT	1,145	1,827	1,425	1,547	165	363	877	619	115	112	31	12.8
CRIMINAL	278	371	427	222	87	32	308	255	10	40	3	13.0
UNITED STATES CIVIL	212	421	261	372	16	102	143	87	26	15	15	10.5
PRIVATE CIVIL	476	711	551	636	75	135	341	228	57	44	12	12.9
BANKRUPTCY	14	28	17	25	2	4	11	6	2	3	-	-
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS	164	267	148	283	4	78	66	42	14	9	1	13.6
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS	1	29	21	9	1	12	8	1	6	1	-	-
SEVENTH CIRCUIT	895	1,386	1,294	987	88	258	948	648	118	178	4	18.3
CRIMINAL	234	365	329	270	23	50	256	205	30	21	-	8.2
UNITED STATES CIVIL	144	268	244	168	17	51	176	102	28	45	1	25.6
PRIVATE CIVIL	371	543	514	400	37	82	395	268	51	73	3	18.5
BANKRUPTCY	27	25	34	18	6	5	23	19	1	3	-	-
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS	99	154	135	118	5	39	91	54	7	30	-	33.0
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS	20	31	38	13	-	31	7	-	1	6	-	-
EIGHTH CIRCUIT	592	1,123	1,059	656	115	242	702	506	45	129	22	18.4
CRIMINAL	161	256	271	146	51	24	196	168	5	21	2	10.7
UNITED STATES CIVIL	115	274	255	134	22	76	157	109	11	27	10	17.2
PRIVATE CIVIL	262	467	430	299	39	87	304	201	23	71	9	23.4
BANKRUPTCY	1	3	3	1	-	2	1	-	-	1	-	-
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS	51	101	79	73	3	34	42	28	4	9	1	21.4
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS	2	22	21	3	-	19	2	-	2	-	-	-
NINTH CIRCUIT	2,968	2,905	2,659	3,214	383	465	1,811	1,098	403	261	49	14.3
CRIMINAL	631	677	834	674	178	45	611	482	46	75	8	12.3
UNITED STATES CIVIL	627	556	457	726	50	88	319	157	94	54	14	16.9
PRIVATE CIVIL	1,136	892	812	1,216	117	143	552	280	166	90	16	16.3
BANKRUPTCY	101	73	80	94	12	18	50	21	23	5	1	10.0
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS	433	391	363	461	24	79	260	157	62	32	9	12.3
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS	40	116	113	43	2	92	19	1	12	5	1	-
TENTH CIRCUIT	963	1,128	1,094	997	187	228	679	481	75	82	41	11.8
CRIMINAL	229	296	248	277	74	16	158	129	9	15	5	9.5
UNITED STATES CIVIL	193	223	260	156	27	60	173	129	16	17	11	9.8
PRIVATE CIVIL	440	467	438	469	69	80	289	197	38	44	10	15.2
BANKRUPTCY	41	28	39	30	13	3	23	16	3	2	2	-
ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS	52	76	72	56	4	40	28	9	6	1	12	3.6
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS	8	38	37	9	-	29	8	1	3	3	1	-

* PERCENT NOT SHOWN WHERE THE TOTAL NUMBER OF CASES DISPOSED OF AFTER HEARING OR SUBMISSION IS LESS THAN 25. NO PERCENTAGES OF CASES REVERSED OR DENIED HAS BEEN COMPUTED FOR ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS BECAUSE OF THEIR DIFFERENCE FROM APPEALS, NOR HAVE THEY BEEN INCLUDED IN THE PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL APPEALS REVERSED OR DENIED.

[1]APPEALS AFFIRMED IN PART AND REVERSED IN PART ARE INCLUDED IN "AFFIRMED".

TABLE B 2. U.S. COURTS OF APPEALS, PETITIONS FOR REVIEW ON WRIT OF CERTIORARI TO THE SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FILED AND DISPOSED OF, DURING THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

Circuit and nature of proceeding	Pending July 1, 1976	Filed	Disposed of			Pending June 30, 1977
			Granted	Denied	Dismissed	
TOTAL	783*	2,612	165	2,563	15	652
Criminal cases	361*	1,157	33	1,225	5	255
U. S. civil cases	85*	358	33	316	1	93
Private civil cases	277*	907	68	880	7	229
Administrative appeals	60*	190	31	142	2	75
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA CIRCUIT	34	142	22	116	2	36
Criminal cases	4	26	1	25	-	4
U. S. civil cases	7	44	6	34	-	11
Private civil cases	9	13	-	22	-	0
Administrative appeals	14	59	15	35	2	21
FIRST CIRCUIT	24	89	4	99	-	10
Criminal cases	8	26	2	28	-	4
U. S. civil cases	4	14	2	15	-	1
Private civil cases	11	41	-	48	-	4
Administrative appeals	1	8	-	8	-	1
SECOND CIRCUIT	80	266	18	231	3	94
Criminal cases	41	89	4	78	-	48
U. S. civil cases	8	40	2	36	-	10
Private civil cases	29	117	10	102	3	31
Administrative appeals	2	20	2	15		5
THIRD CIRCUIT	52	228	12	224	3	41
Criminal cases	25	111	2	114	1	19
U. S. civil cases	4*	36	1	33	1	5
Private civil cases	18	72	6	68	1	15
Administrative appeals	5*	9	3	9	-	2
FOURTH CIRCUIT	103	196	14	182	3	100
Criminal cases	50	88	5	91	2	40
U. S. civil cases	6	11	1	15	-	1
Private civil cases	46	81	7	68	1	51
Administrative appeals	1	16	1	8	-	8
FIFTH CIRCUIT	115	474	25	460	1	103
Criminal cases	69	217	6	229	1	50
U. S. civil cases	8	58	6	48	-	12
Private civil cases	31	184	10	169	-	36
Administrative appeals	7	15	3	14	-	5
SIXTH CIRCUIT	47*	235	13	213	-	56
Criminal cases	16*	117	5	106	-	22
U. S. civil cases	6*	14	1	14	-	5
Private civil cases	16*	86	6	75	-	21
Administrative appeals	9*	18	1	18	-	8
SEVENTH CIRCUIT	57	212	17	204	-	48
Criminal cases	25	93	3	95	-	20
U. S. civil cases	8	33	7	23	-	11
Private civil cases	23	74	7	77	-	13
Administrative appeals	1	12	-	9	-	4
EIGHTH CIRCUIT	49	219	18	196	2	52
Criminal cases	29	91	2	103	1	14
U. S. civil cases	3	45	4	29	-	15
Private civil cases	17	73	10	63	1	16
Administrative appeals	-	10	2	1	-	7
NINTH CIRCUIT	188*	427	19	512	-	84
Criminal cases	80*	241	3	294	-	24
U. S. civil cases	25*	46	3	52	-	16
Private civil cases	64*	122	10	145	-	31
Administrative appeals	19*	18	3	21	-	13
TENTH CIRCUIT	34	124	3	126	1	28
Criminal cases	14	58	-	62	-	10
U. S. civil cases	6	17	-	17	-	6
Private civil cases	13	44	2	43	1	11
Administrative appeals	1	5	1	4	-	1

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TABLE B 3. UNITED STATES COURTS OF APPEALS
SOURCE OF APPEALS AND ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS COMMENCED, BY CIRCUIT
FOR THE TWELVE MONTH PERIODS ENDED JUNE 30, 1973, 1974, 1975, 1976, AND 1977

SOURCE	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977
TOTAL APPEALS	15,685	15,498	16,658	18,408	19,118
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURTS	13,716	12,987	13,925	15,356	16,021
BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS, TOTAL	1,619	2,112	2,290	2,515	2,564
THE TAX COURT OF THE UNITED STATES	241	242	241	269	213
CIVIL AERONAUTICS BOARD	58	37	55	36	53
FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION	75	88	210	158	130
FEDERAL POWER COMMISSION	128	166	186	218	373
FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION	23	18	11	29	10
NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD	613	608	616	674	718
SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE	5	4	8	4	5
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION	20	11	15	10	26
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE	229	223	318	387	295
ALL OTHER BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS	227	715	630	730	741
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS	349	399	443	537	533
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA CIRCUIT	1,362	1,210	1,113	1,260	1,175
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT	981	770	590	673	602
THE TAX COURT OF THE UNITED STATES	4	5	4	5	5
NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD	48	51	35	38	28
ALL OTHER BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS	300	357	459	520	509
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS	29	27	25	24	31
FIRST CIRCUIT	403	360	477	564	563
MAINE	19	28	16	15	16
MASSACHUSETTS	224	135	225	276	248
NEW HAMPSHIRE	39	44	39	49	41
RHODE ISLAND	34	36	49	35	33
PUERTO RICO	43	61	81	115	117
THE TAX COURT OF THE UNITED STATES	8	4	3	10	3
NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD	19	27	32	22	39
ALL OTHER BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS	9	18	23	30	51
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS	8	7	9	12	15
SECOND CIRCUIT	1,709	1,697	1,739	1,898	2,063
CONNECTICUT	151	92	118	101	143
NEW YORK					
NORTHERN	60	54	61	54	64
EASTERN	298	323	317	327	388
SOUTHERN	815	843	801	926	951
WESTERN	84	54	86	72	98
VERMONT	30	37	40	22	39
THE TAX COURT OF THE UNITED STATES	69	24	17	54	28
NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD	82	93	101	99	115
ALL OTHER BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS	70	105	140	161	152
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS	50	72	58	82	85
THIRD CIRCUIT	1,205	1,168	1,392	1,621	1,729
DELAWARE	43	36	55	65	68
NEW JERSEY	249	237	277	344	373
PENNSYLVANIA					
EASTERN	411	343	389	503	498
MIDDLE	86	106	96	103	151
WESTERN	222	235	268	278	300
VIRGIN ISLANDS	70	50	77	74	67
THE TAX COURT OF THE UNITED STATES	16	33	14	23	10
NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD	42	39	50	57	61
ALL OTHER BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS	24	51	114	135	137
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS	42	38	52	39	64

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SOURCE OF APPEALS AND ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS COMMENCED, BY CIRCUIT
FOR THE TWELVE MONTH PERIODS ENDED JUNE 30, 1973, 1974, 1975, 1976, AND 1977

SOURCE	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977
FOURTH CIRCUIT	1,577	1,369	1,319	1,464	1,656
MARYLAND	243	192	205	282	281
NORTH CAROLINA					
EASTERN	146	140	111	77	89
MIDDLE	113	93	85	76	72
WESTERN	107	118	77	104	108
SOUTH CAROLINA	146	143	134	165	151
VIRGINIA					
EASTERN	533	368	364	445	518
WESTERN	98	69	96	76	156
WEST VIRGINIA					
NORTHERN	54	41	46	35	43
SOUTHERN	80	74	56	62	80
THE TAX COURT OF THE UNITED STATES	7	18	16	14	13
NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD	24	27	22	47	27
ALL OTHER BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS	11	71	96	47	84
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS	15	15	11	34	34
FIFTH CIRCUIT	2,979	3,079	3,292	3,629	3,563
ALABAMA					
NORTHERN	90	138	145	173	158
MIDDLE	74	63	72	87	72
SOUTHERN	67	73	63	55	60
FLORIDA					
NORTHERN	85	60	60	69	79
MIDDLE	203	200	209	235	198
SOUTHERN	454	407	430	437	388
GEORGIA					
NORTHERN	306	278	263	340	304
MIDDLE	74	87	105	107	120
SOUTHERN	39	33	73	82	83
LOUISIANA *					
EASTERN	259	307	285	329	317
MIDDLE	64	48	49	54	31
WESTERN	123	103	100	131	113
MISSISSIPPI					
NORTHERN	59	46	71	74	73
SOUTHERN	75	67	99	112	93
TEXAS					
NORTHERN	262	279	302	333	300
EASTERN	69	69	76	46	73
SOUTHERN	262	288	309	324	308
WESTERN	189	228	236	237	253
CANAL ZONE	7	7	17	13	23
THE TAX COURT OF THE UNITED STATES	22	46	34	48	47
NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD	86	74	72	74	88
ALL OTHER BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS	77	124	179	202	314
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS	33	54	43	67	68
SIXTH CIRCUIT	1,268	1,273	1,436	1,628	1,827
KENTUCKY					
EASTERN	80	124	124	113	107
WESTERN	96	105	102	109	84
MICHIGAN					
EASTERN	260	219	261	347	384
WESTERN	32	39	41	48	52
OHIO					
NORTHERN	205	161	243	269	304
SOUTHERN	143	141	163	209	295
TENNESSEE					
EASTERN	107	122	124	85	78
MIDDLE	80	91	85	77	97
WESTERN	98	113	122	125	103
THE TAX COURT OF THE UNITED STATES	17	19	11	21	21
NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD	108	84	75	105	103
ALL OTHER BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS	25	38	59	93	170
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS	17	17	26	27	29

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FOR THE TWELVE MONTH PERIODS ENDED JUNE 30, 1973, 1974, 1975, 1976, AND 1977

SOURCE	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977
SEVENTH CIRCUIT	1,121	1,024	1,170	1,247	1,386
ILLINOIS					
NORTHERN	551	504	533	540	628
EASTERN	60	68	50	69	71
SOUTHERN	51	59	57	67	63
INDIANA					
NORTHERN	83	81	94	118	131
SOUTHERN	112	99	119	101	130
WISCONSIN					
EASTERN	79	64	97	97	120
WESTERN	41	15	24	46	34
THE TAX COURT OF THE UNITED STATES	18	5	15	14	13
NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD	61	60	60	63	66
ALL OTHER BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS	23	32	66	56	99
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS	42	37	55	76	31
EIGHTH CIRCUIT	825	917	1,009	1,080	1,123
ARKANSAS					
EASTERN	55	92	81	102	101
WESTERN	28	37	31	29	38
IOWA					
NORTHERN	20	34	33	55	47
SOUTHERN	40	46	45	68	55
MINNESOTA	137	92	118	156	157
MISSOURI					
EASTERN	160	159	232	248	238
WESTERN	137	207	168	132	161
NEBRASKA	66	61	97	93	121
NORTH DAKOTA	34	24	39	38	37
SOUTH DAKOTA	51	52	42	48	42
THE TAX COURT OF THE UNITED STATES	17	14	22	7	11
NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD	40	45	40	31	44
ALL OTHER BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS	14	17	32	44	49
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS	26	37	29	29	22
NINTH CIRCUIT	2,326	2,544	2,731	2,907	2,905
ALASKA	22	23	26	39	60
ARIZONA	196	188	246	303	258
CALIFORNIA					
NORTHERN	385	340	345	411	417
EASTERN	73	77	109	105	87
CENTRAL	583	547	562	576	597
SOUTHERN	255	270	346	297	275
HAWAII	32	38	38	53	57
IDAHO	25	29	30	55	54
MONTANA	30	34	37	51	56
NEVADA	59	95	102	97	93
OREGON	101	101	114	129	135
WASHINGTON					
EASTERN	23	34	32	41	42
WESTERN	131	116	156	170	187
GUAM	29	28	41	19	17
THE TAX COURT OF THE UNITED STATES	52	40	98	65	47
NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD	79	88	110	117	126
ALL OTHER BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS	186	432	234	272	281
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS	65	64	105	107	116
TENTH CIRCUIT	910	857	980	1,110	1,128
COLORADO	167	156	171	200	231
KANSAS	216	160	228	173	126
NEW MEXICO	98	99	124	135	150
OKLAHOMA					
NORTHERN	51	63	53	69	84
EASTERN	29	40	35	31	36
WESTERN	169	115	186	213	199
UTAH	70	87	54	108	98
WYOMING	25	31	35	67	63
THE TAX COURT OF THE UNITED STATES	11	34	7	8	15
NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD	23	19	18	20	20
ALL OTHER BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS	29	22	39	46	68
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS	22	31	30	40	38

TABLE B 4. U.S. COURTS OF APPEALS

MEDIAN TIME INTERVALS IN CASES TERMINATED AFTER HEARING OR SUBMISSION, BY CIRCUIT

DURING THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

Circuit	Cases	From Filing of Complete Record to Final Disposition	From Filing of Complete Record to Filing Last Brief	From Filing Last Brief to Hearing or Submission	From Hearing or Submission to Final Disposition	From Filing Notice of Appeal		From Filing in Lower Court to Final Disposition in Appellate Court
						To filing complete record	To final disposition	
		Interval (months)	Interval (months)	Interval (months)	Interval (months)	Interval (months)		Interval (months)
Total	11,244	7.0	2.5	1.9	1.4	1.5	9.4	20.0
District of Columbia..	657	10.1	3.5	2.4	1.4	1.3	11.4	22.9
First.....	332	5.8	2.2	0.5	2.2	1.4	8.3	23.1
Second.....	1,070	4.5	2.5	0.6	0.4	0.9	5.7	16.6
Third.....	1,079	7.2	2.8	2.7	0.3	1.3	9.1	20.9
Fourth.....	994	8.9	2.9	2.3	2.3	1.8	11.8	20.1
Fifth.....	2,163	6.7	2.2	1.4	1.9	1.4	9.1	19.8
Sixth.....	871	7.2	2.6	2.5	0.7	2.4	10.6	20.3
Seventh.....	923	6.9	2.6	1.4	1.5	1.5	9.1	20.5
Eighth.....	700	4.4	1.1	1.5	1.2	2.3	7.0	16.1
Ninth.....	1,784	9.8	2.7	3.1	1.2	1.8	12.7	22.2
Tenth.....	671	8.7	2.9	2.9	1.4	1.5	11.7	19.6

TABLE B 4A. U.S. COURTS OF APPEALS
MEDIAN TIME INTERVALS IN CASES TERMINATED AFTER HEARING OR SUBMISSION, BY CIRCUIT
DURING THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

Circuit	Cases	From Filing of Complete Record to Final Disposition	From Filing of Complete Record to Filing Last Brief	From Filing Last Brief to Hearing or Submission	From Hearing or Submission to Final Disposition	From Filing Notice of Appeal		From Filing in Lower Court to Final Disposition in Appellate Court
						To filing complete record	To final disposition	
		Interval (months)	Interval (months)	Interval (months)	Interval (months)	Interval (months)		Interval (months)
				Civil				
Total	6,407	7.7	2.6	2.4	1.4	1.4	10.0	23.6
District of Columbia..	297	11.1	3.8	3.9	1.9	1.3	12.6	24.1
First.....	208	5.9	2.2	0.6	2.3	1.3	7.8	24.0
Second.....	528	5.1	2.5	1.1	0.6	1.0	6.4	19.5
Third.....	652	7.7	2.8	3.2	0.4	1.3	9.4	24.6
Fourth.....	627	9.1	2.9	2.9	2.2	1.7	11.9	22.1
Fifth.....	1,292	7.2	2.2	1.6	1.9	1.3	9.3	23.9
Sixth.....	482	9.4	2.5	3.5	0.8	2.0	12.4	22.3
Seventh.....	554	7.5	2.6	1.7	1.6	1.4	9.5	23.9
Eighth.....	459	4.5	1.1	1.8	1.1	2.4	7.7	21.3
Ninth.....	853	14.7	3.8	5.8	1.3	2.0	17.6	30.7
Tenth.....	455	8.4	2.8	3.1	1.3	1.4	11.0	20.5
				Criminal				
Total	3,305	5.6	2.3	1.4	1.1	1.8	8.0	15.4
District of Columbia..	103	5.8	3.1	0.8	0.9	1.8	8.0	18.3
First.....	69	5.9	2.2	0.5	2.6	3.4	9.7	18.7
Second.....	377	3.4	2.4	0.3	0.0	0.7	4.5	13.9
Third.....	264	5.8	2.6	2.2	0.2	1.1	7.6	15.1
Fourth.....	248	7.4	2.4	1.8	2.0	2.6	11.4	16.9
Fifth.....	721	6.0	2.3	1.2	1.8	1.9	8.7	15.7
Sixth.....	306	5.7	2.6	1.7	0.6	3.2	9.3	17.8
Seventh.....	255	5.4	2.4	0.9	1.5	2.1	8.2	16.1
Eighth.....	196	3.9	1.0	1.2	1.2	1.8	6.0	11.7
Ninth.....	608	5.5	1.8	1.7	1.3	1.5	8.0	13.9
Tenth.....	158	9.2	3.4	2.9	1.5	2.1	13.1	17.5

TABLE B 7. UNITED STATES COURTS OF APPEALS
NATURE OF SUIT OR OFFENSE OF APPEALS ARISING FROM THE U.S. DISTRICT COURTS, BY CIRCUIT
FOR THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

NATURE OF SUIT OR OFFENSE	TOTAL	CIRCUIT										
		D.C.	FIRST	SECOND	THIRD	FOURTH	FIFTH	SIXTH	SEVENTH	EIGHTH	NINTH	TENTH
TOTAL CASES	15,718	602	454	1,683	1,454	1,498	3,040	1,503	1,176	997	2,325	986
TOTAL CRIMINAL CASES	4,738	144	122	598	407	394	908	371	365	256	877	296
TOTAL CIVIL CASES	10,980	458	332	1,085	1,047	1,104	2,132	1,132	811	741	1,448	690
UNITED STATES CASES	3,622	328	74	293	379	299	507	421	268	274	556	223
UNITED STATES PLAINTIFF	449	21	10	54	38	32	61	32	40	42	96	23
NEGOTIABLE INSTRUMENTS	10	-	-	-	1	2	2	1	-	-	4	-
OTHER CONTRACT ACTIONS	14	-	-	1	-	1	4	3	-	-	4	1
CONDEMNATION OF LAND	44	5	-	-	1	3	6	2	-	18	7	2
OTHER REAL PROPERTY ACTIONS	29	-	2	2	-	2	8	1	1	1	9	3
PERSONAL PROPERTY TORT ACTIONS	12	1	1	2	6	-	-	-	-	-	2	-
CIVIL RIGHTS	55	-	-	13	8	8	3	2	17	3	1	-
FAIR LABOR STANDARDS ACT	37	-	-	2	8	2	7	4	3	2	7	2
LABOR MANAGEMENT RELATIONS ACT	15	-	-	2	2	2	-	1	5	2	1	-
SECURITIES, COMMODITIES AND EXCHANGES	43	-	3	11	1	1	2	1	5	-	18	1
TAX SUITS	50	1	2	2	3	8	9	4	3	4	10	4
ALL OTHER	140	14	2	19	8	3	20	13	6	12	33	10
UNITED STATES DEFENDANT	3,173	307	64	239	341	267	446	389	228	232	460	200
CONTRACT ACTIONS	107	18	1	8	1	4	15	15	8	13	14	10
REAL PROPERTY ACTIONS	32	2	-	1	1	1	7	2	1	2	9	6
TORT ACTIONS	181	11	3	5	15	4	45	15	8	8	50	17
PRISONER PETITIONS:												
MOTIONS TO VACATE SENTENCE	502	10	2	54	76	63	82	54	28	51	45	37
HABEAS CORPUS	242	7	2	27	29	4	33	18	24	32	39	27
PRISONER CIVIL RIGHTS	71	4	-	7	6	4	6	4	14	3	14	9
OTHER PRISONER PETITIONS	60	4	4	-	27	8	-	-	-	6	4	7
SELECTIVE SERVICE ACT	3	-	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
SOCIAL SECURITY LAWS	478	11	14	15	61	83	56	161	21	20	22	14
TAX SUITS	193	2	4	12	10	8	65	17	21	20	28	6
ALL OTHER	1,304	238	34	109	113	88	137	103	103	77	235	67
PRIVATE CASES	7,358	130	258	792	668	805	1,625	711	543	467	892	467
FEDERAL QUESTION	5,589	84	183	607	457	686	1,258	561	404	327	708	314
MARINE CONTRACT	93	-	4	37	4	6	24	4	1	1	12	-
OTHER CONTRACT ACTIONS	44	2	-	4	2	4	6	1	5	11	7	2
EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY ACT	27	-	1	3	5	2	3	6	1	2	3	1
MARINE INJURY	152	-	4	17	17	5	91	3	-	-	15	-
OTHER TORT ACTIONS	170	4	-	26	4	11	81	12	4	10	17	1
CIVIL RIGHTS	1,334	12	62	144	123	107	297	175	136	83	138	57
ANTITRUST	261	5	2	22	27	18	47	22	11	10	86	11
PRISONER PETITIONS:												
HABEAS CORPUS	837	5	12	66	28	108	224	104	59	52	81	98
PRISONER CIVIL RIGHTS	774	6	12	35	72	287	116	53	48	43	68	34
*OTHER PRISONER PETITIONS	39	-	5	2	4	11	3	2	2	3	3	4
LABOR MANAGEMENT RELATIONS ACT	224	-	14	19	56	12	20	26	16	12	35	14
LABOR MANAGEMENT REPORTING AND DISCLOSURE ACT	31	5	-	6	3	1	3	2	2	3	6	-
RAILWAY LABOR ACT	32	-	-	3	-	1	10	7	2	2	7	-
PATENT	95	4	3	12	7	1	12	11	15	2	24	4
SECURITIES, COMMODITIES & EXCH.	298	2	4	100	28	7	35	11	30	13	44	24
ALL OTHER	1,178	39	60	111	77	105	286	122	72	80	162	64
DIVERSITY OF CITIZENSHIP	1,713	41	75	185	181	119	363	147	139	140	171	152
INSURANCE	220	3	8	11	30	19	50	17	14	20	27	21
OTHER CONTRACT ACTIONS	776	22	28	94	67	46	150	66	74	76	93	60
REAL PROPERTY ACTIONS	89	1	1	6	8	12	14	11	17	-	4	15
PERSONAL INJURY - MOTOR VEHICLE	155	3	4	7	25	8	56	12	9	11	7	13
PERSONAL INJURY - OTHER	387	11	32	59	48	25	67	33	21	29	31	31
OTHER TORT ACTIONS	30	1	2	8	3	8	25	5	4	3	9	12
ALL OTHER	6	-	-	-	-	1	1	3	-	1	-	-
GENERAL LOCAL JURISDICTION	56	5	-	-	30	-	4	3	-	-	13	1
CONTRACT ACTIONS	30	1	-	-	20	-	3	-	-	-	6	-
REAL PROPERTY ACTIONS	3	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
TORT ACTIONS	14	3	-	-	8	-	-	-	-	-	3	-
PRISONER PETITIONS	9	1	-	-	-	-	1	3	-	-	3	1
ALL OTHER	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

TABLE B 7. UNITED STATES COURTS OF APPEALS
NATURE OF SUIT OR OFFENSE OF APPEALS ARISING FROM THE U.S. DISTRICT COURTS, BY CIRCUIT
FOR THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

NATURE OF SUIT OR OFFENSE	TOTAL	CIRCUIT										
		D.C.	FIRST	SECOND	THIRD	FOURTH	FIFTH	SIXTH	SEVENTH	EIGHTH	NINTH	TENTH
TOTAL CRIMINAL CASES	4,738	144	122	598	407	394	908	371	365	256	877	296
GENERAL OFFENSES	4,004	115	95	498	360	334	765	309	325	229	720	254
HOMICIDE, TOTAL	39	1	-	-	12	5	3	2	5	2	5	4
MURDER, FIRST DEGREE	31	-	-	-	9	4	2	2	5	2	4	3
OTHER HOMICIDE	8	1	-	-	3	1	1	-	-	-	1	1
ROBBERY, TOTAL	368	6	14	56	50	52	25	44	22	20	60	19
BANK	341	4	13	52	49	51	23	43	19	18	50	19
OTHER ROBBERY	27	2	1	4	1	1	2	1	3	2	10	-
ASSAULT	73	1	1	5	8	11	6	8	18	7	6	2
BURGLARY	28	2	1	4	2	3	3	-	4	4	2	3
LARCENY AND THEFT, TOTAL	251	4	2	39	25	21	39	30	32	20	33	6
INTERSTATE SHIPMENT	80	-	1	18	11	5	14	11	12	5	2	1
TRANSPORTATION, ETC. OF STOLEN PROPERTY	62	-	1	9	8	4	9	6	9	6	7	3
OTHER	109	4	-	12	6	12	16	13	11	9	24	2
EMBEZZLEMENT	93	-	3	22	7	7	14	8	15	1	12	4
FRAUD, TOTAL	557	4	18	83	62	35	108	31	47	23	118	28
INCOME TAX	180	1	2	29	19	14	34	9	15	2	43	12
POSTAL AND INTERSTATE WIRE, RADIO, ETC.	185	3	5	20	29	6	41	5	17	15	36	8
OTHER	192	-	11	34	14	15	33	17	15	6	39	8
AUTO THEFT	116	-	1	5	9	7	50	12	2	11	4	15
TRANSPORTATION - FORGED SECURITIES	92	1	2	6	4	8	19	7	9	14	4	18
FORGERY	101	4	2	11	14	17	16	8	11	5	7	6
COUNTERFEITING	66	1	3	8	3	3	11	6	2	4	20	5
SEX OFFENSES, TOTAL	33	3	1	1	3	1	9	1	-	3	9	2
RAPE	13	2	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	3	6	1
WHITE SLAVE TRAFFIC	17	1	1	1	1	-	8	1	-	-	3	1
OTHER SEX OFFENSES	3	-	-	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-
NARCOTICS, TOTAL	1,381	44	29	149	81	86	325	82	91	51	351	92
MARIHUANA TAX ACT	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-
OTHER	16	6	-	3	-	4	2	-	-	-	1	-
DRUG ABUSE PREVENTION AND CONTROL ACT, TOTAL	1,363	38	29	146	81	82	323	81	91	51	349	92
DAPCA MARIHUANA	313	1	8	7	15	8	136	1	2	3	98	34
DAPCA NARCOTICS	901	31	20	126	31	58	160	78	81	41	226	49
DAPCA CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES	149	6	1	13	35	16	27	2	8	7	25	9
MISCELLANEOUS GENERAL OFFENSES TOTAL	806	44	18	109	80	78	137	70	67	64	89	50
BRIBERY	25	-	3	6	8	1	1	3	-	-	3	-
EXTORTION, RACKETEERING AND THREATS	176	7	7	32	38	10	22	18	20	10	10	2
GAMBLING, LOTTERY	150	4	3	32	4	10	21	7	7	20	25	17
KIDNAPPING	43	7	-	7	6	1	8	4	3	1	2	4
FIREARMS, WEAPONS	276	23	3	20	14	34	57	30	19	23	35	18
OTHER	136	3	2	12	10	22	28	8	18	10	14	5
SPECIAL OFFENSES	68	-	-	-	2	2	15	2	2	-	43	2
IMMIGRATION LAWS	62	-	-	-	2	-	12	1	2	-	43	2
LIQUOR, INTERNAL REVENUE	6	-	-	-	-	2	3	1	-	-	-	-
FEDERAL STATUTES, TOTAL	666	29	27	100	45	58	128	60	38	27	114	40
SELECTIVE SERVICE ACT	5	-	-	4	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
OTHER NATIONAL DEFENSE LAWS	15	-	-	2	6	2	1	-	-	-	4	-
OTHER	646	29	27	94	39	56	127	59	38	27	110	40

*INCLUDES PAROLE COMMISSION REVIEWS.

TABLE C 1. UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURTS
CIVIL CASES COMMENCED, TERMINATED AND PENDING FOR THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	TOTAL CIVIL CASES				U.S. CIVIL CASES				PRIVATE CIVIL CASES			
	PENDING JUNE 30 1976	COM-MENCED	TERMI-NATED	PENDING JUNE 30 1977	PENDING JUNE 30 1976	COM-MENCED	TERMI-NATED	PENDING JUNE 30 1977	PENDING JUNE 30 1976	COM-MENCED	TERMI-NATED	PENDING JUNE 30 1977
TOTAL ALL DISTRICTS..	140,189	130,567	117,150	153,606	34,288	40,210	34,450	40,048	105,901	90,357	82,700	113,558
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.	1,787	2,464	2,289	1,962	980	1,464	1,372	1,072	807	1,000	917	890
FIRST CIRCUIT.....	14,968	7,372	5,549	16,791	1,709	1,860	1,262	2,307	13,259	5,512	4,287	14,484
MAINE.....	276	400	272	404	76	180	83	173	200	220	189	231
MASSACHUSETTS.....	12,162	3,911	2,749	13,324	879	616	393	1,102	11,283	3,295	2,356	12,222
NEW HAMPSHIRE.....	315	417	367	365	41	86	73	54	274	331	294	311
RHODE ISLAND.....	569	706	458	817	87	123	58	152	482	583	400	665
PUERTO RICO.....	1,646	1,938	1,703	1,881	626	855	655	826	1,020	1,083	1,048	1,055
SECOND CIRCUIT....	15,202	11,840	11,295	15,747	2,607	2,792	2,361	3,038	12,595	9,048	8,934	12,709
CONNECTICUT.....	1,693	1,477	1,135	2,035	290	447	376	361	1,403	1,030	759	1,674
NEW YORK NORTHERN....	699	533	446	786	195	149	139	205	504	384	307	581
NEW YORK EASTERN.....	3,029	2,512	2,189	3,352	775	778	623	930	2,254	1,734	1,566	2,422
NEW YORK SOUTHERN....	8,441	6,350	6,699	8,092	1,016	1,091	994	1,113	7,425	5,259	5,705	6,979
NEW YORK WESTERN.....	1,043	678	554	1,167	261	217	143	335	782	461	411	832
VERMONT.....	297	290	272	315	70	110	86	94	227	180	186	221
THIRD CIRCUIT.....	12,336	11,780	12,159	11,957	2,628	2,860	3,049	2,439	9,708	8,920	9,110	9,518
DELAWARE.....	454	495	468	481	77	124	114	87	377	371	354	394
NEW JERSEY.....	3,137	2,572	2,741	2,968	707	759	751	715	2,430	1,813	1,990	2,253
PENNSYLVANIA EASTERN.	3,896	4,315	3,994	4,217	619	703	728	594	3,277	3,612	3,266	3,623
PENNSYLVANIA MIDDLE..	1,256	1,389	1,438	1,207	771	714	908	577	485	675	530	630
PENNSYLVANIA WESTERN.	1,703	1,770	1,600	1,873	438	525	531	432	1,265	1,245	1,069	1,441
VIRGIN ISLANDS.....	1,890	1,239	1,918	1,211	16	35	17	34	1,874	1,204	1,901	1,177
FOURTH CIRCUIT....	11,714	13,018	11,738	12,994	4,485	4,742	4,418	4,809	7,229	8,276	7,320	8,185
MARYLAND.....	1,792	2,081	1,858	2,015	472	672	563	581	1,320	1,409	1,295	1,434
NO. CAROLINA EASTERN.	630	692	480	842	172	201	132	241	458	491	348	601
NO. CAROLINA MIDDLE..	677	685	542	820	159	189	138	210	518	496	404	610
NO. CAROLINA WESTERN.	561	574	639	496	104	132	121	115	457	442	518	381
SOUTH CAROLINA.....	1,671	2,609	2,260	2,020	599	1,176	1,026	749	1,072	1,433	1,234	1,271
VIRGINIA EASTERN.....	1,461	2,703	2,645	1,519	363	608	602	369	1,098	2,095	2,043	1,150
VIRGINIA WESTERN.....	1,256	1,645	1,807	1,094	710	756	1,051	415	546	889	756	679
W. VIRGINIA NORTHERN.	643	578	382	839	224	183	89	318	419	395	293	521
W. VIRGINIA SOUTHERN.	3,023	1,451	1,125	3,349	1,682	825	696	1,811	1,341	626	429	1,538
FIFTH CIRCUIT.....	29,128	30,950	26,344	33,734	5,249	7,791	5,722	7,318	23,879	23,159	20,622	26,416
ALABAMA NORTHERN.....	1,450	1,775	1,662	1,563	443	516	516	443	1,007	1,259	1,146	1,120
ALABAMA MIDDLE.....	351	764	723	302	38	149	132	55	223	615	591	247
ALABAMA SOUTHERN.....	402	702	664	440	46	104	85	65	356	598	579	375
FLORIDA NORTHERN.....	292	591	532	351	81	161	158	84	211	430	374	267
FLORIDA MIDDLE.....	2,971	2,598	2,185	3,384	455	696	579	572	2,516	1,902	1,606	2,812
FLORIDA SOUTHERN.....	1,873	4,308	2,431	3,750	596	2,067	614	2,049	1,277	2,241	1,817	1,701
GEORGIA NORTHERN.....	2,314	2,481	2,315	2,480	406	625	547	484	1,908	1,856	1,768	1,996
GEORGIA MIDDLE.....	403	648	558	493	84	142	116	110	319	506	442	383
GEORGIA SOUTHERN.....	761	790	747	804	119	118	102	135	642	672	645	669
LOUISIANA EASTERN....	4,906	4,267	3,803	5,370	340	424	372	392	4,566	3,843	3,431	4,978
LOUISIANA MIDDLE.....	405	435	365	475	80	57	71	66	325	378	294	409
LOUISIANA WESTERN....	1,586	1,406	1,403	1,589	297	367	400	264	1,289	1,039	1,003	1,325
MISSISSIPPI NORTHERN.	662	653	547	768	122	167	111	178	540	486	436	590
MISSISSIPPI SOUTHERN.	940	1,135	942	1,133	217	315	215	307	723	820	717	826
TEXAS NORTHERN.....	2,720	2,439	2,309	2,850	517	560	527	550	2,203	1,879	1,782	2,300
TEXAS EASTERN.....	1,281	1,320	939	1,662	311	294	215	390	970	1,026	724	1,272
TEXAS SOUTHERN.....	4,182	2,832	2,572	4,442	667	559	541	685	3,515	2,273	2,031	3,757
TEXAS WESTERN.....	1,270	1,205	1,117	1,358	395	441	385	451	875	764	732	907
CANAL ZONE.....	449	601	530	520	35	29	26	38	414	572	504	482

TABLE C 1. UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURTS
CIVIL CASES COMMENCED, TERMINATED AND PENDING FOR THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	TOTAL CIVIL CASES				U.S. CIVIL CASES				PRIVATE CIVIL CASES			
	PENDING JUNE 30 1976	COM-MENCED	TERMI-NATED	PENDING JUNE 30 1977	PENDING JUNE 30 1976	COM-MENCED	TERMI-NATED	PENDING JUNE 30 1977	PENDING JUNE 30 1976	COM-MENCED	TERMI-NATED	PENDING JUNE 30 1977
SIXTH CIRCUIT.....	14,370	14,213	11,738	16,845	5,310	5,840	4,405	6,745	9,060	8,373	7,333	10,100
KENTUCKY EASTERN.....	2,785	1,699	1,114	3,370	2,240	1,292	779	2,753	545	407	335	617
KENTUCKY WESTERN.....	1,025	1,023	628	1,420	351	427	229	549	674	596	399	871
MICHIGAN EASTERN.....	3,480	3,392	2,948	3,924	707	1,064	847	924	2,773	2,328	2,101	3,000
MICHIGAN WESTERN.....	1,233	810	586	1,457	293	304	174	423	940	506	412	1,034
OHIO NORTHERN.....	2,311	2,747	2,547	2,511	522	922	775	669	1,789	1,825	1,772	1,842
OHIO SOUTHERN.....	1,778	1,997	1,787	1,988	636	979	885	730	1,142	1,018	902	1,258
TENNESSEE EASTERN.....	505	1,018	961	562	213	393	399	207	292	625	562	355
TENNESSEE MIDDLE.....	586	684	576	694	187	216	184	219	399	468	392	475
TENNESSEE WESTERN.....	667	843	591	919	161	243	133	271	506	600	458	648
SEVENTH CIRCUIT...	9,699	9,147	8,630	10,216	2,161	2,555	2,379	2,337	7,538	6,592	6,251	7,879
ILLINOIS NORTHERN.....	4,018	4,531	4,180	4,369	653	922	864	711	3,365	3,609	3,316	3,658
ILLINOIS EASTERN.....	711	622	610	723	280	285	285	280	431	337	325	443
ILLINOIS SOUTHERN.....	547	489	418	618	146	123	131	138	401	366	287	480
INDIANA NORTHERN.....	1,178	884	729	1,333	257	317	220	354	921	567	509	979
INDIANA SOUTHERN.....	1,206	1,302	1,145	1,363	279	416	410	285	927	886	735	1,078
WISCONSIN EASTERN.....	1,145	800	926	1,019	296	253	268	281	849	547	658	738
WISCONSIN WESTERN.....	894	519	622	791	250	239	201	288	644	280	421	503
EIGHTH CIRCUIT.....	7,970	8,128	7,153	8,945	2,054	2,733	2,289	2,498	5,916	5,395	4,864	6,447
ARKANSAS EASTERN.....	1,307	1,075	775	1,607	262	298	174	386	1,045	777	601	1,221
ARKANSAS WESTERN.....	657	529	407	779	240	186	129	297	417	343	278	482
IOWA NORTHERN.....	251	262	229	284	52	78	72	58	199	184	157	226
IOWA SOUTHERN.....	557	540	470	627	120	180	161	139	437	360	309	488
MINNESOTA.....	1,642	1,211	1,199	1,654	323	373	348	348	1,319	838	851	1,306
MISSOURI EASTERN.....	825	1,537	1,383	979	197	428	383	242	628	1,109	1,000	737
MISSOURI WESTERN.....	1,454	1,762	1,543	1,673	520	825	716	629	934	937	827	1,044
NEBRASKA.....	732	700	707	725	158	178	149	187	574	522	558	538
NORTH DAKOTA.....	174	239	185	228	53	88	74	67	121	151	111	161
SOUTH DAKOTA.....	371	273	255	389	129	99	83	145	242	174	172	244
NINTH CIRCUIT.....	17,418	15,448	14,669	18,197	5,654	5,707	5,477	5,884	11,764	9,741	9,192	12,313
ALASKA.....	421	371	296	496	189	124	120	193	232	247	176	303
ARIZONA.....	1,249	1,330	1,043	1,536	400	527	424	503	849	803	619	1,033
CALIFORNIA NORTHERN..	3,001	3,104	2,960	3,145	719	955	893	781	2,282	2,149	2,067	2,364
CALIFORNIA EASTERN...	1,383	930	851	1,462	663	373	341	695	720	557	510	767
CALIFORNIA CENTRAL...	4,176	4,463	4,240	4,399	1,073	1,698	1,533	1,238	3,103	2,765	2,707	3,161
CALIFORNIA SOUTHERN..	1,538	857	1,235	1,160	1,094	451	889	656	444	406	346	504
HAWAII.....	622	462	341	743	130	133	97	166	492	329	244	577
IDAHO.....	459	383	386	456	183	182	175	190	276	201	211	266
MONTANA.....	430	389	324	495	135	127	99	163	295	262	225	332
NEVADA.....	625	497	476	646	142	151	124	169	483	346	352	477
OREGON.....	1,298	1,036	1,093	1,241	287	302	250	339	1,011	734	843	902
WASHINGTON EASTERN...	407	348	267	488	145	135	107	173	262	213	160	315
WASHINGTON WESTERN...	1,524	1,206	1,040	1,690	469	539	413	595	1,055	667	627	1,095
GUAM.....	285	72	117	240	25	10	12	23	260	62	105	217
TENTH CIRCUIT.....	5,597	6,207	5,586	6,218	1,451	1,866	1,716	1,601	4,146	4,341	3,870	4,617
COLORADO.....	1,438	1,223	1,204	1,457	306	336	338	304	1,132	887	866	1,153
KANSAS.....	1,481	1,315	979	1,817	377	441	339	479	1,104	874	640	1,338
NEW MEXICO.....	507	751	691	567	144	217	180	181	363	534	511	386
OKLAHOMA NORTHERN....	544	574	595	523	203	162	239	126	341	412	356	397
OKLAHOMA EASTERN.....	266	403	403	266	74	140	131	83	192	263	272	183
OKLAHOMA WESTERN.....	676	1,188	1,031	833	176	362	309	229	500	826	722	604
UTAH.....	531	499	450	580	124	148	113	159	407	351	337	421
WYOMING.....	154	254	233	175	47	60	67	40	107	194	166	135

TABLE C 2. U.S. DISTRICT COURTS
CIVIL CASES COMMENCED, BY BASIS OF JURISDICTION AND NATURE OF SUIT
FOR THE TWELVE MONTH PERIODS ENDED JUNE 30, 1976 AND 1977

NATURE OF SUIT	1976	1977					
			U.S. CASES		PRIVATE CASES		
		TOTAL	PLAINTIFF	DEFENDANT	FEDERAL QUESTION	DIVERSITY OF CITIZENSHIP	LOCAL JURISDICTION
TOTAL CASES	130,597	130,567	16,320	23,890	57,011	31,678	1,668
CONTRACT ACTIONS, TOTAL	23,998	23,907	2,836	1,006	4,812	15,116	137
INSURANCE	3,184	3,293	11	64	22	3,191	5
MARINE	4,060	3,757	40	39	3,678	-	-
MILLER ACT	955	1,009	-	-	1,009	-	-
NEGOTIABLE INSTRUMENTS	2,240	2,355	1,349	25	18	942	21
RECOVERY OF OVERPAYMENTS AND ENFORCEMENT OF JUDGMENTS	1,087	865	362	291	1	211	-
OTHER CONTRACT ACTIONS	12,472	12,628	1,074	587	84	10,772	111
REAL PROPERTY ACTIONS, TOTAL	8,475	8,387	6,342	415	424	1,065	141
CONDEMNATION OF LAND	3,037	2,801	2,730	30	28	12	1
FORECLOSURE	3,683	3,979	3,271	-	193	397	118
RENT, LEASE, AND EJECTMENT	399	325	174	29	-	118	4
TORTS TO LAND	547	455	35	49	160	206	5
OTHER REAL PROPERTY ACTIONS	809	827	132	307	43	332	13
TORT ACTIONS, TOTAL	25,736	26,029	159	2,137	8,001	15,493	239
PERSONAL INJURY:							
AIRPLANE	980	824	-	151	39	605	29
ASSAULT, LIBEL, AND SLANDER	862	753	-	62	19	668	4
EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY ACT	1,329	1,306	-	-	1,306	-	-
MARINE	5,170	5,056	-	106	3,770	1,180	-
MOTOR VEHICLE	6,068	6,036	-	566	50	5,346	74
MEDICAL MALPRACTICE	633	437	-	120	-	317	-
OTHER PERSONAL INJURY	6,160	7,053	-	901	49	5,989	11[illegible]
PERSONAL PROPERTY DAMAGE:							
FRAUD INCLUDING TRUTH IN LENDING	2,887	2,847	108	30	2,183	520	6
OTHER PERSONAL PROPERTY DAMAGE	1,647	1,717	51	201	585	868	12
ACTIONS UNDER STATUTES, TOTAL	70,372	70,694	6,956	20,174	43,527	-	37
ANTITRUST	1,555	1,658	39	8	1,611	-	-
BANKRUPTCY SUITS:							
TRUSTEE	518	484	-	5	479	-	-
TRANSFER (915B)	-	57	-	-	57	-	-
APPEAL (801)	-	1,257	-	13	1,244	-	-
BANKS AND BANKING	288	167	19	26	122	-	-
CIVIL RIGHTS:							
VOTING	176	203	15	9	179	-	-
JOBS	5,321	5,931	246	592	5,093	-	-
ACCOMMODATIONS	531	442	47	12	383	-	-
WELFARE	222	219	-	58	161	-	-
OTHER CIVIL RIGHTS	6,079	6,318	39	766	5,513	-	-
COMMERCE (ICC RATES, ETC.)	4,396	2,549	139	12	2,398	-	-
NARCOTIC ADDICT REHABILITATION ACT	150	113	113	-	-	-	-
ECONOMIC STABILIZATION ACT	30	30	3	6	21	-	-
ENVIRONMENTAL MATTERS	499	480	234	190	56	-	-

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CIVIL CASES COMMENCED, BY BASIS OF JURISDICTION AND NATURE OF SUIT
FOR THE TWELVE MONTH PERIODS ENDED JUNE 30, 1976 AND 1977

NATURE OF SUIT	1976	1977					
		TOTAL	U.S. CASES		PRIVATE CASES		
			PLAINTIFF	DEFENDANT	FEDERAL QUESTION	DIVERSITY OF CITIZENSHIP	LOCAL JURISDICTION
ACTIONS UNDER STATUTES, CONTINUED							
DEPORTATION	291	292	1	291	-	-	-
PRISONER PETITIONS:							
MOTIONS TO VACATE SENTENCE	1,693	1,921	-	1,921	-	-	-
PAROLE COMMISSION REVIEW	538	237	-	237	-	-	-
PRISON OFFICIALS - HABEAUS CORPUS	9,254	8,374	-	1,508	6,862	-	4
PRISON OFFICIALS - MANDAMUS, ETC	864	770	-	542	227	-	1
CIVIL RIGHTS	7,460	8,235	-	483	7,750	-	2
FORFEITURE AND PENALTY:							
AGRICULTURAL ACTS	65	75	75	-	-	-	-
FOOD AND DRUG ACT	452	608	608	-	-	-	-
LIQUOR LAWS	24	8	8	-	-	-	-
RAILROAD AND TRUCKING REQULATIONS	13	22	22	-	-	-	-
AIR TRAFFIC REGULATIONS	114	73	73	-	-	-	-
OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH ACT	310	297	297	-	-	-	-
OTHER FORFEITURE AND PENALTY SUITS	1,609	1,771	1,771	-	-	-	-
LABOR LAWS:							
FAIR LABOR STANDARDS ACT	2,014	1,990	1,356	40	594	-	-
LABOR MANAGEMENT RELATIONS ACT	4,092	3,957	208	51	3,698	-	-
LABOR MANAGEMENT REPORTING AND DISCLOSURE ACT	222	209	54	5	150	-	-
RAILWAY LABOR ACT	140	147	1	4	142	-	-
OTHER LABOR LITIGATION	1,275	1,436	249	108	1,079	-	-
PROTECTED PROPERTY RIGHTS:							
COPYRIGHT	899	1,153	-	-	1,153	-	-
PATENT	921	893	-	17	876	-	-
TRADEMARK	812	1,025	-	-	1,025	-	-
SECURITIES, COMMODITIES, AND EXCHANGES	2,230	1,960	192	21	1,747	-	-
SOCIAL SECURITY LAWS:							
BLACK LUNG CASES	4,908	2,365	-	2,365	-	-	-
OTHER	5,447	7,730	-	7,730	-	-	-
STATE REAPPORTIONMENT SUITS	33	15	-	-	15	-	-
TAX SUITS	1,849	1,981	696	1,255	-	-	30
OTHER STATUTORY ACTIONS	3,078	3,242	451	1,899	892	-	-
OTHER ACTIONS, TOTAL	2,016	1,550	27	158	247	4	1,114
DOMESTIC RELATIONS	1,186	729	-	-	-	-	729
INSANITY	18	77	-	-	-	-	77
PROBATE	180	105	-	-	-	-	105
SUITS INVOLVING LOCAL OFFICIALS	373	255	1	12	237	2	3
OTHER	259	384	26	146	10	2	200

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CIVIL CASES COMMENCED, BY NATURE OF SUIT AND DISTRICT
FOR THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	TOTAL CIVIL CASES	UNITED STATES CASES																
		TOTAL U.S. CIVIL	CONTRACT	LAND CONDEMNATION	OTHER REAL PROPERTY	TORT ACTIONS	ANTI-TRUST	CIVIL RIGHTS	PRISONER PETITIONS				FORFEITURES AND PENALTIES	LABOR SUITS	NARA[1]	SOCIAL SECURITY	TAX SUITS	ALL OTHER
									MOTIONS TO VACATE SENTENCE	HABEAS CORPUS	CIVIL RIGHTS	MANDAMUS AND OTHER						
TOTAL ALL DISTRICTS	130,567	40,210	3,842	2,760	3,997	2,296	47	1,784	1,921	1,508	483	779	2,855	2,077	113	10,095	1,962	3,691
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	2,464	1,464	42	9	9	129	1	289	55	54	98	49	18	36	2	143	10	520
FIRST CIRCUIT....	7,372	1,860	122	7	128	86	-	40	27	19	2	7	149	251	-	783	57	182
MAINE.....	400	180	10	2	91	6	-	1	1	1	-	-	11	11	-	29	2	15
MASSACHUSETTS.....	3,911	616	81	4	13	49	-	22	16	8	1	2	91	68	-	106	37	118
NEW HAMPSHIRE.....	417	86	3	-	1	5	-	3	1	-	-	-	5	19	-	28	9	12
RHODE ISLAND.....	706	123	7	-	3	4	-	7	-	7	1	-	16	17	-	37	3	21
PUERTO RICO.....	1,938	855	21	1	20	22	-	7	9	3	-	5	26	136	-	583	6	16
SECOND CIRCUIT...	11,840	2,792	211	5	183	234	8	133	220	246	39	21	311	146	-	451	144	440
CONNECTICUT.....	1,477	447	25	1	22	26	-	22	16	159	11	9	25	16	-	52	18	45
NEW YORK NORTHERN...	533	149	12	2	28	16	1	3	3	2	1	-	24	12	-	15	12	18
NEW YORK EASTERN....	2,512	778	52	1	43	75	2	30	104	21	6	9	89	55	-	180	38	73
NEW YORK SOUTHERN...	6,350	1,091	87	1	40	103	5	63	85	54	20	2	150	36	-	153	51	241
NEW YORK WESTERN....	678	217	20	-	28	12	-	6	11	6	1	1	18	12	-	27	23	52
VERMONT.....	290	110	15	-	22	2	-	9	1	4	-	-	5	15	-	24	2	11
THIRD CIRCUIT....	11,780	2,860	204	67	211	192	3	108	201	134	42	42	161	188	3	801	173	330
DELAWARE.....	495	124	6	-	30	9	-	2	5	1	-	1	3	10	1	18	12	26
NEW JERSEY.....	2,572	759	75	4	105	82	1	34	59	3	5	5	73	46	-	99	48	122
PENNSYLVANIA EASTERN	4,315	703	46	3	27	70	1	48	76	10	3	3	39	37	-	180	60	105
PENNSYLVANIA MIDDLE.	1,389	714	49	38	25	3	-	6	9	116	31	31	12	31	-	320	21	22
PENNSYLVANIA WESTERN	1,770	525	25	22	29	27	1	18	45	4	3	1	33	60	2	184	20	51
VIRGIN ISLANDS.....	1,239	35	3	-	2	1	-	-	7	-	-	1	1	4	-	-	12	4
FOURTH CIRCUIT...	13,018	4,742	342	143	622	189	6	101	217	21	21	16	260	128	65	2,104	194	273
MARYLAND.....	2,081	672	69	33	36	33	1	12	46	6	8	2	36	39	-	189	109	53
NO. CAROLINA EASTERN	692	201	26	8	7	13	-	7	18	5	1	2	9	10	-	40	20	35
NO. CAROLINA MIDDLE.	685	189	4	40	16	7	2	4	16	-	-	2	11	11	-	57	7	12
NO. CAROLINA WESTERN	574	132	12	3	5	12	-	12	22	-	-	-	6	5	-	43	4	6
SOUTH CAROLINA.....	2,609	1,176	148	18	538	40	1	15	35	-	-	1	15	17	-	308	12	28
VIRGINIA EASTERN....	2,703	608	59	25	12	73	2	39	62	7	4	7	25	18	65	97	29	84
VIRGINIA WESTERN....	1,645	756	6	2	4	1	-	4	9	-	4	2	16	10	-	680	2	16
W. VIRGINIA NORTHERN	578	183	7	42	1	3	-	2	3	2	3	-	7	6	-	90	6	11
W. VIRGINIA SOUTHERN	1,451	825	11	10	3	7	-	6	6	1	1	-	135	12	-	600	5	28
FIFTH CIRCUIT....	30,950	7,791	776	1,710	741	387	15	328	376	276	72	162	455	287	19	1,318	412	459
ALABAMA NORTHERN....	1,775	516	45	16	8	27	1	21	39	2	1	1	33	9	2	249	36	26
ALABAMA MIDDLE.....	764	149	17	-	26	3	-	7	11	12	3	8	4	13	-	31	7	7
ALABAMA SOUTHERN....	702	104	12	-	6	6	-	4	12	1	2	-	6	8	-	39	4	4
FLORIDA NORTHERN....	591	161	9	1	64	14	-	7	6	4	6	3	5	7	-	19	6	10
FLORIDA MIDDLE.....	2,598	696	47	1	276	37	-	18	25	28	1	5	24	60	-	88	43	43
FLORIDA SOUTHERN....	4,308	2,067	76	1,550	65	40	2	17	44	18	8	9	68	43	-	47	35	45
GEORGIA NORTHERN....	2,481	625	20	3	23	21	2	40	42	121	33	93	18	13	-	117	30	49
GEORGIA MIDDLE.....	648	142	13	3	8	16	-	9	19	-	-	-	6	5	-	44	7	12
GEORGIA SOUTHERN....	790	118	15	5	9	9	-	9	3	1	1	2	7	2	-	42	7	10
LOUISIANA EASTERN...	4,267	424	42	1	57	48	-	23	29	5	3	3	30	18	14	74	45	32
LOUISIANA MIDDLE....	435	57	4	1	16	5	-	2	1	-	-	-	5	5	-	14	3	1
LOUISIANA WESTERN...	1,406	367	26	18	120	27	-	13	12	1	-	-	7	10	1	98	13	21
MISSISSIPPI NORTHERN	653	167	22	61	16	6	-	10	4	-	-	-	4	2	-	32	4	6
MISSISSIPPI SOUTHERN	1,135	315	148	8	22	20	1	13	1	1	-	-	14	3	-	68	6	10
TEXAS NORTHERN.....	2,439	560	121	-	9	26	2	40	40	24	5	8	47	26	2	97	68	45
TEXAS EASTERN.....	1,320	294	33	22	6	15	-	12	14	14	6	7	8	9	-	122	9	17
TEXAS SOUTHERN.....	2,832	559	57	8	8	28	4	46	33	10	-	10	119	35	-	73	42	86
TEXAS WESTERN.....	1,205	441	64	12	6	31	1	34	41	34	3	13	46	16	-	64	47	29
CANAL ZONE.....	601	29	5	-	-	8	-	3	-	-	-	-	4	3	-	-	-	6

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CIVIL CASES COMMENCED, BY NATURE OF SUIT AND DISTRICT
FOR THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

PRIVATE CASES																	
											PRISONER PETITIONS						
TOTAL PRIVATE CIVIL	CONTRACT	REAL PROPERTY	FELA[2]	MARINE PERSONAL INJURY	MOTOR VEHICLE PERSONAL INJURY	OTHER PERSONAL INJURY	OTHER TORT ACTIONS	ANTI-TRUST	CIVIL RIGHTS	COMMERCE	HABEAS CORPUS	CIVIL RIGHTS	HANDAMUS AND OTHER	COPYRIGHT PATENT TRADEMARK	LABOR SUITS	ALL OTHER	CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT
90,357	20,065	1,630	1,306	4,950	5,470	7,833	4,174	1,611	11,329	2,398	6,866	7,752	228	3,054	5,663	6,028	TOTAL ALL DISTRICTS
1,000	258	8	19	-	75	127	36	19	170	3	47	84	8	25	67	54	DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
5,512	934	289	40	183	208	399	130	46	505	1,744	123	273	16	112	265	245	FIRST CIRCUIT....
220	58	4	11	3	26	14	11	1	20	9	4	1	-	2	13	43	MAINE.....
3,295	423	17	27	94	70	178	34	30	257	1,665	53	54	-	88	176	129	MASSACHUSETTS.....
331	77	2	-	-	49	57	11	2	56	1	18	27	1	7	11	12	NEW HAMPSHIRE.....
583	101	5	1	9	38	47	51	4	81	-	17	169	-	12	25	23	RHODE ISLAND.....
1,083	275	261	1	77	25	103	23	9	91	69	31	22	15	3	40	38	PUERTO RICO.....
9,048	2,523	53	169	1,024	321	647	456	171	799	42	502	528	13	629	315	856	SECOND CIRCUIT...
1,030	147	7	4	7	46	87	254	14	172	4	55	87	4	51	40	51	CONNECTICUT.....
384	34	1	35	1	17	32	14	10	40	2	34	104	6	20	13	21	NEW YORK NORTHERN...
1,734	328	14	62	155	108	150	44	28	194	7	187	93	2	142	79	141	NEW YORK EASTERN....
5,259	1,933	20	46	850	102	297	123	106	284	27	158	162	1	398	160	592	NEW YORK SOUTHERN...
461	50	10	22	11	11	29	18	11	83	2	63	72	-	15	16	48	NEW YORK WESTERN....
180	31	1	-	-	37	52	3	2	26	-	5	10	-	3	7	3	VERMONT.....
8,920	1,777	186	288	374	869	1,058	255	157	905	43	370	610	5	299	628	1,096	THIRD CIRCUIT....
371	36	1	1	20	28	29	9	3	45	-	42	77	-	40	8	32	DELAWARE.....
1,813	475	13	14	39	196	175	30	37	238	10	98	121	4	131	136	96	NEW JERSEY.....
3,612	768	23	241	289	416	511	120	89	378	23	112	145	-	77	246	174	PENNSYLVANIA EASTERN
675	108	3	13	1	79	96	21	8	51	1	39	171	-	16	50	18	PENNSYLVANIA MIDDLE.
1,245	288	7	19	20	95	113	62	19	187	9	73	93	-	33	185	42	PENNSYLVANIA WESTERN
1,204	102	139	-	5	55	134	13	1	6	-	6	3	1	2	3	734	VIRGIN ISLANDS.....
8,276	1,460	75	98	202	753	718	380	70	879	55	1,074	1,608	24	162	449	269	FOURTH CIRCUIT...
1,409	296	13	18	38	77	94	39	27	206	25	182	258	5	32	50	49	MARYLAND.....
491	71	7	2	6	22	25	15	4	60	5	82	152	-	19	11	10	NO. CAROLINA EASTERN
496	54	2	1	-	13	15	92	5	87	2	77	65	-	24	28	31	NO. CAROLINA MIDDLE.
442	75	4	-	-	23	24	38	4	75	6	86	46	2	20	17	22	NO. CAROLINA WESTERN
1,433	402	20	-	7	297	230	70	7	101	6	80	122	2	29	20	40	SOUTH CAROLINA.....
2,095	345	12	29	129	157	185	62	17	172	6	291	522	11	24	49	84	VIRGINIA EASTERN....
889	99	5	15	-	74	47	30	3	100	1	126	312	2	11	47	17	VIRGINIA WESTERN....
395	30	4	2	-	27	23	7	1	26	1	110	123	1	2	31	7	W. VIRGINIA NORTHERN
626	88	8	31	22	63	75	27	2	52	3	40	8	1	1	196	9	W. VIRGINIA SOUTHERN
23,159	5,351	384	147	2,594	1,317	1,590	1,543	334	2,595	116	2,141	2,250	89	455	943	1,310	FIFTH CIRCUIT....
1,259	341	24	-	4	101	121	59	7	193	4	127	74	1	20	139	44	ALABAMA NORTHERN....
615	116	11	-	-	45	27	10	2	41	1	175	146	2	12	9	18	ALABAMA MIDDLE.....
598	131	14	-	57	43	27	24	4	46	2	76	136	2	4	19	13	ALABAMA SOUTHERN....
430	93	2	-	13	6	16	10	7	52	1	85	85	-	10	14	36	FLORIDA NORTHERN....
1,902	319	22	6	41	26	60	55	23	143	2	354	633	4	57	98	59	FLORIDA MIDDLE.....
2,241	865	25	4	88	15	89	60	67	150	50	186	123	6	98	253	162	FLORIDA SOUTHERN....
1,856	470	29	1	2	143	104	412	31	193	10	152	77	29	41	58	104	GEORGIA NORTHERN....
506	113	7	7	1	79	39	48	3	72	-	47	39	1	6	13	31	GEORGIA MIDDLE.....
672	143	1	3	6	82	69	77	5	61	2	60	123	9	12	6	13	GEORGIA SOUTHERN....
3,843	887	120	33	1,400	178	273	404	29	234	8	91	50	1	25	57	53	LOUISIANA EASTERN...
378	66	4	-	25	17	26	7	3	59	-	43	89	-	3	16	20	LOUISIANA MIDDLE....
1,039	139	19	11	342	78	68	60	7	129	3	70	23	3	15	31	41	LOUISIANA WESTERN...
486	126	12	2	12	85	43	43	1	93	2	19	27	1	5	7	8	MISSISSIPPI NORTHERN
820	216	16	4	36	134	138	50	6	145	2	22	8	-	12	15	16	MISSISSIPPI SOUTHERN
1,879	471	26	12	-	89	178	45	61	278	16	245	155	7	68	63	165	TEXAS NORTHERN.....
1,026	130	21	33	211	74	162	24	14	121	3	89	74	2	8	35	25	TEXAS EASTERN.....
2,273	522	18	17	301	47	87	108	45	428	7	179	283	17	42	83	89	TEXAS SOUTHERN.....
764	120	12	14	4	56	52	37	19	156	3	120	105	4	17	20	25	TEXAS WESTERN.....
572	83	1	-	51	19	11	10	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	7	388	CANAL ZONE.....

TABLE C 3. U.S. DISTRICT COURTS
CIVIL CASES COMMENCED, BY NATURE OF SUIT AND DISTRICT
FOR THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	TOTAL CIVIL CASES	UNITED STATES CASES																
		TOTAL U.S. CIVIL	CON-TRACT	LAND CONDEM-NATION	OTHER REAL PROP-ERTY	TORT ACTIONS	ANTI-TRUST	CIVIL RIGHTS	PRISONER PETITIONS				FORFEIT-URES AND PENAL-TIES	LABOR SUITS	NARA	SOCIAL SECURITY	TAX SUITS	ALL OTHER
									MOTIONS TO VACATE SENTENCE	HABEAS CORPUS	CIVIL RIGHTS	MAN-DAMUS AND OTHER						
SIXTH CIRCUIT....	14,213	5,840	298	167	671	157	2	133	235	62	20	42	486	287	-	2,814	180	286
KENTUCKY EASTERN....	1,699	1,292	23	24	19	8	1	5	42	24	9	12	157	16	-	932	4	16
KENTUCKY WESTERN....	1,023	427	11	26	32	14	-	9	17	3	1	2	108	8	-	159	12	25
MICHIGAN EASTERN....	3,392	1,064	46	1	35	35	-	33	121	24	1	15	36	91	-	485	55	86
MICHIGAN WESTERN....	810	304	24	24	10	5	-	6	5	2	1	-	8	30	-	170	1	18
OHIO NORTHERN.....	2,747	922	63	17	273	38	-	32	12	4	3	4	35	62	-	270	47	62
OHIO SOUTHERN.....	1,997	979	33	5	276	21	1	20	14	2	4	5	24	46	-	470	30	28
TENNESSEE EASTERN...	1,018	393	12	32	10	16	-	8	7	2	-	1	94	15	-	160	14	22
TENNESSEE MIDDLE....	684	216	20	10	5	9	-	6	14	1	1	2	21	5	-	103	9	10
TENNESSEE WESTERN...	843	243	66	28	11	11	-	14	3	-	-	1	3	14	-	65	8	19
SEVENTH CIRCUIT..	9,147	2,555	232	132	420	132	3	143	96	181	78	42	171	225	1	299	136	264
ILLINOIS NORTHERN...	4,531	922	107	1	70	58	2	74	41	21	10	7	101	120	-	82	62	166
ILLINOIS EASTERN....	622	285	12	3	59	12	1	7	15	67	20	17	22	4	-	28	5	13
ILLINOIS SOUTHERN...	489	123	6	-	25	10	-	7	4	-	-	-	3	11	-	30	15	12
INDIANA NORTHERN....	884	317	13	97	63	14	-	12	18	2	5	1	3	23	1	42	6	17
INDIANA SOUTHERN....	1,302	416	37	3	86	21	-	17	9	57	21	14	21	12	-	83	6	29
WISCONSIN EASTERN...	800	253	52	-	36	10	-	23	8	4	-	-	16	26	-	24	34	20
WISCONSIN WESTERN...	519	239	5	28	81	7	-	3	1	30	22	3	5	29	-	10	8	7
EIGHTH CIRCUIT...	8,128	2,733	347	192	300	121	1	91	164	133	48	302	152	122	17	399	178	166
ARKANSAS EASTERN....	1,075	298	13	17	122	11	1	13	11	1	3	1	15	10	-	60	14	9
ARKANSAS WESTERN....	529	186	12	5	50	11	-	1	6	1	-	1	6	8	-	66	10	9
IOWA NORTHERN.....	262	78	8	-	8	2	-	1	13	-	-	-	5	4	-	14	14	9
IOWA SOUTHERN.....	540	180	30	-	16	12	-	8	13	2	-	1	12	11	-	33	26	16
MINNESOTA.....	1,211	373	68	9	15	10	-	9	13	27	25	3	41	29	-	66	30	28
MISSOURI EASTERN....	1,937	428	83	67	9	22	-	22	41	10	3	3	32	22	-	70	20	24
MISSOURI WESTERN....	1,762	825	78	81	12	22	-	24	48	83	17	290	19	20	17	62	10	42
NEBRASKA.....	700	178	24	1	28	14	-	7	7	3	-	-	15	15	-	12	39	13
NORTH DAKOTA.....	239	88	19	5	26	2	-	1	4	4	-	2	1	1	-	3	12	8
SOUTH DAKOTA.....	273	99	15	7	14	15	-	5	8	2	-	1	5	2	-	13	3	8
NINTH CIRCUIT....	15,448	5,707	1,038	200	409	583	8	305	224	225	30	56	589	340	-	774	331	595
ALASKA.....	371	124	20	3	20	20	-	5	-	-	-	1	15	6	-	1	5	28
ARIZONA.....	1,330	527	33	68	94	30	-	17	28	7	2	2	70	38	-	52	47	39
CALIFORNIA NORTHERN.	3,104	955	263	21	9	112	-	62	24	26	2	5	60	48	-	182	45	96
CALIFORNIA EASTERN..	930	373	51	22	25	42	-	17	19	5	2	-	11	54	-	70	18	37
CALIFORNIA CENTRAL..	4,463	1,698	411	6	15	193	4	73	72	87	8	10	223	100	-	212	112	172
CALIFORNIA SOUTHERN.	857	451	85	18	6	51	-	28	35	28	-	5	85	19	-	37	11	43
HAWAII.....	462	133	12	-	5	28	2	15	2	1	-	1	18	7	-	12	8	22
IDAHO.....	383	182	13	24	68	10	1	6	1	-	1	-	10	3	-	17	9	19
MONTANA.....	389	127	8	5	33	16	-	9	-	1	-	-	13	7	-	9	10	16
NEVADA.....	497	151	28	2	4	21	1	4	14	7	-	2	6	21	-	10	16	15
OREGON.....	1,036	302	19	8	26	27	-	16	8	9	-	1	26	17	-	93	21	31
WASHINGTON EASTERN..	348	135	9	13	29	9	-	5	-	6	3	-	6	2	-	36	1	16
WASHINGTON WESTERN..	1,206	539	86	10	74	24	-	47	21	48	12	29	42	18	-	43	26	59
GUAM.....	72	10	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	2	2
TENTH CIRCUIT....	6,207	1,866	230	88	303	86	2	113	106	157	33	40	103	67	6	209	147	176
COLORADO.....	1,223	336	76	7	13	18	1	29	17	4	1	2	38	7	-	30	44	49
KANSAS.....	1,315	441	73	33	44	7	-	10	33	86	16	26	14	24	2	25	18	30
NEW MEXICO.....	751	217	17	5	33	13	-	27	16	5	-	2	15	3	4	38	11	28
OKLAHOMA NORTHERN...	574	162	1	21	63	6	-	5	9	1	-	-	7	6	-	18	12	13
OKLAHOMA EASTERN....	403	140	15	4	39	5	-	3	2	5	-	-	5	5	-	40	11	6
OKLAHOMA WESTERN....	1,188	362	18	17	86	28	-	23	22	52	15	10	15	15	-	23	16	22
UTAH.....	499	148	21	-	14	8	1	13	3	-	-	-	7	6	-	27	26	22
WYOMING.....	254	60	9	1	11	1	-	3	4	4	1	-	2	1	-	8	9	6

1 CIVIL COMMITMENT UNDER THE NARCOTIC ADDICT REHABILITATION ACT OF 1966, PUBLIC LAW 89-793 APPROVED NOVEMBER 8, 1966.

2 FEDERAL EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY ACT, 45 USC 51.

TABLE C 3. U.S. DISTRICT COURTS
CIVIL CASES COMMENCED, BY NATURE OF SUIT AND DISTRICT
FOR THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

	PRIVATE CASES																
											PRISONER PETITIONS						
CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	TOTAL PRIVATE CIVIL	CONTRACT	REAL PROPERTY	FELA[2]	MARINE PERSONAL INJURY	MOTOR VEHICLE PERSONAL INJURY	OTHER PERSONAL INJURY	OTHER TORT ACTIONS	ANTI-TRUST	CIVIL RIGHTS	COMMERCE	HABEAS CORPUS	CIVIL RIGHTS	MANDAMUS AND OTHER	COPYRIGHT PATENT TRADEMARK	LABOR SUITS	ALL OTHER
SIXTH CIRCUIT....	8,373	1,627	91	165	93	526	832	327	127	1,464	108	717	625	21	241	967	442
KENTUCKY EASTERN....	407	120	14	3	2	26	48	18	3	48	-	31	23	1	6	41	23
KENTUCKY WESTERN....	596	112	5	5	5	35	35	35	19	64	42	63	90	-	4	68	15
MICHIGAN EASTERN....	2,328	520	29	49	26	97	290	60	23	367	34	146	132	6	88	324	137
MICHIGAN WESTERN....	506	45	4	13	3	17	52	18	14	71	4	63	96	-	37	32	37
OHIO NORTHERN.....	1,825	347	12	67	43	113	163	74	37	421	8	132	54	1	42	245	66
OHIO SOUTHERN.....	1,018	164	4	20	5	35	55	55	16	198	5	110	109	2	24	138	78
TENNESSEE EASTERN...	625	122	9	5	3	117	86	21	2	91	4	64	43	5	10	31	12
TENNESSEE MIDDLE....	468	69	4	-	1	37	49	22	5	82	2	66	39	3	24	25	40
TENNESSEE WESTERN...	600	128	10	3	5	49	54	24	9	122	9	42	39	3	6	63	34
SEVENTH CIRCUIT..	6,592	1,563	267	96	61	343	459	255	197	1,069	104	313	489	6	306	786	278
ILLINOIS NORTHERN...	3,609	958	135	38	38	93	127	125	157	573	77	122	290	4	195	508	169
ILLINOIS EASTERN....	337	53	15	1	1	35	35	9	4	40	2	36	49	1	8	41	7
ILLIONIS SOUTHERN...	366	79	17	3	6	31	50	33	9	34	5	8	13	-	11	34	33
INDIANA NORTHERN....	567	109	37	9	3	80	95	18	3	107	13	21	11	-	20	24	17
INDIANA SOUTHERN....	886	243	58	40	10	79	102	41	9	134	2	12	9	1	22	99	25
WISCONSIN EASTERN...	547	87	1	5	3	15	31	18	11	134	5	70	49	-	36	60	22
WISCONSIN WESTERN...	280	34	4	-	-	10	19	11	4	47	-	44	68	-	14	20	5
EIGHTH CIRCUIT...	5,395	1,151	65	115	28	418	657	269	95	796	53	455	477	26	166	310	314
ARKANSAS EASTERN....	777	117	10	6	4	45	68	20	8	182	1	82	130	1	3	17	83
ARKANSAS WESTERN....	343	90	10	4	-	66	58	11	7	32	3	33	10	1	3	9	6
IOWA NORTHERN.....	184	44	1	1	-	23	26	5	2	28	7	12	4	-	11	10	10
IOWA SOUTHERN.....	360	68	3	10	1	23	41	12	7	36	3	43	57	-	17	26	13
MINNESOTA.....	838	176	15	40	8	45	133	43	35	91	12	37	22	-	57	45	79
MISSOURI EASTERN....	1,109	290	4	2	13	106	134	83	16	164	4	66	38	9	28	105	47
MISSOURI WESTERN....	937	156	8	8	2	37	82	31	17	161	13	110	172	15	21	68	28
NEBRASKA.....	522	104	5	25	-	49	66	48	3	66	7	43	36	-	15	28	27
NORTH DAKOTA.....	151	61	2	17	-	4	24	7	-	16	1	4	1	-	3	1	10
SOUTH DAKOTA.....	174	45	7	2	-	20	25	9	-	20	2	17	7	-	8	1	11
NINTH CIRCUIT....	9,741	2,362	114	124	386	286	680	354	326	1,551	86	809	512	12	560	699	850
ALASKA.....	247	81	3	2	5	8	20	12	2	20	5	16	13	-	1	53	6
ARIZONA.....	803	169	3	11	3	40	54	14	42	148	3	78	110	-	21	42	65
CALIFORNIA NORTHERN.	2,149	419	22	6	150	19	117	75	110	514	13	186	60	2	89	148	219
CALIFORNIA EASTERN..	557	97	12	5	11	15	38	12	8	86	3	90	72	1	18	50	39
CALIFORNIA CENTRAL..	2,765	691	16	54	72	35	202	76	89	347	31	217	79	1	341	206	308
CALIFORNIA SOUTHERN.	406	108	5	-	35	9	11	11	14	39	2	39	6	1	16	18	92
HAWAII.....	329	103	3	-	16	35	38	36	15	37	1	3	2	-	7	16	17
IDAHO.....	201	48	2	6	-	16	38	8	5	27	3	12	6	1	13	5	11
MONTANA.....	262	78	7	17	-	26	30	19	-	17	1	7	29	-	3	20	8
NEVADA.....	346	70	11	-	3	24	30	9	-	51	1	63	41	-	6	20	17
OREGON.....	734	211	11	8	39	36	49	57	19	136	15	39	29	1	13	50	21
WASHINGTON EASTERN..	213	29	2	6	1	11	14	5	9	17	-	40	56	1	6	10	6
WASHINGTON WESTERN..	667	248	16	9	51	12	34	19	13	109	7	17	8	2	26	61	35
GUAM.....	62	10	1	-	-	-	5	1	-	3	1	2	1	2	-	-	36
TENTH CIRCUIT....	4,341	1,059	98	45	5	354	666	169	69	596	44	315	296	8	99	234	284
COLORADO.....	867	215	10	11	1	54	67	16	24	174	11	43	51	1	29	94	86
KANSAS.....	874	163	10	7	-	64	284	36	12	96	14	22	53	4	19	43	47
NEW MEXICO.....	534	101	22	1	1	53	52	31	1	97	5	72	47	-	11	18	22
OKLAHOMA NORTHERN...	412	132	8	1	1	23	54	19	5	50	3	40	9	-	12	33	22
OKLAHOMA EASTERN....	263	60	13	2	1	30	26	8	1	14	1	33	61	-	-	4	9
OKLAHOMA WESTERN....	826	267	25	2	-	84	112	43	4	90	4	93	30	3	14	16	39
UTAH.....	351	77	3	17	-	19	35	10	20	60	3	9	8	-	13	22	55
WYOMING.....	194	44	7	4	1	27	36	6	2	15	3	3	37	-	1	4	4

TABLE C 3A. U.S. DISTRICT COURTS
CIVIL CASES PENDING, BY NATURE OF SUIT AND DISTRICT AS OF JUNE 30, 1977

CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	TOTAL CIVIL CASES	UNITED STATES CASES																
		TOTAL U.S. CIVIL	CONTRACT	LAND CONDEMNATION	OTHER REAL PROPERTY	TORT ACTIONS	ANTITRUST	CIVIL RIGHTS	PRISONER PETITIONS				FORFEITURES AND PENALTIES	LABOR SUITS	NARA[1]	SOCIAL SECURITY	TAX SUITS	ALL OTHER
									MOTIONS TO VACATE SENTENCE	HABEAS CORPUS	CIVIL RIGHTS	MANDAMUS AND OTHER						
TOTAL ALL DISTRICTS	153,606	40,048	2,959	4,444	2,864	3,180	113	2,216	931	542	303	353	1,827	1,851	60	12,168	2,582	3,657
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	1,962	1,072	38	14	9	103	4	261	19	18	13	19	12	33	-	42	15	474
FIRST CIRCUIT....	16,791	2,307	157	52	144	175	1	92	27	13	3	12	120	170	-	956	124	261
MAINE.....	404	173	9	4	86	6	-	3	-	-	-	-	7	8	-	38	3	9
MASSACHUSETTS.....	13,324	1,102	115	46	41	117	1	68	22	8	2	9	88	121	-	170	93	201
NEW HAMPSHIRE.....	365	54	2	-	1	3	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	13	-	17	8	9
RHODE ISLAND.....	817	152	13	1	2	14	-	9	1	4	-	-	9	18	-	41	13	27
PUERTO RICO.....	1,881	826	18	1	14	35	-	11	4	1	1	3	16	10	-	690	7	15
SECOND CIRCUIT...	15,747	3,038	289	17	204	361	16	190	438	55	43	16	243	188	-	505	264	509
CONNECTICUT.....	2,035	361	29	2	31	33	1	34	13	21	7	1	18	34	-	47	38	52
NEW YORK NORTHERN...	786	205	22	3	22	29	3	7	-	-	1	2	22	23	-	21	30	20
NEW YORK EASTERN....	3,352	930	68	3	46	133	4	46	74	10	5	7	80	42	-	193	57	162
NEW YORK SOUTHERN...	8,092	1,113	129	2	45	129	8	79	42	18	27	5	107	45	-	185	86	206
NEW YORK WESTERN....	1,167	335	29	7	43	35	-	19	9	5	3	1	12	26	-	41	50	55
VERMONT.....	315	94	12	-	17	2	-	5	-	1	-	-	4	18	-	18	3	14
THIRD CIRCUIT....	11,957	2,439	147	120	146	226	7	154	84	35	20	22	118	150	-	787	185	238
DELAWARE.....	481	87	3	1	8	10	1	5	1	-	-	-	4	4	-	15	11	24
NEW JERSEY.....	2,968	715	76	39	97	93	3	47	20	1	4	6	59	48	-	86	55	81
PENNSYLVANIA EASTERN	4,217	594	28	13	14	93	2	71	41	3	1	2	23	27	-	156	44	76
PENNSYLVANIA MIDDLE.	1,207	577	23	42	12	5	-	7	3	30	13	13	8	20	-	371	15	15
PENNSYLVANIA WESTERN	1,873	432	11	25	14	24	1	28	17	1	2	1	21	47	-	159	49	37
VIRGIN ISLANDS.....	1,211	34	6	-	1	1	-	1	2	-	-	-	3	4	-	-	11	5
FOURTH CIRCUIT...	12,993	4,809	240	379	304	193	5	131	107	11	14	2	151	137	45	2,678	183	229
MARYLAND.....	2,314	581	50	61	28	47	2	26	26	1	6	-	19	22	-	156	83	54
NO. CAROLINA EASTERN	842	241	14	29	3	17	-	18	12	4	1	1	7	12	-	56	25	43
NO. CAROLINA MIDDLE.	820	210	7	63	5	10	1	8	17	-	-	-	10	16	-	54	8	11
NO. CAROLINA WESTERN	496	115	9	8	1	11	-	19	5	-	-	-	1	4	-	38	8	11
SOUTH CAROLINA.....	2,020	749	98	19	247	43	1	16	11	-	-	-	11	18	-	254	11	20
VIRGINIA EASTERN....	1,519	369	29	33	8	49	1	31	21	3	2	1	11	11	45	65	19	40
VIRGINIA WESTERN....	1,094	415	5	3	3	-	-	4	5	-	1	-	23	16	-	344	4	7
W. VIRGINIA NORTHERN	839	318	11	57	3	2	-	2	4	-	3	-	8	13	-	198	10	6
W. VIRGINIA SOUTHERN	3,349	1,811	17	106	6	13	-	7	6	3	1	-	61	25	-	1,513	15	38
FIFTH CIRCUIT....	33,734	7,318	620	1,936	335	519	23	446	180	105	59	68	257	299	5	1,492	540	434
ALABAMA NORTHERN....	1,563	443	18	23	5	25	-	27	4	-	1	-	5	9	-	269	38	19
ALABAMA MIDDLE.....	302	55	7	-	5	1	-	7	1	3	-	-	2	6	-	14	5	4
ALABAMA SOUTHERN....	440	65	7	-	2	5	-	5	5	-	1	-	-	6	-	26	4	4
FLORIDA NORTHERN....	351	84	6	2	21	8	-	5	1	1	3	2	2	2	-	13	9	9
FLORIDA MIDDLE.....	3,364	572	50	11	114	57	1	24	17	4	4	5	15	59	-	96	61	54
FLORIDA SOUTHERN....	3,750	2,049	60	1,694	52	30	3	17	26	6	3	6	23	37	-	33	43	31
GEORGIA NORTHERN....	2,480	484	17	5	18	33	3	54	20	22	30	24	25	10	-	157	31	35
GEORGIA MIDDLE.....	493	110	7	4	4	24	-	5	7	-	-	-	3	6	-	36	6	8
GEORGIA SOUTHERN....	804	135	15	5	6	34	-	12	2	1	1	-	4	2	-	39	3	11
LOUISIANA EASTERN...	5,370	392	41	1	42	81	-	27	14	3	1	1	22	22	4	57	41	35
LOUISIANA MIDDLE....	475	66	3	1	7	6	4	3	1	-	-	-	2	8	-	22	6	3
LOUISIANA WESTERN...	1,589	344	23	21	30	26	-	7	-	-	-	-	3	10	-	137	24	13
MISSISSIPPI NORTHERN	768	278	19	60	2	10	-	22	1	-	-	-	6	4	-	41	7	6
MISSISSIPPI SOUTHERN	1,133	307	89	8	11	22	1	27	2	-	-	-	5	4	-	115	10	13
TEXAS NORTHERN.....	2,850	550	92	-	7	33	3	60	21	18	3	5	23	30	1	96	108	50
TEXAS EASTERN.....	1,662	399	28	15	3	23	-	21	16	18	9	8	5	12	-	208	9	15
TEXAS SOUTHERN.....	4,442	685	73	25	15	56	5	77	30	8	2	10	79	36	-	87	90	92
TEXAS WESTERN.....	1,358	451	55	61	11	31	3	44	12	21	1	7	23	34	-	76	45	27
CANAL ZONE.....	520	38	10	-	-	14	-	2	-	-	-	-	5	2	-	-	-	5

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PRIVATE CASES																	
											PRISONER PETITIONS						
TOTAL PRIVATE CIVIL	CONTRACT	REAL PROPERTY	FELA[2]	MARINE PERSONAL INJURY	MOTOR VEHICLE PERSONAL INJURY	OTHER PERSONAL INJURY	OTHER TORT ACTIONS	ANTITRUST	CIVIL RIGHTS	COMMERCE	HABEAS CORPUS	CIVIL RIGHTS	MANDAMUS AND OTHER	COPYRIGHT PATENT TRADEMARK	LABOR SUITS	ALL OTHER	CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT
113,558	24,355	1,811	1,770	6,711	6,464	11,246	5,040	3,028	15,035	9,209	3,688	7,414	122	3,300	6,428	7,937	TOTAL ALL DISTRICTS
890	196	7	17	1	68	176	32	73	152	3	10	22	1	25	59	48	DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
14,484	1,505	206	79	444	374	916	180	116	852	8,537	118	264	10	168	369	346	FIRST CIRCUIT....
231	73	6	15	8	32	29	12	5	19	-	1	2	-	1	12	16	MAINE.....
12,222	924	25	62	311	201	530	75	90	599	8,491	95	144	1	143	270	261	MASSACHUSETTS.....
311	67	4	-	2	59	86	9	3	38	2	3	19	-	5	7	8	NEW HAMPSHIRE.....
665	158	9	2	22	45	88	52	9	100	-	8	85	-	14	32	35	RHODE ISLAND.....
1,055	283	162	-	101	37	183	27	9	96	44	11	14	9	5	48	26	PUERTO RICO.....
12,709	3,332	61	292	1,530	503	1,146	624	331	1,291	47	353	768	7	646	392	1,386	SECOND CIRCUIT...
1,674	303	16	8	13	87	173	314	39	348	3	41	102	2	71	56	98	CONNECTICUT.....
581	74	3	57	3	36	69	21	18	69	2	8	129	-	39	24	29	NEW YORK NORTHERN...
2,422	461	18	115	268	174	354	70	49	257	12	119	108	1	146	76	194	NEW YORK EASTERN....
6,979	2,326	14	56	1,231	148	419	188	195	436	27	109	299	-	345	188	998	NEW YORK SOUTHERN...
832	120	9	56	15	25	70	22	28	151	2	73	116	4	41	41	59	NEW YORK WESTERN....
221	48	1	-	-	33	61	9	2	30	1	3	14	-	4	7	8	VERMONT.....
9,518	2,031	178	262	427	975	1,399	306	261	1,090	47	151	465	6	315	554	1,051	THIRD CIRCUIT....
394	64	2	1	28	38	47	12	6	51	-	11	33	-	48	11	42	DELAWARE.....
2,253	599	22	14	56	264	276	45	57	298	15	67	158	4	133	129	116	NEW JERSEY.....
3,623	733	22	213	298	359	586	128	133	456	15	36	130	-	72	191	251	PENNSYLVANIA EASTERN
630	120	6	17	1	99	114	23	12	59	2	14	87	1	17	42	16	PENNSYLVANIA MIDDLE.
1,441	345	8	17	34	123	168	73	52	221	15	14	53	-	45	179	94	PENNSYLVANIA WESTERN
1,177	170	118	-	10	92	208	25	1	5	-	9	4	1	-	2	532	VIRGIN ISLANDS.....
8,185	1,524	109	152	214	736	820	366	114	1,167	35	585	900	5	171	993	294	FOURTH CIRCUIT...
1,434	308	20	16	46	88	108	41	46	296	11	102	224	3	29	40	56	MARYLAND.....
601	117	9	-	17	30	31	16	10	118	3	73	133	1	15	11	17	NO. CAROLINA EASTERN
610	93	3	2	-	18	32	67	6	161	1	56	51	-	40	48	32	NO. CAROLINA MIDDLE.
381	74	4	-	-	21	28	26	4	99	3	39	28	-	14	15	26	NO. CAROLINA WESTERN
1,271	380	32	1	8	265	203	69	18	116	6	24	56	-	37	13	43	SOUTH CAROLINA.....
1,150	218	7	24	104	86	135	40	14	125	5	116	155	-	16	49	56	VIRGINIA EASTERN....
679	117	5	24	-	81	65	45	3	98	1	38	112	-	12	57	21	VIRGINIA WESTERN....
521	46	11	11	4	36	34	11	3	45	-	99	117	1	2	89	12	W. VIRGINIA NORTHERN
1,538	171	18	74	35	111	184	51	10	109	5	38	24	-	6	671	31	W. VIRGINIA SOUTHERN
26,416	6,126	497	160	3,266	1,405	1,982	1,783	583	3,582	109	1,236	2,764	49	441	915	1,518	FIFTH CIRCUIT....
1,120	355	21	-	4	98	94	57	12	229	3	27	36	-	18	119	47	ALABAMA NORTHERN....
247	65	8	-	-	25	17	4	3	26	1	29	53	-	2	7	16	ALABAMA MIDDLE.....
375	105	16	-	51	11	14	23	3	39	-	21	54	-	9	12	10	ALABAMA SOUTHERN....
267	68	6	-	9	6	14	5	3	48	1	11	48	-	6	8	34	FLORIDA NORTHERN....
2,812	494	31	8	78	36	89	74	57	250	10	256	1,159	10	58	106	96	FLORIDA MIDDLE.....
1,701	621	22	1	69	12	69	58	115	124	26	71	80	1	78	184	170	FLORIDA SOUTHERN....
1,996	531	25	4	2	157	138	459	67	254	4	40	52	5	42	69	147	GEORGIA NORTHERN....
383	89	7	6	1	61	31	40	7	59	-	17	42	1	4	4	14	GEORGIA MIDDLE.....
669	147	3	3	11	58	69	62	5	80	2	26	180	5	8	6	4	GEORGIA SOUTHERN....
4,978	1,113	187	33	1,767	234	420	511	59	353	8	48	57	1	25	54	108	LOUISIANA EASTERN...
409	62	6	2	33	24	36	11	7	91	2	12	78	-	2	22	21	LOUISIANA MIDDLE....
1,325	221	22	13	432	122	110	59	10	160	3	40	23	3	17	35	55	LOUISIANA WESTERN...
590	150	15	2	18	91	46	46	1	147	-	18	31	2	7	7	9	MISSISSIPPI NORTHERN
826	221	19	6	26	131	139	40	7	170	-	19	12	-	7	15	14	MISSISSIPPI SOUTHERN
2,300	649	30	12	1	106	218	73	89	359	21	183	126	2	77	74	280	TEXAS NORTHERN.....
1,272	153	25	26	199	79	211	29	17	185	3	134	149	4	4	27	27	TEXAS EASTERN.....
3,757	829	36	31	507	61	163	156	86	769	19	219	514	14	56	135	162	TEXAS SOUTHERN.....
907	140	18	13	4	79	89	63	35	239	6	64	70	1	21	22	43	TEXAS WESTERN.....
482	113	-	-	54	16	15	13	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	9	261	CANAL ZONE.....

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CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	TOTAL CIVIL CASES	UNITED STATES CASES																	
		TOTAL U.S. CIVIL	CON-TRACT	LAND CONDEM-NATION	OTHER REAL PROP-ERTY	TORT ACTIONS	ANTI-TRUST	CIVIL RIGHTS	PRISONER PETITIONS				FORFEIT-URES AND PENAL-TIES	LABOR SUITS	NARA[1]	SOCIAL SECURITY	TAX SUITS	ALL OTHER
									MOTIONS TO VACATE SENTENCE	HABEAS CORPUS	CIVIL RIGHTS	MAN-DAMUS AND OTHER						
SIXTH CIRCUIT....	16,845	6,745	295	327	482	196	15	194	140	27	16	27	351	218	-	3,941	231	285
KENTUCKY EASTERN....	3,370	2,753	31	120	33	17	1	5	28	16	8	14	152	20	-	2,263	16	29
KENTUCKY WESTERN....	1,420	549	17	56	29	20	4	17	10	2	-	-	101	16	-	222	23	32
MICHIGAN EASTERN....	3,924	924	51	4	39	48	3	43	73	5	2	5	26	53	-	451	58	63
MICHIGAN WESTERN....	1,457	423	33	26	28	18	2	12	6	1	1	1	7	30	-	222	7	29
OHIO NORTHERN.....	2,511	669	42	16	157	37	4	42	3	2	2	1	17	32	-	209	58	47
OHIO SOUTHERN.....	1,988	730	29	12	181	30	1	30	5	-	-	3	12	38	-	340	27	22
TENNESSEE EASTERN...	562	207	8	20	4	8	-	4	1	-	-	-	16	6	-	114	12	14
TENNESSEE MIDDLE....	694	219	12	42	5	10	-	9	13	1	2	3	14	12	-	63	19	14
TENNESSEE WESTERN...	919	271	72	31	6	8	-	32	1	-	1	-	6	11	-	57	11	33
SEVENTH CIRCUIT..	10,217	2,337	218	213	366	159	6	154	53	113	66	40	92	163	-	266	210	218
ILLINOIS NORTHERN...	4,370	711	69	2	50	69	4	77	22	9	8	3	39	70	-	81	87	121
ILLINOIS EASTERN....	723	280	14	7	81	14	1	6	8	49	24	21	17	4	-	18	6	10
ILLINOIS SOUTHERN...	618	138	6	3	23	13	-	9	4	-	-	1	5	12	-	27	25	10
INDIANA NORTHERN....	1,333	354	36	118	45	15	-	14	14	2	2	-	9	19	-	45	15	20
INDIANA SOUTHERN....	1,363	285	22	9	52	24	-	17	3	26	12	5	11	11	-	61	11	21
WISCONSIN EASTERN...	1,019	281	61	-	38	16	1	27	2	-	-	3	7	23	-	22	54	27
WISCONSIN WESTERN...	791	288	10	74	77	8	-	4	-	27	20	7	4	24	-	12	12	9
EIGHTH CIRCUIT...	8,945	2,498	216	401	245	148	3	114	40	36	23	103	101	150	5	485	244	184
ARKANSAS EASTERN....	1,607	386	20	35	94	19	1	21	9	1	2	1	16	23	-	100	30	14
ARKANSAS WESTERN....	779	297	13	22	34	14	-	3	2	1	-	1	9	14	-	155	18	11
IOWA NORTHERN.....	284	58	3	4	3	6	-	-	7	-	-	-	3	5	-	11	13	6
IOWA SOUTHERN.....	627	139	19	-	13	11	-	6	3	2	-	-	5	15	-	31	18	16
MINNESOTA.....	1,654	348	43	11	18	18	1	13	3	12	13	4	21	40	-	57	54	40
MISSOURI EASTERN....	979	242	27	69	6	17	-	19	2	3	-	-	11	13	-	35	17	23
MISSOURI WESTERN....	1,673	629	37	208	19	22	1	32	5	12	8	95	19	23	5	69	24	40
NEBRASKA.....	725	187	20	19	25	14	-	10	2	1	-	-	6	13	-	11	53	13
NORTH DAKOTA.....	228	67	16	6	16	4	-	-	-	3	-	1	-	2	-	3	10	6
SOUTH DAKOTA.....	389	145	18	27	17	23	-	10	-	1	-	1	11	2	-	13	7	15
NINTH CIRCUIT....	18,197	5,884	582	738	456	999	27	341	94	70	27	32	334	265	-	833	445	641
ALASKA.....	496	193	19	27	34	39	-	7	1	-	-	-	8	8	-	1	5	44
ARIZONA.....	1,536	503	29	98	67	65	2	23	6	-	-	-	36	37	-	55	35	50
CALIFORNIA NORTHERN.	3,145	781	87	29	8	166	9	72	9	7	1	1	28	41	-	161	71	91
CALIFORNIA EASTERN..	1,462	695	52	80	95	174	1	26	8	2	3	2	19	42	-	98	37	56
CALIFORNIA CENTRAL..	4,399	1,238	144	10	29	265	9	79	30	36	5	4	106	57	-	226	112	126
CALIFORNIA SOUTHERN.	1,160	656	59	279	11	69	-	22	18	8	-	3	41	17	-	64	15	70
HAWAII.....	743	166	22	1	8	37	3	16	2	1	-	1	17	4	-	17	12	25
IDAHO.....	456	190	16	96	42	18	-	6	-	-	1	-	11	1	-	13	7	19
MONTANA.....	495	163	8	13	35	26	-	9	-	-	-	-	10	6	-	10	22	24
NEVADA.....	646	169	14	4	7	30	1	10	6	3	-	-	3	16	-	10	38	19
OREGON.....	1,241	339	13	32	25	31	1	23	9	4	5	-	18	15	-	103	27	33
WASHINGTON EASTERN..	488	173	22	48	27	10	-	4	-	-	1	1	3	2	-	37	9	19
WASHINGTON WESTERN..	1,690	595	105	60	67	58	1	43	5	9	11	20	28	18	-	57	52	61
GUAM.....	240	23	2	1	1	3	-	1	-	-	-	-	6	1	-	1	3	4
TENTH CIRCUIT....	6,218	1,621	157	247	173	101	6	139	49	61	19	12	48	78	5	181	141	184
COLORADO.....	1,457	304	50	24	12	20	2	35	6	-	1	1	27	12	1	29	38	46
KANSAS.....	1,817	479	54	120	32	28	1	16	20	46	11	10	4	34	3	29	30	41
NEW MEXICO.....	567	181	7	37	23	12	1	26	8	1	-	1	5	-	1	25	10	24
OKLAHOMA NORTHERN...	523	126	8	26	28	6	-	11	2	-	-	-	2	6	-	14	11	12
OKLAHOMA EASTERN....	266	83	8	4	15	5	-	2	-	1	-	-	2	5	-	30	4	7
OKLAHOMA WESTERN....	833	229	13	32	38	18	-	28	7	11	7	-	3	10	-	21	21	21
UTAH.....	580	159	12	1	16	11	2	19	2	1	-	-	4	11	-	29	24	27
WYOMING.....	175	40	6	3	9	1	-	2	4	1	-	-	1	-	-	4	3	6

1 CIVIL COMMITMENT UNDER THE NARCOTIC ADDICT REHABILITATION ACT OF 1966, PUBLIC LAW 89-793 APPROVED NOVEMBER 8, 1966.

2 FEDERAL EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY ACT, 45 USC 51.

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10,100	2,122	137	275	151	681	1,199	449	199	1,919	112	384	598	5	288	1,043	541	SIXTH CIRCUIT....
617	188	24	6	3	52	64	24	7	71	-	27	34	1	8	73	35	KENTUCKY EASTERN....
871	199	7	3	22	80	79	70	25	117	27	33	86	-	7	77	39	KENTUCKY WESTERN....
3,000	718	41	74	40	134	484	80	51	530	39	92	114	2	108	325	168	MICHIGAN EASTERN....
1,034	120	17	21	14	66	120	27	23	186	6	91	175	-	40	68	60	MICHIGAN WESTERN....
1,842	344	21	115	48	136	205	84	50	411	15	52	26	-	56	205	74	OHIO NORTHERN.....
1,258	219	8	53	8	50	75	89	21	289	7	41	95	2	29	181	91	OHIO SOUTHERN.....
355	94	4	-	2	76	55	15	2	52	2	7	14	-	4	20	8	TENNESSEE EASTERN...
475	82	3	-	5	37	59	32	4	103	1	35	20	-	26	42	26	TENNESSEE MIDDLE....
648	158	12	3	9	50	58	28	16	160	15	6	31	-	10	52	40	TENNESSEE WESTERN...
7,879	1,807	176	123	87	487	733	316	325	1,329	102	215	634	8	384	707	446	SEVENTH CIRCUIT..
3,658	981	62	44	47	118	164	130	238	650	70	84	221	1	225	361	262	ILLINOIS NORTHERN...
443	79	17	1	3	37	54	12	5	49	3	30	84	3	7	53	6	ILLINOIS EASTERN....
480	94	16	3	14	52	77	43	16	55	5	6	15	-	13	41	30	ILLINOIS SOUTHERN...
979	190	31	15	4	140	173	36	16	176	14	32	38	-	37	41	36	INDIANA NORTHERN....
1,078	265	43	54	9	92	157	51	16	172	3	5	9	2	32	119	49	INDIANA SOUTHERN....
738	143	4	6	9	30	72	30	28	137	6	29	73	-	53	71	47	WISCONSIN EASTERN...
503	55	3	-	1	18	36	14	6	90	1	29	194	2	17	21	16	WISCONSIN WESTERN...
6,447	1,470	84	160	37	552	836	325	214	1,074	79	219	386	22	158	382	449	EIGHTH CIRCUIT...
1,221	218	14	7	7	86	123	50	11	329	7	74	150	5	6	48	91	ARKANSAS EASTERN....
482	119	14	4	-	91	89	21	20	55	4	27	15	-	6	10	7	ARKANSAS WESTERN....
226	51	3	1	-	35	39	11	2	33	9	4	2	-	13	9	14	IOWA NORTHERN.....
488	121	7	11	1	49	67	15	11	66	6	16	38	-	19	33	20	IOWA SOUTHERN.....
1,306	294	20	68	14	87	184	57	66	159	20	6	35	-	60	66	170	MINNESOTA.....
737	189	2	1	10	66	91	50	18	138	4	13	18	6	14	80	37	MISSOURI EASTERN....
1,044	213	9	10	5	41	100	47	72	196	19	52	100	11	22	102	45	MISSOURI WESTERN....
538	129	7	37	-	55	74	52	8	58	10	18	25	-	8	27	30	NEBRASKA.....
161	61	2	17	-	13	24	9	4	12	2	-	1	-	4	1	14	NORTH DAKOTA.....
244	75	6	4	-	32	45	13	2	28	3	9	2	-	6	6	13	SOUTH DAKOTA.....
12,313	3,051	251	194	548	353	1,156	501	688	1,922	90	313	416	7	597	782	1,444	NINTH CIRCUIT....
303	119	4	2	7	8	30	29	3	21	4	2	5	-	-	59	10	ALASKA.....
1,033	285	18	12	7	62	86	23	80	195	9	13	46	-	29	55	113	ARIZONA.....
2,364	423	22	8	161	18	124	80	282	602	14	74	42	3	96	143	272	CALIFORNIA NORTHERN.
767	164	31	9	21	20	74	22	13	127	11	57	72	1	26	62	57	CALIFORNIA EASTERN..
3,161	673	21	83	110	23	413	81	139	365	20	76	65	1	331	197	563	CALIFORNIA CENTRAL..
504	129	7	1	48	5	14	21	25	56	3	12	7	1	18	26	131	CALIFORNIA SOUTHERN.
577	184	7	-	32	43	80	61	18	67	3	1	3	-	13	31	34	HAWAII.....
266	88	1	10	-	23	56	9	9	29	2	1	11	-	10	6	11	IDAHO.....
332	106	7	22	-	35	39	17	3	28	3	4	31	-	2	21	14	MONTANA.....
477	126	17	1	4	34	62	18	11	84	-	15	39	-	8	26	32	NEVADA.....
902	261	16	9	51	38	77	70	28	146	12	18	28	1	26	66	55	OREGON.....
315	67	9	12	1	15	25	15	23	35	-	22	55	-	5	14	17	WASHINGTON EASTERN..
1,095	361	20	25	106	26	65	46	54	165	9	11	12	-	32	76	87	WASHINGTON WESTERN..
217	65	71	-	-	3	11	9	-	2	-	7	-	-	1	-	48	GUAM.....
4,617	1,191	105	56	6	330	883	158	124	657	48	104	200	2	107	232	414	TENTH CIRCUIT....
1,153	361	20	22	1	67	102	20	31	221	24	15	47	-	28	81	113	COLORADO.....
1,338	240	18	11	1	88	496	50	21	156	11	10	47	2	28	75	84	KANSAS.....
386	75	20	1	1	42	43	22	2	77	2	29	31	-	8	9	24	NEW MEXICO.....
397	135	6	-	1	12	50	17	7	49	3	16	6	-	14	22	57	OKLAHOMA NORTHERN...
183	53	12	2	1	20	20	6	4	10	-	8	39	-	-	5	3	OKLAHOMA EASTERN....
604	199	18	1	-	61	101	28	14	70	3	19	13	-	17	11	49	OKLAHOMA WESTERN....
421	91	4	18	-	16	34	11	44	64	3	6	12	-	11	25	82	UTAH.....
135	37	5	1	1	24	37	4	1	10	2	1	5	-	1	4	2	WYOMING.....

TABLE C4. U.S. DISTRICT COURTS
CIVIL CASES TERMINATED, BY NATURE OF SUIT AND ACTION TAKEN
(LAND CONDEMNATION CASES OMITTED)
FOR THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

NATURE OF SUIT	TOTAL	NO COURT ACTION	COURT ACTION						
			TOTAL	BEFORE PRETRIAL	DURING OR AFTER PRETRIAL	DURING OR AFTER TRIAL			
						TOTAL	NON-JURY	JURY	PERCENT REACHING TRIAL
TOTAL CASES	115,484	45,230	70,254	43,505	17,702	9,047	5,531	3,516	7.8
UNITED STATES CASES	32,835	13,387	19,448	15,860	2,260	1,328	1,209	119	4.0
CONTRACT ACTIONS									
NEGOTIABLE INSTRUMENTS	1,097	781	316	238	62	16	12	4	1.5
RECOVERY OF OVERPAYMENTS AND ENFORCEMENT OF JUDGMENTS	601	379	222	198	18	6	6	-	1.0
OTHER CONTRACTS	1,709	1,058	651	431	157	63	54	9	3.7
REAL PROPERTY	3,495	2,381	1,114	909	127	78	72	6	2.2
TORT ACTIONS									
MARINE, PERSONAL INJURY	92	32	60	19	21	20	19	1	21.7
MOTOR VEHICLE, PERSONAL INJURY	557	235	322	122	121	79	73	6	14.2
OTHER PERSONAL INJURY	1,034	366	668	329	180	159	146	13	15.4
OTHER TORTS	396	211	185	108	52	25	22	3	6.3
ACTIONS UNDER STATUTES									
ANTITRUST	43	16	27	9	11	7	7	-	16.3
CIVIL RIGHTS	1,514	525	989	658	176	155	143	12	10.2
DEPORTATION	362	188	174	148	15	11	11	-	3.0
PRISONER PETITIONS									
MOTIONS TO VACATE SENTENCE	1,605	1	1,604	1,550	13	41	41	-	2.6
PAROLE COMMISSION REVIEW	292	-	292	279	5	8	7	1	2.7
PRISON OFFICIALS - HABEAS CORPUS	1,392	-	1,392	1,347	12	33	33	-	2.4
PRISON OFFICIALS - MANDAMUS, ETC.	484	-	484	415	64	5	5	-	1.0
CIVIL RIGHTS	435	1	434	408	10	16	16	-	3.7
LIQUOR FORFEITURES	18	7	11	7	2	2	1	1	11.1
OTHER FORFEITURE AND PENALTY SUITS	2,702	1,780	922	695	132	95	91	4	3.5
NARCOTIC ADDICT REHABILITATION ACT	110	63	47	47	-	-	-	-	-
FAIR LABOR STANDARDS ACT	1,348	889	459	224	195	40	40	-	3.0
OTHER LABOR LITIGATION	616	335	281	200	34	47	47	-	7.6
SELECTIVE SERVICE ACT	9	3	6	5	-	1	1	-	11.1
SOCIAL SECURITY LAWS	8,051	2,205	5,846	5,604	221	21	18	3	.3
TAX SUITS	1,881	674	1,207	622	365	220	168	52	11.7
ALL OTHER U.S. ACTIONS	2,992	1,257	1,735	1,288	267	180	176	4	6.0
FEDERAL QUESTION	50,474	18,026	32,448	21,177	7,415	3,856	2,790	1,066	7.6
CONTRACT ACTIONS									
MARINE	3,697	2,168	1,529	531	852	146	138	8	3.9
MILLER ACT	924	578	346	154	133	59	53	6	6.4
OTHER CONTRACTS	147	73	74	43	21	10	10	-	6.8
REAL PROPERTY	410	250	160	85	60	15	14	1	3.7
TORT ACTIONS									
EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY ACT	1,212	429	783	113	509	161	20	141	13.3
MARINE, PERSONAL INJURY	3,709	1,596	2,113	447	1,321	345	134	211	9.3
OTHER PERSONAL INJURY	146	70	76	39	25	12	1	11	8.2
OTHER TORTS	2,644	1,547	1,097	474	454	169	144	25	6.4
ACTIONS UNDER STATUTES									
BANKRUPTCY SUITS	424	246	178	76	75	27	23	4	6.4
ANTITRUST	1,361	542	819	352	307	160	90	70	11.8
CIVIL RIGHTS	9,205	3,262	5,943	3,011	1,625	1,307	931	376	14.2
PRISONER PETITIONS									
PRISON OFFICIALS - HABEAS CORPUS	6,887	3	6,884	6,569	104	211	209	2	3.1
PRISON OFFICIALS - MANDAMUS, ETC.	253	-	253	247	2	4	4	-	1.6
CIVIL RIGHTS	6,679	10	6,669	6,016	282	371	300	71	5.6
FAIR LABOR STANDARDS ACT	574	262	312	92	153	67	55	12	11.7
LABOR MANAGEMENT RELATIONS ACT	3,259	1,842	1,417	890	323	204	183	21	6.3
OTHER LABOR LITIGATION	870	368	502	292	133	77	67	10	8.9
COPYRIGHT	951	634	317	199	95	23	20	3	2.4
PATENT	874	454	420	178	148	94	85	9	10.8
TRADEMARK	790	509	281	153	84	44	43	1	5.6
ALL OTHER FEDERAL QUESTION	5,458	3,183	2,275	1,216	709	350	266	84	6.4

TABLE C4. U.S. DISTRICT COURTS
CIVIL CASES TERMINATED, BY NATURE OF SUIT AND ACTION TAKEN
(LAND CONDEMNATION CASES OMITTED)
FOR THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

NATURE OF SUIT	TOTAL	NO COURT ACTION	COURT ACTION						
			TOTAL	BEFORE PRETRIAL	DURING OR AFTER PRETRIAL	DURING OR AFTER TRIAL			
						TOTAL	NON-JURY	JURY	PERCENT REACHING TRIAL
DIVERSITY OF CITIZENSHIP	29,784	12,613	17,171	5,646	7,957	3,568	1,291	2,277	12.0
CONTRACT ACTIONS									
INSURANCE	2,896	1,214	1,682	603	752	327	172	155	11.3
NEGOTIABLE INSTRUMENTS	1,006	530	476	255	145	76	53	23	7.6
OTHER CONTRACTS	10,485	4,878	5,607	2,329	2,225	1,053	653	400	10.0
REAL PROPERTY	979	495	484	215	162	107	73	34	10.9
TORT ACTIONS									
MARINE, PERSONAL INJURY	1,258	488	770	125	525	120	44	76	9.5
MOTOR VEHICLE, PERSONAL INJURY	5,325	2,094	3,231	688	1,778	765	101	664	14.4
OTHER PERSONAL INJURY	6,621	2,410	4,211	1,158	2,104	949	130	819	14.3
OTHER TORTS	1,211	503	708	272	266	170	64	106	14.0
ALL OTHER DIVERSITY	3	1	2	1	-	1	1	-	33.3
LOCAL JURISDICTION	2,391	1,204	1,187	822	70	295	241	54	12.3
CONTRACTS ACTIONS	233	155	78	36	18	24	16	8	10.3
REAL PROPERTY	214	145	69	45	9	15	12	3	7.0
TORT ACTIONS									
MOTOR VEHICLE, PERSONAL INJURY	65	48	17	4	4	9	4	5	13.8
OTHER PERSONAL INJURY	118	76	42	15	3	24	8	16	20.3
OTHER TORTS	33	21	12	5	1	6	3	3	18.2
PRISONER PETITIONS									
PAROLE BOARD REVIEW	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
PRISON OFFICIALS - HABEAS CORPUS	6	-	6	6	-	-	-	-	-
PRISON OFFICIALS - MANDAMUS, ETC	3	-	3	2	-	1	1	-	33.3
DOMESTIC RELATIONS	1,038	359	679	459	30	190	174	16	18.3
INSANITY	51	38	13	2	-	11	10	1	21.6
SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-
SUITS INVOLVING LOCAL OFFICIALS	5	3	2	1	-	1	1	-	20.0
ALL OTHER LOCAL	624	359	265	246	5	14	12	2	2.2

TABLE C 4A U.S. DISTRICT COURTS
CIVIL CASES TERMINATED, BY DISTRICT AND ACTION TAKEN
(LAND CONDEMNATION CASES OMITTED)
FOR THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

DISTRICT AND CIRCUIT	TOTAL	NO COURT ACTION	COURT ACTION						
			TOTAL	BEFORE PRETRIAL	DURING OR AFTER PRETRIAL	DURING OR AFTER TRIAL			
						TOTAL	NON-JURY	JURY	PERCENT REACHING TRIAL
TOTAL ALL DISTRICTS..	115,484	45,230	70,254	43,505	17,702	9,047	5,531	3,516	7.8
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.	2,276	398	1,878	1,460	295	123	86	37	5.4
FIRST CIRCUIT.....	5,544	2,703	2,841	1,823	635	383	249	134	6.9
MAINE.....	271	119	152	50	90	12	7	5	4.4
MASSACHUSETTS.....	2,745	1,818	927	598	218	111	45	66	4.0
NEW HAMPSHIRE.....	367	64	303	127	127	49	23	26	13.4
RHODE ISLAND.....	458	101	357	206	15	136	123	13	29.7
PUERTO RICO.....	1,703	601	1,102	842	185	75	51	24	4.4
SECOND CIRCUIT....	11,288	5,011	6,277	3,194	2,289	794	448	346	7.0
CONNECTICUT.....	1,131	476	655	445	95	115	60	55	10.2
NEW YORK NORTHERN....	446	166	280	233	13	34	15	19	7.6
NEW YORK EASTERN.....	2,189	1,055	1,134	820	162	152	81	71	6.9
NEW YORK SOUTHERN....	6,698	3,066	3,632	1,314	1,899	419	272	147	6.3
NEW YORK WESTERN.....	552	164	388	247	109	32	9	23	5.8
VERMONT.....	272	84	188	135	11	42	11	31	15.4
THIRD CIRCUIT.....	12,054	4,419	7,635	4,375	2,119	1,141	633	508	9.5
DELAWARE.....	467	108	359	306	19	34	25	9	7.3
NEW JERSEY.....	2,720	1,290	1,430	733	469	228	142	86	8.4
PENNSYLVANIA EASTERN.	3,987	862	3,125	1,375	1,261	489	238	251	12.3
PENNSYLVANIA MIDDLE..	1,366	428	938	743	84	111	64	47	8.1
PENNSYLVANIA WESTERN.	1,599	662	937	548	243	146	82	64	9.1
VIRGIN ISLANDS.....	1,915	1,069	846	670	43	133	82	51	6.9
FOURTH CIRCUIT....	11,627	4,661	6,966	4,660	1,493	813	478	335	7.0
MARYLAND.....	1,812	380	1,432	1,019	317	96	62	34	5.3
NO. CAROLINA EASTERN.	479	204	275	226	29	20	11	9	4.2
NO. CAROLINA MIDDLE..	535	164	371	268	91	12	6	6	2.2
NO. CAROLINA WESTERN.	628	103	525	236	207	82	35	47	13.1
SOUTH CAROLINA.....	2,259	1,464	795	553	113	129	44	85	5.7
VIRGINIA EASTERN.....	2,620	794	1,826	1,060	484	282	186	96	10.8
VIRGINIA WESTERN.....	1,800	1,151	649	465	96	88	58	30	4.9
W. VIRGINIA NORTHERN.	379	68	311	211	31	69	58	11	18.2
W. VIRGINIA SOUTHERN.	1,115	333	782	622	125	35	18	17	3.1
FIFTH CIRCUIT.....	26,047	9,285	16,762	10,614	3,897	2,251	1,388	863	8.6
ALABAMA NORTHERN.....	1,630	314	1,316	842	278	196	87	109	12.0
ALABAMA MIDDLE.....	723	87	636	449	118	69	35	34	9.5
ALABAMA SOUTHERN.....	664	179	485	279	107	99	66	33	14.9
FLORIDA NORTHERN.....	531	107	424	372	31	21	12	9	4.0
FLORIDA MIDDLE.....	2,183	563	1,620	1,446	94	80	56	24	3.7
FLORIDA SOUTHERN.....	2,262	985	1,277	978	160	139	114	25	6.1
GEORGIA NORTHERN.....	2,313	1,020	1,293	1,071	103	119	56	63	5.1
GEORGIA MIDDLE.....	553	235	318	202	65	51	18	33	9.2
GEORGIA SOUTHERN.....	745	326	419	248	97	74	32	42	9.9
LOUISIANA EASTERN....	3,802	1,512	2,290	778	1,231	281	121	160	7.4
LOUISIANA MIDDLE.....	365	136	229	194	12	23	17	6	6.3
LOUISIANA WESTERN....	1,398	598	800	484	182	134	95	39	9.6
MISSISSIPPI NORTHERN.	514	195	319	185	77	57	28	29	11.1
MISSISSIPPI SOUTHERN.	940	504	436	200	132	104	58	46	11.1
TEXAS NORTHERN.....	2,309	837	1,472	923	292	257	163	94	11.1
TEXAS EASTERN.....	909	293	616	302	212	102	41	61	11.2
TEXAS SOUTHERN.....	2,570	925	1,645	862	584	199	166	33	7.7
TEXAS WESTERN.....	1,106	279	827	621	117	89	66	23	8.0
CANAL ZONE.....	530	190	340	178	5	157	157	-	29.6

TABLE C 4A U.S. DISTRICT COURTS
CIVIL CASES TERMINATED, BY DISTRICT AND ACTION TAKEN
(LAND CONDEMNATION CASES OMITTED)
FOR THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

DISTRICT AND CIRCUIT	TOTAL	NO COURT ACTION	COURT ACTION						
			TOTAL	BEFORE PRETRIAL	DURING OR AFTER PRETRIAL	DURING OR AFTER TRIAL			
						TOTAL	NON-JURY	JURY	PERCENT REACHING TRIAL
SIXTH CIRCUIT.....	11,617	3,616	8,001	4,728	2,351	922	554	368	7.9
KENTUCKY EASTERN.....	1,114	319	795	703	48	44	26	18	3.9
KENTUCKY WESTERN.....	624	188	436	292	127	17	6	11	2.7
MICHIGAN EASTERN.....	2,946	722	2,224	1,034	984	206	126	80	7.0
MICHIGAN WESTERN.....	585	222	363	236	81	46	21	25	7.9
OHIO NORTHERN.....	2,545	848	1,697	753	703	241	180	61	9.5
OHIO SOUTHERN.....	1,779	647	1,132	868	165	99	54	45	5.6
TENNESSEE EASTERN....	894	204	690	387	182	121	44	77	13.5
TENNESSEE MIDDLE.....	554	235	319	246	2	71	43	28	12.8
TENNESSEE WESTERN....	576	231	345	209	59	77	54	23	13.4
SEVENTH CIRCUIT...	8,583	3,470	5,113	3,196	1,453	464	302	162	5.4
ILLINOIS NORTHERN....	4,178	2,151	2,027	1,389	449	189	132	57	4.5
ILLINOIS EASTERN.....	602	184	418	238	114	66	45	21	11.0
ILLINOIS SOUTHERN....	417	133	284	165	105	14	4	10	3.4
INDIANA NORTHERN.....	716	213	503	285	157	61	28	33	8.5
INDIANA SOUTHERN.....	1,137	445	692	297	337	58	37	21	5.1
WISCONSIN EASTERN....	925	245	680	416	222	42	25	17	4.5
WISCONSIN WESTERN....	608	99	509	406	69	34	31	3	5.6
EIGHTH CIRCUIT....	7,012	2,561	4,451	2,880	865	706	425	281	10.1
ARKANSAS EASTERN.....	773	197	576	348	145	83	54	29	10.7
ARKANSAS WESTERN.....	403	157	246	104	67	75	46	29	18.6
IOWA NORTHERN.....	229	72	157	75	36	46	16	30	20.1
IOWA SOUTHERN.....	466	149	317	190	72	55	39	16	11.8
MINNESOTA.....	1,195	614	581	336	158	87	47	40	7.3
MISSOURI EASTERN.....	1,339	751	598	407	37	144	88	56	10.8
MISSOURI WESTERN.....	1,482	132	1,350	1,079	212	59	36	23	4.0
NEBRASKA.....	698	291	407	188	105	114	72	42	16.3
NORTH DAKOTA.....	181	84	97	63	17	17	14	3	9.4
SOUTH DAKOTA.....	246	114	132	90	16	26	13	13	10.6
NINTH CIRCUIT.....	13,998	7,498	6,500	4,677	1,006	817	564	253	5.8
ALASKA.....	283	96	187	104	64	19	16	3	6.7
ARIZONA.....	1,040	525	515	443	33	39	34	5	3.8
CALIFORNIA NORTHERN..	2,945	1,683	1,262	912	201	149	106	43	5.1
CALIFORNIA EASTERN...	840	334	506	464	25	17	13	4	2.0
CALIFORNIA CENTRAL...	4,231	2,590	1,641	1,321	125	195	159	36	4.6
CALIFORNIA SOUTHERN..	681	337	344	259	40	45	36	9	6.6
HAWAII.....	340	194	146	87	41	18	13	5	5.3
IDAHO.....	382	232	150	99	19	32	16	16	8.4
MONTANA.....	323	118	205	58	106	41	27	14	12.7
NEVADA.....	476	139	337	256	53	28	17	11	5.9
OREGON.....	1,081	598	483	173	155	155	75	80	14.3
WASHINGTON EASTERN...	256	76	180	140	12	28	10	18	10.9
WASHINGTON WESTERN...	1,005	515	490	348	104	38	32	6	3.8
GUAM.....	115	61	54	13	28	13	10	3	11.3
TENTH CIRCUIT.....	5,438	1,608	3,830	1,898	1,299	633	404	229	11.6
COLORADO.....	1,184	178	1,006	600	253	153	126	27	12.9
KANSAS.....	965	486	479	236	168	75	42	33	7.8
NEW MEXICO.....	681	206	475	191	173	111	75	36	16.3
OKLAHOMA NORTHERN....	513	149	364	191	121	52	24	28	10.1
OKLAHOMA EASTERN.....	399	73	326	176	97	53	36	17	13.3
OKLAHOMA WESTERN.....	1,018	235	783	364	305	114	66	48	11.2
UTAH.....	449	199	250	65	145	40	17	23	8.9
WYOMING.....	229	82	147	75	37	35	18	17	15.3

TABLE C 5. U.S. DISTRICT COURTS
TIME INTERVALS FROM FILING TO DISPOSITION OF CIVIL CASES TERMINATED, BY DISTRICT AND METHOD OF DISPOSITION. (EXCLUDES: LAND CONDEMNATION, PRISONER PETITIONS, AND DEPORTATION REVIEWS. INTERVALS SHOWN ARE FOR THE MEDIAN TIME AND FOR THE RANGE OF THE MIDDLE 80 PERCENT OF THE CASES.)
FOR THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	TOTAL CASES				NO COURT ACTION				COURT ACTION											
									BEFORE PRETRIAL				DURING OR AFTER PRETRIAL				TRIAL			
		TIME INTERVAL IN MONTHS*				TIME INTERVAL IN MONTHS*				TIME INTERVAL IN MONTHS*				TIME INTERVAL IN MONTHS*				TIME INTERVAL IN MONTHS*		
	NUMBER OF CASES	10 PERCENT LESS THAN	MEDIAN	10 PERCENT MORE THAN	NUMBER OF CASES	10 PERCENT LESS THAN	MEDIAN	10 PERCENT MORE THAN	NUMBER OF CASES	10 PERCENT LESS THAN	MEDIAN	10 PERCENT MORE THAN	NUMBER OF CASES	10 PERCENT LESS THAN	MEDIAN	10 PERCENT MORE THAN	NUMBER OF CASES	10 PERCENT LESS THAN	MEDIAN	10 PERCENT MORE THAN
TOTAL ALL DISTRICTS.	97,086	2	9	29	45,027	1	7	25	26,518	1	7	23	17,195	6	16	36	8,346	6	18	43
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	1,875	1	6	20	398	1	5	18	1,070	1	4	16	289	5	11	28	118	5	13	42
FIRST CIRCUIT....	5,146	2	16	43	2,698	1	16	44	1,507	2	12	37	625	9	21	46	316	6	22	50
MAINE.....	259	2	9	24	119	1	5	16	38	3	10	24	90	7	15	24	12	6	24	35
MASSACHUSETTS.....	2,636	5	26	48	1,815	5	27	46	502	3	18	48	212	22	38	54	107	17	37	55
NEW HAMPSHIRE.....	319	[illegible]	7	22	64	1	2	7	84	1	3	12	125	5	13	26	46	4	14	23
RHODE ISLAND.....	316	1	8	40	101	1	4	28	124	1	7	39	14	19	30	51	77	2	16	51
PUERTO RICO.....	1,616	1	10	27	599	1	4	13	759	3	11	29	184	9	18	34	74	6	19	36
SECOND CIRCUIT...	9,752	2	12	39	4,923	2	8	35	1,829	2	9	32	2,248	7	17	40	752	7	25	62
CONNECTICUT.....	855	2	14	41	475	1	10	27	188	1	11	29	93	11	28	49	99	15	36	72
NEW YORK NORTHERN...	332	2	14	39	166	2	15	31	125	2	9	33	13	1	44	63	28	12	25	48
NEW YORK EASTERN....	1,796	2	10	35	1,049	2	9	31	442	1	8	32	158	9	19	52	147	6	19	55
NEW YORK SOUTHERN...	6,146	2	12	40	2,985	1	8	40	880	2	10	34	1,873	7	17	38	408	6	24	60
NEW YORK WESTERN....	367	2	10	38	164	1	6	24	74	1	7	25	100	7	18	48	29	14	34	68
VERMONT.....	256	2	11	24	84	1	8	17	120	2	11	26	11	5	14	26	41	8	16	34
THIRD CIRCUIT....	10,651	2	10	29	4,382	1	8	26	3,151	2	8	23	2,066	5	14	33	1,052	3	17	39
DELAWARE.....	349	1	13	45	108	1	5	38	193	1	14	45	19	10	20	53	29	6	23	59
NEW JERSEY.....	2,371	2	11	35	1,263	2	9	27	451	2	7	25	448	10	24	42	209	2	21	46
PENNSYLVANIA EASTERN	3,643	2	9	24	854	1	4	16	1,093	2	8	20	1,242	5	12	25	454	5	16	36
PENNSYLVANIA MIDDLE.	991	2	12	22	428	1	7	19	393	3	14	21	79	8	16	34	91	3	14	33
PENNSYLVANIA WESTERN	1,397	1	8	23	660	1	5	16	366	3	8	18	235	6	15	31	136	7	18	35
VIRGIN ISLANDS.....	1,900	2	11	35	1,069	3	15	39	655	2	7	27	43	2	4	10	133	1	9	36
FOURTH CIRCUIT...	9,023	2	8	22	4,657	1	6	16	2,210	2	9	22	1,457	5	11	31	699	5	12	35
MARYLAND.....	1,378	2	8	23	380	1	4	13	598	2	8	22	307	6	12	24	93	9	19	45
NO. CAROLINA EASTERN	331	1	10	29	204	1	8	24	78	2	9	30	29	7	20	38	20	12	15	30
NO. CAROLINA MIDDLE.	361	2	8	30	163	1	5	17	96	1	9	25	90	5	15	37	12	13	32	62
NO. CAROLINA WESTERN	439	2	10	22	103	1	3	15	76	3	8	19	200	5	12	25	60	6	14	31
SOUTH CAROLINA.....	2,018	1	6	16	1,464	1	4	14	316	3	8	14	113	6	11	23	125	5	13	29
VIRGINIA EASTERN....	1,800	2	6	18	793	1	5	17	277	1	5	13	474	5	8	21	256	5	7	22
VIRGINIA WESTERN....	1,425	2	7	17	1,151	2	7	13	101	2	7	14	95	6	15	36	78	6	11	30
W. VIRGINIA NORTHERN	194	2	13	37	66	1	9	41	81	4	13	34	24	10	17	34	23	4	16	36
W. VIRGINIA SOUTHERN	1,077	2	16	34	333	1	12	35	587	6	15	23	125	16	28	59	32	4	30	76
FIFTH CIRCUIT....	21,130	2	9	25	9,265	1	7	21	5,946	1	7	20	3,828	7	15	32	2,091	6	16	34
ALABAMA NORTHERN....	1,389	1	8	19	314	1	5	15	605	1	7	17	278	5	10	22	192	5	11	27
ALABAMA MIDDLE.....	414	1	5	12	87	1	2	8	157	1	3	8	116	3	7	13	54	3	6	17
ALABAMA SOUTHERN....	440	2	6	15	179	1	4	9	92	1	4	9	106	7	10	18	63	5	9	18
FLORIDA NORTHERN....	348	1	5	19	107	1	4	13	191	1	5	14	29	7	15	26	21	5	17	34
FLORIDA MIDDLE.....	1,287	2	8	26	563	1	6	21	566	1	7	24	84	11	20	30	74	13	24	38
FLORIDA SOUTHERN....	1,904	1	5	14	983	1	4	11	630	1	5	12	157	5	10	18	134	6	10	25
GEORGIA NORTHERN....	1,767	1	9	23	1,016	1	8	20	543	1	8	21	97	9	20	34	111	8	17	29
GEORGIA MIDDLE.....	450	1	6	16	234	1	4	14	102	1	4	14	65	4	10	22	49	5	10	22
GEORGIA SOUTHERN....	580	2	9	20	326	2	8	21	100	2	7	16	96	6	10	21	58	6	12	19
LOUISIANA EASTERN...	3,660	3	12	28	1,511	2	9	23	646	1	7	19	1,224	9	18	33	279	11	21	37
LOUISIANA MIDDLE....	246	2	11	23	136	2	11	21	77	1	5	20	12	9	14	32	21	8	17	32
LOUISIANA WESTERN...	1,278	1	11	28	598	1	9	24	368	1	7	23	180	8	25	38	132	7	16	33
MISSISSIPPI NORTHERN	453	1	10	25	195	1	7	18	127	1	8	26	75	9	16	32	56	9	15	27
MISSISSIPPI SOUTHERN	905	1	8	21	503	1	5	15	169	2	7	20	130	5	14	26	103	7	18	28
TEXAS NORTHERN.....	1,878	2	12	27	837	1	10	23	512	2	9	21	290	6	16	34	239	8	19	37
TEXAS EASTERN.....	757	3	11	21	293	1	8	19	152	2	8	18	211	8	13	21	101	9	16	28
TEXAS SOUTHERN.....	2,053	3	14	35	915	2	10	29	406	2	10	25	562	9	21	40	170	15	28	56
TEXAS WESTERN.....	792	2	10	29	278	1	7	29	326	2	8	22	111	7	16	34	77	4	16	37
CANAL ZONE.....	529	1	7	18	190	1	5	17	177	1	2	14	5	6	14	45	157	6	9	20

TABLE C 5. U.S. DISTRICT COURTS
TIME INTERVALS FROM FILING TO DISPOSITION OF CIVIL CASES TERMINATED, BY DISTRICT AND METHOD OF DISPOSITION. (EXCLUDES: LAND CONDEMNATION, PRISONER PETITIONS, AND DEPORTATION REVIEWS. INTERVALS SHOWN ARE FOR THE MEDIAN TIME AND FOR THE RANGE OF THE MIDDLE 80 PERCENT OF THE CASES.)
FOR THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	TOTAL CASES				NO COURT ACTION				COURT ACTION											
									BEFORE PRETRIAL				DURING OR AFTER PRETRIAL				TRIAL			
		TIME INTERVAL IN MONTHS*				TIME INTERVAL IN MONTHS*				TIME INTERVAL IN MONTHS*				TIME INTERVAL IN MONTHS*				TIME INTERVAL IN MONTHS*		
	NUMBER OF CASES	10 PERCENT LESS THAN	MEDIAN	10 PERCENT MORE THAN	NUMBER OF CASES	10 PERCENT LESS THAN	MEDIAN	10 PERCENT MORE THAN	NUMBER OF CASES	10 PERCENT LESS THAN	MEDIAN	10 PERCENT MORE THAN	NUMBER OF CASES	10 PERCENT LESS THAN	MEDIAN	10 PERCENT MORE THAN	NUMBER OF CASES	10 PERCENT LESS THAN	MEDIAN	10 PERCENT MORE THAN
SIXTH CIRCUIT....	10,256	2	8	28	3,608	1	6	21	3,420	1	7	18	2,332	5	16	36	896	4	18	43
KENTUCKY EASTERN....	1,023	3	11	33	319	2	13	37	618	3	10	22	47	18	25	57	39	9	34	49
KENTUCKY WESTERN....	528	2	11	28	188	1	6	18	200	3	10	21	124	13	21	43	16	14	25	44
MICHIGAN EASTERN....	2,603	2	11	31	719	1	5	16	701	2	6	16	979	8	17	37	204	13	26	48
MICHIGAN WESTERN....	463	2	16	42	222	2	10	30	118	1	10	32	78	14	35	50	45	16	39	59
OHIO NORTHERN.....	2,364	1	6	25	844	1	4	15	583	1	4	13	699	4	13	31	238	3	13	37
OHIO SOUTHERN.....	1,570	2	7	24	646	1	6	19	663	2	6	19	165	7	16	36	96	10	18	38
TENNESSEE EASTERN...	787	1	5	14	204	1	3	10	281	1	5	11	181	3	7	17	121	2	9	20
TENNESSEE MIDDLE....	442	2	7	23	235	1	6	18	136	1	6	16	2	1	22	35	69	6	14	35
TENNESSEE WESTERN...	476	2	9	23	231	1	8	21	120	2	6	15	57	7	15	26	68	8	17	33
SEVENTH CIRCUIT..	7,251	2	8	31	3,450	2	6	21	1,979	2	7	25	1,398	7	18	40	424	9	25	67
ILLINOIS NORTHERN...	3,708	2	7	26	2,132	1	5	18	951	2	7	22	438	5	17	37	187	8	27	68
ILLINOIS EASTERN....	440	3	12	34	184	2	9	31	109	3	9	24	107	9	19	40	40	10	20	36
ILLINOIS SOUTHERN...	403	2	9	42	133	2	7	39	151	2	7	28	105	3	11	46	14	12	39	63
INDIANA NORTHERN....	665	3	16	34	213	2	8	30	236	2	10	28	156	15	26	38	60	13	27	37
INDIANA SOUTHERN....	1,017	2	8	26	444	2	5	16	179	3	6	23	337	7	14	31	57	9	18	33
WISCONSIN EASTERN...	725	2	12	39	245	1	7	23	232	1	6	31	210	8	21	43	38	17	34	62
WISCONSIN WESTERN...	293	2	8	38	99	1	7	20	121	2	8	26	45	7	23	58	28	1	10	73
EIGHTH CIRCUIT...	5,420	2	10	30	2,560	1	7	23	1,524	1	7	23	712	9	20	38	624	7	19	40
ARKANSAS EASTERN....	544	2	14	35	197	1	8	28	172	2	10	28	114	12	24	42	61	11	26	43
ARKANSAS WESTERN....	356	2	15	33	157	1	7	20	74	2	14	29	67	11	21	34	58	14	24	43
IOWA NORTHERN.....	204	2	11	30	72	1	6	19	50	2	4	14	36	9	18	28	46	15	23	39
IOWA SOUTHERN.....	358	1	11	33	149	1	6	16	96	1	8	19	68	14	22	37	45	4	29	45
MINNESOTA.....	1,064	2	12	34	614	2	10	31	205	1	6	25	158	11	21	48	87	12	25	44
MISSOURI EASTERN....	1,148	1	6	16	751	1	5	14	223	1	4	9	37	3	9	21	137	5	12	26
MISSOURI WESTERN....	776	1	9	29	132	1	6	21	498	1	7	22	94	9	21	38	52	6	20	39
NEBRASKA.....	600	2	12	26	291	1	9	22	109	2	7	21	105	12	18	29	95	10	18	28
NORTH DAKOTA.....	167	1	8	23	83	1	5	18	50	2	9	17	17	6	16	25	17	11	17	35
SOUTH DAKOTA.....	203	2	12	39	114	1	9	32	47	2	10	34	16	10	27	45	26	9	19	45
NINTH CIRCUIT....	11,988	2	9	29	7,478	1	7	25	2,720	2	8	26	997	8	19	40	793	10	21	47
ALASKA.....	257	1	10	30	96	1	4	19	78	1	8	26	64	7	20	35	19	1	22	42
ARIZONA.....	809	1	7	33	524	1	6	25	219	1	8	29	32	19	33	60	34	6	33	60
CALIFORNIA NORTHERN.	2,546	2	9	29	1,681	2	7	24	525	2	8	26	200	9	18	40	140	9	22	48
CALIFORNIA EASTERN..	610	2	12	37	334	2	12	37	234	2	12	32	25	9	29	54	17	12	21	39
CALIFORNIA CENTRAL..	3,634	1	8	27	2,576	1	7	25	741	1	7	24	124	7	15	43	193	8	21	52
CALIFORNIA SOUTHERN.	592	1	8	28	337	1	7	22	170	1	4	20	40	11	25	41	45	13	22	49
HAWAII.....	331	1	13	31	194	1	10	30	78	1	9	29	41	12	24	42	18	5	19	28
IDAHO.....	357	2	10	29	232	1	6	26	76	4	13	31	17	11	18	32	32	11	20	55
MONTANA.....	313	2	11	28	118	1	7	22	48	1	8	24	106	7	16	29	41	6	17	37
NEVADA.....	363	2	12	31	139	1	12	28	148	2	8	24	50	13	20	39	26	9	19	37
OREGON.....	1,010	2	11	26	596	2	8	20	106	3	11	32	154	8	16	33	154	10	19	37
WASHINGTON EASTERN..	190	2	11	30	76	2	8	25	76	1	10	24	12	11	17	43	26	13	27	39
WASHINGTON WESTERN..	870	2	10	28	514	1	8	27	215	2	8	26	104	7	19	37	37	11	26	38
GUAM.....	106	5	30	50	61	1	24	50	6	1	16	49	28	18	34	48	11	17	39	54
TENTH CIRCUIT....	4,594	2	8	23	1,608	1	5	16	1,162	1	6	18	1,243	6	12	29	581	7	16	31
COLORADO.....	1,090	2	10	26	178	1	3	14	512	1	7	20	251	8	17	31	149	10	21	33
KANSAS.....	779	2	12	36	486	1	8	26	76	4	12	29	152	11	21	43	65	15	27	46
NEW MEXICO.....	537	2	7	15	206	1	4	11	90	1	5	14	140	5	10	17	101	6	12	19
OKLAHOMA NORTHERN...	461	2	7	19	149	1	4	7	139	1	7	15	121	6	12	25	52	7	14	24
OKLAHOMA EASTERN....	293	1	7	17	73	1	3	10	88	2	5	12	97	6	12	17	35	7	16	23
OKLAHOMA WESTERN....	818	2	7	18	235	1	4	9	170	1	4	11	305	5	9	21	108	5	12	23
UTAH.....	428	2	9	21	199	1	4	14	52	3	11	18	141	6	13	29	36	7	16	22
WYOMING.....	188	2	8	17	82	1	6	13	35	2	4	14	36	5	10	18	35	7	11	19

* TIME INTERVAL COMPUTED ONLY WHERE THERE ARE 25 OR MORE CASES.

TABLE C 5A. U.S.DISTRICT COURTS
TIME INTERVALS FROM FILING TO DISPOSITION OF CIVIL CASES TERMINATED, BY NATURE OF SUIT AND METHOD OF DISPOSITION. (EXCLUDES: LAND CONDEMNATION, PRISONER PETITIONS, AND DEPORTATION REVIEWS. INTERVALS SHOWN ARE FOR THE MEDIAN TIME AND FOR THE RANGE OF THE MIDDLE 80 PERCENT OF THE CASES.)
FOR THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

NATURE OF SUIT	TOTAL CASES				NO COURT ACTION				COURT ACTION											
									BEFORE PRETRIAL				DURING OR AFTER PRETRIAL				TRIAL			
		TIME INTERVAL IN MONTHS*				TIME INTERVAL IN MONTHS*				TIME INTERVAL IN MONTHS*				TIME INTERVAL IN MONTHS*				TIME INTERVAL IN MONTHS*		
	NUMBER OF CASES	10 PERCENT LESS THAN	MEDIAN	10 PERCENT MORE THAN	NUMBER OF CASES	10 PERCENT LESS THAN	MEDIAN	10 PERCENT MORE THAN	NUMBER OF CASES	10 PERCENT LESS THAN	MEDIAN	10 PERCENT MORE THAN	NUMBER OF CASES	10 PERCENT LESS THAN	MEDIAN	10 PERCENT MORE THAN	NUMBER OF CASES	10 PERCENT LESS THAN	MEDIAN	10 PERCENT MORE THAN
TOTAL CASES	97,086	2	9	29	45,027	1	7	25	26,518	1	7	23	17,195	6	16	36	8,346	6	18	43
UNITED STATES CASES	28,265	1	7	22	13,197	1	5	18	11,713	2	8	21	2,141	6	15	39	1,214	3	16	42
CONTRACT ACTIONS																				
NEGOTIABLE INSTRUMENTS	1,097	1	4	21	781	1	3	15	238	1	4	20	62	7	22	49	16	8	24	46
RECOVERY OF OVERPAYMENTS AND ENFORCEMENT OF JUDGMENTS	601	1	4	14	379	1	4	13	198	1	3	12	18	4	16	23	6	9	21	26
OTHER CONTRACTS	1,709	1	5	26	1,058	1	3	19	431	1	6	26	157	5	19	45	63	1	15	35
REAL PROPERTY	3,495	1	4	15	2,381	1	4	13	909	1	6	17	127	4	12	34	78	3	11	52
TORT ACTIONS																				
MARINE, PERSONAL INJURY	92	4	14	27	32	2	12	24	19	3	12	19	21	7	15	26	20	9	17	28
MOTOR VEHICLE, PERSONAL 95IURY	557	2	10	25	235	2	8	19	122	1	5	17	121	6	14	30	79	6	15	32
OTHER PERSONAL INJURY	1,034	2	13	35	366	2	11	28	329	2	7	23	180	8	17	37	159	9	20	47
OTHER TORTS	396	1	8	37	211	1	6	23	108	1	7	28	52	5	15	48	25	5	19	93
ACTIONS UNDER STATUTES																				
ANTITRUST	43	1	22	53	14	2	32	53	9	1	10	36	11	2	22	41	7	1	23	38
CIVIL RIGHTS	1,514	1	8	26	527	1	7	22	658	1	6	22	176	6	16	34	155	5	14	41
LIQUOR FORFEITURES	18	1	12	36	7	1	15	17	7	1	11	13	2	1	25	33	2	1	12	49
OTHER FORFEITURE AND PENALTY SUITS.	2,702	1	4	17	1,780	1	3	14	695	1	4	16	132	5	13	31	95	2	9	26
NARCOTIC ADDICT REHABILITATION ACT.	110	1	5	18	63	1	8	18	47	1	2	6	–	1	1	1	–	1	1	1
FAIR LABOR STANDARDS ACT	1,348	1	7	23	889	1	5	18	224	1	6	22	195	6	15	36	40	8	18	40
OTHER LABOR LITIGATION	616	1	5	18	335	1	5	16	200	1	4	18	34	1	7	29	47	1	9	20
SELECTIVE SERVICE ACT	9	1	1	8	3	1	1	8	5	1	1	7	–	1	1	1	1	1	16	16
SOCIAL SECURITY LAWS	8,051	3	9	20	2,205	3	7	15	5,604	4	10	20	221	5	12	30	21	3	9	28
TAX SUITS	1,885	1	11	37	678	1	7	30	622	1	6	27	365	9	20	48	220	6	21	49
ALL OTHER U.S. ACTIONS	2,988	1	6	23	1,253	1	5	21	1,288	1	7	20	267	5	13	34	180	1	10	40
FEDERAL QUESTION	36,655	2	10	33	18,013	1	8	30	8,345	1	7	26	7,027	6	16	37	3,270	6	18	46
CONTRACT ACTIONS																				
MARINE	3,697	2	10	27	2,168	1	7	22	531	2	7	24	852	7	16	32	146	7	20	51
MILLER ACT	924	2	8	26	578	2	6	24	154	2	8	19	133	6	14	33	59	6	15	34
OTHER CONTRACTS	147	2	7	20	73	1	6	16	43	2	7	15	21	4	14	24	10	3	13	47
REAL PROPERTY	410	2	8	22	250	2	7	19	85	4	8	23	60	8	15	28	15	10	20	37
TORT ACTIONS																				
EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY ACT	1,212	4	13	30	429	2	11	26	113	2	7	24	509	7	14	31	161	7	17	45
MARINE, PERSONAL INJURY	3,709	3	14	33	1,596	2	10	29	447	1	9	26	1,321	9	18	36	345	11	21	39
OTHER PERSONAL INJURY	146	1	8	39	70	1	3	26	39	1	9	36	25	7	23	49	12	5	19	65
OTHER TORTS	2,644	2	9	26	1,547	2	7	22	474	2	9	24	454	6	15	32	169	7	18	44
ACTIONS UNDER STATUTES																				
BANKRUPTCY SUITS	842	1	4	26	489	1	4	21	223	1	3	19	80	4	17	46	50	1	7	37
ANTITRUST	1,361	3	16	52	542	2	10	45	352	2	11	43	307	8	21	47	160	15	44	68
CIVIL RIGHTS	9,205	1	10	30	3,262	1	7	24	3,011	1	6	25	1,625	5	15	36	1,307	6	16	36
FAIR LABOR STANDARDS ACT	574	2	10	28	262	2	8	26	92	2	7	30	153	6	13	27	67	7	16	33
LABOR MANAGEMENT RELATIONS ACT	3,259	1	7	24	1,842	1	5	19	890	1	7	25	323	5	14	35	204	2	14	42
OTHER LABOR LITIGATION	870	1	8	21	368	1	5	16	292	2	7	21	133	5	12	25	77	6	15	25
COPYRIGHT	951	2	6	20	634	1	5	15	199	2	6	20	95	4	12	32	23	5	17	51
PATENT	874	2	13	45	454	2	9	28	178	3	9	32	148	6	19	44	94	16	38	69
TRADEMARK	790	1	6	21	509	1	5	16	153	1	5	15	84	5	13	28	44	4	16	39
ALL OTHER FEDERAL QUESTION	5,040	2	15	44	2,940	2	17	44	1,069	1	8	35	704	6	19	46	327	6	20	53
DIVERSITY OF CITIZENSHIP	29,784	2	11	31	12,613	2	8	25	5,646	2	7	24	7,957	6	15	34	3,568	7	19	41
CONTRACT ACTIONS																				
INSURANCE	2,896	2	9	27	1,214	2	7	22	603	2	7	21	752	6	13	31	327	6	16	40
NEGOTIABLE INSTRUMENTS	1,006	2	9	25	530	2	7	19	255	2	7	22	145	5	15	31	76	8	20	38
OTHER CONTRACTS	10,485	2	10	32	4,878	1	7	24	2,329	2	7	24	2,225	6	16	37	1,053	8	20	46
REAL PROPERTY	979	2	8	26	495	1	5	19	215	1	6	23	162	6	16	37	107	4	18	33
TORT ACTIONS																				
MARINE, PERSONAL INJURY	1,258	5	14	32	488	3	11	24	125	3	12	41	525	7	17	33	120	8	20	38
MOTOR VEHICLE, PERSONAL INJURY	5,325	3	11	30	2,094	2	9	26	688	1	7	25	1,778	6	14	32	765	6	16	38
OTHER PERSONAL INJURY	6,621	3	13	32	2,410	2	9	26	1,158	2	8	25	2,104	7	16	35	949	7	19	39
OTHER TORTS	1,211	2	11	28	503	2	9	26	272	2	7	20	266	6	16	33	170	7	18	37
ALL OTHER DIVERSITY	3	21	36	38	1	21	38	38	1	21	21	21	–	21	21	21	1	21	36	36
LOCAL JURISDICTION	2,382	1	9	35	1,204	2	13	40	814	1	6	26	70	2	8	46	294	1	9	31
CONTRACT ACTIONS	233	2	16	47	155	2	16	45	36	2	13	31	18	6	32	47	24	2	20	48
REAL PROPERTY	214	2	9	37	145	2	9	30	45	3	6	34	9	3	11	46	15	3	32	51
TORT ACTIONS																				
MOTOR VEHICLE, PERSONAL INJURY	69	4	17	37	50	4	17	46	4	1	1	13	4	1	29	34	11	14	21	36
OTHER PERSONAL INJURY	118	7	20	44	76	5	19	38	15	7	19	28	3	1	19	57	24	12	24	51
OTHER TORTS	29	4	21	36	19	3	17	33	5	4	26	49	1	2	50	50	4	2	22	32
DOMESTIC RELATIONS	1,038	1	6	22	359	2	10	29	459	1	4	13	30	2	4	7	190	1	8	15
INSANITY	51	1	4	17	38	2	5	17	2	1	2	112	–	1	1	1	11	1	1	3
SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE	1	39	39	39	–	39	39	39	1	39	39	39	–	39	39	39	–	39	39	39
SUITS INVOLVING LOCAL OFFICIALS	5	9	35	60	3	9	35	51	1	9	9	9	–	9	9	9	1	9	60	60
ALL OTHER LOCAL	624	3	14	49	359	4	17	64	246	1	11	33	5	7	12	48	14	3	13	30

* TIME INTERVAL COMPUTED ONLY WHERE THERE ARE 25 OR MORE CASES.

TABLE C 58. U.S. DISTRICT COURTS.
TIME INTERVALS FROM FILING TO DISPOSITION OF CIVIL CASES TERMINATED, BY NATURE OF SUIT AND METHOD OF DISPOSITION. (FOR LAND CONDEMNATION CASES, PRISONER PETITIONS AND DEPORTATION REVIEWS. INTERVALS SHOWN ARE FOR THE MEDIAN TIME AND FOR THE RANGE OF THE MIDDLE 80 PERCENT OF THE CASES.)
FOR THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

NATURE OF SUIT	TOTAL CASES				NO COURT ACTION				COURT ACTION											
									BEFORE PRETRIAL				DURING OR AFTER PRETRIAL				TRIAL			
		TIME INTERVAL IN MONTHS*				TIME INTERVAL IN MONTHS*				TIME INTERVAL IN MONTHS*				TIME INTERVAL IN MONTHS*				TIME INTERVAL IN MONTHS*		
	NUMBER OF CASES	10 PERCENT LESS THAN	MEDIAN	10 PERCENT MORE THAN	NUMBER OF CASES	10 PERCENT LESS THAN	MEDIAN	10 PERCENT MORE THAN	NUMBER OF CASES	10 PERCENT LESS THAN	MEDIAN	10 PERCENT MORE THAN	NUMBER OF CASES	10 PERCENT LESS THAN	MEDIAN	10 PERCENT MORE THAN	NUMBER OF CASES	10 PERCENT LESS THAN	MEDIAN	10 PERCENT MORE THAN
TOTAL CASES	20,064	1	3	21	1,869	3	12	32	16,987	1	3	17	507	2	13	39	701	2	11	32
UNITED STATES CASES	6,185	1	4	18	1,805	3	12	32	4,147	1	2	11	119	1	4	22	114	2	8	26
LAND CONDEMNATION	1,615	3	12	32	1,615	3	12	32	-	1	1	1	-	1	1	1	-	1	1	1
ACTIONS UNDER STATUTES																				
DEPORTATION	362	1	4	18	188	1	3	17	148	1	6	18	15	1	9	19	11	1	6	8
PRISONER PETITIONS																				
MOTIONS TO VACATE SENTENCE	1,605	1	2	11	1	1	9	9	1,550	1	2	10	13	1	21	27	41	2	7	25
PAROLE COMMISSION REVIEW	292	1	4	16	-	1	1	1	279	1	4	15	5	1	2	18	8	5	10	22
PRISON OFFICIALS - HABEAS CORPUS	1,392	1	2	10	-	1	1	1	1,347	1	2	8	12	2	6	22	33	1	6	19
PRISON OFFICIALS - MANDAMUS, ETC.	484	1	2	9	-	1	1	1	415	1	1	9	64	1	3	8	5	2	20	26
CIVIL RIGHTS	435	1	3	20	1	1	3	3	408	1	2	17	10	1	6	31	16	2	10	36
FEDERAL QUESTION	13,855	1	3	21	49	1	9	39	12,832	1	3	20	388	4	16	40	586	2	12	33
LAND CONDEMNATION	36	1	9	29	36	1	9	29	-	1	1	1	-	1	1	1	-	1	1	1
ACTIONS UNDER STATUTES																				
PRISONER PETITIONS																				
PRISON OFFICIALS - HABEAS CORPUS	6,887	1	3	15	3	1	8	23	6,569	1	2	14	104	3	9	25	211	3	12	29
PRISON OFFICIALS - MANDAMUS, ETC.	253	1	2	49	-	1	1	1	247	1	2	38	2	1	11	33	4	1	42	67
CIVIL RIGHTS	6,679	1	4	29	10	1	11	39	6,036	1	3	26	282	4	18	45	371	2	12	35
DIVERSITY OF CITIZENSHIP	12	-	-	-	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LAND CONDEMNATION	12	1	5	19	12	1	5	19	-	1	1	1	-	1	1	1	-	1	1	1
LOCAL JURISDICTION	12	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
LAND CONDEMNATION	3	17	37	55	3	17	37	55	-	17	17	17	-	17	17	17	-	17	17	17
PRISONER PETITIONS																				
PAROLE BOARD REVIEW																				
PRISON OFFICIALS - HABEAS CORPUS	6	1	5	13	-	1	1	1	6	1	5	13	-	1	1	1	-	1	1	1
PRISON OFFICIALS - MANDAMUS, ETC	3	1	34	37	-	1	1	1	2	1	1	37	-	1	1	1	1	1	34	34

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TABLE C 6A. U.S. DISTRICT COURTS
CIVIL CASES PENDING, BY DISTRICT AND LENGTH OF TIME PENDING
(LAND CONDEMNATION CASES ARE OMITTED)
AS OF JUNE 30, 1977

CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	TOTAL	LENGTH OF TIME PENDING				
		LESS THAN 1 YEAR	1 TO 2 YEARS	2 TO 3 YEARS	3 YEARS AND OVER	
					NUMBER	PERCENT*
TOTAL ALL DISTRICTS..	149,035	83,013	37,425	16,762	11,835	7.9
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.	1,948	1,181	472	132	163	8.4
FIRST CIRCUIT.....	16,734	5,828	5,010	3,306	2,590	15.5
MAINE.....	400	288	76	27	9	-
MASSACHUSETTS.....	13,275	3,522	4,278	3,073	2,402	18.1
NEW HAMPSHIRE.....	365	263	80	20	2	-
RHODE ISLAND.....	814	459	229	85	41	5.0
PUERTO RICO.....	1,880	1,296	347	101	136	7.2
SECOND CIRCUIT....	15,728	8,133	4,011	1,923	1,661	10.6
CONNECTICUT.....	2,032	1,028	504	280	220	10.8
NEW YORK NORTHERN....	783	362	227	93	101	12.9
NEW YORK EASTERN.....	3,348	1,733	887	349	379	11.3
NEW YORK SOUTHERN....	8,090	4,305	2,042	1,019	724	8.9
NEW YORK WESTERN.....	1,160	491	273	161	235	20.3
VERMONT.....	315	214	78	21	2	-
THIRD CIRCUIT.....	11,834	7,386	2,791	940	717	6.1
DELAWARE.....	480	273	115	56	36	7.5
NEW JERSEY.....	2,929	1,759	727	257	186	6.4
PENNSYLVANIA EASTERN.	4,204	2,896	872	239	197	4.7
PENNSYLVANIA MIDDLE..	1,165	790	306	56	13	-
PENNSYLVANIA WESTERN.	1,848	1,088	413	189	158	8.5
VIRGIN ISLANDS.....	1,208	580	358	143	127	10.5
FOURTH CIRCUIT....	12,611	7,631	3,039	1,243	698	5.5
MARYLAND.....	1,952	1,266	415	162	109	5.6
NO. CAROLINA EASTERN.	812	451	213	84	64	7.9
NO. CAROLINA MIDDLE..	757	442	193	79	43	5.7
NO. CAROLINA WESTERN.	488	315	120	40	13	-
SOUTH CAROLINA.....	2,000	1,508	350	85	57	2.9
VIRGINIA EASTERN.....	1,486	1,184	192	73	37	2.5
VIRGINIA WESTERN.....	1,091	814	174	64	39	3.6
W. VIRGINIA NORTHERN.	782	410	242	88	42	5.4
W. VIRGINIA SOUTHERN.	3,243	1,241	1,140	568	294	9.1
FIFTH CIRCUIT.....	31,785	18,996	7,778	3,094	1,917	6.0
ALABAMA NORTHERN.....	1,536	1,022	296	138	80	5.2
ALABAMA MIDDLE.....	302	251	26	11	14	-
ALABAMA SOUTHERN.....	440	346	59	21	14	-
FLORIDA NORTHERN.....	349	263	65	18	3	-
FLORIDA MIDDLE.....	3,372	1,668	822	444	438	13.0
FLORIDA SOUTHERN.....	2,056	1,537	383	99	37	1.8
GEORGIA NORTHERN.....	2,475	1,471	600	281	123	5.0
GEORGIA MIDDLE.....	485	368	80	27	10	-
GEORGIA SOUTHERN.....	799	486	141	86	86	10.8
LOUISIANA EASTERN....	5,366	3,233	1,346	531	256	4.8
LOUISIANA MIDDLE.....	474	305	93	38	38	8.0
LOUISIANA WESTERN....	1,568	910	445	153	60	3.8
MISSISSIPPI NORTHERN.	708	428	206	53	21	-
MISSISSIPPI SOUTHERN.	1,124	765	274	57	28	2.5
TEXAS NORTHERN.....	2,850	1,627	811	269	143	5.0
TEXAS EASTERN.....	1,647	1,039	452	100	56	3.4
TEXAS SOUTHERN.....	4,417	2,181	1,290	567	379	8.6
TEXAS WESTERN.....	1,297	760	303	133	101	7.8
CANAL ZONE.....	520	336	86	68	30	5.8

TABLE C 6A. U.S. DISTRICT COURTS
CIVIL CASES PENDING, BY DISTRICT AND LENGTH OF TIME PENDING
(LAND CONDEMNATION CASES ARE OMITTED)
AS OF JUNE 30, 1977

CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	TOTAL	LENGTH OF TIME PENDING				
		LESS THAN 1 YEAR	1 TO 2 YEARS	2 TO 3 YEARS	3 YEARS AND OVER	
					NUMBER	PERCENT*
SIXTH CIRCUIT.....	16,513	9,477	4,415	1,663	958	5.8
KENTUCKY EASTERN.....	3,249	1,381	1,349	401	118	3.6
KENTUCKY WESTERN.....	1,364	785	338	169	72	5.3
MICHIGAN EASTERN.....	3,917	2,400	906	359	252	6.4
MICHIGAN WESTERN.....	1,431	631	429	227	144	10.1
OHIO NORTHERN.....	2,495	1,547	589	223	136	5.5
OHIO SOUTHERN.....	1,975	1,291	440	169	75	3.8
TENNESSEE EASTERN....	542	480	54	7	1	-
TENNESSEE MIDDLE.....	652	384	116	39	113	17.3
TENNESSEE WESTERN....	888	578	194	69	47	5.3
SEVENTH CIRCUIT...	10,003	5,880	2,304	1,050	769	7.7
ILLINOIS NORTHERN....	4,367	2,752	954	423	238	5.4
ILLINOIS EASTERN.....	716	451	159	49	57	8.0
ILLINOIS SOUTHERN....	615	338	148	76	53	8.6
INDIANA NORTHERN.....	1,215	609	291	153	162	13.3
INDIANA SOUTHERN.....	1,354	875	297	126	56	4.1
WISCONSIN EASTERN....	1,019	523	259	129	108	10.6
WISCONSIN WESTERN....	717	332	196	94	95	13.2
EIGHTH CIRCUIT....	8,541	4,994	2,115	968	464	5.4
ARKANSAS EASTERN.....	1,572	762	436	250	124	7.9
ARKANSAS WESTERN.....	756	419	221	98	18	-
IOWA NORTHERN.....	280	179	62	32	7	-
IOWA SOUTHERN.....	627	339	193	70	25	4.0
MINNESOTA.....	1,643	798	458	246	141	8.6
MISSOURI EASTERN.....	910	760	118	19	13	-
MISSOURI WESTERN.....	1,464	900	325	155	84	5.7
NEBRASKA.....	706	497	158	37	14	-
NORTH DAKOTA.....	221	154	48	10	9	-
SOUTH DAKOTA.....	362	186	96	51	29	8.0
NINTH CIRCUIT.....	17,374	9,654	4,119	2,023	1,578	9.1
ALASKA.....	469	253	125	56	35	7.5
ARIZONA.....	1,438	757	302	179	200	13.9
CALIFORNIA NORTHERN..	3,111	1,880	710	291	230	7.4
CALIFORNIA EASTERN...	1,375	621	380	211	163	11.9
CALIFORNIA CENTRAL...	4,385	2,605	849	514	417	9.5
CALIFORNIA SOUTHERN..	879	507	221	85	66	7.5
HAWAII.....	742	373	200	96	73	9.8
IDAHO.....	400	235	104	39	22	-
MONTANA.....	482	285	125	45	27	5.6
NEVADA.....	637	309	176	86	66	10.4
OREGON.....	1,208	722	320	122	44	3.6
WASHINGTON EASTERN...	434	239	107	44	44	10.1
WASHINGTON WESTERN...	1,627	814	467	234	112	6.9
GUAM.....	187	54	33	21	79	42.2
TENTH CIRCUIT.....	5,964	3,853	1,371	420	320	5.4
COLORADO.....	1,432	797	432	120	83	5.8
KANSAS.....	1,694	933	468	155	138	8.1
NEW MEXICO.....	530	439	67	13	11	-
OKLAHOMA NORTHERN....	497	343	93	26	35	7.0
OKLAHOMA EASTERN.....	262	220	35	6	1	-
OKLAHOMA WESTERN.....	798	625	120	36	17	-
UTAH.....	579	355	134	59	31	5.4
WYOMING.....	172	141	22	5	4	-

* PERCENT NOT COMPUTED WHEN THERE ARE LESS THAN 25 CASES

TABLE C 6B. U.S. DISTRICT COURTS
LAND CONDEMNATION CASES PENDING
BY DISTRICT AND LENGTH OF TIME PENDING
AS OF JUNE 30, 1977

CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	TOTAL	LENGTH OF TIME PENDING				
		LESS THAN 1 YEAR	1 TO 2 YEARS	2 TO 3 YEARS	3 YEARS AND OVER	
					NUMBER	PERCENT*
TOTAL ALL DISTRICTS..	4,571	2,543	1,101	351	576	12.6
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.	14	5	6	1	2	-
FIRST CIRCUIT.....	57	8	5	6	38	66.7
MAINE.....	4	1	1	2	-	-
MASSACHUSETTS.....	49	4	3	4	38	77.6
NEW HAMPSHIRE.....	-	-	-	-	-	-
RHODE ISLAND.....	3	2	1	-	-	-
PUERTO RICO.....	1	1	-	-	-	-
SECOND CIRCUIT....	19	4	4	3	8	-
CONNECTICUT.....	3	1	-	-	2	-
NEW YORK NORTHERN....	3	2	-	-	1	-
NEW YORK EASTERN.....	4	1	1	-	2	-
NEW YORK SOUTHERN....	2	-	2	-	-	-
NEW YORK WESTERN.....	7	-	1	3	3	-
VERMONT.....	-	-	-	-	-	-
THIRD CIRCUIT.....	123	55	22	20	26	21.1
DELAWARE.....	1	-	-	1	-	-
NEW JERSEY.....	39	1	7	10	21	-
PENNSYLVANIA EASTERN.	13	2	6	3	2	-
PENNSYLVANIA MIDDLE..	42	29	8	3	2	-
PENNSYLVANIA WESTERN.	25	22	-	2	1	-
VIRGIN ISLANDS.....	3	1	1	1	-	-
FOURTH CIRCUIT....	382	167	100	38	77	20.2
MARYLAND.....	62	27	27	6	2	-
NO. CAROLINA EASTERN.	30	9	19	1	1	-
NO. CAROLINA MIDDLE..	63	38	18	2	5	-
NO. CAROLINA WESTERN.	8	-	7	1	-	-
SOUTH CAROLINA.....	20	17	2	1	-	-
VIRGINIA EASTERN.....	33	23	5	1	4	-
VIRGINIA WESTERN.....	3	1	1	1	-	-
W. VIRGINIA NORTHERN.	57	42	4	1	10	-
W. VIRGINIA SOUTHERN.	106	10	17	24	55	51.9
FIFTH CIRCUIT.....	1,949	1,581	274	53	41	2.1
ALABAMA NORTHERN.....	27	13	7	3	4	-
ALABAMA MIDDLE.....	-	-	-	-	-	-
ALABAMA SOUTHERN.....	-	-	-	-	-	-
FLORIDA NORTHERN.....	2	1	1	-	-	-
FLORIDA MIDDLE.....	12	1	3	2	6	-
FLORIDA SOUTHERN.....	1,694	1,449	239	5	1	-
GEORGIA NORTHERN.....	5	2	3	-	-	-
GEORGIA MIDDLE.....	8	3	2	3	-	-
GEORGIA SOUTHERN.....	5	5	-	-	-	-
LOUISIANA EASTERN....	4	3	-	1	-	-
LOUISIANA MIDDLE.....	1	1	-	-	-	-
LOUISIANA WESTERN....	21	17	-	-	4	-
MISSISSIPPI NORTHERN.	60	49	9	1	1	-
MISSISSIPPI SOUTHERN.	9	8	1	-	-	-
TEXAS NORTHERN.....	-	-	-	-	-	-
TEXAS EASTERN.....	15	10	1	-	4	-
TEXAS SOUTHERN.....	25	8	-	5	12	-
TEXAS WESTERN.....	61	11	8	33	9	-
CANAL ZONE.....	-	-	-	-	-	-

TABLE C 6B. U.S. DISTRICT COURTS
LAND CONDEMNATION CASES PENDING
BY DISTRICT AND LENGTH OF TIME PENDING
AS OF JUNE 30, 1977

CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	TOTAL	LENGTH OF TIME PENDING				
		LESS THAN 1 YEAR	1 TO 2 YEARS	2 TO 3 YEARS	3 YEARS AND OVER	
					NUMBER	PERCENT*
SIXTH CIRCUIT.....	332	145	37	27	123	37.0
KENTUCKY EASTERN.....	121	25	13	17	66	54.5
KENTUCKY WESTERN.....	56	26	9	2	19	-
MICHIGAN EASTERN.....	7	3	-	2	2	-
MICHIGAN WESTERN.....	26	24	1	-	1	-
OHIO NORTHERN.....	16	16	-	-	-	-
OHIO SOUTHERN.....	13	2	2	3	6	-
TENNESSEE EASTERN....	20	14	4	2	-	-
TENNESSEE MIDDLE.....	42	7	6	-	29	69.0
TENNESSEE WESTERN....	31	28	2	1	-	-
SEVENTH CIRCUIT...	214	127	63	4	20	-
ILLINOIS NORTHERN....	3	2	-	-	1	-
ILLINOIS EASTERN.....	7	2	2	2	1	-
ILLINOIS SOUTHERN....	3	-	-	-	3	-
INDIANA NORTHERN.....	118	93	19	-	6	-
INDIANA SOUTHERN.....	9	3	4	1	1	-
WISCONSIN EASTERN....	-	-	-	-	-	-
WISCONSIN WESTERN....	74	27	38	1	8	-
EIGHTH CIRCUIT....	404	178	120	62	44	10.9
ARKANSAS EASTERN.....	35	17	7	4	7	-
ARKANSAS WESTERN.....	23	5	2	1	15	-
IOWA NORTHERN.....	4	-	3	-	1	-
IOWA SOUTHERN.....	-	-	-	-	-	-
MINNESOTA.....	11	8	1	1	1	-
MISSOURI EASTERN.....	69	55	5	5	4	-
MISSOURI WESTERN.....	209	81	75	43	10	-
NEBRASKA.....	19	1	8	7	3	-
NORTH DAKOTA.....	7	5	-	1	1	-
SOUTH DAKOTA.....	27	6	19	-	2	-
NINTH CIRCUIT.....	823	195	386	86	156	19.0
ALASKA.....	27	3	17	7	-	-
ARIZONA.....	98	65	12	5	16	-
CALIFORNIA NORTHERN..	34	22	6	2	4	-
CALIFORNIA EASTERN...	87	23	11	13	40	46.0
CALIFORNIA CENTRAL...	14	9	-	-	5	-
CALIFORNIA SOUTHERN..	281	13	263	3	2	-
HAWAII.....	1	-	-	1	-	-
IDAHO.....	56	23	6	3	24	-
MONTANA.....	13	4	8	-	1	-
NEVADA.....	9	2	-	1	6	-
OREGON.....	33	8	9	15	1	-
WASHINGTON EASTERN...	54	12	38	3	1	-
WASHINGTON WESTERN...	63	11	15	33	4	-
GUAM.....	53	-	1	-	52	98.1
TENTH CIRCUIT.....	254	70	84	51	41	16.1
COLORADO.....	25	5	15	4	1	-
KANSAS.....	123	34	39	27	23	-
NEW MEXICO.....	37	5	6	12	14	-
OKLAHOMA NORTHERN....	26	15	9	2	-	-
OKLAHOMA EASTERN.....	4	2	-	1	1	-
OKLAHOMA WESTERN.....	35	16	12	5	2	-
UTAH.....	1	-	1	-	-	-
WYOMING.....	5	1	2	-	-	-

* PERCENT NOT COMPUTED WHEN THERE ARE LESS THAN 25 CASES

TABLE C 7. U.S. DISTRICT COURTS
CIVIL AND CRIMINAL TRIALS* COMPLETED, BY DISTRICT
FOR THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	TOTAL	LAND CONDEMNATION			OTHER CIVIL			CRIMINAL		
		TOTAL	NON-JURY	JURY	TOTAL	NON-JURY	JURY	TOTAL	NON-JURY	JURY
TOTAL ALL DISTRICTS	18,827	162	64	98	11,443	7,728	3,715	7,222	2,661	4,561
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	515	4	1	3	188	153	35	323	211	112
FIRST CIRCUIT....	510	-	-	-	324	178	146	186	32	154
MAINE.....	17	-	-	-	9	6	3	8	1	7
MASSACHUSETTS.....	233	-	-	-	126	55	71	107	9	98
NEW HAMPSHIRE.....	80	-	-	-	73	42	31	7	1	6
RHODE ISLAND.....	29	-	-	-	14	4	10	15	-	15
PUERTO RICO.....	151	-	-	-	102	71	31	49	21	28
SECOND CIRCUIT...	1,926	2	1	1	1,234	812	422	690	226	464
CONNECTICUT.....	228	1	-	1	148	103	45	79	27	52
NEW YORK NORTHERN...	72	-	-	-	47	25	22	25	8	17
NEW YORK EASTERN....	453	-	-	-	242	157	85	211	80	131
NEW YORK SOUTHERN...	948	-	-	-	682	462	220	266	69	197
NEW YORK WESTERN....	145	1	1	-	56	37	19	88	36	52
VERMONT.....	80	-	-	-	59	28	31	21	6	15
THIRD CIRCUIT....	1,853	18	2	16	1,254	739	515	581	222	359
DELAWARE.....	64	-	-	-	39	29	10	25	11	14
NEW JERSEY.....	470	5	1	4	326	222	104	139	37	102
PENNSYLVANIA EASTERN	658	4	-	4	483	213	270	171	72	99
PENNSYLVANIA MIDDLE.	146	9	1	8	81	44	37	56	33	23
PENNSYLVANIA WESTERN	372	-	-	-	252	188	64	120	61	59
VIRGIN ISLANDS.....	143	-	-	-	73	43	30	70	8	62
FOURTH CIRCUIT...	1,465	21	6	15	912	555	357	532	230	302
MARYLAND.....	313	7	3	4	138	98	40	168	94	74
NO. CAROLINA EASTERN	57	-	-	-	30	13	17	27	7	20
NO. CAROLINA MIDDLE.	46	-	-	-	20	17	3	26	15	11
NO. CAROLINA WESTERN	146	5	1	4	101	48	53	40	3	37
SOUTH CAROLINA.....	195	1	1	-	135	46	89	59	7	52
VIRGINIA EASTERN....	405	2	1	1	265	167	98	138	74	64
VIRGINIA WESTERN....	81	-	-	-	59	31	28	22	7	15
W. VIRGINIA NORTHERN	73	-	-	-	62	56	6	11	-	11
W. VIRGINIA SOUTHERN	149	6	-	6	102	79	23	41	23	18
FIFTH CIRCUIT....	4,302	25	20	5	2,812	1,869	943	1,465	458	1,007
ALABAMA NORTHERN....	306	2	2	-	245	140	105	59	12	47
ALABAMA MIDDLE.....	128	-	-	-	72	36	36	56	4	52
ALABAMA SOUTHERN....	122	-	-	-	93	62	31	29	1	28
FLORIDA NORTHERN....	101	-	-	-	50	39	11	51	14	37
FLORIDA MIDDLE.....	274	3	2	1	119	91	28	152	70	82
FLORIDA SOUTHERN....	356	4	4	-	166	125	41	186	38	148
GEORGIA NORTHERN....	345	-	-	-	191	138	53	154	30	124
GEORGIA MIDDLE.....	97	-	-	-	63	24	39	34	1	33
GEORGIA SOUTHERN....	125	1	-	1	98	43	55	26	5	21
LOUISIANA EASTERN...	524	1	1	-	424	244	180	99	48	51
LOUISIANA MIDDLE....	29	1	1	-	13	8	5	15	3	12
LOUISIANA WESTERN...	189	4	4	-	156	107	49	29	13	16
MISSISSIPPI NORTHERN	129	2	1	1	91	67	24	36	1	35
MISSISSIPPI SOUTHERN	130	-	-	-	109	67	42	21	10	11
TEXAS NORTHERN.....	366	-	-	-	299	201	98	67	8	59
TEXAS EASTERN.....	184	6	5	1	146	76	70	32	14	18
TEXAS SOUTHERN.....	466	-	-	-	253	210	43	213	85	128
TEXAS WESTERN.....	228	1	-	1	83	50	33	144	42	102
CANAL ZONE.....	203	-	-	-	141	141	-	62	59	3

TABLE C 7. U.S. DISTRICT COURTS
CIVIL AND CRIMINAL TRIALS* COMPLETED, BY DISTRICT
FOR THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	TOTAL	LAND CONDEMNATION			OTHER CIVIL			CRIMINAL		
		TOTAL	NON-JURY	JURY	TOTAL	NON-JURY	JURY	TOTAL	NON-JURY	JURY
SIXTH CIRCUIT....	2,242	19	8	11	1,356	952	404	867	362	505
KENTUCKY EASTERN....	133	1	1	-	52	34	18	80	12	68
KENTUCKY WESTERN....	72	4	2	2	27	12	15	41	9	32
MICHIGAN EASTERN....	645	3	2	1	343	250	93	299	158	141
MICHIGAN WESTERN....	125	1	-	1	76	48	28	48	15	33
OHIO NORTHERN.....	614	-	-	-	444	371	73	170	115	55
OHIO SOUTHERN.....	179	-	-	-	124	74	50	55	7	48
TENNESSEE EASTERN...	189	6	2	4	123	45	78	60	9	51
TENNESSEE MIDDLE....	115	-	-	-	65	40	25	50	15	35
TENNESSEE WESTERN...	170	4	1	3	102	78	24	64	22	42
SEVENTH CIRCUIT..	945	5	2	3	546	382	164	394	111	283
ILLINOIS NORTHERN...	319	-	-	-	160	106	54	159	50	109
ILLINOIS EASTERN....	103	-	-	-	66	46	20	37	6	31
ILLINOIS SOUTHERN...	65	-	-	-	39	33	6	26	6	20
INDIANA NORTHERN....	129	2	-	2	66	33	33	61	12	49
INDIANA SOUTHERN....	196	2	2	-	148	119	29	46	15	31
WISCONSIN EASTERN...	86	1	-	1	39	18	21	46	10	36
WISCONSIN WESTERN...	47	-	-	-	28	27	1	19	12	7
EIGHTH CIRCUIT...	1,196	26	5	21	758	478	280	412	88	324
ARKANSAS EASTERN....	169	-	-	-	97	67	30	72	2	70
ARKANSAS WESTERN....	72	3	-	3	59	32	27	10	1	9
IOWA NORTHERN.....	57	-	-	-	39	20	19	18	6	12
IOWA SOUTHERN.....	70	-	-	-	40	23	17	30	4	26
MINNESOTA.....	180	1	-	1	97	65	32	82	28	54
MISSOURI EASTERN....	246	13	3	10	163	96	67	70	9	61
MISSOURI WESTERN....	122	-	-	-	87	58	29	35	5	30
NEBRASKA.....	134	2	-	2	112	70	42	20	2	18
NORTH DAKOTA.....	57	3	2	1	22	18	4	32	13	19
SOUTH DAKOTA.....	89	4	-	4	42	29	13	43	18	25
NINTH CIRCUIT. .	2,607	25	11	14	1,247	1,031	216	1,335	570	765
ALASKA.....	66	-	-	-	30	27	3	36	19	17
ARIZONA.....	471	-	-	-	90	83	7	381	218	163
CALIFORNIA NORTHERN.	340	2	-	2	212	166	46	126	54	72
CALIFORNIA EASTERN..	97	-	-	-	37	34	3	60	33	27
CALIFORNIA CENTRAL..	699	2	1	1	452	405	47	245	68	177
CALIFORNIA SOUTHERN.	226	2	2	-	52	43	9	172	76	96
HAWAII.....	40	-	-	-	19	14	5	21	6	15
IDAHO.....	48	1	-	1	28	14	14	19	3	16
MONTANA.....	97	2	1	1	55	34	21	40	8	32
NEVADA.....	100	-	-	-	51	40	11	49	19	30
OREGON.....	208	7	5	2	132	97	35	69	25	44
WASHINGTON EASTERN..	61	4	1	3	26	21	5	31	16	15
WASHINGTON WESTERN..	146	5	1	4	56	47	9	85	25	60
GUAM.....	8	-	-	-	7	6	1	1	-	1
TENTH CIRCUIT....	1,266	17	8	9	812	579	233	437	151	286
COLORADO.....	329	10	3	7	206	185	21	113	40	73
KANSAS.....	123	-	-	-	79	44	35	44	3	41
NEW MEXICO.....	245	-	-	-	162	119	43	83	40	43
OKLAHOMA NORTHERN...	97	2	2	-	56	38	18	39	18	21
OKLAHOMA EASTERN....	84	-	-	-	61	42	19	23	2	21
OKLAHOMA WESTERN....	257	4	3	1	167	114	53	86	40	46
UTAH.....	64	-	-	-	38	14	24	26	3	23
WYOMING.....	67	1	-	1	43	23	20	23	5	18

* INCLUDES EVIDENTIARY TRIALS (JURY AND NONJURY), HEARINGS ON TEMPORARY RESTRAINING ORDERS AND PRELIMINARY INJUNCTIONS, HEARINGS ON BANKRUPTCY REVIEW PETITIONS, AND MOTIONS IN REORGANIZATION PROCEEDINGS.

TABLE C 8. U.S. DISTRICT COURTS
LENGTH OF CIVIL AND CRIMINAL TRIALS* COMPLETED, BY NATURE OF SUIT OR OFFENSE
FOR THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

NATURE OF SUIT OR OFFENSE	TOTAL ALL TRIALS	NONJURY TRIALS								JURY TRIALS							
		TOTAL	LESS THAN 1 DAY	1 DAY	2 DAYS	3 DAYS	4 TO 9 DAYS	10 TO 19 DAYS	20 DAYS AND OVER	TOTAL	LESS THAN 1 DAY	1 DAY	2 DAYS	3 DAYS	4 TO 9 DAYS	10 TO 19 DAYS	20 DAYS AND OVER
TOTAL ALL TRIALS	18,827	10,453	4,712	2,727	1,634	585	673	93	29	8,374	654	1,095	2,359	1,639	2,277	279	71
TOTAL CIVIL TRIALS	11,605	7,792	3,184	2,106	1,324	488	577	86	27	3,813	348	516	1,088	741	987	104	29
CONTRACT ACTIONS, TOTAL	2,132	1,464	487	419	293	119	118	25	3	668	70	77	198	111	182	21	9
INSURANCE	373	188	69	55	45	11	8	-	-	185	31	25	50	33	45		1
MARINE	183	172	45	59	31	25	9	3	-	11	1	-	3	2	5	-	-
MILLER ACT	48	44	18	14	8	4	-	-	-	4	-	-	1	-	1	1	1
NEGOTIABLE INSTRUMENTS	126	101	43	27	15	9	7	-	-	25	2	3	11	6	2		1
OTHER CONTRACT ACTIONS	1,402	959	312	264	194	70	94	22	3	443	36	49	133	70	129	20	6
REAL PROPERTY ACTIONS, TOTAL	483	338	189	75	45	14	11	2	2	145	14	19	38	30	41	3	-
CONDEMNATION OF LAND	162	64	42	15	5	1	1	-	-	98	6	16	27	18	30	1	-
OTHER REAL PROPERTY ACTIONS	321	274	147	60	40	13	10	2	2	47	8	3	11	12	11	2	-
TORT ACTIONS, TOTAL	3,261	1,064	356	299	225	82	99	2	1	2,197	206	312	656	443	532	41	6
PERSONAL INJURY																	
AIRPLANE	66	32	8	2	7	5	9		1	34	1	3	8	5	14	1	2
ASSAULT, LIBEL AND SLANDER	108	29	6	9	10	3	1	-	-	79	8	11	29	9	20	2	-
EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY ACT	173	24	11	7	4	1	1	-	-	149	15	26	41	35	31	1	-
MARINE	619	251	69	74	68	19	21	-	-	368	26	73	108	73	83	4	1
MOTOR VEHICLE	849	192	80	60	26	19	7	-	-	657	77	94	223	119	132	12	-
OTHER PERSONAL INJURY	1,038	252	82	62	57	18	33	-	-	786	72	86	208	177	223	17	3
PERSONAL PROPERTY DAMAGE	407	284	100	85	53	17	27	2	-	123	7	19	39	25	29	4	-
ACTIONS UNDER STATUTES, TOTAL	5,488	4,691	1,986	1,258	752	271	347	57	20	797	58	105	194	157	231	38	14
ANTITRUST LAWS	213	151	39	48	22	12	21	6	3	62	-	5	3	6	27	15	6
BANKRUPTCY																	
TRUSTEE SUITS	30	28	14	9	2	1	1	1	-	2	-	-	-	-	2	-	-
OTHER BANKRUPTCY SUITS	150	147	91	30	11	8	4	2	1	3	-	-	2	-	1	-	-
CIVIL RIGHTS	2,073	1,659	577	462	321	116	151	22	10	414	34	61	102	89	120	6	2
PRISONER PETITIONS																	
MOTIONS TO VACATE SENTENCE	54	53	33	12	4	1	3	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
HABEAS CORPUS	326	314	210	57	36	7	3		1	12	1	-	6	2	3	-	-
CIVIL RIGHTS	345	260	152	55	32	6	13	1	1	85	10	17	30	14	12	2	-
MANDAMUS, ETC	29	29	17	9	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
FORFEITURE AND PENALTY SUITS	137	132	79	43	6	1	3	-	-	5	1	3	-	1	-	-	-
LABOR LAWS																	
FAIR LABOR STANDARDS ACT	128	114	33	31	32	7	10		1	14	3	1	5	-	5	-	-
LABOR MANAGEMENT RELATIONS ACT	447	425	200	121	62	23	18	1	-	22	-	1	4	7	8	1	1
OTHER LABOR LAWS	171	155	61	45	32	12	5	-	-	16	3	2	4	6	1	-	-

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LENGTH OF CIVIL AND CRIMINAL TRIALS* COMPLETED, BY NATURE OF SUIT OR OFFENSE
FOR THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

NATURE OF SUIT OR OFFENSE	TOTAL ALL TRIALS	NONJURY TRIALS								JURY TRIALS							
		TOTAL	LESS THAN 1 DAY	1 DAY	2 DAYS	3 DAYS	4 TO 9 DAYS	10 TO 19 DAYS	20 DAYS AND OVER	TOTAL	LESS THAN 1 DAY	1 DAY	2 DAYS	3 DAYS	4 TO 9 DAYS	10 TO 19 DAYS	20 DAYS AND OVER
PROTECTED PROPERTY RIGHTS																	
COPYRIGHT	62	59	25	12	12	2	7	1	-	3	-	1	1	-	1	-	-
PATENT	113	102	22	13	21	14	24	8	-	11	1	1	-	1	4	4	-
TRADEMARK	109	107	39	38	16	3	9	2	-	2	-	-	-	-	2	-	-
SECURITIES, COMMODITIES AND EXCHANGES	321	252	90	55	43	25	30	6	3	69	2	4	10	10	30	9	4
SELECTIVE SERVICE ACT	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
REAPPORTIONMENT SUITS	10	10	7	1	-		2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TAX SUITS	208	160	68	54	23	10	5	-	-	48	1	7	18	14	8	-	-
INTERSTATE COMMERCE	54	46	14	20	7	2	2	1	-	8	-	1	2	-	4		1
NARCOTIC ADDICT REHABILITATION ACT	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
OTHER STATUTORY ACTIONS	506	487	214	143	68	20	36	6	-	19	2	1	6	6	3	1	-
OTHER ACTIONS, TOTAL	241	235	166	55	9	2	2		1	6	-	3	1	-	1	1	-
TOTAL CRIMINAL TRIALS	7,222	2,661	1,528	621	310	97	96	7	2	4,561	306	579	1,271	898	1,290	175	42
HOMICIDE	76	23	14	4	1	2	2	-	-	53	5	2	12	9	22	1	2
ROBBERY	596	165	93	37	21	5	9	-	-	431	20	45	113	97	144	11	1
ASSAULT	183	47	24	14	6	2	1	-	-	136	10	23	53	27	23	-	-
BURGLARY	56	29	16	12		1	-	-	-	27	3	9	9	3	3	-	-
LARCENY AND THEFT	589	215	120	61	22	7	4	1	-	374	32	50	101	88	95	8	-
EMBEZZLEMENT	193	43	22	11	3	1	5	1	-	150	8	13	38	29	48	10	4
FRAUD																	
INCOME TAX	361	99	43	17	17	10	12	-	-	262	11	15	59	64	101	10	2
OTHER FRAUD	554	152	76	28	24	9	14	1	-	402	10	35	69	66	159	50	13
AUTO THEFT	211	50	33	12	4	1	-	-	-	161	16	23	59	31	31	1	-
FORGERY	463	168	108	37	14	5	4	-	-	295	23	49	100	59	59	5	-
COUNTERFEITING	105	35	19	9	5	2	-	-	-	70	4	11	27	15	13	-	-
SEX OFFENSES	52	21	14	6	1	-	-	-	-	31	3	1	11	11	4	1	-
NARCOTICS[1]																	
OLD LAWS	12	5	2	3	-	-	-	-	-	7	-	-	2	1	4	-	-
DAPCA	1,813	745	443	162	92	29	18	1	-	1,068	74	135	301	212	304	34	8
ESCAPE	118	46	33	6	5	1	1	-	-	72	8	13	28	14	8	1	-
EXTORTION, RACKETEERING AND THREATS	188	59	34	13	6	2	2	1	1	129	4	5	26	25	53	11	5
FIREARMS AND WEAPONS	668	272	155	79	31	2	5	-	-	396	42	82	147	57	67	1	-
MISC. GENERAL OFFENSES	328	120	62	34	8	7	8	1	-	208	14	15	38	37	83	17	4
IMMIGRATION LAWS	170	86	55	16	12	1	2	-	-	84	7	32	24	11	9	1	-
LIQUOR, INTERNAL REVENUE	15	6	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	2	-	4	3	-	-	-
SELECTIVE SERVICE ACT	14	12	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	2	-	-	-	-
OTHER FEDERAL STATUTES	457	263	144	60	38	10	9	1	1	194	10	21	48	39	60	13	3

* INCLUDES EVIDENTIARY TRIALS (JURY AND NONJURY), HEARING ON TEMPORARY RESTRAINING ORDERS AND PRELIMINARY INJUNCTIONS, HEARINGS ON BANKRUPTCY REVIEW PETITIONS, AND MOTIONS IN REORGANIZATION PROCEEDINGS.

[1] OLD LAW - HARRISON NARCOTIC DRUG ACT, MARIHUNA TAX ACT AND BORDER REGISTRATION OF ADDICTS AND NARCOTIC LAW VIOLATORS WAS REPLACED MAY 1, 1971. IT WAS REPLACED BY THE COMPREHENSIVE DRUG ABUSE PREVENTION AND CONTROL ACT OF 1973 (P.L. 91-513) WHICH BECAME EFFECTIVE MAY 1, 1971.

TABLE C-9. U.S. DISTRICT COURTS
CIVIL AND CRIMINAL TRIALS REQUIRING 20 OR MORE DAYS
TERMINATED DURING THE 12-MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

District	Style of the Case	Nature of Proceedings	Number of trial[1] days	Type of Trial
		CIVIL CASES		
New York, S.....	U.S. v. IBM Corporation	Antitrust	299	Nonjury
Illinois, N.....	Hampton v. City of Chicago, et al.	Civil rights	242	Jury
New York, S.....	State Mutual Life Assurance v. Anders	Securities, commodities, and exchanges	111	Jury
South Carolina...	Duplan Corporation. v. Deering Milliken, Inc., et al.	Antitrust	89	Nonjury
Wisconsin, E.....	Juneau Square Corporation v. First Wisc. Natl.	Antitrust	71	Jury
California, C....	California Comp Inc. et al., Int. Bus. Corporation	Antitrust	54	Jury
Illinois, N.....	People of the State v. City of Milwaukee	Real property action	51	Nonjury
Maryland.....	Cussler v. Univ. Md. et al.	Civil rights	48	Jury
California, N....	Hardman v. Valley Title Co., et al.	Securities, commodities, and exchanges	42	Jury
Pennsylvania, W..	Copperweld Steel C v. Emaag Mannesmann	Contract	40	Jury
New York, E.....	Nuclear Assoc. v. Medical Lab. Inc.	Contract	37	Nonjury
Massachusetts....	Engine Specialties v. Bombardier Ltd.	Antitrust	36	Jury
California, C....	Marks et al. v. Faith et al.	Securities, Commodities, and exchanges	35	Nonjury
Pennsylvania, E...	Halderman v. Penn. Hurst Sch. & Hosp.	Civil rights	34	Nonjury
Pennsylvania, W...	Johnson v. Univ. of Pittsburgh	Civil rights	34	Nonjury
New York, S.....	Ballerstors v. Slumbertog Ins.	Personal injury-product liability	34	Jury
California, C.....	Willamette-WN Corp. v. Oxnard Harbor	Contract	31	Jury
Indiana, S.....	Photovest Co. v. Fotomat Co.	Antitrust	31	Nonjury
Pennsylvania, W...	Mellon Bank v. Allegheny Airlines, Inc.	Person injury-Airplane	30	Nonjury
Pennsylvania, E...	Residex Corp. v. Farrow Kessler et al.	Securities, Commodities, and exchanges	30	Jury
Ohio, S.....	McIntyre v. KDI Corp., et al.	Securities, Commodities, and exchanges	30	Nonjury
Michigan, E.....	Unigard Mutual v. Aetna Casualty	Insurance	30	Jury
Kentucky, W.....	U.S.A. v. Dairymen, Inc.	Antitrust	29	Nonjury
Pennsylvania E....	Penn. Central Transportation Co.	Bankruptcy-reviews, etc.	27	Nonjury
Michigan, E.....	Disco Inc. v. Reed	Civil rights, other	26	Nonjury
Pennsylvania, E...	Presseinsen v. Swarthmore College	Civil rights	26	Nonjury
Pennsylvania, E...	Rosenberg v. T.J. Univ. Hospital	Personal injury-other	26	Jury
Michigan, E.....	McClary v. City of Highland Park	Civil rights, employment	25	Nonjury
New York, S.....	Natl. Auto Dlrs., et al., v. General Motors, et al.	Antitrust	25	Jury
Illinois, N.....	Goodman v. Epstein	Securities, commodities, and exchange	25	Jury
Tennessee, W.....	NYTCO. v. Hurleys Grain Elevator Co.	Contract	25	Jury
Alaska.....	Grimes v. Empl. Mutual Liability Ins.	Personal injury-other	25	Jury
California, C.....	First Bevrgs Inc. v. Royl Crwn Cola Co.	Antitrust	24	Jury
Montana.....	Eaton v. Stran Stl Corp.	Contract	24	Jury
Maryland.....	Westinghouse Elec. v. Garrett Corp.	Contract	24	Nonjury
New York, S.....	Box v. Northrop Corp.	Securities, commodities, and exchanges	24	Nonjury
Ohio, N.....	Alexander, J.F. v. Youngstown BD of ED	Civil rights	23	Nonjury
Nebraska.....	U.S.A. v. National Homes	Miller Act	23	Jury
Wisconsin, E.....	Hanson v. Cessna Aircraft Co.	Personal injury-Airplane	23	Jury
California, S.....	Lewis v. Beech Aircraft Corp.	Federal employees liability	22	Jury
New Mexico.....	Mistretta v. Sandia Corp.	Fair Labor Standards Act	22	Nonjury
Louisiana, E.....	Gaspard v. Diving Salvage Co. Inc.	Personal injury-Marine	22	Jury
Florida, S.....	PDQ Inc. of Miami v. Nissan Mtr. Corp.	Commerce-Interstate	22	Jury
New York, S.....	Louis Wolfish, et al. v. Levi, Attorney General	Prisoner Petition, habeas corpus	22	Nonjury
Pennsylvania, W....	Purified Water Systems v. Pollution Control.	Contract	22	Nonjury
Rhode Island.....	Eastern v. Wild Heerburg	Antitrust	22	Jury
Massachusetts.....	Brown Co. v. Mortons Wald Fogel	Contract	21	Jury
Delaware.....	EOE Comm. v. DuPont De Memours Co.	Civil rights-employment	21	Nonjury
New York, W.....	Arthur et al. v. Nyquist	Civil rights-other	21	Nonjury
Michigan, E.....	Farmer, et al., v. ARA Service, et al.	Labor/Management relations act	21	Jury
Iowa, N.....	U.S. v. Wilson et al.	Real property actions-other	21	Nonjury
California, C.....	Writers Guild of Amer. v. Fed. Communications	Civil rights	21	Nonjury
Iowa, S.....	Iowa Corp. v. McGraw-Edison Co.	Contract	20	Jury
California, N.....	Wilcox Co. v. Com Eup Assoc.	Contract	20	Jury
California, N.....	Van Geldern v. Kerr et al.	Prisoner Petition, civil rights	20	Nonjury
Tennessee, M.....	Sanders v. Ellington Gov.	Civil rights-other	20	Nonjury

TABLE C-9. U.S. DISTRICT COURTS
CIVIL AND CRIMINAL TRIALS REQUIRING 20 OR MORE DAYS
TERMINATED DURING THE 12-MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

District	Style of the Case	Nature of Proceeding	Number of trial[1] days	Type of Trial
		CRIMINAL CASES		
New York, S.....	U.S. v. Alvares, Juan Antonio, et al.	Narcotics	65	Jury
New Jersey.....	U.S. v. Galesi, Michael M.	Fraud-Postal, Interstate Wire, Radio, etc.	53	Jury
New York, S.....	U.S. v. Amrep Corporation	Fraud-Postal, Interstate Wire, Radio, etc.	50	Jury
Arizona.....	U.S. v. Goss, Cadmus L.G.	Fraud-Postal, Interstate Wire, Radio, etc.	46	Jury
Maryland	U.S. v. Mandel, Marvin et al.	Fraud-Mail Racketeering	45	Jury
Oklahoma, N.....	U.S. v. Trippet, Robert S.	Fraud-Postal, Interstate Wire, Radio, etc.	44	Jury
California, S....	U.S. v. Andreen, Robert	Embezzlement-Other	44	Jury
Indiana, N.....	U.S. v. Hamilton, Ernest R.	Racketeering	40	Jury
California, S....	U.S. v. McNaughton, Andrew R.L.	Federal Statutes-Other	38	Jury
New York, N.....	U.S. v. Morton-Norwich Products	Federal Statutes-Other	38	Nonjury
New York, S.....	U.S. v. Hockridge, William H.	Embezzlement-bank	36	Jury
New Jersey.....	U.S. v. Prodan, Robert L.	Embezzlement-bank	34	Jury
Illinois, N.....	U.S. v. Ziperstein, Eugene A.	Extortion, Racketeering, and Threats	34	Jury
New York, S.....	U.S. v. Wolf, Frank	Extortion, Racketeering, and Threats	33	Jury
New York, E.....	U.S. v. Altese, Frank et al.	Gambling and Lottery	33	Jury
New York, S.....	U.S. v. Mahler, Arnold N.	Fraud-Postal, Interstate Wire, Radio, etc.	32	Jury
Illinois, N.....	U.S. v. Amax, Inc.	Antitrust Violations	32	Jury
Pennsylvania, W..	U.S. v. Iezzi, Joseph A. Sr.	Fraud-Postal, Interstate Wire, Radio, etc.	31	Jury
Michigan, E.....	U.S. v. Fry, Roger, A., et al.	Narcotics	30	Jury
Pennsylvania, W..	U.S. v. Patton, John	Narcotics	29	Jury
New York, S.....	U.S. v. Stirling, David Jr. et al.	Fraud-Securities and Exchanges	29	Jury
California, C....	U.S. v. Lasky, Michael I.	Fraud-Postal, Interstate Wire, Radio, etc.	29	Jury
North Dakota.....	U.S. v. Peltier, Leonard	Homicide-Murder first degree	27	Jury
Florida, M.....	U.S. v. Diecidue, Frank et al.	Narcotics	26	Jury
New York, S.....	U.S. v. King, John M.	Fraud-Postal, Interstate Wire, Radio, etc.	25	Jury
Pennsylvania, W..	U.S. v. Davis, David, et al.	Fraud-Postal Interstate Wire, Radio, etc.	25	Jury
New York, E.....	U.S. v. Busic, Zvonko	Aircraft Regulations	25	Jury
California, E....	U.S. v. Wylie, Alfred Lee	Fraud-False claims and Statements	24	Jury
Tennessee, M.....	U.S. v. LOC Industries	Fraud-Conspiracy	23	Jury
Massachusetts....	U.S. v. Dicarlo, Joseph J.C.	Extortion, Racketeering and threats	23	Jury
New Jersey.....	U.S. v. Gallagher, Anthony	Embezzlement-bank	23	Jury
Florida, M.....	U.S. v. Wentland, John	Fraud-Postal, Interstate Wire, Radio, etc.	23	Jury
New York, S.....	U.S. v. Moreno, Guillermo	Narcotics	22	Jury
Illinois, N.....	U.S. v. Elder, Thelbert C.	Fraud-Income tax	22	Jury
Indiana, N.....	U.S. v. Dandrea, Nicholas	Perjury	22	Jury
Iowa, N.....	U.S. v. Robideau, Robert E.	Homicide-Murder first degree	22	Jury
California, C....	U.S. v. Alspuroleon, Raul	Narcotics	22	Jury
Nevada.....	U.S. v. Wyman, Sidney	Gambling and Lottery	22	Jury
New Jersey.....	U.S. v. Cannon, Leroy Jr.	Narcotics	21	Jury
Pennsylvania, E..	U.S. v. Grasso, Michael Jr.	Extortion, Racketeering and threats	20	Nonjury
Florida, M.....	U.S. v. Smith, Samuel	Narcotics	20	Jury
Ohio, N.....	U.S. v. Medved, John E.	Robbery-bank	20	Jury
New York, E.....	U.S. v. McGrath, John	Extortion, Racketeering and threats	20	Jury
Oklahoma, N.....	U.S. v. Heath, James Vernon	Narcotics	20	Jury

TABLE C 10. U.S. DISTRICT COURTS
TIME INTERVALS FROM ISSUE TO TRIAL OF CIVIL CASES IN WHICH A TRIAL WAS COMPLETED, BY DISTRICT
DURING THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	TOTAL TRIALS[1]				NONJURY TRIALS				JURY TRIALS			
	NUMBER OF TRIALS	TIME INTERVAL IN MONTHS*			NUMBER OF TRIALS	TIME INTERVAL IN MONTHS*			NUMBER OF TRIALS	TIME INTERVAL IN MONTHS*		
		10 PER-CENT LESS THAN	ME-DIAN	10 PER-CENT MORE THAN		10 PER-CENT LESS THAN	ME-DIAN	10 PER-CENT MORE THAN		10 PER-CENT LESS THAN	ME-DIAN	10 PER-CENT MORE THAN
TOTAL ALL DISTRICTS	8,268	2	12	33	4,455	1	11	33	3,813	3	13	34
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	119	3	10	38	81	3	10	35	38	4	13	41
FIRST CIRCUIT....	246	4	21	53	100	2	15	47	146	6	26	54
MAINE.....	9	-	-	-	6	-	-	-	3	-	-	-
MASSACHUSETTS.....	118	8	35	58	47	5	25	57	71	10	38	58
NEW HAMPSHIRE.....	53	2	14	30	22	-	-	-	31	9	19	30
RHODE ISLAND.....	12	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	10	-	-	-
PUERTO RICO.....	54	1	8	32	23	-	-	-	31	1	10	29
SECOND CIRCUIT...	888	2	18	42	465	1	18	43	423	4	17	40
CONNECTICUT.....	80	4	27	45	34	1	24	42	46	13	27	53
NEW YORK NORTHERN...	30	1	24	40	8	-	-	-	22	-	-	-
NEW YORK EASTERN....	185	1	13	40	100	1	11	35	85	5	18	47
NEW YORK SOUTHERN...	505	4	17	42	285	3	18	46	220	4	16	35
NEW YORK WESTERN....	39	1	17	29	20	-	-	-	19	-	-	-
VERMONT.....	49	1	13	28	18	-	-	-	31	6	13	34
THIRD CIRCUIT....	865	3	15	33	334	1	12	34	531	5	15	32
DELAWARE.....	23	-	-	-	13	-	-	-	10	-	-	-
NEW JERSEY.....	186	4	16	38	78	2	15	36	108	5	18	38
PENNSYLVANIA EASTERN	390	5	15	31	116	4	13	32	274	6	16	31
PENNSYLVANIA MIDDLE.	56	1	8	23	11	-	-	-	45	1	8	23
PENNSYLVANIA WESTERN	139	1	12	31	75	1	10	28	64	2	15	35
VIRGIN ISLANDS.....	71	2	17	33	41	1	18	45	30	10	15	22
FOURTH CIRCUIT...	690	2	8	27	318	2	8	29	372	2	7	22
MARYLAND.....	99	3	12	36	55	3	14	41	44	2	11	35
NO. CAROLINA EASTERN	25	1	14	43	8	-	-	-	17	-	-	-
NO. CAROLINA MIDDLE.	15	-	-	-	12	-	-	-	3	-	-	-
NO. CAROLINA WESTERN	80	3	9	18	23	-	-	-	57	4	8	15
SOUTH CAROLINA.....	125	1	8	23	36	5	10	29	89	1	8	17
VIRGINIA EASTERN....	231	2	5	11	132	1	5	12	99	4	5	11
VIRGINIA WESTERN....	45	2	10	24	17	-	-	-	28	1	9	21
W. VIRGINIA NORTHERN	13	-	-	-	7	-	-	-	6	-	-	-
W. VIRGINIA SOUTHERN	57	1	17	34	28	1	7	33	29	1	21	49
FIFTH CIRCUIT....	2,144	1	11	27	1,196	1	10	28	948	2	11	27
ALABAMA NORTHERN....	194	1	7	20	89	1	7	20	105	2	7	16
ALABAMA MIDDLE.....	55	1	4	11	19	-	-	-	36	1	4	9
ALABAMA SOUTHERN....	65	2	7	13	34	1	8	21	31	2	6	9
FLORIDA NORTHERN....	34	1	12	27	23	-	-	-	11	-	-	-
FLORIDA MIDDLE.....	89	1	14	26	60	1	11	24	29	10	20	29
FLORIDA SOUTHERN....	119	3	8	17	78	3	8	14	41	3	8	17
GEORGIA NORTHERN....	116	4	13	31	63	1	15	36	53	7	14	23
GEORGIA MIDDLE.....	53	4	8	18	14	-	-	-	39	4	7	16
GEORGIA SOUTHERN....	87	5	11	29	31	2	12	48	56	5	10	18
LOUISIANA EASTERN...	332	8	16	31	152	7	15	32	180	8	17	30
LOUISIANA MIDDLE....	11	-	-	-	6	-	-	-	5	-	-	-
LOUISIANA WESTERN...	122	1	12	27	73	1	9	26	49	1	15	29
MISSISSIPPI NORTHERN	57	1	10	26	32	2	13	29	25	1	9	18
MISSISSIPPI SOUTHERN	88	3	13	23	46	3	13	23	42	4	13	21
TEXAS NORTHERN.....	231	1	11	23	133	1	11	23	98	1	9	21
TEXAS EASTERN.....	121	1	8	20	50	1	8	19	71	1	7	21
TEXAS SOUTHERN.....	162	2	22	37	119	2	21	35	43	9	23	50
TEXAS WESTERN.....	72	1	14	40	38	1	15	29	34	1	13	40
CANAL ZONE.....	136	1	1	4	136	1	1	4	-	-	-	-

TABLE C 10. U.S. DISTRICT COURTS
TIME INTERVALS FROM ISSUE TO TRIAL OF CIVIL CASES IN WHICH A TRIAL WAS COMPLETED, BY DISTRICT
DURING THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	TOTAL TRIALS[1]				NONJURY TRIALS				JURY TRIALS			
	NUMBER OF TRIALS	TIME INTERVAL IN MONTHS*			NUMBER OF TRIALS	TIME INTERVAL IN MONTHS*			NUMBER OF TRIALS	TIME INTERVAL IN MONTHS*		
		10 PER-CENT LESS THAN	ME-DIAN	10 PER-CENT MORE THAN		10 PER-CENT LESS THAN	ME-DIAN	10 PER-CENT MORE THAN		10 PER-CENT LESS THAN	ME-DIAN	10 PER-CENT MORE THAN
SIXTH CIRCUIT....	920	2	13	36	505	1	12	36	415	3	14	36
KENTUCKY EASTERN....	38	2	19	45	20	-	-	-	18	-	-	-
KENTUCKY WESTERN....	23	-	-	-	6	-	-	-	17	-	-	-
MICHIGAN EASTERN....	214	10	21	43	120	9	21	43	94	10	21	43
MICHIGAN WESTERN....	50	8	31	42	21	-	-	-	29	7	32	42
OHIO NORTHERN.....	254	1	7	28	181	1	5	25	73	2	13	29
OHIO SOUTHERN.....	102	5	14	25	52	5	14	25	50	5	14	24
TENNESSEE EASTERN...	119	1	6	14	37	1	6	11	82	1	6	15
TENNESSEE MIDDLE....	55	4	11	31	30	3	10	21	25	5	14	33
TENNESSEE WESTERN...	65	1	10	21	38	1	9	21	27	6	10	18
SEVENTH CIRCUIT..	351	2	15	37	184	1	14	34	167	4	16	40
ILLINOIS NORTHERN...	131	2	13	30	77	3	14	29	54	1	13	32
ILLINOIS EASTERN....	34	1	16	46	14	-	-	-	20	-	-	-
ILLINOIS SOUTHERN...	16	-	-	-	10	-	-	-	6	-	-	-
INDIANA NORTHERN....	52	6	24	39	17	-	-	-	35	10	23	39
INDIANA SOUTHERN....	69	4	13	28	40	3	14	29	29	4	11	19
WISCONSIN EASTERN...	35	10	30	59	13	-	-	-	22	-	-	-
WISCONSIN WESTERN...	14	-	-	-	13	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
EIGHTH CIRCUIT...	612	1	14	32	311	1	11	32	301	3	15	30
ARKANSAS EASTERN....	61	3	19	37	31	1	16	33	30	3	20	37
ARKANSAS WESTERN....	58	1	18	39	28	1	18	37	30	1	17	39
IOWA NORTHERN.....	26	10	19	31	7	-	-	-	19	-	-	-
IOWA SOUTHERN.....	27	1	22	32	10	-	-	-	17	-	-	-
MINNESOTA.....	75	1	16	38	42	1	15	38	33	1	16	37
MISSOURI EASTERN....	161	2	6	18	84	2	6	21	77	2	7	17
MISSOURI WESTERN....	67	1	18	32	38	1	17	32	29	9	18	29
NEBRASKA.....	90	5	15	22	46	2	12	21	44	5	17	22
NORTH DAKOTA.....	18	-	-	-	13	-	-	-	5	-	-	-
SOUTH DAKOTA.....	29	1	14	27	12	-	-	-	17	-	-	-
NINTH CIRCUIT....	782	5	15	35	552	4	14	34	230	6	17	39
ALASKA.....	18	-	-	-	15	-	-	-	3	-	-	-
ARIZONA.....	27	2	24	39	20	-	-	-	7	-	-	-
CALIFORNIA NORTHERN.	167	5	15	35	119	5	15	34	48	5	14	36
CALIFORNIA EASTERN..	19	-	-	-	16	-	-	-	3	-	-	-
CALIFORNIA CENTRAL..	203	4	13	35	155	4	13	33	48	4	16	35
CALIFORNIA SOUTHERN.	41	8	17	38	32	5	14	32	9	-	-	-
HAWAII.....	19	-	-	-	14	-	-	-	5	-	-	-
IDAHO.....	29	1	15	35	14	-	-	-	15	-	-	-
MONTANA.....	51	1	8	20	29	1	8	16	22	-	-	-
NEVADA.....	30	5	17	28	19	-	-	-	11	-	-	-
OREGON.....	109	7	15	30	72	5	12	26	37	9	18	41
WASHINGTON EASTERN..	15	-	-	-	7	-	-	-	8	-	-	-
WASHINGTON WESTERN..	48	5	22	36	35	5	22	42	13	-	-	-
GUAM.....	6	-	-	-	5	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
TENTH CIRCUIT....	651	1	10	24	409	1	9	23	242	3	11	25
COLORADO.....	166	1	14	26	138	1	13	25	28	4	18	26
KANSAS.....	69	11	23	46	34	1	22	54	35	15	23	43
NEW MEXICO.....	137	1	5	12	94	1	4	12	43	1	7	12
OKLAHOMA NORTHERN...	45	5	7	17	27	5	7	13	18	-	-	-
OKLAHOMA EASTERN....	36	2	7	16	17	-	-	-	19	-	-	-
OKLAHOMA WESTERN....	125	3	8	18	71	2	8	16	54	3	8	21
UTAH.....	33	5	12	20	9	-	-	-	24	-	-	-
WYOMING.....	40	5	8	18	19	-	-	-	21	-	-	-

1 INCLUDES ALL JURY TRIALS AS WELL AS ALL PRELIMINARY INJUNCTIONS AND TEMPORARY RESTRAINING ORDERS REQUIRING MORE THAN A DAY IN TRIAL. EXCLUDES CERTAIN NONJURY TRIALS AS FOLLOWS: LAND CONDEMNATION CASES, FORFEITURE AND PENALTY CASES, PRISONER PETITIONS (INCLUDING HABEAS CORPUS AND MOTIONS TO VACATE SENTENCE UNDER 28 U.S.C 2255), AND HEARINGS ON EVIDENTIARY MATTERS, PRELIMINARY INJUNCTIONS AND BANKRUPTCY PETITIONS. ALSO EXCLUDES THREE JUDGE COURTS.

* TIME INTERVALS COMPUTED ONLY WHERE THERE ARE 25 OR MORE TRIALS.

NOTE ON CRIMINAL APPENDIX TABLES

CRIMINAL TABLES WHICH FOLLOW ARE DIVIDED INTO TWO GROUPS. The first group, designated AC for all cases and AD for all defendants, covers all criminal cases handled by the United States district court, including all felonies, misdemeanors, minor offenses and petty offenses heard only by a judge or appealed to the court from a magistrate's decision. Removals from state courts and juvenile proceedings under provisions of the Federal Juvenile Deliquency Act as well as reopens and remands from courts of appeals are also included.

The second set of tables, designated FMC for felony-misdemeanor cases and FMD for defendants in such cases, includes offenses where the penalty exceeds a year in prison or where the fine is greater than $1,000 or both. This set of tables is provided as a means of assisting our readers in removing minor and petty offense cases from the district court criminal docket. These data are generally comparable to the D tables appearing in the annual reports prior to 1976.

The case count for both series represents all cases filed on the district court's criminal docket. The defendant count in tables D4, D5, D6 and D7 represents non-duplicated dispositions. Thus, if in the same year a defendant has two cases closed, one by dismissal and the other by conviction, only the conviction will be counted. If both cases were dismissed, the more serious offense would be counted at the time of the closing. The purpose of this method of counting is to statistically follow a defendant in the criminal justice process and thereby obtain a count of defendants disposed of instead of cases in which defendants were terminated. Stated another way, when a defendant has several charges in a single indictment, this defendant at time of disposition is counted only once. For a defendant with several cases (indictments or informations) docketed, the conviction for the offense which carries the greatest penalty is used and all other dispositions are not counted. This method tends to equalize at the time of disposition those districts where the U. S. attorney files a single indictment charging several offenses with those districts where separate indictments are filed for each offense.

TABLE D1AC. U.S. DISTRICT COURTS.
CRIMINAL CASES COMMENCED AND TERMINATED, (ALL OFFENSES REPORTED)
FOR THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	PENDING JULY 1, 1976		COMMENCED				PENDING JUNE 30, 1977	
	TOTAL	CASES WITH FUGITIVE DEFENDANTS[1]	TOTAL	ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS	RECEIVED BY TRANSFER	TOTAL TERMINATED[2]	TOTAL	CASES WITH FUGITIVE DEFENDANTS[1]
TOTAL ALL DISTRICTS	19,756	7,074	41,464	39,786	1,678	44,111	17,109	5,490
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	400	49	973	956	17	1,036	337	33
FIRST CIRCUIT	708	243	854	826	28	1,122	440	119
MAINE	58	39	77	76	1	95	40	13
MASSACHUSETTS	440	135	430	415	15	618	252	63
NEW HAMPSHIRE	29	20	32	31	1	53	8	3
RHODE ISLAND	77	8	106	100	6	126	57	13
PUERTO RICO	104	41	209	204	5	230	83	22
SECOND CIRCUIT	2,734	921	2,599	2,478	121	3,346	1,987	730
CONNECTICUT	271	100	211	200	11	349	133	46
NEW YORK NORTHERN	152	80	136	129	7	135	106	53
NEW YORK EASTERN	522	413	759	736	23	572	739	275
NEW YORK SOUTHERN	903	186	1,185	1,129	56	1,350	738	258
NEW YORK WESTERN	387	81	217	197	20	393	211	35
VERMONT	99	61	91	87	4	99	91	65
THIRD CIRCUIT	1,182	166	2,766	2,667	99	2,957	991	113
DELAWARE	50	11	137	132	5	148	39	3
NEW JERSEY	358	22	1,150	1,117	33	1,111	397	24
PENNSYLVANIA EASTERN	238	6	582	547	35	629	191	21
PENNSYLVANIA MIDDLE	89	44	194	183	11	212	71	22
PENNSYLVANIA WESTERN	224	74	299	284	15	363	160	18
VIRGIN ISLANDS	223	9	404	404	-	494	133	15
FOURTH CIRCUIT	1,406	389	4,453	4,332	121	4,684	1,175	242
MARYLAND	619	105	1,189	1,172	17	1,436	372	65
NO. CAROLINA EASTERN	69	14	277	263	14	264	82	13
NO. CAROLINA MIDDLE	64	25	316	297	19	316	64	11
NO. CAROLINA WESTERN	57	16	227	213	14	246	38	9
SOUTH CAROLINA	145	44	374	360	14	349	170	40
VIRGINIA EASTERN	288	126	1,550	1,534	16	1,535	303	73
VIRGINIA WESTERN	35	19	203	190	13	215	23	5
W. VIRGINIA NORTHERN	18	9	108	102	6	97	29	6
W. VIRGINIA SOUTHERN	111	31	209	201	8	226	94	20
FIFTH CIRCUIT	3,457	1,180	10,667	10,299	368	10,867	3,257	1,125
ALABAMA NORTHERN	142	40	597	569	28	602	138	35
ALABAMA MIDDLE	32	3	275	270	5	247	60	8
ALABAMA SOUTHERN	47	7	167	161	6	151	63	7
FLORIDA NORTHERN	45	3	146	136	10	149	42	8
FLORIDA MIDDLE	283	103	501	448	53	514	270	61
FLORIDA SOUTHERN	556	298	828	778	50	730	654	332
GEORGIA NORTHERN	262	85	513	475	38	531	244	60
GEORGIA MIDDLE	69	31	824	814	10	848	45	22
GEORGIA SOUTHERN	227	36	1,693	1,684	9	1,799	121	19
LOUISIANA EASTERN	153	10	709	700	9	701	161	19
LOUISIANA MIDDLE	36	4	142	135	7	157	21	5
LOUISIANA WESTERN	126	4	586	571	15	658	54	5
MISSISSIPPI NORTHERN	20	5	115	109	6	109	26	3
MISSISSIPPI SOUTHERN	44	4	155	144	11	147	52	10
TEXAS NORTHERN	210	73	673	630	43	663	220	52
TEXAS EASTERN	40	10	198	181	17	179	59	5
TEXAS SOUTHERN	778	310	1,146	1,122	24	1,333	591	320
TEXAS WESTERN	327	134	1,097	1,070	27	1,068	356	131
CANAL ZONE	60	20	302	302	-	282	80	25

TABLE D1AC. U.S. DISTRICT COURTS.
CRIMINAL CASES COMMENCED AND TERMINATED, (ALL OFFENSES REPORTED)
FOR THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	PENDING JULY 1, 1976		COMMENCED				PENDING JUNE 30, 1977	
	TOTAL	CASES WITH FUGITIVE DEFENDANTS[1]	TOTAL	ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS	RECEIVED BY TRANSFER	TOTAL TERMINATED[2]	TOTAL	CASES WITH FUGITIVE DEFENDANTS[1]
SIXTH CIRCUIT	2,088	593	4,009	3,829	180	4,542	1,555	196
KENTUCKY EASTERN	141	34	292	289	3	307	126	18
KENTUCKY WESTERN	74	26	436	421	15	436	74	10
MICHIGAN EASTERN	1,034	256	1,192	1,148	44	1,559	667	70
MICHIGAN WESTERN	190	67	247	229	18	321	116	12
OHIO NORTHERN	350	156	651	617	34	800	201	43
OHIO SOUTHERN	69	6	366	339	27	340	95	2
TENNESSEE EASTERN	30	12	226	205	21	219	37	6
TENNESSEE MIDDLE	63	2	410	396	14	401	72	5
TENNESSEE WESTERN	137	34	189	185	4	159	167	30
SEVENTH CIRCUIT	1,283	443	1,818	1,684	134	2,025	1,076	305
ILLINOIS NORTHERN	667	239	795	741	54	798	664	220
ILLINOIS EASTERN	46	2	150	148	2	150	46	5
ILLINOIS SOUTHERN	70	37	94	91	3	123	41	8
INDIANA NORTHERN	213	77	240	227	13	349	104	26
INDIANA SOUTHERN	126	53	228	198	30	275	79	16
WISCONSIN EASTERN	123	33	213	190	23	235	101	22
WISCONSIN WESTERN	38	2	98	89	9	95	41	8
EIGHTH CIRCUIT	597	303	2,568	2,474	94	2,815	750	122
ARKANSAS EASTERN	86	33	262	253	9	265	83	26
ARKANSAS WESTERN	36	3	69	63	6	76	29	1
IOWA NORTHERN	40	23	142	135	7	138	44	7
IOWA SOUTHERN	53	15	101	100	1	123	31	10
MINNESOTA	147	65	308	288	20	352	103	27
MISSOURI EASTERN	126	40	336	323	13	371	91	15
MISSOURI WESTERN	170	41	713	699	14	734	149	16
NEBRASKA	115	56	149	133	16	216	48	12
NORTH DAKOTA	34	15	143	139	4	146	31	4
SOUTH DAKOTA	190	12	345	341	4	394	141	4
NINTH CIRCUIT	4,870	2,576	8,646	8,236	410	8,626	4,890	2,349
ALASKA	84	14	186	182	4	184	86	13
ARIZONA	934	612	1,113	1,087	26	1,097	950	658
CALIFORNIA NORTHERN	210	21	771	698	73	698	283	50
CALIFORNIA EASTERN	265	88	582	560	22	582	265	61
CALIFORNIA CENTRAL	1,039	475	1,906	1,754	152	2,080	865	330
CALIFORNIA SOUTHERN	1,501	1,068	1,054	1,014	40	1,115	1,440	1,052
HAWAII	101	35	1,035	1,022	13	823	313	19
IDAHO	43	19	142	142	-	147	38	4
MONTANA	74	39	223	221	2	233	64	14
NEVADA	113	35	196	180	16	198	111	36
OREGON	170	39	271	242	29	299	142	27
WASHINGTON EASTERN	74	35	165	153	12	184	55	14
WASHINGTON WESTERN	251	93	977	956	21	962	266	69
GUAM	11	3	25	25	-	24	12	2
TENTH CIRCUIT	631	211	2,111	2,005	106	2,091	651	156
COLORADO	134	63	506	477	29	504	136	44
KANSAS	193	55	420	396	24	466	147	38
NEW MEXICO	118	58	260	245	15	259	119	49
OKLAHOMA NORTHERN	56	15	147	142	5	177	26	11
OKLAHOMA EASTERN	8	4	94	91	3	79	23	2
OKLAHOMA WESTERN	57	7	370	354	16	356	71	7
UTAH	55	7	165	155	10	107	113	4
WYOMING	10	2	149	145	4	143	16	1

1 INCLUDES ONLY THOSE CASES WITH FUGITIVE DEFENDANTS WHICH HAD BEEN PENDING 6 MONTHS OR MORE AT THE END OF THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD.
2 INCLUDES TRANSFERS.

TABLE D1AD. U.S. DISTRICT COURTS.
CRIMINAL DEFENDANTS COMMENCED AND TERMINATED, (ALL OFFENSES REPORTED)
FOR THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	PENDING JULY 1, 1976		COMMENCED				TOTAL TERMINATED[1]	PENDING JUNE 30, 1977	
	TOTAL	TRIABLE DEFENDANTS[2]	TOTAL	ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS	RE-OPENED	RECEIVED BY TRANSFER		TOTAL	TRIABLE DEFENDANTS[2]
TOTAL ALL DISTRICTS..	27,770	11,014	54,761	52,497	445	1,819	57,876	24,655	10,778
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.	492	231	1,195	1,175	3	17	1,255	432	213
FIRST CIRCUIT.....	970	364	1,191	1,157	6	28	1,496	665	340
MAINE.....	59	11	100	99	-	1	108	51	22
MASSACHUSETTS.....	635	215	623	608	-	15	844	414	206
NEW HAMPSHIRE.....	39	16	34	33	-	1	65	8	4
RHODE ISLAND.....	89	61	138	132	-	6	157	70	42
PUERTO RICO.....	148	61	296	285	6	5	322	122	66
SECOND CIRCUIT....	4,684	2,360	3,906	3,592	171	143	5,062	3,528	1,709
CONNECTICUT.....	406	139	268	256	-	12	459	215	49
NEW YORK NORTHERN....	215	75	193	186	-	7	244	164	51
NEW YORK EASTERN.....	1,593	597	1,172	1,140	-	32	1,395	1,370	647
NEW YORK SOUTHERN....	1,788	1,298	1,860	1,631	170	59	2,302	1,346	785
NEW YORK WESTERN.....	548	220	294	265	-	29	522	320	146
VERMONT.....	134	31	119	114	1	4	140	113	31
THIRD CIRCUIT.....	1,690	896	3,843	3,649	89	105	4,031	1,502	695
DELAWARE.....	56	14	159	151	1	7	164	51	22
NEW JERSEY.....	562	318	1,469	1,409	27	33	1,408	623	287
PENNSYLVANIA EASTERN.	387	214	939	841	60	38	983	343	178
PENNSYLVANIA MIDDLE..	118	44	248	237	-	11	268	98	29
PENNSYLVANIA WESTERN.	311	63	536	519	1	16	612	235	94
VIRGIN ISLANDS.....	256	243	492	492	-	-	596	152	85
FOURTH CIRCUIT....	1,766	834	5,631	5,486	11	134	5,886	1,511	588
MARYLAND.....	767	366	1,399	1,378	4	17	1,689	477	205
NO. CAROLINA EASTERN.	87	41	381	365	-	16	348	120	71
NO. CAROLINA MIDDLE..	73	36	398	379	-	19	395	76	18
NO. CAROLINA WESTERN.	81	48	287	271	1	15	320	48	18
SOUTH CAROLINA.....	218	115	564	545	2	17	508	274	104
VIRGINIA EASTERN.....	327	110	1,740	1,719	-	21	1,722	345	89
VIRGINIA WESTERN.....	36	11	217	201	3	13	229	24	14
W. VIRGINIA NORTHERN.	18	1	127	120	-	7	107	38	17
W. VIRGINIA SOUTHERN.	159	106	518	508	1	9	568	109	52
FIFTH CIRCUIT.....	4,625	1,702	14,018	13,557	57	404	13,966	4,677	1,896
ALABAMA NORTHERN.....	188	84	793	763	-	30	800	181	69
ALABAMA MIDDLE.....	62	44	328	322	1	5	321	69	42
ALABAMA SOUTHERN.....	56	30	297	291	-	6	225	128	97
FLORIDA NORTHERN.....	74	32	212	195	5	12	216	70	22
FLORIDA MIDDLE.....	404	162	743	684	3	56	753	394	184
FLORIDA SOUTHERN.....	809	179	1,272	1,196	19	57	1,086	995	383
GEORGIA NORTHERN.....	409	143	760	714	5	41	778	391	118
GEORGIA MIDDLE.....	93	28	872	862	-	10	908	57	8
GEORGIA SOUTHERN.....	256	158	1,757	1,747	1	9	1,881	132	70
LOUISIANA EASTERN....	215	123	962	946	6	10	973	204	112
LOUISIANA MIDDLE.....	45	21	169	162	-	7	187	27	11
LOUISIANA WESTERN....	133	85	618	593	7	18	692	59	33
MISSISSIPPI NORTHERN.	26	7	169	162	-	7	152	43	18
MISSISSIPPI SOUTHERN.	58	28	203	191	-	12	193	68	34
TEXAS NORTHERN.....	238	96	902	848	2	52	840	300	131
TEXAS EASTERN.....	43	20	254	237	-	17	206	91	69
TEXAS SOUTHERN.....	992	291	1,839	1,812	-	27	1,967	864	281
TEXAS WESTERN.....	460	154	1,509	1,473	8	28	1,451	518	187
CANAL ZONE.....	64	17	359	359	-	-	337	86	27

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FOR THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	PENDING JULY 1, 1976		COMMENCED				TOTAL TERMINATED[1]	PENDING JUNE 30, 1977	
	TOTAL	TRIABLE DEFENDANTS[2]	TOTAL	ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS	RE-OPENED	RECEIVED BY TRANSFER		TOTAL	TRIABLE DEFENDANTS[2]
SIXTH CIRCUIT.....	2,971	1,390	5,087	4,871	25	191	5,806	2,252	1,196
KENTUCKY EASTERN.....	190	96	374	368	3	3	399	165	73
KENTUCKY WESTERN.....	150	80	570	554	-	16	609	111	85
MICHIGAN EASTERN.....	1,433	640	1,534	1,487	3	44	1,972	995	507
MICHIGAN WESTERN.....	217	105	299	281	-	18	375	141	108
OHIO NORTHERN.....	450	216	794	752	4	38	981	263	139
OHIO SOUTHERN.....	87	36	446	410	5	31	416	117	63
TENNESSEE EASTERN....	32	12	310	285	3	22	286	56	21
TENNESSEE MIDDLE.....	116	83	466	446	5	15	502	80	33
TENNESSEE WESTERN....	296	122	294	288	2	4	266	324	167
SEVENTH CIRCUIT...	1,891	739	2,520	2,356	16	148	2,918	1,493	717
ILLINOIS NORTHERN....	1,089	411	1,142	1,079	5	58	1,288	943	441
ILLINOIS EASTERN.....	57	37	191	183	6	2	188	60	33
ILLINOIS SOUTHERN....	99	36	114	107	4	3	157	56	22
INDIANA NORTHERN.....	280	103	383	370	-	13	530	133	53
INDIANA SOUTHERN.....	156	60	306	271	1	34	345	117	77
WISCONSIN EASTERN....	169	78	284	255	-	29	310	143	73
WISCONSIN WESTERN....	41	14	100	91	-	9	100	41	18
EIGHTH CIRCUIT....	1,193	422	3,198	3,085	10	103	3,396	995	504
ARKANSAS EASTERN.....	102	50	333	322	2	9	328	107	48
ARKANSAS WESTERN.....	39	10	96	89	-	7	92	43	24
IOWA NORTHERN.....	44	11	211	199	1	11	194	61	29
IOWA SOUTHERN.....	57	24	116	115	-	1	132	41	16
MINNESOTA.....	211	41	412	392	-	20	473	150	40
MISSOURI EASTERN.....	149	53	432	415	3	14	452	129	65
MISSOURI WESTERN.....	198	85	786	771	1	14	800	184	111
NEBRASKA.....	144	43	209	189	2	18	288	65	28
NORTH DAKOTA.....	34	15	193	188	1	4	182	45	32
SOUTH DAKOTA.....	215	90	410	405	-	5	455	170	111
NINTH CIRCUIT.....	6,692	1,783	11,393	10,907	50	436	11,299	6,786	2,508
ALASKA.....	118	70	258	245	3	10	247	129	77
ARIZONA.....	1,222	238	1,742	1,701	13	28	1,689	1,275	307
CALIFORNIA NORTHERN..	315	131	1,007	924	8	75	913	409	168
CALIFORNIA EASTERN...	344	124	756	733	-	23	709	391	204
CALIFORNIA CENTRAL...	1,376	393	2,391	2,226	6	159	2,654	1,113	429
CALIFORNIA SOUTHERN..	2,197	414	1,680	1,633	5	42	1,672	2,205	502
HAWAII.....	154	85	1,101	1,086	-	15	904	351	275
IDAHO.....	49	12	177	177	-	-	172	54	38
MONTANA.....	75	16	256	248	6	2	261	70	38
NEVADA.....	161	51	267	243	7	17	278	150	46
OREGON.....	253	56	372	341	-	31	425	200	114
WASHINGTON EASTERN...	82	24	181	168	-	13	200	63	40
WASHINGTON WESTERN...	332	160	1,167	1,144	2	21	1,144	355	254
GUAM.....	14	9	38	38	-	-	31	21	16
TENTH CIRCUIT.....	796	293	2,779	2,662	7	110	2,761	814	412
COLORADO.....	152	41	643	608	3	32	629	166	67
KANSAS.....	238	79	552	526	2	24	604	186	62
NEW MEXICO.....	150	29	375	358	1	16	376	149	44
OKLAHOMA NORTHERN....	93	77	225	220	-	5	285	33	7
OKLAHOMA EASTERN.....	8	2	112	108	1	3	95	25	10
OKLAHOMA WESTERN.....	73	23	495	479	-	16	471	97	87
UTAH.....	72	39	212	202	-	10	143	141	127
WYOMING.....	10	3	165	161	-	4	158	17	8

1 INCLUDES TRANSFERS AND DEFENDANTS IN MORE THAN ONE CASE.
2 INCLUDES ALL DEFENDANTS TRIABLE; I.E., AVAILABLE FOR FINAL PLEA OR TRIAL BY JUDGE OR JURY AS OF JUNE 30, 1977 DOES NOT INCLUDE THOSE DEFENDANTS AWAITING SENTENCE, THOSE COMMITTED FOR OBSERVATION AND STUDY, OR FUGITIVES.

TABLE D2AC U.S. DISTRICT COURTS
CRIMINAL CASES COMMENCED BY NATURE OF OFFENSE (EXCLUDES TRANSFERS)
DURING THE TWELVE MONTH PERIODS ENDED JUNE 30, 1973 AND 1977

NATURE OF PROCEEDINGS AND OFFENSE	TOTAL 1973	TOTAL 1974	TOTAL 1975	TOTAL 1976	TOTAL 1977	PER-CENT CHANGE 1977 OVER 1976[1]
TOTAL	40,367	37,667	41,108	39,147	39,786	1.6
PROCEEDINGS COMMENCED BY						
INDICTMENT	29,752	25,448	26,775	26,150	24,991	-4.4
INFORMATION--INDICTMENT WAIVED	3,481	3,023	2,782	2,583	2,278	-11.8
INFORMATION--OTHER	6,894	8,278	10,384	9,577	11,543	20.5
REMANDED FROM APPELLATE COURT	-	-	-	114	119	4.4
REMOVED FROM STATE COURT	68	78	69	95	154	62.1
REOPENED/REINSTATED	-	-	-	220	333	51.4
APPEAL FROM U.S. MAGISTRATE	-	-	-	108	148	37.0
JUVENILE DELINQUENCY PROCEEDINGS	699	727	522	300	220	-26.7
GENERAL OFFENSES						
HOMICIDE TOTAL	144	160	149	158	131	-17.1
MURDER--1ST DEGREE	52	65	65	74	63	-14.9
MURDER--2ND DEGREE	41	31	20	31	25	-
MANSLAUGHTER	51	64	64	53	43	-
ROBBERY, TOTAL	1,568	1,556	2,166	2,042	1,734	-15.1
BANK	1,379	1,468	2,032	1,905	1,629	-14.5
POSTAL	43	42	63	68	63	-7.4
OTHER	146	46	71	69	42	-
ASSAULT	695	710	833	832	691	-16.9
BURGLARY--BREAKING AND ENTERING, TOTAL	269	271	411	354	400	13.0
BANK	38	48	100	42	68	-
POSTAL	43	37	55	61	54	-11.5
INTERSTATE SHIPMENTS	11	9	9	6	4	-
OTHER	177	177	247	245	274	11.8
LARCENY AND THEFT, TOTAL	3,516	3,565	4,626	4,006	4,733	18.1
BANK	179	171	264	168	144	-14.3
POSTAL	1,373	1,398	1,798	1,527	1,742	14.1
INTERSTATE SHIPMENTS	736	771	948	699	523	-25.2
OTHER U.S. PROPERTY	533	523	662	661	1,052	59.2
TRANSPORTATION, ETC., OF STOLEN PROPERTY	309	239	330	266	358	34.6
OTHER	386	463	624	685	914	33.4
EMBEZZLEMENT, TOTAL	1,571	1,612	1,870	1,778	1,977	11.2
BANK	832	896	1,149	1,087	1,062	-2.3
POSTAL	451	394	367	319	344	7.8
OTHER	288	322	354	372	571	53.5
FRAUD, TOTAL	3,076	3,073	3,666	3,930	4,986	26.9
INCOME TAX	1,285	1,292	1,275	1,271	1,506	18.5
LENDING INSTITUTIONS	336	384	550	435	511	17.5
POSTAL	626	605	743	844	951	12.7
VETERANS AND ALLOTMENTS	11	15	9	23	64	-
OTHER	818	777	1,089	1,357	1,954	44.0
AUTO THEFT	1,960	1,790	1,591	1,430	1,167	-18.4

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TABLE D2AC U.S. DISTRICT COURTS
CRIMINAL CASES COMMENCED BY NATURE OF OFFENSE (EXCLUDES TRANSFERS)
DURING THE TWELVE MONTH PERIODS ENDED JUNE 30, 1973 AND 1977

NATURE OF PROCEEDINGS AND OFFENSE	TOTAL 1973	TOTAL 1974	TOTAL 1975	TOTAL 1976	TOTAL 1977	PER-CENT CHANGE 1977 OVER 1976[1]
FORGERY AND COUNTERFEITING, TOTAL	4,104	4,360	4,607	3,972	3,976	.1
TRANSPORTATION OF FORGERY SECURITIES	898	923	1,014	982	628	-36.0
POSTAL FORGERY	86	141	126	101	113	11.9
OTHER FORGERY	2,482	2,791	2,851	2,511	2,631	4.8
COUNTERFEITING	638	505	616	378	604	59.8
SEX OFFENSES, TOTAL	180	189	176	127	141	11.0
RAPE	90	103	101	78	88	12.8
WHITE SLAVE TRAFFIC	63	62	50	29	25	-
OTHER	27	24	25	20	28	-
NARCOTICS, TOTAL	8,817	7,374	7,331	6,198	4,866	-21.5
MARIHUANA TAX ACT	71	26	8	-	1	-
BORDER REGISTRATIONS	-	-	-	-	-	-
OTHER	70	54	25	66	34	-
DRUG ABUSE PREVENTION AND CONTROL ACT, TOTAL[2]	8,676	7,294	7,298	6,132	4,831	-21.2
DAPCA MARIHUANA	3,448	2,842	2,672	2,046	1,457	-28.8
DAPCA NARCOTICS	4,284	3,392	3,484	3,222	2,709	-15.9
DAPCA CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES	944	1,060	1,142	864	665	-23.0
MISCELLANEOUS GENERAL OFFENSES, TOTAL	5,020	6,021	7,230	7,971	10,155	27.4
BRIBERY	181	189	286	178	196	10.1
DRUNK DRIVING AND TRAFFIC	211	531	1,220	2,587	4,966	92.0
ESCAPE[3]	1,377	1,505	1,497	1,433	1,352	-5.7
EXTORTION, RACKETEERING, AND THREATS	402	353	394	406	348	-14.3
GAMBLING AND LOTTERY	152	112	163	130	82	-36.9
KIDNAPPING	98	127	134	75	79	5.3
PERJURY	230	204	225	187	153	-18.2
WEAPONS AND FIREARMS	2,224	2,911	3,165	2,847	2,858	.4
OTHER	145	89	146	128	121	-5.5
SPECIAL OFFENSES						
IMMIGRATION LAWS	2,208	1,921	1,947	2,070	1,436	-30.6
LIQUOR, INTERNAL REVENUE	901	641	349	187	140	-25.1
FEDERAL STATUTES, TOTAL	6,338	4,424	4,156	4,092	3,253	-20.5
AGRICULTURAL ACTS	549	508	451	426	314	-26.3
ANTITRUST VIOLATIONS	20	24	36	19	31	-
CIVIL RIGHTS[4]	136	134	127	85	63	-25.9
FAIR LABOR STANDARDS ACT	3	1	1	1	3	-
FOOD AND DRUG ACT	108	116	85	61	111	82.0
MIGRATORY BIRD LAWS	232	253	361	944	561	-40.6
MOTOR CARRIER ACT	252	225	146	113	114	.9
SELECTIVE SERVICE ACT	3,043	1,008	274	120	137	14.2
OTHER NATIONAL DEFENSE LAWS	87	99	105	172	107	-37.8
MAIL, TRANSPORT OBSCENE MATERIAL	76	78	73	37	18	-
POSTAL LAWS, OTHER	-	-	-	-	782	-
OTHER	1,832	1,978	2,497	2,114	1,012	-52.1

1 PERCENT CHANGE IS COMPUTED ON 50 OR MORE CASES.

2 THE COMPREHENSIVE DRUG ABUSE PREVENTION AND CONTROL ACT OF 1970 (PUBLIC LAW 91-513) BECAME EFFECTIVE MAY 1, 1971.

3 INCLUDES ESCAPE FROM CUSTODY, AIDING OR ABETTING AN ESCAPE, FAILURE TO APPEAR IN COURT AND BAIL JUMPING.

4 THESE INCLUDE CASES REMOVED FROM STATE COURTS UNDER PROVISION OF THE CIVIL RIGHTS ACT, 28 U.S.C. 1443.

TABLE D3AC. U.S. DISTRICT COURTS.
CRIMINAL CASES COMMENCED (ALL OFFENSES REPORTED) (EXCLUDES TRANSFERS)
DURING THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	TOTAL	GENERAL OFFENSES							
		HOMI-CIDE	ROB-BERY	ASSAULT	BUR-GLARY	LAR-CENY	EMBEZ-ZLEMENT	FRAUD	AUTO THEFT
TOTAL ALL DISTRICTS....	39,786	131	1,734	691	400	4,733	1,977	4,986	1,167
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.....	956	-	24	4	-	122	20	97	15
FIRST CIRCUIT.....	826	1	32	20	7	92	82	164	13
MAINE.....	76	-	4	-	5	2	4	21	3
MASSACHUSETTS.....	415	1	20	11	-	59	40	86	4
NEW HAMPSHIRE.....	31	-	-	-	-	3	6	7	4
RHODE ISLAND.....	100	-	-	3	-	13	11	15	2
PUERTO RICO.....	204	-	8	6	2	15	21	35	-
SECOND CIRCUIT.....	2,478	1	161	24	9	326	183	409	6
CONNECTICUT.....	200	-	14	3	-	41	25	35	1
NEW YORK NORTHERN.....	129	-	1	-	2	16	17	32	3
NEW YORK EASTERN.....	736	1	71	3	4	81	32	115	1
NEW YORK SOUTHERN.....	1,129	-	61	16	2	153	92	185	-
NEW YORK WESTERN.....	197	-	12	1	1	27	13	31	-
VERMONT.....	87	-	2	1	-	8	4	11	1
THIRD CIRCUIT.....	2,667	20	104	64	69	250	199	811	43
DELAWARE.....	132	-	4	1	-	11	25	26	1
NEW JERSEY.....	1,117	2	19	5	2	102	95	565	16
PENNSYLVANIA EASTERN.....	547	2	45	6	6	61	27	88	4
PENNSYLVANIA MIDDLE.....	183	1	5	5	1	17	25	32	-
PENNSYLVANIA WESTERN.....	284	-	21	4	3	20	22	54	12
VIRGIN ISLANDS.....	404	15	10	43	57	39	5	46	10
FOURTH CIRCUIT.....	4,332	6	196	78	28	675	235	399	92
MARYLAND.....	1,172	-	56	14	5	230	48	84	9
NO. CAROLINA EASTERN.....	263	-	30	5	5	17	24	42	10
NO. CAROLINA MIDDLE.....	297	-	17	1	5	67	16	32	5
NO. CAROLINA WESTERN.....	213	2	17	7	1	10	9	27	11
SOUTH CAROLINA.....	360	-	25	4	3	50	22	72	16
VIRGINIA EASTERN.....	1,534	4	31	36	6	255	86	83	16
VIRGINIA WESTERN.....	190	-	15	8	-	14	11	19	1
W. VIRGINIA NORTHERN.....	102	-	-	1	2	17	8	18	15
W. VIRGINIA SOUTHERN.....	201	-	5	2	1	15	11	22	9
FIFTH CIRCUIT.....	10,299	12	189	95	65	1,091	375	799	409
ALABAMA NORTHERN.....	569	-	19	1	2	101	20	43	110
ALABAMA MIDDLE.....	270	-	4	5	2	33	8	11	25
ALABAMA SOUTHERN.....	161	-	6	1	-	6	9	13	24
FLORIDA NORTHERN.....	136	-	3	10	-	8	4	21	8
FLORIDA MIDDLE.....	448	-	37	5	1	26	31	88	10
FLORIDA SOUTHERN.....	778	2	14	6	-	72	32	100	16
GEORGIA NORTHERN.....	475	1	14	4	1	27	19	75	76
GEORGIA MIDDLE.....	814	1	9	1	1	21	11	30	28
GEORGIA SOUTHERN.....	1,684	-	10	7	2	211	6	13	11
LOUISIANA EASTERN.....	700	-	12	4	1	62	58	60	9
LOUISIANA MIDDLE.....	135	-	-	-	-	21	12	9	-
LOUISIANA WESTERN.....	571	-	4	12	2	56	20	32	21
MISSISSIPPI NORTHERN.....	109	-	-	-	-	5	13	13	9
MISSISSIPPI SOUTHERN.....	144	1	3	5	1	4	4	20	8
TEXAS NORTHERN.....	630	-	14	2	1	84	41	91	14
TEXAS EASTERN.....	181	1	3	-	1	22	9	22	14
TEXAS SOUTHERN.....	1,122	-	13	11	-	28	39	59	10
TEXAS WESTERN.....	1,070	2	13	8	3	269	29	93	15
CANAL ZONE.....	302	4	11	13	47	35	10	6	1

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GENERAL OFFENSES--CONTINUED						SPECIAL OFFENSES				
FORGERY AND COUNTER-FEITING	SEX OF-FENSES	NARCOTICS LAWS		WEAPONS AND FIRE-ARMS	OTHER	IMMI-GRATION LAWS	LIQUOR, INTER-NAL REVENUE	SELEC-TIVE SERVICE ACT	OTHER	CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT
		OLD[1]	NEW[2]							
3,976	141	35	4,831	2,858	7,297	1,436	140	137	3,116	TOTAL ALL DISTRICTS.
117	2	1	277	88	81	9	-	-	99	DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.
88	1	-	78	77	53	14	-	-	104	FIRST CIRCUIT.
4	-	-	6	9	3	1	-	-	14	MAINE.
44	-	-	24	49	43	2	-	-	32	MASSACHUSETTS.
4	-	-	-	4	-	1	-	-	2	NEW HAMPSHIRE.
16	-	-	9	14	2	1	-	-	14	RHODE ISLAND.
20	1	-	39	1	5	9	-	-	42	PUERTO RICO.
284	1	6	328	102	218	45	1	84	290	SECOND CIRCUIT.
21	-	-	11	22	11	1	1	-	14	CONNECTICUT.
6	1	-	6	17	2	13	-	-	13	NEW YORK NORTHERN.
77	-	2	124	20	52	11	-	-	142	NEW YORK EASTERN.
158	-	4	164	23	114	1	-	84	72	NEW YORK SOUTHERN.
22	-	-	17	11	15	4	-	-	43	NEW YORK WESTERN.
-	-	-	6	9	24	15	-	-	6	VERMONT.
285	21	5	237	160	213	41	-	41	104	THIRD CIRCUIT.
35	-	-	9	10	6	-	-	-	4	DELAWARE.
85	-	2	46	29	70	14	-	8	57	NEW JERSEY.
59	-	1	115	58	27	2	-	33	13	PENNSYLVANIA EASTERN.
22	-	-	11	11	43	-	-	-	10	PENNSYLVANIA MIDDLE.
64	1	2	21	26	26	-	-	-	8	PENNSYLVANIA WESTERN.
20	20	-	35	26	41	25	-	-	12	VIRGIN ISLANDS.
395	22	2	322	482	1,067	9	65	1	258	FOURTH CIRCUIT.
90	1	1	160	79	316	5	-	-	74	MARYLAND.
37	-	-	19	45	11	-	3	-	15	NO. CAROLINA EASTERN.
55	-	-	11	36	11	-	23	-	18	NO. CAROLINA MIDDLE.
41	-	-	10	34	4	1	21	-	18	NO. CAROLINA WESTERN.
63	-	-	11	55	14	-	1	-	24	SOUTH CAROLINA.
68	19	-	85	119	647	2	2	1	74	VIRGINIA EASTERN.
15	-	1	3	67	13	-	12	-	11	VIRGINIA WESTERN.
8	-	-	2	7	18	1	-	-	5	W. VIRGINIA NORTHERN.
18	2	-	21	40	33	-	3	-	19	W. VIRGINIA SOUTHERN.
874	11	10	1,461	750	2,557	481	55	2	1,063	FIFTH CIRCUIT.
78	1	2	6	117	14	-	8	-	47	ALABAMA NORTHERN.
27	1	-	13	18	88	-	6	-	29	ALABAMA MIDDLE.
27	-	-	13	35	10	-	4	1	12	ALABAMA SOUTHERN.
27	-	-	12	3	31	-	-	1	8	FLORIDA NORTHERN.
106	2	-	27	31	21	20	1	-	42	FLORIDA MIDDLE.
77	-	1	200	30	80	69	-	-	79	FLORIDA SOUTHERN.
70	-	1	36	82	43	4	3	-	19	GEORGIA NORTHERN.
19	-	-	9	37	632	-	5	-	10	GEORGIA MIDDLE.
18	1	-	22	15	1,246	-	3	-	119	GEORGIA SOUTHERN.
71	1	-	43	56	17	49	1	-	256	LOUISIANA EASTERN.
25	-	-	1	29	1	-	-	-	37	LOUISIANA MIDDLE.
30	1	-	17	38	73	-	3	-	262	LOUISIANA WESTERN.
11	-	-	-	29	5	-	11	-	13	MISSISSIPPI NORTHERN.
18	-	-	13	55	1	-	6	-	5	MISSISSIPPI SOUTHERN.
143	-	-	59	56	79	8	-	-	38	TEXAS NORTHERN.
33	-	-	4	29	29	1	1	-	12	TEXAS EASTERN.
35	1	-	580	42	63	212	1	-	28	TEXAS SOUTHERN.
58	1	6	301	48	87	106	2	-	29	TEXAS WESTERN.
1	2	-	105	-	37	12	-	-	18	CANAL ZONE.

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CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	TOTAL	GENERAL OFFENSES							
		HOMI-CIDE	ROB-BERY	ASSAULT	BUR-GLARY	LAR-CENY	EMBEZ-ZLEMENT	FRAUD	AUTO THEFT
SIXTH CIRCUIT	3,829	4	239	39	15	566	208	606	163
KENTUCKY EASTERN	289	1	12	10	1	39	8	21	31
KENTUCKY WESTERN	421	-	17	5	3	64	13	40	33
MICHIGAN EASTERN	1,148	1	66	4	1	204	48	268	5
MICHIGAN WESTERN	229	1	12	4	-	4[illegible]	16	41	4
OHIO NORTHERN	617	-	50	8	4	100	60	90	21
OHIO SOUTHERN	339	-	34	4	1	41	32	56	7
TENNESSEE EASTERN	205	1	15	2	3	18	12	27	21
TENNESSEE MIDDLE	396	-	10	-	-	29	7	31	30
TENNESSEE WESTERN	185	-	23	2	2	27	12	32	11
SEVENTH CIRCUIT	1,684	7	108	23	14	174	116	413	52
ILLINOIS NORTHERN	741	1	36	5	5	80	42	267	8
ILLINOIS EASTERN	148	2	6	2	2	19	11	13	2
ILLINOIS SOUTHERN	91	-	1	3	1	2	13	16	1
INDIANA NORTHERN	227	-	9	3	3	34	10	37	8
INDIANA SOUTHERN	198	1	38	6	1	19	16	25	17
WISCONSIN EASTERN	190	3	12	2	2	10	13	40	1
WISCONSIN WESTERN	89	-	6	2	-	10	11	15	15
EIGHTH CIRCUIT	2,474	24	83	125	88	317	111	273	92
ARKANSAS EASTERN	253	-	15	2	1	64	10	27	13
ARKANSAS WESTERN	63	-	-	1	1	15	8	16	8
IOWA NORTHERN	135	1	4	1	2	28	13	27	5
IOWA SOUTHERN	100	-	21	2	-	9	6	29	2
MINNESOTA	288	-	12	2	-	20	20	30	6
MISSOURI EASTERN	323	-	15	2	2	73	19	47	12
MISSOURI WESTERN	699	1	6	1	-	28	20	41	21
NEBRASKA	133	-	4	3	-	15	7	24	11
NORTH DAKOTA	139	3	2	22	18	13	5	10	2
SOUTH DAKOTA	341	19	4	89	64	52	3	22	12
NINTH CIRCUIT	8,236	44	503	164	95	879	317	795	131
ALASKA	182	1	7	2	2	14	23	16	-
ARIZONA	1,087	18	17	35	27	55	12	71	15
CALIFORNIA NORTHERN	698	2	106	6	1	55	74	113	5
CALIFORNIA EASTERN	560	1	28	9	4	42	31	64	15
CALIFORNIA CENTRAL	1,754	4	196	33	1	377	105	239	53
CALIFORNIA SOUTHERN	1,014	-	24	11	2	50	13	58	3
HAWAII	1,022	-	20	3	1	24	4	14	1
IDAHO	142	1	6	7	3	15	4	21	3
MONTANA	221	11	2	24	46	48	5	31	2
NEVADA	180	1	18	6	-	24	7	24	4
OREGON	242	-	34	8	-	42	16	40	13
WASHINGTON EASTERN	153	-	8	2	3	10	4	30	13
WASHINGTON WESTERN	956	4	32	16	2	121	18	73	4
GUAM	25	1	5	2	3	2	1	1	-
TENTH CIRCUIT	2,005	12	95	55	10	241	131	220	151
COLORADO	477	1	37	12	-	50	29	54	27
KANSAS	396	-	10	10	3	57	20	29	35
NEW MEXICO	245	9	12	8	2	16	9	29	43
OKLAHOMA NORTHERN	142	-	2	1	1	20	8	11	11
OKLAHOMA EASTERN	91	-	3	-	1	7	5	9	4
OKLAHOMA WESTERN	354	1	13	7	1	43	44	36	17
UTAH	155	1	12	4	-	17	13	35	1
WYOMING	145	-	6	13	2	31	3	17	13

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GENERAL OFFENSES—CONTINUED						SPECIAL OFFENSES				
FORGERY AND COUNTER-FEITING	SEX OF-FENSES	NARCOTICS LAWS OLD[1]	NARCOTICS LAWS NEW[2]	WEAPONS AND FIRE-ARMS	OTHER	IMMI-GRATION LAWS	LIQUOR, INTER-NAL REVENUE	SELEC-TIVE SERVICE ACT	OTHER	CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT
640	7	-	281	325	320	50	12	4	350	SIXTH CIRCUIT.
21	-	-	5	72	28	-	4	-	36	KENTUCKY EASTERN.
75	3	-	12	73	41	-	2	-	40	KENTUCKY WESTERN.
162	1	-	184	54	34	41	1	1	73	MICHIGAN EASTERN.
47	1	-	13	13	7	5	-	-	21	MICHIGAN WESTERN.
153	-	-	23	41	27	3	-	-	37	OHIO NORTHERN.
97	-	-	5	15	16	1	-	2	28	OHIO SOUTHERN.
39	-	-	5	25	9	-	4	1	23	TENNESSEE EASTERN.
23	1	-	26	17	141	-	-	-	81	TENNESSEE MIDDLE.
23	1	-	8	15	17	-	1	-	11	TENNESSEE WESTERN.
181	3	-	212	127	119	35	-	2	98	SEVENTH CIRCUIT.
62	2	-	124	28	33	11	-	-	37	ILLINOIS NORTHERN.
20	1	-	15	16	14	9	-	1	15	ILLINOIS EASTERN.
15	-	-	3	14	5	11	-	-	6	ILLINOIS SOUTHERN.
36	-	-	35	21	21	-	-	1	9	INDIANA NORTHERN.
18	-	-	17	9	19	4	-	-	8	INDIANA SOUTHERN.
25	-	-	18	35	13	-	-	-	16	WISCONSIN EASTERN.
5	-	-	-	4	14	-	-	-	7	WISCONSIN WESTERN.
223	22	1	185	194	568	13	4	-	151	EIGHTH CIRCUIT.
48	-	-	10	35	8	-	-	-	20	ARKANSAS EASTERN.
1	-	-	1	7	-	3	1	-	1	ARKANSAS WESTERN.
19	-	-	4	8	10	-	-	-	13	IOWA NORTHERN.
4	-	-	3	12	3	1	-	-	8	IOWA SOUTHERN.
30	4	-	81	42	17	-	-	-	24	MINNESOTA.
40	-	-	43	34	14	1	-	-	21	MISSOURI EASTERN.
23	-	-	33	20	483	1	3	-	18	MISSOURI WESTERN.
19	1	1	7	8	2	6	-	-	25	NEBRASKA.
31	5	-	1	12	6	-	-	-	9	NORTH DAKOTA.
8	12	-	2	16	25	1	-	-	12	SOUTH DAKOTA.
639	39	8	1,231	362	1,845	707	1	3	473	NINTH CIRCUIT.
17	-	-	43	11	27	2	-	1	16	ALASKA.
38	20	-	407	52	117	165	-	-	38	ARIZONA.
100	1	2	73	22	51	39	-	1	47	CALIFORNIA NORTHERN.
88	1	-	38	46	32	118	-	-	43	CALIFORNIA EASTERN.
189	-	6	121	101	165	81	1	1	81	CALIFORNIA CENTRAL.
50	-	-	405	20	65	221	-	-	92	CALIFORNIA CENTRAL.
16	1	-	25	17	877	-	-	-	19	HAWAII.
17	1	-	6	34	4	16	-	-	4	IDAHO.
12	8	-	2	3	9	2	-	-	16	MONTANA.
20	2	-	21	12	19	8	-	-	14	NEVADA.
30	1	-	12	14	5	14	-	-	13	OREGON.
16	2	-	12	11	8	28	-	-	6	WASHINGTON EASTERN.
43	2	-	61	19	466	13	-	-	82	WASHINGTON WESTERN.
3	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	2	GUAM.
250	12	2	219	191	256	32	2	-	126	TENTH CIRCUIT.
42	3	-	45	23	125	3	-	-	26	COLORADO.
81	1	-	33	16	64	4	1	-	32	KANSAS.
15	6	2	35	19	10	18	1	-	11	NEW MEXICO.
35	-	-	10	27	3	3	-	-	10	OKLAHOMA NORTHERN.
18	-	-	-	36	2	-	-	-	6	OKLAHOMA EASTERN.
35	1	-	72	44	32	1	-	-	7	OKLAHOMA WESTERN.
15	1	-	9	13	9	3	-	-	22	UTAH.
9	-	-	15	13	11	-	-	-	12	WYOMING.

1 OLD LAW - HARRISON NARCOTIC DRUG ACT, MARIHUANA TAX ACT AND BORDER REGISTRATION OF ADDICTS AND NARCOTIC LAW VIOLATORS WAS REPEALED MAY 1, 1971. IT WAS REPLACED BY THE:
2 COMPREHENSIVE DRUG ABUSE PREVENTION AND CONTROL ACT OF 1970 (P.L. 91-513) WHICH BECAME EFFECTIVE MAY 1, 1971.

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CRIMINAL DEFENDANTS DISPOSED OF BY NATURE OF OFFENSE AND TYPE OF DISPOSITION
(ALL OFFENSES REPORTED), FOR THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

NATURE OF OFFENSE	TOTAL DEFENDANTS	NOT CONVICTED				CONVICTED AND SENTENCED			
		TOTAL	DIS-MISSED[2]	ACQUITTED BY		TOTAL	PLEA OF GUILTY OR NOLO CON-TENDERE	CONVICTED BY	
				COURT	JURY			COURT	JURY
TOTAL	53,188	11,720	9,940	398	1,382	41,468	35,336	1,629	4,503
CIVIL RIGHTS REMOVED FROM STATE COURT[1]	20	20	20	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL (EXCLUDING CIVIL RIGHTS)	53,168	11,700	9,920	398	1,382	41,468	35,336	1,629	4,503
GENERAL OFFENSES									
HOMICIDE, TOTAL	153	36	20	1	15	117	69	4	44
MURDER--1ST DEGREE	83	24	13	1	10	59	23	2	34
MURDER--2ND DEGREE	29	3	1	-	2	26	19	-	7
MANSLAUGHTER	41	9	6	-	3	32	27	2	3
ROBBERY, TOTAL	2,340	295	223	2	70	2,045	1,608	24	413
BANK	2,182	272	207	2	63	1,910	1,499	20	391
POSTAL	91	9	4	-	5	82	65	1	16
OTHER	67	14	12	-	2	53	44	3	6
ASSAULT	768	220	160	5	55	548	405	34	109
BURGLARY--BREAKING AND ENTERING, TOTAL	517	117	107	3	7	400	362	12	26
BANK	90	11	8	-	3	79	70	-	9
POSTAL	91	11	10	-	1	80	69	3	8
INTERSTATE SHIPMENTS	3	-	-	-	-	3	3	-	-
OTHER	333	95	89	3	3	238	220	9	9
LARCENY AND THEFT, TOTAL	5,667	926	736	53	137	4,741	4,231	203	307
BANK	172	27	21	1	5	145	133	3	9
POSTAL	2,018	223	189	4	30	1,795	1,702	21	72
INTERSTATE SHIPMENTS	969	176	116	4	56	793	657	23	113
OTHER U.S. PROPERTY	1,084	123	104	5	14	961	852	71	38
TRANSPORTATION, ETC. OF STOLEN PROPERTY	439	87	60	7	20	352	291	8	53
OTHER	985	290	246	32	12	695	596	77	22
EMBEZZLEMENT, TOTAL	2,151	230	166	10	54	1,921	1,794	42	85
BANK	1,146	121	85	4	32	1,025	964	16	45
POSTAL	361	28	25	-	3	333	312	3	18
OTHER	644	81	56	6	19	563	518	23	22
FRAUD, TOTAL	5,782	973	763	28	182	4,809	4,112	107	590
INCOME TAX	1,693	204	147	7	50	1,489	1,273	30	186
LENDING INSTITUTIONS	548	110	85	1	24	438	372	8	58
POSTAL	1,293	271	217	3	51	1,022	820	17	185
VETERANS AND ALLOTMENTS	58	15	15	-	-	43	42	-	1
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE	104	33	28	-	5	71	56	3	12
SOCIAL SECURITY	133	32	31	1	-	101	95	3	3
NATIONALITY LAWS	162	16	13	-	3	146	142	2	2
FALSE CLAIMS AND STATEMENTS	652	134	104	5	25	518	424	12	82
OTHER	1,139	158	123	11	24	981	888	32	61
AUTO THEFT	1,599	228	194	1	33	1,371	1,183	21	167
FORGERY AND COUNTERFEITING, TOTAL	4,704	589	510	4	75	4,115	3,749	35	331
TRANSPORTATION OF FORGED SECURITIES	886	139	122	-	17	747	653	3	91
POSTAL FORGERY	135	19	19	-	-	116	96	1	19
OTHER FORGERY	2,878	303	262	3	38	2,575	2,406	24	145
COUNTERFEITING	805	128	107	1	20	677	594	7	76

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NATURE OF OFFENSE	TOTAL DEFENDANTS	NOT CONVICTED				CONVICTED AND SENTENCED			
		TOTAL	DIS-MISSED[2]	ACQUITTED BY		TOTAL	PLEA OF GUILTY OR NOLO CON-TENDERE	CONVICTED BY	
				COURT	JURY			COURT	JURY
GENERAL OFFENSES--CONTINUED									
SEX OFFENSES, TOTAL	200	62	38	4	20	138	86	9	43
RAPE	115	34	23	-	11	81	63	2	16
WHITE SLAVE TRAFFIC	57	17	9	-	8	40	13	4	23
OTHER	28	11	6	4	1	17	10	3	4
NARCOTICS, TOTAL	9,741	2,106	1,754	53	299	7,635	5,970	387	1,278
MARIHUANA TAX ACT	23	21	20	-	1	2	2	-	-
BORDER REGISTRATIONS	2	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
OTHER	123	64	60	-	4	59	43	6	10
DRUG ABUSE PREVENTION AND CONTROL ACT, TOTAL	9,593	2,019	1,672	53	294	7,574	5,925	381	1,268
MARIHUANA	2,744	607	524	18	65	2,137	1,703	151	283
NARCOTICS	5,553	1,127	906	27	194	4,426	3,424	186	816
CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES	1,296	285	242	8	35	1,011	798	44	169
MISCELLANEOUS GENERAL OFFENSES, TOTAL	11,092	2,378	1,938	135	305	8,714	7,408	484	822
BRIBERY	297	52	32	2	18	245	212	3	30
DRUNK DRIVING AND TRAFFIC	4,723	860	742	97	21	3,863	3,496	292	75
ESCAPE, TOTAL	1,161	214	188	2	24	947	855	14	78
ESCAPE FROM CUSTODY	654	96	87	2	7	558	519	4	35
BAIL JUMPING	369	82	78	-	4	287	265	8	14
OTHER	138	36	23	-	13	102	71	2	29
EXTORTION, RACKETEERING AND THREATS	669	292	221	3	68	377	260	9	108
GAMBLING AND LOTTERY	622	221	172	8	41	401	252	42	107
KIDNAPPING	151	29	27	-	2	122	68	2	53
PERJURY	209	72	47	3	22	137	76	4	57
WEAPONS AND FIREARMS	3,118	583	463	11	109	2,535	2,130	96	309
OTHER	142	55	46	9	-	87	59	23	5
SPECIAL OFFENSES									
IMMIGRATION LAWS	1,610	214	185	13	16	1,396	1,295	50	51
LIQUOR, INTERNAL REVENUE	188	23	18	-	5	165	148	6	11
FEDERAL STATUTES, TOTAL	6,656	3,303	3,108	86	109	3,353	2,916	211	226
AGRICULTURAL ACTS	369	100	81	8	11	269	247	8	14
ANTITRUST VIOLATIONS	188	27	5	-	22	161	158	2	1
CIVIL RIGHTS	83	33	18	1	14	50	27	1	22
CONTEMPT	461	355	346	6	3	106	80	20	6
FAIR LABOR STANDARDS ACT	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
FOOD AND DRUG ACT	163	36	29	-	7	127	116	2	9
CUSTOMS LAWS	215	54	43	2	9	161	133	9	19
MIGRATORY BIRD LAWS	786	119	73	43	3	667	570	90	7
MOTOR CARRIER ACT	116	12	12	-	-	104	101	3	-
SELECTIVE SERVICE ACT	2,175	2,146	2,142	2	2	29	22	5	2
OTHER NATIONAL DEFENSE LAWS	129	50	40	6	4	79	53	17	12
MAIL, TRANSPORT OBSCENE MATERIAL	85	32	25	-	7	53	23	1	29
POSTAL LAWS	877	54	53	-	1	823	788	19	16
OTHER	1,008	285	241	18	26	723	600	34	89

1 REMOVED UNDER PROVISIONS OF THE CIVIL RIGHTS ACT, 28 U.S.C. 1443.
2 INCLUDED IN THIS COLUMN ARE DEFENDANTS WHO WERE COMMITTED PURSUANT TO TITLE 28 U.S.C. 2902, OF THE NARCOTIC ADDICT REHABILITATION ACT OF 1966.

TABLE D5AD. U.S. DISTRICT COURTS.
CRIMINAL DEFENDANTS SENTENCED AFTER CONVICTION, BY NATURE OFOFFENSE
(ALL OFFENSES REPORTED), FOR THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

NATURE OF OFFENSE	TOTAL DEFENDANTS SENTENCED	TYPE SENTENCE									AVERAGE SENTENCE OF IMPRISONMENT (MONTHS)[3]
		IMPRISONMENT[1]						PROBATION	FINE ONLY	OTHER	
		TOTAL	SPLIT SENTENCE[2]	1 YR. & 1 DAY & UNDER	OVER 1 YR. & 1 DAY TO 3 YRS.	3 TO 5 YEARS	5 YEARS AND OVER				
TOTAL	41,468	19,613	3,223	4,029	3,289	4,278	4,794	16,134	5,409	312	45.1
GENERAL OFFENSES											
HOMICIDE, TOTAL	117	99	6	4	8	24	57	18	-	-	191.4
MURDER—1ST DEGREE	59	57	3	-	2	10	42	2	-	-	279.1
MURDER—2ND DEGREE	26	22	-	2	2	4	14	4	-	-	-
MANSLAUGHTER	32	20	3	2	4	10	1	12	-	-	-
ROBBERY, TOTAL	2,045	1,872	43	27	44	274	1,484	172	-	1	132.6
BANK	1,910	1,766	42	19	59	248	1,418	143	-	1	134.1
POSTAL	82	73	-	5	4	12	52	9	-	-	124.3
OTHER	53	33	1	3	1	14	14	20	-	-	69.8
ASSAULT	548	288	49	80	39	57	63	227	29	4	36.1
BURGLARY—BREAKING AND ENTERING, TOTAL	400	236	43	29	43	68	53	162	2	-	43.7
BANK	79	67	12	-	6	15	34	11	1	-	79.3
POSTAL	80	59	7	3	8	31	10	21	-	-	38.7
INTERSTATE SHIPMENTS	3	2	-	-	2	-	-	1	-	-	-
OTHER	238	108	24	26	27	22	9	129	1	-	25.0
LARCENY AND THEFT, TOTAL	4,741	1,911	435	295	383	536	262	2,313	506	11	31.1
BANK	145	83	9	9	8	33	24	60	2	-	49.0
POSTAL	1,795	929	176	136	223	306	88	860	3	3	28.4
INTERSTATE SHIPMENTS	793	341	103	48	66	65	59	415	35	2	34.0
OTHER U.S. PROPERTY	961	204	58	45	30	45	26	444	310	3	26.2
TRANSPORTATION, ETC. OF STOLEN PROPERTY	352	233	56	23	41	54	59	118	-	1	40.4
OTHER	695	121	33	34	15	33	6	416	136	2	21.7
EMBEZZLEMENT, TOTAL	1,921	506	246	97	59	[illegible]	41	1,365	42	4	17.3
BANK	1,025	290	134	55	37	36	28	722	11	2	18.7
POSTAL	333	63	36	12	5	6	4	259	10	1	13.4
OTHER	563	153	76	30	17	21	9	388	21	1	16.3
FRAUD, TOTAL	4,809	1,775	674	461	267	211	162	2,751	274	9	19.9
INCOME TAX	1,489	539	291	155	40	36	17	856	93	1	10.1
LENDING INSTITUTIONS	438	172	62	27	54	18	11	244	22	-	19.0
POSTAL	1,022	477	133	72	84	89	99	511	34	-	36.0
VETERANS AND ALLOTMENTS	43	2	1	-	-	1	-	40	1	-	-
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE	71	34	10	6	6	4	8	30	7	-	27.3
SOCIAL SECURITY	101	10	5	5	-	-	-	82	8	1	-
NATIONALITY LAWS	146	70	36	24	8	2	-	72	1	3	6.1
FALSE CLAIMS AND STATEMENTS	518	176	57	42	36	25	16	312	30	-	22.3
OTHER	981	295	79	130	39	36	11	604	78	4	13.6
AUTO THEFT	1,371	1,004	111	85	217	409	182	357	9	1	36.2
FORGERY AND COUNTERFEITING, TOTAL	4,115	2,176	441	259	460	633	383	1,905	26	8	32.7
TRANSPORTATION OF FORGED SECURITIES	747	493	79	43	104	122	145	250	3	1	41.7
POSTAL FORGERY	116	66	9	6	17	23	11	50	-	-	32.2
OTHER FORGERY	2,575	1,227	224	154	280	393	176	1,327	15	6	31.1
COUNTERFEITING	677	390	129	56	59	95	51	278	8	1	26.4

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(ALL OFFENSES REPORTED), FOR THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

NATURE OF OFFENSE	TOTAL DEFENDANTS SENTENCED	TYPE SENTENCE									AVERAGE SENTENCE OF IMPRISONMENT (MONTHS)[3]
		IMPRISONMENT[1]						PROBATION	FINE ONLY	OTHER	
		TOTAL	SPLIT SENTENCE[2]	1 YR. & 1 DAY & UNDER	OVER 1 YR. & 1 DAY TO 3 YRS.	3 TO 5 YEARS	5 YEARS AND OVER				
GENERAL OFFENSES--CONTINUED											
SEX OFFENSES, TOTAL	138	86	10	7	11	23	35	44	6	2	75.7
RAPE	81	47	4	6	6	9	22	33	-	1	97.7
WHITE SLAVE TRAFFIC	40	31	5	-	4	13	9	5	4	-	43.5
OTHER	17	8	1	1	1	1	4	6	2	1	-
NARCOTICS, TOTAL	7,635	5,223	90	1,415	886	1,366	1,466	2,324	82	6	47.3
MARIHUANA TAX ACT	2	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
BORDER REGISTRATIONS		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
OTHER	59	39	2	3	4	11	19	15	5	-	57.8
DRUG ABUSE PREVENTION AND CONTROL ACT, TOTAL	7,574	5,183	87	1,412	882	1,355	1,447	2,308	77	6	47.2
MARIHUANA	2,137	1,285	20	466	289	313	197	798	53	1	32.4
NARCOTICS	4,426	3,300	56	763	463	894	1,124	1,108	14	4	54.4
CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES	1,011	598	11	183	130	148	126	402	10	1	39.5
MISCELLANEOUS GENERAL OFFENSES TOTAL	8,714	2,986	627	745	595	508	511	2,374	3,154	200	36.1
BRIBERY	245	70	33	17	9	5	6	115	60	-	15.0
TRAFFIC	3,863	107	76	29	1	-	1	588	2,978	190	2.7
ESCAPE, TOTAL	947	842	59	452	153	102	76	100	2	3	20.3
ESCAPE FROM CUSTODY	558	513	37	303	88	53	32	42	1	2	16.5
BAIL JUMPING	287	253	18	115	54	40	26	32	1	1	24.5
OTHER	102	76	4	34	11	9	18	26	-	-	31.7
EXTORTION, RACKETEERING AND THREATS	377	245	49	32	44	54	66	125	7	-	42.3
GAMBLING AND LOTTERY	401	175	85	31	23	18	18	208	18	-	19.3
KIDNAPPING	122	116	-	-	-	12	104	6	-	-	226.4
PERJURY	137	80	24	23	13	13	7	52	5	-	20.2
WEAPONS AND FIREARMS	2,535	1,336	298	156	348	302	232	1,152	43	4	35.6
OTHER	87	15	3	5	4	2	1	28	41	3	-
SPECIAL OFFENSES											
IMMIGRATION LAWS	1,396	857	256	302	210	52	37	506	9	24	14.0
LIQUOR, INTERNAL REVENUE	165	65	36	13	6	6	4	96	4	-	13.5
FEDERAL STATUTES, TOTAL	3,353	529	156	210	61	48	54	1,516	1,266	42	20.8
AGRICULTURAL ACTS	269	30	8	11	7	3	1	92	146	1	14.4
ANTITRUST VIOLATIONS	161	5	-	5	-	-	-	27	129	-	-
CIVIL RIGHTS	51	29	19	2	1	-	7	19	3	-	39.1
CONTEMPT	106	27	5	20	1	-	1	50	27	2	10.9
FAIR LABOR STANDARDS ACT	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
FOOD AND DRUG ACT	127	14	5	5	3	-	1	41	72	-	-
CUSTOMS LAWS	161	38	14	10	9	4	1	102	21	-	15.6
MIGRATORY BIRD LAWS	667	14	8	6	-	-	-	155	476	22	-
MOTOR CARRIER ACT	104	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	92	-	-
SELECTIVE SERVICE ACT	29	4	1	1	1	1	-	22	3	-	-
OTHER NATIONAL DEFENSE LAWS	79	21	5	13	1	2	-	39	19	-	-
MAIL, TRANSPORT OBSCENE MATERIAL	53	18	8	4	3	2	1	15	20	-	-
POSTAL LAWS	823	137	31	90	6	6	4	627	47	12	10.5
OTHER	722	192	52	43	29	30	38	314	211	5	32.8

1 INCLUDES SENTENCES OF MORE THAN 6 MONTHS WHICH ARE TO BE FOLLOWED BY A TERM OF PROBATION (MIXED SENTENCES).
2 A SPLIT SENTENCE IS A SENTENCE ON A 1-COUNT INDICTMENT OF 6 MONTHS OR LESS IN A JAIL-TYPE INSTITUTION, FOLLOWED BY A TERM OF PROBATION, 18 U.S.C. 3651. INCLUDED IN THESE FIGURES ARE MIXED SENTENCES INVOLVING CONFINEMENT FOR 6 MONTHS OR LESS ON 1 COUNT, TO BE FOLLOWED BY A TERM OF PROBATION ON 1 OR MORE OTHER COUNTS.
3 NOT COMPUTED WHERE NUMBER IMPRISONED WAS LESS THAN 25.

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FOR THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977 (ALL OFFENSES REPORTED)

CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	TOTAL		DISMISSED		PLEA OF GUILTY		COURT TRIAL		JURY TRIAL	
	NUMBER	MEDIAN (MOS.)	NUMBER	MEDIAN (MOS.)	NUMBER	MEDIAN (MOS.)	NUMBER	MEDIAN (MOS.)	NUMBER	MEDIAN (MOS.)
TOTAL ALL DISTRICTS..	53,188	3.2	9,940	6.6	35,335	2.6	2,027	2.7	5,886	5.0
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA..	1,141	3.3	123	3.1	880	3.1	35	4.7	103	4.7
FIRST CIRCUIT.....	1,361	6.2	274	32.0	835	4.6	29	7.0	223	7.4
MAINE.....	100	5.3	31	70.4	55	4.5	2	-	12	-
MASSACHUSETTS.....	782	7.5	157	37.5	473	5.8	10	-	142	7.8
NEW HAMPSHIRE.....	49	4.7	18	-	25	2.3	1	-	5	-
RHODE ISLAND.....	128	5.0	22	-	90	4.3	2	-	14	-
PUERTO RICO.....	302	4.3	46	15.0	192	3.1	14	-	50	6.4
SECOND CIRCUIT.....	4,672	6.2	1,255	20.2	2,735	4.5	38	7.4	644	7.9
CONNECTICUT.....	434	6.3	134	21.9	257	4.6	3	-	40	6.6
NEW YORK NORTHERN.....	223	7.4	56	51.7	134	3.6	6	-	27	12.2
NEW YORK EASTERN.....	1,310	6.8	300	44.5	827	4.9	13	-	170	8.9
NEW YORK SOUTHERN.....	2,104	5.0	587	11.7	1,190	4.0	15	-	312	6.5
NEW YORK WESTERN.....	476	16.0	150	35.9	256	6.8	-	-	70	18.0
VERMONT.....	125	5.0	28	4.8	71	4.2	1	-	25	7.2
THIRD CIRCUIT.....	3,733	3.9	695	6.9	2,450	3.1	105	5.3	483	6.7
DELAWARE.....	153	3.7	32	4.7	106	3.4	-	-	15	-
NEW JERSEY.....	1,354	3.3	155	15.0	1,043	2.7	18	-	138	9.0
PENNSYLVANIA EASTERN..	915	3.6	116	3.3	617	3.2	46	5.0	136	7.1
PENNSYLVANIA MIDDLE...	245	3.3	41	37.0	159	2.6	9	-	36	4.3
PENNSYLVANIA WESTERN..	562	6.6	189	7.9	254	4.5	24	-	95	7.2
VIRGIN ISLANDS.....	504	4.1	162	4.7	271	3.7	8	-	63	4.8
FOURTH CIRCUIT.....	5,386	2.3	1,384	2.3	3,074	2.4	492	.7	436	3.5
MARYLAND.....	1,596	3.6	486	2.9	928	3.6	72	3.9	110	4.9
NO. CAROLINA EASTERN..	318	2.9	54	4.6	236	2.6	5	-	23	-
NO. CAROLINA MIDDLE...	311	1.8	31	5.0	243	1.8	15	-	22	-
NO. CARCLINA.....	292	2.2	40	3.7	210	2.0	9	-	33	3.0
SOUTH CAROLINA.....	443	3.1	70	3.0	304	2.9	6	-	63	4.3
VIRGINIA EASTERN.....	1,603	1.2	352	1.6	736	1.6	375	.6	140	2.1
VIRGINIA WESTERN.....	202	.9	23	-	158	.8	6	-	15	-
W. VIRGINIA NORTHERN..	94	3.1	9	-	76	2.8	-	-	9	-
W. VIRGINIA SOUTHERN..	527	2.3	319	1.8	183	3.2	4	-	21	-
FIFTH CIRCUIT.....	12,944	2.3	1,702	4.9	9,413	1.8	576	1.7	1,253	4.5
ALABAMA NORTHERN.....	732	1.8	61	7.0	628	1.7	3	-	40	2.6
ALABAMA MIDDLE.....	297	1.7	40	2.1	176	1.4	28	2.0	53	3.1
ALABAMA SOUTHERN.....	204	3.0	18	-	151	2.8	1	-	34	3.4
FLORIDA NORTHERN.....	199	3.5	33	5.3	96	2.7	6	-	64	3.8
FLORIDA MIDDLE.....	689	4.2	117	8.0	445	3.5	9	-	118	6.2
FLORIDA SOUTHERN.....	984	4.1	161	6.0	606	3.7	34	5.5	183	5.6
GEORGIA NORTHERN.....	690	4.8	89	13.5	449	4.0	15	-	137	6.4
GEORGIA MIDDLE.....	868	.7	39	3.0	730	.6	40	.5	59	2.7
GEORGIA SOUTHERN.....	1,813	.9	227	5.4	1,470	.8	71	.8	45	2.2
LOUISIANA EASTERN.....	919	2.3	105	4.8	679	2.1	63	.9	72	5.1
LOUISIANA MIDDLE.....	178	2.6	15	-	147	2.5	6	-	10	-
LOUISIANA WESTERN.....	667	1.7	96	2.7	511	1.5	35	2.2	25	2.9
MISSISSIPPI NORTHERN..	123	3.2	8	-	69	2.5	4	-	42	3.9
MISSISSIPPI SOUTHERN..	163	3.3	22	-	132	2.9	-	-	9	-
TEXAS NORTHERN.....	759	2.3	63	9.0	612	2.0	13	-	71	3.8
TEXAS EASTERN.....	185	2.7	22	-	147	2.4	3	-	13	-
TEXAS SOUTHERN.....	1,832	3.1	288	6.4	1,312	2.5	78	4.8	154	5.4
TEXAS WESTERN.....	1,319	2.3	254	3.4	846	1.9	104	1.0	115	4.7
CANAL ZONE.....	323	1.5	44	1.4	207	1.4	63	1.6	9	-

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CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	TOTAL		DISMISSED		PLEA OF GUILTY		COURT TRIAL		JURY TRIAL	
	NUMBER	MEDIAN (MOS.)	NUMBER	MEDIAN (MOS.)	NUMBER	MEDIAN (MOS.)	NUMBER	MEDIAN (MOS.)	NUMBER	MEDIAN (MOS.)
SIXTH CIRCUIT.....	5,282	3.7	992	13.9	3,546	2.8	146	4.4	598	5.1
KENTUCKY EASTERN.....	368	3.2	63	16.1	217	2.4	8	-	80	3.7
KENTUCKY WESTERN.....	559	1.6	29	13.0	458	1.4	42	2.6	30	2.6
MICHIGAN EASTERN.....	1,776	5.8	502	13.5	1,076	4.5	30	8.7	168	7.3
MICHIGAN WESTERN.....	340	4.8	90	63.0	224	3.7	3	-	23	-
OHIO NORTHERN.....	928	3.2	186	59.2	671	2.7	11	-	60	4.2
OHIO SOUTHERN.....	352	2.7	33	3.6	267	2.4	4	-	48	5.2
TENNESSEE EASTERN.....	252	2.2	27	2.6	171	2.0	2	-	52	2.7
TENNESSEE MIDDLE.....	458	1.8	30	2.5	337	1.6	32	2.0	59	3.9
TENNESSEE WESTERN.....	249	6.4	32	8.0	125	5.1	14	-	78	9.6
SEVENTH CIRCUIT.....	2,740	5.2	421	14.6	1,753	4.3	118	7.1	448	7.3
ILLINOIS NORTHERN.....	1,226	6.2	127	12.7	815	5.4	84	7.6	200	8.5
ILLINOIS EASTERN.....	182	3.2	29	3.2	107	2.5	2	-	44	5.3
ILLINOIS SOUTHERN.....	150	6.2	35	72.0	70	3.8	4	-	41	9.8
INDIANA NORTHERN.....	488	4.4	92	32.5	313	3.9	4	-	79	6.2
INDIANA SOUTHERN.....	311	4.5	58	68.0	206	3.7	9	-	38	5.3
WISCONSIN EASTERN.....	290	5.1	56	6.0	182	4.0	14	-	38	7.5
WISCONSIN WESTERN.....	93	3.5	24	-	60	2.9	1	-	8	-
EIGHT CIRCUIT.....	3,123	2.9	600	7.5	2,050	2.5	60	2.0	413	3.6
ARKANSAS EASTERN.....	290	2.3	31	9.0	179	1.9	5	-	75	3.2
ARKANSAS WESTERN.....	82	3.4	9	-	61	3.3	1	-	11	-
IOWA NORTHERN.....	168	2.4	31	59.5	119	2.2	1	-	17	-
IOWA SOUTHERN.....	125	3.0	19	-	78	2.7	2	-	26	4.0
MINNESOTA.....	444	3.9	90	25.0	293	3.3	5	-	56	5.2
MISSOURI EASTERN.....	420	2.6	54	11.7	289	2.4	5	-	72	2.9
MISSOURI WESTERN.....	758	1.8	154	1.9	490	1.7	35	1.7	79	2.2
NEBRASKA.....	255	4.7	70	61.5	159	3.6	3	-	23	-
NORTH DAKOTA.....	167	2.6	21	-	121	2.2	2	-	23	-
SOUTH DAKOTA.....	414	6.2	121	7.4	261	5.7	1	-	31	7.6
NINTH CIRCUIT.....	10,296	3.1	2,062	5.9	6,942	2.6	373	4.3	919	4.4
ALASKA.....	225	4.1	53	4.7	143	3.4	3	-	26	4.6
ARIZONA.....	1,566	3.3	398	4.0	948	3.1	43	3.4	177	3.7
CALIFORNIA NORTHERN...	796	3.3	135	3.5	570	3.0	28	5.0	63	5.0
CALIFORNIA EASTERN....	680	3.8	142	9.0	483	3.1	14	-	41	7.3
CALIFORNIA CENTRAL....	2,381	3.0	362	17.7	1,696	2.6	101	5.3	222	4.7
CALIFORNIA SOUTHERN...	1,470	3.5	275	11.0	969	2.9	100	3.5	126	4.7
HAWAII.....	836	1.2	139	5.2	655	1.0	16	-	26	7.0
IDAHO.....	159	3.5	40	9.0	95	3.0	3	-	21	-
MONTANA.....	249	2.4	81	3.0	126	2.1	4	-	38	3.1
NEVADA.....	243	3.9	72	4.6	123	3.3	11	-	37	4.6
OREGON.....	387	5.3	148	9.5	184	3.4	11	-	44	5.4
WASHINGTON EASTERN....	186	3.2	44	52.0	111	2.1	12	-	19	-
WASHINGTON WESTERN....	1,089	1.0	161	2.3	826	.9	27	4.2	75	4.1
GUAM.....	29	4.5	12	-	13	-	-	-	4	-
TENTH CIRCUIT.....	2,510	2.6	432	3.4	1,657	2.4	55	2.8	366	3.5
COLORADO.....	571	2.8	92	4.6	375	2.0	15	-	89	4.0
KANSAS.....	545	3.3	117	2.9	370	3.1	12	-	46	4.8
NEW MEXICO.....	338	2.6	88	3.7	192	2.2	8	-	50	2.8
OKLAHOMA NORTHERN.....	262	2.8	37	3.0	179	2.5	6	-	40	3.5
OKLAHOMA EASTERN.....	89	2.3	11	-	58	2.3	2	-	18	-
OKLAHOMA WESTERN.....	441	2.2	31	1.4	323	2.2	9	-	78	2.7
UTAH.....	120	5.2	32	6.0	57	3.7	2	-	29	8.3
WYOMING.....	144	1.9	24	-	103	1.9	1	-	16	-

TABLE D7AD. U.S. DISTRICT COURTS.
DISPOSITION OF DEFENDANTS SHOWING TYPE OF SENTENCE, BY DISTRICT, (ALL OFFENSES REPORTED)
FOR THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	TOTAL DEFENDANTS	NOT CONVICTED					CONVICTED AND SENTENCED			
		TOTAL	NARA[2]	DISSED	ACQUITTED BY		TOTAL	PLEA OF GUILTY OR NOLO CONTENDERE	CONVICTED BY	
					COURT	JURY			COURT	JURY
TOTAL ALL DISTRICTS..	53,188	11,720	3	9,937	398	1,382	41,468	35,335	1,629	4,504
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA..	1,141	144	-	123	3	18	997	880	32	85
93 DISTRICTS.....	52,047	11,576	3	9,814	395	1,364	40,471	34,455	1,597	4,419
FIRST CIRCUIT....	1,361	338	-	274	10	54	1,023	835	19	169
MAINE.....	100	35	-	31	2	2	65	55	-	10
MASSACHUSETTS.....	782	193	-	157	2	34	589	473	8	108
NEW HAMPSHIRE.....	49	21	-	18	1	2	28	25	-	3
RHODE ISLAND.....	128	27	-	22	1	4	101	90	1	10
PUERTO RICO.....	302	62	-	46	4	12	240	192	10	38
SECOND CIRCUIT...	4,672	1,416	-	1,255	6	155	3,256	2,735	32	489
CONNECTICUT.....	434	148	-	134	1	13	286	257	2	27
NEW YORK NORTHERN.....	223	61	-	56	-	5	162	134	6	22
NEW YORK EASTERN.....	1,310	345	-	300	2	43	965	827	11	127
NEW YORK SOUTHERN.....	2,104	655	-	587	3	65	1,449	1,190	12	247
NEW YORK WESTERN.....	476	172	-	150	-	22	304	256	-	48
VERMONT.....	125	35	-	28	-	7	90	71	1	18
THIRD CIRCUIT....	3,733	820	-	695	24	101	2,913	2,450	81	382
DELAWARE.....	153	32	-	32	-	-	121	106	-	15
NEW JERSEY.....	1,354	190	-	155	4	31	1,164	1,043	14	107
PENNSYLVANIA EASTERN..	915	162	-	116	7	39	753	617	39	97
PENNSYLVANIA MIDDLE...	245	51	-	41	3	7	194	159	6	29
PENNSYLVANIA WESTERN..	562	208	-	189	6	13	354	254	18	82
VIRGIN ISLANDS.....	504	177	-	162	4	11	327	271	4	52
FOURTH CIRCUIT...	5,386	1,554	-	1,384	91	79	3,832	3,074	401	357
MARYLAND.....	1,596	520	-	486	14	20	1,076	928	58	90
NO. CAROLINA EASTERN..	318	57	-	54	1	2	261	236	4	21
NO. CAROLINA MIDDLE...	311	34	-	31	1	2	277	243	14	20
NO. CAROLINA WESTERN..	292	52	-	40	2	10	240	210	7	23
SOUTH CAROLINA.....	443	89	-	70	3	16	354	304	3	47
VIRGINIA EASTERN.....	1,603	437	-	352	66	19	1,166	736	309	121
VIRGINIA WESTERN.....	202	28	-	23	1	4	174	158	5	11
W. VIRGINIA NORTHERN.	94	11	-	9	-	2	83	76	-	7
W. VIRGINIA SOUTHERN..	527	326	-	319	3	4	201	183	1	17
FIFTH CIRCUIT....	12,944	2,144	-	1,702	146	296	10,800	9,413	430	957
ALABAMA NORTHERN.....	732	72	-	61	-	11	660	628	3	29
ALABAMA MIDDLE.....	297	59	-	40	9	10	238	176	19	43
ALABAMA SOUTHERN.....	204	29	-	18	-	11	175	151	1	23
FLORIDA NORTHERN.....	199	53	-	33	1	19	146	96	5	45
FLORIDA MIDDLE.....	689	150	-	117	2	31	539	445	7	87
FLORIDA SOUTHERN.....	984	206	-	161	-	45	778	606	34	138
GEORGIA NORTHERN.....	690	127	-	89	1	37	563	449	14	100
GEORGIA MIDDLE.....	868	67	-	39	14	14	801	730	26	45
GEORGIA SOUTHERN.....	1,813	285	-	227	39	19	1,528	1,470	32	26
LOUISIANA EASTERN.....	919	148	-	105	28	15	771	679	35	57
LOUISIANA MIDDLE.....	178	18	-	15	2	1	160	147	4	9
LOUISIANA WESTERN.....	667	115	-	96	14	5	552	511	21	20
MISSISSIPPI NORTHERN..	123	19	-	8	1	10	104	69	3	32
MISSISSIPPI SOUTHERN..	163	22	-	22	-	-	141	132	-	9
TEXAS NORTHERN.....	759	75	-	63	2	10	684	612	11	61
TEXAS EASTERN.....	185	26	-	22	-	4	159	147	3	9
TEXAS SOUTHERN.....	1,832	332	-	288	11	33	1,500	1,312	67	121
TEXAS WESTERN.....	1,319	284	-	254	10	20	1,035	846	94	95
CANAL ZONE.....	323	57	-	44	12	1	266	207	51	8

TABLE D7AD. U.S. DISTRICT COURTS.
DISPOSITION OF DEFENDANTS SHOWING TYPE OF SENTENCE, BY DISTRICT, (ALL OFFENSES REPORTED)
FOR THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

TYPE SENTENCE									AVERAGE SENTENCE OF IMPRISONMENT (MONTHS)[4]	CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT
IMPRISONMENT[1]						PROBATION	FINE ONLY	OTHER		
TOTAL	SPLIT SENTENCE[3]	1 YR. & 1 DAY & UNDER	OVER 1 YR. & 1 DAY TO 3 YRS.	3 TO 5 YEARS	5 YEARS AND OVER					
19,613	3,223	4,029	3,289	4,278	4,794	16,134	5,409	312	45.1	TOTAL ALL DISTRICTS.
526	31	64	62	173	196	458	7	6	53.2	DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.
19,087	3,192	3,965	3,227	4,105	4,598	15,676	5,402	306	44.8	93 DISTRICTS.
441	80	111	56	95	99	510	70	2	39.2	FIRST CIRCUIT.
22	5	5	1	3	8	31	12	-	-	MAINE.
266	66	82	39	39	40	298	24	1	29.1	MASSACHUSETTS.
6	-	4	1	1	-	19	2	1	-	NEW HAMPSHIRE.
27	1	5	5	14	2	67	7	-	35.6	RHODE ISLAND.
120	8	15	10	38	49	95	25	-	63.3	PUERTO RICO.
1,503	341	319	195	300	348	1,543	201	9	41.0	SECOND CIRCUIT.
113	41	20	15	15	22	148	24	1	36.4	CONNECTICUT.
59	6	32	6	13	2	86	14	3	26.2	NEW YORK NORTHERN.
456	104	80	45	103	124	451	58	-	43.4	NEW YORK EASTERN.
717	170	147	102	143	155	660	70	2	40.3	NEW YORK SOUTHERN.
113	6	28	22	22	35	163	28	-	53.5	NEW YORK WESTERN.
45	14	12	5	4	10	35	7	3	27.6	VERMONT.
1,316	232	317	188	246	333	1,443	146	8	47.4	THIRD CIRCUIT.
51	8	16	7	12	8	65	5	-	43.0	DELAWARE.
397	53	132	39	68	105	655	107	5	51.5	NEW JERSEY.
333	38	61	74	90	70	417	3	-	42.5	PENNSYLVANIA EASTERN.
85	12	25	12	11	25	93	16	-	67.9	PENNSYLVANIA MIDDLE.
230	50	19	23	52	86	112	12	-	57.2	PENNSYLVANIA WESTERN.
220	71	64	33	13	39	101	3	3	30.2	VIRGIN ISLANDS.
1,643	299	277	261	335	471	1,481	681	27	55.0	FOURTH CIRCUIT.
417	88	52	55	84	138	491	155	13	61.0	MARYLAND.
143	19	6	4	34	80	107	10	1	97.7	NO. CAROLINA EASTERN.
182	35	43	52	17	35	92	2	1	37.2	NO. CAROLINA MIDDLE.
80	7	4	25	22	22	154	6	-	54.0	NO. CAROLINA WESTERN.
190	32	18	37	40	63	153	11	-	75.0	SOUTH CAROLINA.
421	97	114	59	67	84	258	478	9	37.4	VIRGINIA EASTERN.
60	16	1	7	13	23	105	9	-	59.9	VIRGINIA WESTERN.
47	-	12	7	21	7	32	4	-	37.9	W. VIRGINIA NORTHERN.
103	5	27	15	37	19	89	6	3	43.6	W. VIRGINIA SOUTHERN.
4,593	696	820	898	1,119	1,060	3,590	2,585	32	43.2	FIFTH CIRCUIT.
302	43	25	73	105	56	317	40	1	44.8	ALABAMA NORTHERN.
115	10	27	19	39	20	59	63	1	41.7	ALABAMA MIDDLE.
100	26	8	5	27	34	65	10	-	46.6	ALABAMA SOUTHERN.
112	4	26	13	37	32	29	5	-	48.2	FLORIDA NORTHERN.
277	29	43	58	78	69	243	19	-	54.4	FLORIDA MIDDLE.
505	63	131	147	98	66	251	20	2	30.3	FLORIDA SOUTHERN.
354	66	41	56	104	87	203	6	-	44.9	GEORGIA NORTHERN.
107	14	23	22	24	24	132	562	-	59.6	GEORGIA MIDDLE.
108	18	20	35	18	17	320	1,098	2	45.0	GEORGIA SOUTHERN.
286	70	47	62	52	55	280	184	21	36.4	LOUISIANA EASTERN.
62	1	10	30	18	3	78	20	-	28.7	LOUISIANA MIDDLE.
101	28	12	24	16	21	181	266	4	35.8	LOUISIANA WESTERN.
44	7	4	15	13	5	60	-	-	29.4	MISSISSIPPI NORTHERN.
79	25	9	14	19	12	60	2	-	42.1	MISSISSIPPI SOUTHERN.
435	90	77	76	93	99	233	16	-	39.9	TEXAS NORTHERN.
83	21	19	8	21	14	67	9	-	37.6	TEXAS EASTERN.
780	105	190	138	178	169	706	14	-	37.4	TEXAS SOUTHERN.
610	53	65	72	162	258	197	227	1	64.3	TEXAS WESTERN.
133	23	43	31	17	19	109	24	-	25.8	CANAL ZONE.

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FOR THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	TOTAL DE-FEND-ANTS	NOT CONVICTED					CONVICTED AND SENTENCED			
		TOTAL	NARA[2]	DIS-MISSED	ACQUITTED BY		TOTAL	PLEA OF GUILTY OR NOLO CON-TENDERE	CONVICTED BY	
					COURT	JURY			COURT	JURY
SIXTH CIRCUIT....	5,282	1,159	-	992	28	139	4,123	3,546	118	459
KENTUCKY EASTERN.....	368	81	-	63	2	16	287	217	6	64
KENTUCKY WESTERN.....	559	38	-	29	2	7	521	458	40	23
MICHIGAN EASTERN.....	1,776	549	-	502	5	42	1,227	1,076	25	126
MICHIGAN WESTERN.....	340	101	-	90	2	9	239	224	1	14
OHIO NORTHERN.....	928	194	-	186	-	8	734	671	11	52
OHIO SOUTHERN.....	352	37	-	33	1	3	315	267	3	45
TENNESSEE EASTERN.....	252	49	-	27	-	22	203	171	2	30
TENNESSEE MIDDLE.....	458	48	-	30	10	8	410	337	22	51
TENNESSEE WESTERN.....	249	62	-	32	6	24	187	125	8	54
SEVENTH CIRCUIT..	2,740	595	-	421	29	145	2,145	1,753	89	303
ILLINOIS NORTHERN.....	1,226	215	-	127	17	71	1,011	815	67	129
ILLINOIS EASTERN.....	182	45	-	29	1	15	137	107	1	29
ILLINOIS SOUTHERN.....	150	52	-	35	1	16	98	70	3	25
INDIANA NORTHERN.....	488	114	-	92	-	22	374	313	4	57
INDIANA SOUTHERN.....	311	63	-	58	3	2	248	206	6	36
WISCONSIN EASTERN.....	290	79	-	56	7	16	211	182	7	22
WISCONSIN WESTERN.....	93	27	-	24	-	3	66	60	1	5
EIGHTH CIRCUIT...	3,123	724	-	600	14	110	2,399	2,050	46	303
ARKANSAS EASTERN.....	290	56	-	31	1	24	234	179	4	51
ARKANSAS WESTERN.....	82	12	-	9	1	2	70	61	-	9
IOWA NORTHERN.....	168	37	-	31	-	6	131	119	1	11
IOWA SOUTHERN.....	125	29	-	19	-	10	96	78	2	16
MINNESOTA.....	444	101	-	90	1	10	343	293	4	46
MISSOURI EASTERN.....	420	65	-	54	-	11	355	289	5	61
MISSOURI WESTERN.....	758	186	-	154	11	21	572	490	24	58
NEBRASKA.....	255	72	-	70	-	2	183	159	3	21
NORTH DAKOTA.....	167	30	-	21	-	9	137	121	2	14
SOUTH DAKOTA.....	414	136	-	121	-	15	278	261	1	16
NINTH CIRCUIT....	10,296	2,309	-	2,062	45	202	7,987	6,942	328	717
ALASKA.....	225	61	-	53	-	8	164	143	3	18
ARIZONA.....	1,566	443	-	398	2	43	1,123	948	41	134
CALIFORNIA NORTHERN...	796	155	-	135	4	16	641	570	24	47
CALIFORNIA EASTERN....	680	148	-	142	1	5	532	483	13	36
CALIFORNIA CENTRAL....	2,381	416	-	362	13	41	1,965	1,696	88	181
CALIFORNIA SOUTHERN...	1,470	317	-	275	11	31	1,153	969	89	95
HAWAII.....	836	146	-	139	2	5	690	655	14	21
IDAHO.....	159	46	-	40	1	5	113	95	2	16
MONTANA.....	249	95	-	81	2	12	154	126	2	26
NEVADA.....	243	87	-	72	2	13	156	123	9	24
OREGON.....	387	157	-	148	1	8	230	184	10	36
WASHINGTON EASTERN....	186	47	-	44	2	1	139	111	10	18
WASHINGTON WESTERN....	1,089	179	-	161	4	14	910	826	23	61
GUAM.....	29	12	-	12	-	-	17	13	-	4
TENTH CIRCUIT....	2,510	517	3	429	2	83	1,993	1,657	53	283
COLORADO.....	571	113	3	89	-	21	458	375	15	68
KANSAS.....	545	131	-	117	1	13	414	370	11	33
NEW MEXICO.....	338	92	-	88	-	4	246	192	8	46
OKLAHOMA NORTHERN.....	262	46	-	37	1	8	216	179	5	32
OKLAHOMA EASTERN.....	89	18	-	11	-	7	71	58	2	11
OKLAHOMA WESTERN.....	441	43	-	31	-	12	398	323	9	66
UTAH.....	120	45	-	32	-	13	75	57	2	16
WYOMING.....	144	29	-	24	-	5	115	103	1	11

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DISPOSITION OF DEFENDANTS SHOWING TYPE OF SENTENCE, BY DISTRICT, (ALL OFFENSES REPORTED)
FOR THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

TYPE SENTENCE										
IMPRISONMENT[1]										
TOTAL	SPLIT SEN-TENCE[3]	1 YR. & 1 DAY & UNDER	OVER 1 YR. & 1 DAY TO 3 YRS.	3 TO 5 YEARS	5 YEARS AND OVER	PRO-BATION	FINE ONLY	OTHER	AVERAGE SENTENCE OF IM-PRISON-MENT (MONTHS)[4]	CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT
2,227	335	399	443	531	519	1,561	324	11	49.2	SIXTH CIRCUIT.
207	26	32	50	48	51	57	22	1	49.8	KENTUCKY EASTERN.
267	39	33	57	75	63	186	67	1	57.4	KENTUCKY WESTERN.
746	70	147	182	193	154	436	41	4	47.9	MICHIGAN EASTERN.
77	13	7	6	25	26	144	16	2	57.0	MICHIGAN WESTERN.
349	74	72	54	80	69	363	22	-	45.6	OHIO NORTHERN.
191	31	33	24	43	60	110	14	-	51.7	OHIO SOUTHERN.
128	23	17	23	36	29	66	8	1	44.3	TENNESSEE EASTERN.
154	33	40	30	18	33	128	126	2	40.9	TENNESSEE MIDDLE.
108	26	18	17	13	34	71	8	-	56.2	TENNESSEE WESTERN.
1,198	235	233	157	252	321	838	105	4	45.4	SEVENTH CIRCUIT.
558	116	140	76	109	117	383	70	-	33.2	ILLINOIS NORTHERN.
77	9	11	7	27	23	53	7	-	86.6	ILLINOIS EASTERN.
50	16	3	2	12	17	46	2	-	49.2	ILLINOIS SOUTHERN.
231	36	21	23	63	88	136	5	2	51.4	INDIANA NORTHERN.
161	42	22	22	27	48	82	4	1	59.3	INDIANA SOUTHERN.
90	15	22	19	11	23	107	14	-	51.1	WISCONSIN EASTERN.
31	1	14	8	3	5	31	3	1	22.4	WISCONSIN WESTERN.
1,122	209	196	185	253	279	1,159	115	3	44.0	EIGHTH CIRCUIT.
128	38	13	33	24	20	97	8	1	29.9	ARKANSAS EASTERN.
30	6	4	11	4	5	35	5	-	31.2	ARKANSAS WESTERN.
40	6	3	4	17	10	76	15	-	59.2	IOWA NORTHERN.
46	4	8	5	7	22	39	11	-	71.4	IOWA SOUTHERN.
234	23	72	44	39	56	102	7	-	37.1	MINNESOTA.
253	47	18	23	80	85	92	10	-	57.1	MISSOURI EASTERN.
172	59	30	23	28	32	392	8	-	32.8	MISSOURI WESTERN.
68	6	15	6	16	25	77	38	-	55.9	NEBRASKA.
58	15	16	13	7	7	72	7	-	50.4	NORTH DAKOTA.
93	5	17	23	31	17	177	6	2	37.1	SOUTH DAKOTA.
4,048	668	1,127	622	723	908	2,734	996	209	40.1	NINTH CIRCUIT.
63	9	18	9	15	12	84	17	-	50.7	ALASKA.
809	55	225	208	193	128	292	21	1	36.7	ARIZONA.
372	48	66	56	61	141	249	18	2	55.4	CALIFORNIA NORTHERN.
292	91	87	16	37	61	211	22	7	41.6	CALIFORNIA EASTERN.
1,043	224	275	119	160	265	862	55	5	41.0	CALIFORNIA CENTRAL.
705	70	322	120	99	94	439	4	5	25.7	CALIFORNIA SOUTHERN.
79	20	18	11	18	12	80	355	176	29.6	HAWAII.
56	12	10	3	12	19	47	10	-	49.9	IDAHO.
49	5	5	3	18	18	98	7	-	57.8	MONTANA.
73	14	13	8	9	29	73	9	1	59.7	NEVADA.
151	29	11	27	33	51	67	12	-	56.5	OREGON.
85	37	11	10	19	8	52	2	-	25.0	WASHINGTON EASTERN.
261	54	66	32	43	66	173	464	12	46.6	WASHINGTON WESTERN.
10	-	-	-	6	4	7	-	-	-	GUAM.
996	97	166	222	251	260	817	179	1	50.1	TENTH CIRCUIT.
164	18	24	42	38	42	167	126	1	43.1	COLORADO.
235	21	40	34	70	70	148	31	-	45.3	KANSAS.
162	23	29	23	52	35	81	3	-	57.0	NEW MEXICO.
114	18	5	34	34	23	99	3	-	46.7	OKLAHOMA NORTHERN.
25	3	1	7	3	11	45	1	-	82.6	OKLAHOMA EASTERN.
232	13	52	73	33	61	162	4	-	52.1	OKLAHOMA WESTERN.
17	-	6	4	1	6	51	7	-	-	UTAH.
47	1	9	5	20	12	64	4	-	48.2	WYOMING.

1 INCLUDES SENTENCES OF MORE THAN 6 MONTHS WHICH ARE TO BE FOLLOWED BY A TERM OF PROBATION (MIXED SENTENCES).
2 DEFENDANTS WHO WERE COMMITTED UNDER 28 U.S.C. 2902 (B) OF THE NARCOTIC REHABILITATION ACT.
3 A SPLIT SENTENCE IS A SENTENCE ON A 1-COUNT INDICTMENT OF 6 MONTHS OR LESS IN A JAIL-TYPE INSTITUTION, FOLLOWED BY A TERM OF PROBATION, 18 U.S.C. 3651. INCLUDED IN THESE FIGURES ARE MIXED SENTENCES INVOLVING CONFINEMENT FOR 6 MONTHS OR LESS ON 1 COUNT, TO BE FOLLOWED BY A TERM OF PROBATION ON 1 OR MORE OTHER COUNTS.
4 NOT COMPUTED WHERE NUMBER IMPRISONED WAS LESS THAN 25.

TABLE D8AC. U.S. DISTRICT COURTS.
CRIMINAL CASES PENDING ON JUNE 30, 1977, BY NATURE OF OFFENSE AND DISTRICT,
(ALL OFFENSES REPORTED)

CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	TOTAL	GENERAL OFFENSES							
		HOMI-CIDE	ROB-BERY	ASSAULT	BUR-GLARY	LAR-CENY	EMBEZ-ZLEMENT	FRAUD	AUTO THEFT
TOTAL ALL DISTRICTS....	17,109	66	707	247	113	1,382	516	2,357	387
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.....	337	3	17	4	1	17	6	38	7
FIRST CIRCUIT.....	440	1	21	11	2	43	27	56	7
MAINE.....	40	-	4	-	1	1	1	4	2
MASSACHUSETTS.....	252	1	11	4	1	26	15	34	3
NEW HAMPSHIRE.....	8	-	-	-	-	2	-	2	1
RHODE ISLAND.....	57	-	-	2	-	10	5	8	1
PUERTO RICO.....	83	-	6	5	-	4	6	8	-
SECOND CIRCUIT.....	1,987	2	110	14	4	182	61	324	14
CONNECTICUT.....	133	-	11	2	-	12	9	24	2
NEW YORK NORTHERN.....	105	-	1	-	-	8	3	19	3
NEW YORK EASTERN.....	709	1	49	2	1	71	19	97	3
NEW YORK SOUTHERN.....	738	-	34	9	2	70	23	133	1
NEW YORK WESTERN.....	211	1	12	1	1	16	5	45	3
VERMONT.....	91	-	3	-	-	5	2	6	2
THIRD CIRCUIT.....	991	9	47	18	22	89	38	247	22
DELAWARE.....	39	-	2	-	-	4	2	8	-
NEW JERSEY.....	397	1	13	3	1	38	25	156	15
PENNSYLVANIA EASTERN.....	191	1	20	2	-	17	4	24	1
PENNSYLVANIA MIDDLE.....	71	-	3	1	-	2	1	12	-
PENNSYLVANIA WESTERN.....	160	-	6	2	1	13	5	33	4
VIRGIN ISLANDS.....	133	7	3	10	20	15	1	14	2
FOURTH CIRCUIT.....	1,175	2	59	22	3	116	43	160	30
MARYLAND.....	372	-	17	8	2	29	13	47	5
NO. CAROLINA EASTERN.....	82	1	7	2	-	8	5	15	4
NO. CAROLINA MIDDLE.....	64	-	4	-	-	12	4	9	2
NO. CAROLINA WESTERN.....	38	-	5	-	-	-	1	8	1
SOUTH CAROLINA.....	170	-	12	2	-	15	5	29	9
VIRGINIA EASTERN.....	303	1	10	6	1	41	10	27	2
VIRGINIA WESTERN.....	23	-	2	1	-	-	-	5	-
W. VIRGINIA NORTHERN.....	29	-	-	1	-	5	-	11	1
W. VIRGINIA SOUTHERN.....	94	-	2	2	-	6	5	9	6
FIFTH CIRCUIT.....	3,257	4	75	32	12	243	86	341	101
ALABAMA NORTHERN.....	138	-	4	-	-	28	8	15	17
ALABAMA MIDDLE.....	60	-	2	2	-	5	2	3	5
ALABAMA SOUTHERN.....	63	-	1	-	-	2	3	7	5
FLORIDA NORTHERN.....	42	-	1	4	-	2	-	1	5
FLORIDA MIDDLE.....	270	1	19	1	1	12	8	52	7
FLORIDA SOUTHERN.....	654	1	6	2	-	40	12	77	12
GEORGIA NORTHERN.....	244	-	11	3	1	16	8	48	23
GEORGIA MIDDLE.....	45	-	1	-	-	2	3	3	3
GEORGIA SOUTHERN.....	121	-	6	-	-	37	2	10	3
LOUISIANA EASTERN.....	161	-	3	1	-	20	8	13	2
LOUISIANA MIDDLE.....	21	-	-	-	-	2	1	4	-
LOUISIANA WESTERN.....	54	-	2	2	-	7	3	5	4
MISSISSIPPI NORTHERN.....	26	-	-	-	-	2	-	7	2
MISSISSIPPI SOUTHERN.....	52	-	-	2	-	3	1	5	3
TEXAS NORTHERN.....	220	-	5	-	-	19	6	39	3
TEXAS EASTERN.....	59	-	1	-	-	8	1	15	1
TEXAS SOUTHERN.....	591	-	3	5	-	11	9	13	4
TEXAS WESTERN.....	356	1	4	6	1	15	7	23	2
CANAL ZONE.....	80	1	6	4	9	12	4	1	-

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GENERAL OFFENSES--CONTINUED						SPECIAL OFFENSES				
FORGERY AND COUNTER-FEITING	SEX OF-FENSES	NARCOTICS LAWS OLD[1]	NARCOTICS LAWS NEW[2]	WEAPONS AND FIRE-ARMS	OTHER	IMMI-GRATION LAWS	LIQUOR, INTER-NAL REVENUE	SELEC-TIVE SERVICE ACT	OTHER	CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT
1,663	43	475	3,632	1,149	2,709	567	48	65	983	TOTAL ALL DISTRICTS.
42	1	3	104	26	29	-	-	-	39	DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.
45	-	8	70	62	40	8	-	-	39	FIRST CIRCUIT.
3	-	1	2	7	1	5	-	-	8	MAINE.
21	-	5	39	43	31	2	-	-	16	MASSACHUSETTS.
2	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	NEW HAMPSHIRE.
11	-	-	5	11	2	1	-	-	1	RHODE ISLAND.
8	-	2	24	-	6	-	-	-	14	PUERTO RICO.
193	1	63	482	77	199	57	1	20	183	SECOND CIRCUIT.
16	-	-	12	17	17	2	-	-	9	CONNECTICUT.
3	1	1	10	10	5	23	-	1	17	NEW YORK NORTHERN.
58	-	48	207	12	40	8	-	15	78	NEW YORK EASTERN.
101	-	12	205	16	80	5	1	4	42	NEW YORK SOUTHERN.
14	-	-	38	15	25	5	-	-	30	NEW YORK WESTERN.
1	-	2	10	7	32	14	-	-	7	VERMONT.
125	5	2	125	78	109	8	-	3	44	THIRD CIRCUIT.
14	-	-	3	3	2	-	-	-	1	DELAWARE.
44	-	-	31	12	39	1	-	1	17	NEW JERSEY.
18	-	-	50	33	11	-	-	1	9	PENNSYLVANIA EASTERN.
4	-	-	10	4	28	-	-	1	5	PENNSYLVANIA MIDDLE.
40	-	2	16	16	15	-	-	-	7	PENNSYLVANIA WESTERN.
5	5	-	15	10	14	7	-	-	5	VIRGIN ISLANDS.
164	6	2	121	145	221	3	8	6	64	FOURTH CIRCUIT.
54	-	1	54	40	77	2	-	1	22	MARYLAND.
12	-	-	17	5	2	-	1	-	3	NO. CAROLINA EASTERN.
13	-	-	-	9	4	-	3	-	4	NO. CAROLINA MIDDLE.
6	-	-	2	8	3	1	-	-	3	NO. CAROLINA WESTERN.
25	-	-	13	24	19	-	1	-	16	SOUTH CAROLINA.
30	5	1	26	39	92	-	-	3	9	VIRGINIA EASTERN.
3	-	-	-	6	3	-	2	-	1	VIRGINIA WESTERN.
4	-	-	-	1	5	-	-	-	1	W. VIRGINIA NORTHERN.
17	1	-	9	13	16	-	1	2	5	W. VIRGINIA SOUTHERN.
348	7	45	839	283	512	113	24	5	187	FIFTH CIRCUIT.
12	1	-	11	24	7	-	2	-	9	ALABAMA NORTHERN.
8	-	-	2	9	15	-	1	-	6	ALABAMA MIDDLE.
10	-	-	8	14	6	-	3	-	4	ALABAMA SOUTHERN.
7	-	-	7	2	13	-	-	-	-	FLORIDA NORTHERN.
60	2	1	38	22	19	6	1	-	20	FLORIDA MIDDLE.
54	1	10	218	21	127	23	1	1	48	FLORIDA SOUTHERN.
29	-	1	24	39	33	2	-	1	5	GEORGIA NORTHERN.
4	-	-	2	6	10	-	6	2	3	GEORGIA MIDDLE.
6	1	-	2	2	42	-	2	-	8	GEORGIA SOUTHERN.
32	-	-	24	31	3	1	-	-	23	LOUISIANA EASTERN.
9	-	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	2	LOUISIANA MIDDLE.
7	-	-	3	8	6	-	1	-	6	LOUISIANA WESTERN.
2	-	-	-	2	2	-	6	1	2	MISSISSIPPI NORTHERN.
6	-	-	6	26	-	-	-	-	-	MISSISSIPPI SOUTHERN.
51	-	1	26	19	37	2	-	-	12	TEXAS NORTHERN.
11	-	-	1	7	11	-	1	-	2	TEXAS EASTERN.
14	1	18	300	24	135	42	-	-	12	TEXAS SOUTHERN.
26	-	14	131	25	40	37	-	-	24	TEXAS WESTERN.
-	1	-	35	-	6	-	-	-	1	CANAL ZONE.

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CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	TOTAL	GENERAL OFFENSES							
		HOMI-CIDE	ROB-BERY	ASSAULT	BUR-GLARY	LAR-CENY	EMBEZ-ZLEMENT	FRAUD	AUTO THEFT
SIXTH CIRCUIT	1,555	3	98	15	5	219	60	254	51
KENTUCKY EASTERN	126	-	6	2	-	14	3	6	10
KENTUCKY WESTERN	74	-	5	-	-	9	3	8	3
MICHIGAN EASTERN	667	1	17	5	2	103	16	143	6
MICHIGAN WESTERN	116	1	4	2	1	19	6	19	3
OHIO NORTHERN	201	-	24	2	-	28	19	25	9
OHIO SOUTHERN	95	-	13	2	-	6	4	20	2
TENNESSEE EASTERN	37	1	7	2	-	5	1	3	4
TENNESSEE MIDDLE	72	-	5	-	-	7	1	10	5
TENNESSEE WESTERN	167	-	17	-	2	28	7	20	9
SEVENTH CIRCUIT	1,076	2	51	12	1	90	46	272	30
ILLINOIS NORTHERN	664	1	18	4	-	59	26	204	7
ILLINOIS EASTERN	46	1	2	1	-	7	2	7	-
ILLINOIS SOUTHERN	41	-	-	1	1	-	5	9	-
INDIANA NORTHERN	104	-	3	2	-	11	1	13	2
INDIANA SOUTHERN	79	-	16	2	-	4	5	6	10
WISCONSIN EASTERN	101	-	5	1	-	5	6	28	-
WISCONSIN WESTERN	41	-	7	1	-	4	1	5	11
EIGHTH CIRCUIT	750	17	23	41	29	104	25	124	30
ARKANSAS EASTERN	83	-	2	1	-	19	3	12	4
ARKANSAS WESTERN	29	-	-	-	-	9	7	11	1
IOWA NORTHERN	44	1	1	1	1	7	-	14	1
IOWA SOUTHERN	31	1	2	3	-	2	1	8	-
MINNESOTA	103	-	6	1	-	8	5	15	2
MISSOURI EASTERN	91	-	2	1	1	16	5	15	5
MISSOURI WESTERN	149	-	2	1	-	10	2	18	7
NEBRASKA	48	-	5	-	1	8	2	13	5
NORTH DAKOTA	31	1	-	3	8	3	-	6	-
SOUTH DAKOTA	141	14	3	30	18	22	-	12	5
NINTH CIRCUIT	4,890	19	172	66	30	212	103	455	56
ALASKA	86	1	2	2	-	6	7	9	-
ARIZONA	950	6	3	7	6	15	3	28	9
CALIFORNIA NORTHERN	283	-	37	4	2	27	21	51	3
CALIFORNIA EASTERN	265	-	14	5	1	23	12	37	5
CALIFORNIA CENTRAL	865	1	59	13	2	63	29	159	19
CALIFORNIA SOUTHERN	1,440	-	7	14	-	12	8	31	4
HAWAII	313	-	9	1	-	6	1	11	1
IDAHO	38	-	-	2	1	2	1	11	-
MONTANA	64	6	1	5	15	3	-	9	-
NEVADA	111	1	8	4	-	8	1	25	1
OREGON	142	1	12	5	-	29	8	28	8
WASHINGTON EASTERN	55	-	3	1	-	2	2	14	3
WASHINGTON WESTERN	266	2	17	2	-	15	10	42	3
GUAM	12	1	-	1	3	1	-	-	-
TENTH CIRCUIT	651	4	34	12	4	67	21	86	39
COLORADO	136	-	10	4	-	10	4	19	9
KANSAS	147	-	4	-	1	25	2	16	9
NEW MEXICO	119	2	8	2	1	10	1	4	13
OKLAHOMA NORTHERN	26	-	-	1	-	1	-	1	1
OKLAHOMA EASTERN	23	-	-	-	-	3	-	3	1
OKLAHOMA WESTERN	71	1	3	1	1	2	9	12	4
UTAH	113	1	9	3	-	12	5	30	1
WYOMING	16	-	-	1	1	4	-	1	1

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GENERAL OFFENSES--CONTINUED						SPECIAL OFFENSES				
FORGERY AND COUNTER-FEITING	SEX OF-FENSES	NARCOTICS LAWS OLD[1]	NARCOTICS LAWS NEW[2]	WEAPONS AND FIRE-ARMS	OTHER	IMMI-GRATION LAWS	LIQUOR, INTER-NAL REVENUE	SELEC-TIVE SERVICE ACT	OTHER	CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT
227	3	1	220	137	156	13	8	-	85	SIXTH CIRCUIT.
14	-	-	1	37	18	-	1	-	14	KENTUCKY EASTERN.
10	-	-	4	13	15	1	1	-	2	KENTUCKY WESTERN.
84	1	1	170	41	42	8	3	-	24	MICHIGAN EASTERN.
18	-	-	14	14	7	2	-	-	6	MICHIGAN WESTERN.
40	-	-	12	11	18	2	-	-	11	OHIO NORTHERN.
29	-	-	4	6	4	-	-	-	5	OHIO SOUTHERN.
9	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	3	TENNESSEE EASTERN.
3	-	-	2	5	25	-	2	-	7	TENNESSEE MIDDLE.
20	2	-	13	9	26	-	1	-	13	TENNESSEE WESTERN.
91	-	13	245	68	98	16	-	7	34	SEVENTH CIRCUIT.
42	-	13	178	34	42	10	-	6	20	ILLINOIS NORTHERN.
4	-	-	9	6	7	-	-	-	-	ILLINOIS EASTERN.
7	-	-	2	7	4	3	-	-	2	ILLINOIS SOUTHERN.
11	-	-	29	8	18	1	-	1	4	INDIANA NORTHERN.
7	-	-	9	4	14	1	-	-	1	INDIANA SOUTHERN.
17	-	-	16	7	9	1	-	-	6	WISCONSIN EASTERN.
3	-	-	2	2	4	-	-	-	1	WISCONSIN WESTERN.
53	5	2	62	63	118	4	1	1	48	EIGHTH CIRCUIT.
11	-	-	4	12	3	-	-	1	11	ARKANSAS EASTERN.
-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	ARKANSAS WESTERN.
6	-	-	1	2	5	-	-	-	4	IOWA NORTHERN.
1	-	1	2	6	2	1	-	-	1	IOWA SOUTHERN.
11	-	-	19	12	11	-	1	-	12	MINNESOTA.
6	-	1	18	9	7	1	-	-	4	MISSOURI EASTERN.
7	-	-	16	11	70	1	-	-	4	MISSOURI WESTERN.
4	-	-	2	1	2	1	-	-	4	NEBRASKA.
5	1	-	-	2	1	-	-	-	1	NORTH DAKOTA.
2	4	-	-	8	16	-	-	-	7	SOUTH DAKOTA.
286	13	331	1,259	149	1,170	331	5	21	212	NINTH CIRCUIT.
5	-	1	32	4	16	-	-	-	1	ALASKA.
17	4	25	369	16	382	43	-	-	17	ARIZONA.
33	-	2	36	9	28	12	-	1	17	CALIFORNIA NORTHERN.
42	1	8	37	15	23	16	-	5	21	CALIFORNIA EASTERN.
80	-	56	173	50	72	35	4	10	40	CALIFORNIA CENTRAL.
23	-	235	486	11	354	198	-	-	57	CALIFORNIA CENTRAL.
11	1	1	14	6	239	-	-	-	12	HAWAII.
5	-	-	1	10	1	3	-	-	1	IDAHO.
4	3	-	6	2	2	1	1	-	6	MONTANA.
12	1	-	22	6	10	7	-	-	5	NEVADA.
13	1	-	11	9	6	2	-	2	7	OREGON.
7	2	-	8	3	3	4	-	-	3	WASHINGTON EASTERN.
32	-	3	61	8	34	10	-	3	24	WASHINGTON WESTERN.
2	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	1	GUAM.
89	2	5	105	61	57	14	1	2	48	TENTH CIRCUIT.
20	2	-	31	9	9	2	-	-	7	COLORADO.
29	-	-	26	9	16	1	1	-	8	KANSAS.
9	-	5	27	8	18	5	-	-	6	NEW MEXICO.
6	-	-	4	4	2	5	-	-	1	OKLAHOMA NORTHERN.
6	-	-	-	5	1	-	-	-	4	OKLAHOMA EASTERN.
6	-	-	8	14	7	-	-	2	1	OKLAHOMA WESTERN.
10	-	-	6	11	4	1	-	-	20	UTAH.
3	-	-	3	1	-	-	-	-	1	WYOMING.

1 OLD LAW - HARRISON NARCOTIC DRUG ACT, MARIHUANA TAX ACT AND BORDER REGISTRATION OF ADDICTS AND NARCOTIC LAW VIOLATORS WAS REPEALED MAY 1, 1971. IT WAS REPLACED BY THE:
2 COMPREHENSIVE DRUG ABUSE PREVENTION AND CONTROL ACT OF 1970 (P.L. 91-513) WHICH BECAME EFFECTIVE MAY 1, 1971.

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CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	TOTAL	GENERAL OFFENSES							
		HOMI-CIDE	ROB-BERY	ASSAULT	BUR-GLARY	LAR-CENY	EMBEZ-ZLEMENT	FRAUD	AUTO THEFT
TOTAL ALL DISTRICTS....	11,619	62	610	218	99	1,149	468	1,979	300
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.....	304	2	16	2	1	14	6	33	5
FIRST CIRCUIT.....	321	1	18	10	-	33	26	47	6
MAINE.....	27	-	4	-	-	1	1	4	2
MASSACHUSETTS.....	184	1	9	4	-	17	14	28	2
NEW HAMPSHIRE.....	5	-	-	-	-	2	-	1	1
RHODE ISLAND.....	44	-	-	2	-	9	5	7	1
PUERTO RICO.....	61	-	5	4	-	4	6	7	-
SECOND CIRCUIT.....	1,257	1	93	14	3	122	44	263	10
CONNECTICUT.....	87	-	7	2	-	10	7	15	1
NEW YORK NORTHERN.....	52	-	1	-	-	6	2	16	2
NEW YORK EASTERN.....	436	1	43	2	1	54	14	76	2
NEW YORK SOUTHERN.....	480	-	28	9	1	36	18	110	2
NEW YORK WESTERN.....	176	-	11	1	1	15	1	40	3
VERMONT.....	26	-	3	-	-	1	2	6	-
THIRD CIRCUIT.....	878	8	41	17	21	80	38	238	17
DELAWARE.....	36	-	2	-	-	4	2	7	-
NEW JERSEY.....	363	1	10	3	1	36	25	152	11
PENNSYLVANIA EASTERN.....	170	1	19	2	-	14	4	23	2
PENNSYLVANIA MIDDLE.....	49	-	3	1	-	2	1	12	-
PENNSYLVANIA WESTERN.....	142	-	5	2	1	11	5	32	2
VIRGIN ISLANDS.....	118	6	2	9	19	13	1	12	2
FOURTH CIRCUIT.....	933	2	46	20	3	98	42	136	22
MARYLAND.....	307	-	15	7	2	25	13	39	3
NO. CAROLINA EASTERN.....	69	1	6	2	-	7	5	15	4
NO. CAROLINA MIDDLE.....	53	-	2	-	-	12	3	8	1
NO. CAROLINA WESTERN.....	29	-	3	-	-	-	1	6	1
SOUTH CAROLINA.....	130	-	9	2	-	12	5	25	6
VIRGINIA EASTERN.....	230	1	8	5	1	34	10	21	1
VIRGINIA WESTERN.....	18	-	1	1	-	-	-	4	-
W. VIRGINIA NORTHERN.....	23	-	-	1	-	4	-	10	1
W. VIRGINIA SOUTHERN.....	74	-	2	2	-	4	5	8	5
FIFTH CIRCUIT.....	2,132	4	59	28	9	202	81	275	74
ALABAMA NORTHERN.....	105	-	3	-	-	27	7	14	13
ALABAMA MIDDLE.....	52	-	2	2	-	4	2	3	5
ALABAMA SOUTHERN.....	56	-	1	-	-	2	3	6	5
FLORIDA NORTHERN.....	34	-	1	4	-	2	-	1	4
FLORIDA MIDDLE.....	209	1	16	1	1	8	8	44	6
FLORIDA SOUTHERN.....	322	1	5	2	-	30	11	54	5
GEORGIA NORTHERN.....	184	-	9	2	1	14	8	39	17
GEORGIA MIDDLE.....	23	-	1	-	-	2	1	3	1
GEORGIA SOUTHERN.....	102	-	3	-	-	31	2	8	1
LOUISIANA EASTERN.....	142	-	2	1	-	18	8	13	1
LOUISIANA MIDDLE.....	16	-	-	-	-	1	2	2	-
LOUISIANA WESTERN.....	49	-	1	2	-	7	3	5	4
MISSISSIPPI NORTHERN.....	23	-	-	-	-	2	-	7	2
MISSISSIPPI SOUTHERN.....	42	-	-	1	-	3	1	5	3
TEXAS NORTHERN.....	168	-	4	-	-	15	5	30	2
TEXAS EASTERN.....	54	-	-	-	-	8	1	14	1
TEXAS SOUTHERN.....	271	-	3	5	-	7	9	10	3
TEXAS WESTERN.....	225	1	3	5	1	14	7	17	1
CANAL ZONE.....	55	1	5	3	6	7	3	-	-

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GENERAL OFFENSES--CONTINUED						SPECIAL OFFENSES				
FORGERY AND COUNTER-FEITING	SEX OF-FENSES	NARCOTICS LAWS OLD[1]	NARCOTICS LAWS NEW[2]	WEAPONS AND FIRE-ARMS	OTHER	IMMI-GRATION LAWS	LIQUOR, INTER-NAL REVENUE	SELEC-TIVE SERVICE ACT	OTHER	CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT
1,330	35	56	1,911	908	1,440	267	29	16	742	TOTAL ALL DISTRICTS.
41	1	3	96	22	26	-	-	-	36	DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.
34	-	-	39	47	28	1	-	-	31	FIRST CIRCUIT.
3	-	-	2	3	1	1	-	-	5	MAINE.
17	-	-	21	34	24	-	-	-	13	MASSACHUSETTS.
-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	NEW HAMPSHIRE.
6	-	-	2	9	2	-	-	-	1	RHODE ISLAND.
8	-	-	14	-	1	-	-	-	12	PUERTO RICO.
136	1	11	246	54	121	14	1	2	121	SECOND CIRCUIT.
8	-	-	7	12	10	1	-	-	7	CONNECTICUT.
2	1	-	4	3	5	1	-	-	9	NEW YORK NORTHERN.
43	-	5	100	10	28	4	-	2	51	NEW YORK EASTERN.
71	-	6	104	10	52	3	1	-	29	NEW YORK SOUTHERN.
12	-	-	28	14	23	4	-	-	23	NEW YORK WESTERN.
-	-	-	3	5	3	1	-	-	2	VERMONT.
108	3	2	97	73	84	7	-	1	43	THIRD CIRCUIT.
12	-	-	3	3	2	-	-	-	1	DELAWARE.
37	-	-	22	11	35	-	-	1	18	NEW JERSEY.
19	-	-	39	31	9	-	-	-	7	PENNSYLVANIA EASTERN.
3	-	-	6	4	12	-	-	-	5	PENNSYLVANIA MIDDLE.
33	-	2	12	15	15	-	-	-	7	PENNSYLVANIA WESTERN.
4	3	-	15	9	11	7	-	-	5	VIRGIN ISLANDS.
139	6	2	84	103	160	2	8	4	56	FOURTH CIRCUIT.
46	-	2	39	36	60	2	-	-	18	MARYLAND.
8	-	-	12	4	1	-	1	-	3	NO. CAROLINA EASTERN.
12	-	-	-	6	2	-	3	-	4	NO. CAROLINA MIDDLE.
5	-	-	1	7	1	-	-	-	4	NO. CAROLINA WESTERN.
21	-	-	10	14	10	-	1	-	15	SOUTH CAROLINA.
27	5	-	15	23	72	-	-	2	5	VIRGINIA EASTERN.
3	-	-	-	4	2	-	2	-	1	VIRGINIA WESTERN.
4	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	1	W. VIRGINIA NORTHERN.
13	1	-	7	9	10	-	1	2	5	W. VIRGINIA SOUTHERN.
273	6	8	434	226	245	60	12	1	135	FIFTH CIRCUIT.
7	1	-	3	19	5	-	-	-	6	ALABAMA NORTHERN.
8	-	-	1	7	13	-	1	-	4	ALABAMA MIDDLE.
8	-	-	7	13	6	-	2	-	3	ALABAMA SOUTHERN.
6	-	-	5	2	9	-	-	-	-	FLORIDA NORTHERN.
52	2	-	16	20	10	5	1	-	18	FLORIDA MIDDLE.
32	-	1	84	17	37	11	-	-	32	FLORIDA SOUTHERN.
19	-	-	15	33	23	-	-	-	4	GEORGIA NORTHERN.
3	-	-	1	2	6	-	-	1	2	GEORGIA MIDDLE.
5	1	-	2	1	39	-	1	-	8	GEORGIA SOUTHERN.
30	-	-	20	26	3	-	-	-	20	LOUISIANA EASTERN.
9	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	LOUISIANA MIDDLE.
6	-	-	3	7	5	-	1	-	5	LOUISIANA WESTERN.
-	-	-	-	2	2	-	6	-	2	MISSISSIPPI NORTHERN.
6	-	-	3	20	-	-	-	-	-	MISSISSIPPI SOUTHERN.
46	-	-	15	19	19	2	-	-	11	TEXAS NORTHERN.
10	-	-	-	7	11	-	-	-	2	TEXAS EASTERN.
7	1	6	162	13	22	20	-	-	3	TEXAS SOUTHERN.
19	-	1	75	16	29	22	-	-	14	TEXAS WESTERN.
-	1	-	22	-	6	-	-	-	1	CANAL ZONE.

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CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	TOTAL	GENERAL OFFENSES							
		HOMI-CIDE	ROB-BERY	ASSAULT	BUR-GLARY	LAR-CENY	EMBEZ-ZLEMENT	FRAUD	AUTO THEFT
SIXTH CIRCUIT	1,359	3	93	14	4	200	57	236	46
KENTUCKY EASTERN	108	-	4	2	-	14	3	6	9
KENTUCKY WESTERN	64	-	5	-	-	8	3	7	2
MICHIGAN EASTERN	597	1	17	4	2	96	15	139	6
MICHIGAN WESTERN	104	1	4	2	-	18	6	18	3
OHIO NORTHERN	158	-	22	2	-	21	17	18	7
OHIO SOUTHERN	93	-	13	2	-	7	4	20	2
TENNESSEE EASTERN	31	1	6	2	-	5	1	2	4
TENNESSEE MIDDLE	67	-	5	-	-	7	1	9	4
TENNESSEE WESTERN	137	-	17	-	2	24	7	17	9
SEVENTH CIRCUIT	771	2	44	10	-	73	41	236	28
ILLINOIS NORTHERN	444	1	16	2	-	44	22	177	7
ILLINOIS EASTERN	41	1	1	1	-	7	2	6	-
ILLINOIS SOUTHERN	33	-	-	1	-	-	5	8	-
INDIANA NORTHERN	78	-	2	2	-	9	-	12	2
INDIANA SOUTHERN	63	-	13	2	-	4	5	5	10
WISCONSIN EASTERN	79	-	5	1	-	5	6	23	-
WISCONSIN WESTERN	33	-	7	1	-	4	1	5	9
EIGHTH CIRCUIT	628	16	23	40	28	95	24	99	25
ARKANSAS EASTERN	57	-	2	1	-	17	3	7	3
ARKANSAS WESTERN	28	-	-	-	-	8	7	11	1
IOWA NORTHERN	37	-	1	1	1	6	-	11	1
IOWA SOUTHERN	21	1	2	2	-	-	1	6	-
MINNESOTA	76	-	6	1	-	7	4	12	1
MISSOURI EASTERN	76	-	2	1	1	15	5	12	5
MISSOURI WESTERN	133	-	2	1	-	9	2	17	7
NEBRASKA	36	-	5	-	-	8	2	8	3
NORTH DAKOTA	27	1	-	2	8	3	-	3	-
SOUTH DAKOTA	137	14	3	31	18	22	-	12	4
NINTH CIRCUIT	2,541	19	147	53	27	170	89	343	37
ALASKA	73	1	2	2	-	5	7	7	-
ARIZONA	292	6	2	6	6	13	-	23	4
CALIFORNIA NORTHERN	233	-	31	2	2	23	18	47	2
CALIFORNIA EASTERN	204	-	10	5	1	20	10	31	5
CALIFORNIA CENTRAL	535	1	51	12	-	43	24	97	12
CALIFORNIA SOUTHERN	388	-	7	5	-	8	7	24	-
HAWAII	294	-	9	1	-	5	1	10	-
IDAHO	34	-	-	2	1	2	1	9	-
MONTANA	50	6	1	5	14	2	-	8	-
NEVADA	75	1	8	4	-	5	1	15	1
OREGON	115	1	9	5	-	28	9	22	6
WASHINGTON EASTERN	41	-	3	1	-	2	2	13	4
WASHINGTON WESTERN	197	2	14	2	-	13	9	37	3
GUAM	10	1	-	1	3	1	-	-	-
TENTH CIRCUIT	495	4	30	10	3	62	20	73	30
COLORADO	92	-	9	3	-	10	3	12	6
KANSAS	109	-	3	-	1	24	2	13	7
NEW MEXICO	70	2	6	2	1	7	1	4	10
OKLAHOMA NORTHERN	15	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
OKLAHOMA EASTERN	21	-	-	-	-	3	-	3	1
OKLAHOMA WESTERN	64	1	3	1	-	2	9	11	4
UTAH	109	1	9	3	-	12	5	28	1
WYOMING	15	-	-	1	1	4	-	1	1

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GENERAL OFFENSES--CONTINUED						SPECIAL OFFENSES				
FORGERY AND COUNTER-FEITING	SEX OF-FENSES	NARCOTICS LAWS		WEAPONS AND FIRE-ARMS	OTHER	IMMI-GRATION LAWS	LIQUOR, INTER-NAL REVENUE	SELEC-TIVE SERVICE ACT	OTHER	CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT
		OLD[1]	NEW[2]							
195	1	-	174	114	129	9	6	-	78	SIXTH CIRCUIT.
11	-	-	1	32	12	-	1	-	13	KENTUCKY EASTERN.
9	-	-	4	9	14	-	1	-	2	KENTUCKY WESTERN.
69	1	-	140	36	38	7	2	-	24	MICHIGAN EASTERN.
17	-	-	8	12	7	2	-	-	6	MICHIGAN WESTERN.
36	-	-	5	8	13	-	-	-	9	OHIO NORTHERN.
28	-	-	3	6	3	-	-	-	5	OHIO SOUTHERN.
5	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	3	TENNESSEE EASTERN.
2	-	-	2	4	25	-	1	-	7	TENNESSEE MIDDLE.
18	-	-	10	7	16	-	1	-	9	TENNESSEE WESTERN.
60	-	1	129	49	67	8	-	2	21	SEVENTH CIRCUIT.
22	-	1	83	21	30	4	-	1	13	ILLINOIS NORTHERN.
4	-	-	9	6	4	-	-	-	-	ILLINOIS EASTERN.
6	-	-	2	6	2	2	-	-	1	ILLINOIS SOUTHERN.
11	-	-	16	6	13	1	-	1	3	INDIANA NORTHERN.
4	-	-	7	3	9	1	-	-	-	INDIANA SOUTHERN.
11	-	-	12	5	7	-	-	-	4	WISCONSIN EASTERN.
2	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	WISCONSIN WESTERN.
40	5	-	42	53	97	2	-	-	39	EIGHTH CIRCUIT.
6	-	-	1	8	2	-	-	-	7	ARKANSAS EASTERN.
1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	ARKANSAS WESTERN.
5	-	-	1	2	5	-	-	-	3	IOWA NORTHERN.
-	-	-	1	6	1	-	-	-	1	IOWA SOUTHERN.
8	-	-	11	11	6	-	-	-	9	MINNESOTA.
5	-	-	14	8	3	1	-	-	4	MISSOURI EASTERN.
4	-	-	13	9	65	-	-	-	4	MISSOURI WESTERN.
4	-	-	1	1	-	1	-	-	3	NEBRASKA.
5	1	-	-	2	1	-	-	-	1	NORTH DAKOTA.
2	4	-	·	6	14	-	-	-	7	SOUTH DAKOTA.
230	10	27	515	117	455	156	1	6	139	NINTH CIRCUIT.
3	-	-	28	3	14	-	-	-	1	ALASKA.
14	4	-	110	9	48	38	-	-	9	ARIZONA.
28	-	1	25	6	25	9	-	-	14	CALIFORNIA NORTHERN.
40	1	1	26	13	15	7	-	1	18	CALIFORNIA EASTERN.
62	-	24	74	42	44	19	1	4	25	CALIFORNIA CENTRAL.
19	-	1	184	7	34	68	-	-	24	CALIFORNIA CENTRAL.
6	1	-	10	4	236	-	-	-	11	HAWAII.
5	-	-	1	9	1	3	-	-	-	IDAHO.
2	3	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	5	MONTANA.
9	-	-	11	5	8	4	-	-	3	NEVADA.
9	1	-	6	8	4	2	-	1	4	OREGON.
5	-	-	3	1	3	1	-	-	3	WASHINGTON EASTERN.
26	-	-	36	8	21	5	-	-	21	WASHINGTON WESTERN.
2	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	GUAM.
74	2	2	55	50	28	8	1	-	43	TENTH CIRCUIT.
13	2	-	11	8	7	1	-	-	7	COLORADO.
25	-	-	14	4	8	1	1	-	6	KANSAS.
7	-	2	12	6	3	4	-	-	3	NEW MEXICO.
5	-	-	3	3	1	1	-	-	1	OKLAHOMA NORTHERN.
6	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	4	OKLAHOMA EASTERN.
6	-	-	7	14	5	-	-	-	1	OKLAHOMA WESTERN.
9	-	-	6	10	4	1	-	-	20	UTAH.
3	-	-	2	1	-	-	-	-	1	WYOMING.

1 OLD LAW - HARRISON NARCOTIC DRUG ACT, MARIHUANA TAX ACT AND BORDER REGISTRATION OF ADDICTS AND NARCOTIC LAW VIOLATORS WAS REPEALED MAY 1, 1971. IT WAS REPLACED BY THE:
2 COMPREHENSIVE DRUG ABUSE PREVENTION AND CONTROL ACT OF 1970 (P.L. 91-513) WHICH BECAME EFFECTIVE MAY 1, 1971.

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CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	TOTAL	PENDING LESS THAN SIX MONTHS	AGE OF PENDING CASES WITHOUT FUGITIVE DEFENDANTS				AGE OF PENDING CASES WITH FUGITIVE DEFENDANTS			
			TOTAL	6-12 MONTHS	1-2 YEARS	3 YEARS OR MORE	TOTAL	6-12 MONTHS	1-2 YEARS	3 YEARS OR MORE
TOTAL ALL DISTRICTS....	17,109	8,865	2,754	1,191	1,170	393	5,490	697	2,043	2,750
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.....	337	239	65	25	26	14	33	4	18	11
FIRST CIRCUIT.....	440	274	47	16	25	6	119	21	47	51
MAINE.....	40	25	2	2	-	-	13	1	3	9
MASSACHUSETTS.....	252	153	31	8	18	5	68	11	25	32
NEW HAMPSHIRE.....	8	5	-	-	-	-	3	-	2	1
RHODE ISLAND.....	57	38	6	2	4	-	13	5	8	-
PUERTO RICO.....	83	53	8	4	3	1	22	4	9	9
SECOND CIRCUIT.....	1,987	746	511	137	250	124	730	103	278	349
CONNECTICUT.....	133	64	23	5	16	2	46	6	17	23
NEW YORK NORTHERN.....	105	44	8	2	5	1	53	5	11	37
NEW YORK EASTERN.....	709	252	184	54	87	43	273	24	78	171
NEW YORK SOUTHERN.....	738	281	199	51	99	49	258	51	150	57
NEW YORK WESTERN.....	211	83	93	23	41	29	35	5	8	22
VERMONT.....	91	22	4	2	2	-	65	12	14	39
THIRD CIRCUIT.....	991	620	258	153	95	10	113	39	54	20
DELAWARE.....	39	32	4	3	1	-	3	-	2	1
NEW JERSEY.....	397	230	133	87	41	5	34	13	17	4
PENNSYLVANIA EASTERN.....	191	134	36	24	11	1	21	11	10	-
PENNSYLVANIA MIDDLE.....	71	44	5	2	2	1	22	3	10	9
PENNSYLVANIA WESTERN.....	160	88	54	21	30	3	18	6	7	5
VIRGIN ISLANDS.....	133	92	26	16	10	-	15	6	8	1
FOURTH CIRCUIT.....	1,175	727	206	106	85	15	242	43	114	85
MARYLAND.....	372	228	79	42	35	2	65	7	33	25
NO. CAROLINA EASTERN.....	82	60	9	6	3	-	13	4	7	2
NO. CAROLINA MIDDLE.....	64	50	3	2	1	-	11	2	5	4
NO. CAROLINA WESTERN.....	38	27	2	2	-	-	9	2	4	3
SOUTH CAROLINA.....	170	103	27	17	8	2	40	9	21	10
VIRGINIA EASTERN.....	303	170	60	33	22	5	73	9	36	28
VIRGINIA WESTERN.....	23	18	-	-	-	-	5	3	-	2
W. VIRGINIA NORTHERN.....	29	22	1	1	-	-	6	4	-	2
W. VIRGINIA SOUTHERN.....	94	49	25	3	16	6	20	3	8	9
FIFTH CIRCUIT.....	3,257	1,778	354	155	159	40	1,125	198	451	476
ALABAMA NORTHERN.....	138	96	9	6	3	-	33	8	15	10
ALABAMA MIDDLE.....	60	45	7	5	2	-	8	3	5	-
ALABAMA SOUTHERN.....	63	47	9	5	4	-	7	2	4	1
FLORIDA NORTHERN.....	42	34	-	-	-	-	8	6	2	-
FLORIDA MIDDLE.....	270	186	23	11	9	3	61	8	28	25
FLORIDA SOUTHERN.....	654	267	55	27	21	7	332	59	131	142
GEORGIA NORTHERN.....	244	153	31	11	15	5	60	12	29	19
GEORGIA MIDDLE.....	45	9	14	2	8	4	22	2	8	12
GEORGIA SOUTHERN.....	121	55	47	17	30	-	19	3	13	3
LOUISIANA EASTERN.....	161	128	14	7	5	2	19	8	10	1
LOUISIANA MIDDLE.....	21	14	2	2	-	-	5	1	2	2
LOUISIANA WESTERN.....	54	40	9	8	1	-	5	2	3	-
MISSISSIPPI NORTHERN.....	26	18	5	4	1	-	3	-	2	1
MISSISSIPPI SOUTHERN.....	52	36	6	3	3	-	10	8	1	1
TEXAS NORTHERN.....	220	153	15	6	7	2	52	13	13	26
TEXAS EASTERN.....	59	48	6	4	2	-	5	1	1	3
TEXAS SOUTHERN.....	591	223	48	15	25	8	320	46	129	145
TEXAS WESTERN.....	356	179	46	20	18	8	131	12	37	82
CANAL ZONE.....	80	47	8	2	5	1	25	4	18	3

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CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	TOTAL	PENDING LESS THAN SIX MONTHS	AGE OF PENDING CASES WITHOUT FUGITIVE DEFENDANTS				AGE OF PENDING CASES WITH FUGITIVE DEFENDAN			
			TOTAL	6-12 MONTHS	1-2 YEARS	3 YEARS OR MORE	TOTAL	6-12 MONTHS	1-2 YEARS	3 Y OR
SIXTH CIRCUIT	1,555	972	387	136	195	56	196	33	80	
KENTUCKY EASTERN	126	89	19	10	7	2	18	-	6	
KENTUCKY WESTERN	74	58	6	1	5	-	10	2	4	
MICHIGAN EASTERN	667	349	248	74	126	48	70	11	28	
MICHIGAN WESTERN	116	83	21	12	9	-	12	2	4	
OHIO NORTHERN	201	125	33	14	19	-	43	10	16	
OHIO SOUTHERN	95	79	14	5	9	-	2	-	1	
TENNESSEE EASTERN	37	31	-	-	-	-	6	2	4	
TENNESSEE MIDDLE	72	61	6	2	2	2	5	1	3	
TENNESSEE WESTERN	167	97	40	18	18	4	30	5	14	
SEVENTH CIRCUIT	1,076	585	186	87	84	15	305	42	131	
ILLINOIS NORTHERN	664	327	117	49	61	7	220	23	102	
ILLINOIS EASTERN	46	36	5	4	1	-	5	3	1	
ILLINOIS SOUTHERN	41	27	6	2	2	2	8	2	-	
INDIANA NORTHERN	104	52	26	11	11	4	26	4	14	
INDIANA SOUTHERN	79	54	9	7	1	1	16	7	4	
WISCONSIN EASTERN	101	62	17	11	6	-	22	2	6	
WISCONSIN WESTERN	41	27	6	3	2	1	8	1	4	
EIGHTH CIRCUIT	750	547	81	58	23	-	122	16	60	
ARKANSAS EASTERN	83	37	20	15	5	-	26	4	13	
ARKANSAS WESTERN	29	25	3	2	1	-	1	-	-	
IOWA NORTHERN	44	35	2	2	-	-	7	2	2	
IOWA SOUTHERN	31	21	-	-	-	-	10	1	4	
MINNESOTA	103	69	7	4	3	-	27	3	17	
MISSOURI EASTERN	91	69	7	5	2	-	15	1	5	
MISSOURI WESTERN	149	128	5	3	2	-	16	1	9	
NEBRASKA	48	32	4	3	1	-	12	1	6	
NORTH DAKOTA	31	20	7	6	1	-	4	1	2	
SOUTH DAKOTA	141	111	26	18	8	-	4	2	2	
NINTH CIRCUIT	4,890	1,984	557	252	199	106	2,349	174	755	1
ALASKA	86	66	7	5	2	-	13	3	5	
ARIZONA	950	254	38	18	16	4	658	68	247	
CALIFORNIA NORTHERN	283	184	49	34	13	2	50	16	31	
CALIFORNIA EASTERN	265	156	48	27	18	3	61	7	15	
CALIFORNIA CENTRAL	865	398	137	38	42	57	330	18	97	
CALIFORNIA SOUTHERN	1,440	264	124	48	40	36	1,052	39	284	
HAWAII	313	260	34	28	5	1	19	2	9	
IDAHO	38	32	2	1	1	-	4	2	1	
MONTANA	64	50	-	-	-	-	14	-	3	
NEVADA	111	62	13	5	7	1	36	9	16	
OREGON	142	84	31	15	16	-	27	6	10	
WASHINGTON EASTERN	55	34	7	5	2	-	14	3	4	
WASHINGTON WESTERN	266	131	66	27	37	2	69	-	32	
GUAM	12	9	1	1	-	-	2	1	1	
TENTH CIRCUIT	651	393	102	66	29	7	156	24	55	
COLORADO	136	78	14	9	4	1	44	10	11	
KANSAS	147	97	12	6	4	2	38	2	20	
NEW MEXICO	119	61	9	3	3	3	49	8	13	
OKLAHOMA NORTHERN	26	11	4	1	3	-	11	3	4	
OKLAHOMA EASTERN	23	21	-	-	-	-	2	1	-	
OKLAHOMA WESTERN	71	51	13	7	6	-	7	-	3	
UTAH	113	59	50	40	9	1	4	-	3	
WYOMING	16	15	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	

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CRIMINAL CASES COMMENCED AND TERMINATED, (FELONIES AND MISDEMEANORS ONLY*)
FOR THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	PENDING JULY 1, 1976		COMMENCED				PENDING JUNE 30, 1977	
	TOTAL	CASES WITH FUGITIVE DEFENDANTS[1]	TOTAL	ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS	RECEIVED BY TRANSFER	TOTAL TERMINATED[2]	TOTAL	CASES WITH FUGITIVE DEFENDANTS[1]
TOTAL ALL DISTRICTS....	18,896	7,052	32,925	31,288	1,637	35,715	16,106	5,457
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.....	374	49	792	775	17	876	290	32
FIRST CIRCUIT.....	693	243	773	746	27	1,047	419	119
MAINE.....	57	39	74	73	1	93	38	13
MASSACHUSETTS.....	436	135	372	357	15	572	236	68
NEW HAMPSHIRE.....	29	20	30	29	1	51	8	3
RHODE ISLAND.....	74	8	92	86	6	111	55	13
PUERTO RICO.....	97	41	205	201	4	220	82	22
SECOND CIRCUIT.....	2,715	921	2,516	2,399	117	3,264	1,967	728
CONNECTICUT.....	271	100	207	197	10	347	131	46
NEW YORK NORTHERN.....	142	80	134	127	7	171	105	53
NEW YORK EASTERN.....	914	413	748	726	22	961	701	272
NEW YORK SOUTHERN.....	902	186	1,160	1,105	55	1,331	731	257
NEW YORK WESTERN.....	387	81	186	167	19	364	209	35
VERMONT.....	99	61	81	77	4	90	90	65
THIRD CIRCUIT.....	1,107	165	2,145	2,049	96	2,376	876	112
DELAWARE.....	50	11	134	129	5	146	38	3
NEW JERSEY.....	290	21	594	562	32	589	295	34
PENNSYLVANIA EASTERN.....	238	6	560	526	34	609	189	21
PENNSYLVANIA MIDDLE.....	87	44	162	152	10	183	66	22
PENNSYLVANIA WESTERN.....	223	74	298	283	15	361	160	18
VIRGIN ISLANDS.....	219	9	397	397	-	488	128	14
FOURTH CIRCUIT.....	1,123	387	2,814	2,697	117	2,974	963	227
MARYLAND.....	381	104	573	558	15	667	287	54
NO. CAROLINA EASTERN.....	69	14	268	254	14	256	81	13
NO. CAROLINA MIDDLE.....	63	25	308	290	18	310	61	11
NO. CAROLINA WESTERN.....	54	16	201	187	14	218	37	9
SOUTH CAROLINA.....	140	44	347	333	14	324	163	40
VIRGINIA EASTERN.....	252	125	612	596	16	676	188	69
VIRGINIA WESTERN.....	35	19	191	178	13	203	23	5
W. VIRGINIA NORTHERN.....	18	9	105	100	5	94	29	6
W. VIRGINIA SOUTHERN.....	111	31	209	201	8	226	94	20
FIFTH CIRCUIT.....	3,191	1,167	7,626	7,269	357	7,703	3,114	1,121
ALABAMA NORTHERN.....	141	40	575	548	27	582	134	33
ALABAMA MIDDLE.....	30	3	176	171	5	152	54	8
ALABAMA SOUTHERN.....	47	7	165	159	6	149	63	7
FLORIDA NORTHERN.....	43	3	140	130	10	142	41	8
FLORIDA MIDDLE.....	279	103	486	433	53	505	260	61
FLORIDA SOUTHERN.....	553	298	806	756	50	710	649	332
GEORGIA NORTHERN.....	259	85	508	471	37	525	242	60
GEORGIA MIDDLE.....	65	31	232	222	10	254	43	22
GEORGIA SOUTHERN.....	104	23	218	209	9	253	69	17
LOUISIANA EASTERN.....	116	10	696	687	9	667	145	17
LOUISIANA MIDDLE.....	36	4	104	102	2	119	21	5
LOUISIANA WESTERN.....	43	4	214	199	15	218	39	5
MISSISSIPPI NORTHERN.....	20	5	114	109	5	109	25	3
MISSISSIPPI SOUTHERN.....	44	4	154	143	11	146	52	10
TEXAS NORTHERN.....	210	73	635	593	42	634	211	52
TEXAS EASTERN.....	40	10	193	176	17	175	58	5
TEXAS SOUTHERN.....	778	310	1,129	1,107	22	1,319	588	320
TEXAS WESTERN.....	323	134	806	779	27	789	340	131
CANAL ZONE.....	60	20	275	275	-	255	80	25

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FOR THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	PENDING JULY 1, 1976		COMMENCED			TOTAL TERMINATED[2]	PENDING JUNE 30, 1977	
	TOTAL	CASES WITH FUGITIVE DEFENDANTS[1]	TOTAL	ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS	RECEIVED BY TRANSFER		TOTAL	CASES WITH FUGITIVE DEFENDANTS[1]
SIXTH CIRCUIT	2,056	592	3,584	3,404	180	4,142	1,498	196
KENTUCKY EASTERN	131	33	270	267	3	280	121	18
KENTUCKY WESTERN	69	26	367	352	15	369	67	10
MICHIGAN EASTERN	1,032	256	1,178	1,134	44	1,552	658	70
MICHIGAN WESTERN	187	67	239	221	18	314	112	12
OHIO NORTHERN	349	156	634	600	34	784	199	43
OHIO SOUTHERN	68	6	333	306	27	306	95	2
TENNESSEE EASTERN	29	12	213	192	21	205	37	6
TENNESSEE MIDDLE	55	2	168	154	14	180	43	5
TENNESSEE WESTERN	136	34	182	178	4	152	166	30
SEVENTH CIRCUIT	1,271	443	1,753	1,621	132	1,957	1,067	305
ILLINOIS NORTHERN	657	239	769	716	53	769	657	220
ILLINOIS EASTERN	45	2	136	135	1	135	46	5
ILLINOIS SOUTHERN	70	37	94	91	3	123	41	8
INDIANA NORTHERN	213	77	239	226	13	349	103	26
INDIANA SOUTHERN	126	53	215	185	30	262	79	16
WISCONSIN EASTERN	122	33	210	187	23	231	101	22
WISCONSIN WESTERN	38	2	90	81	9	88	40	8
EIGHTH CIRCUIT	930	302	2,028	1,939	89	2,277	681	122
ARKANSAS EASTERN	86	33	250	241	9	256	80	26
ARKANSAS WESTERN	35	3	67	61	6	73	29	1
IOWA NORTHERN	38	23	135	128	7	130	43	7
IOWA SOUTHERN	53	15	92	91	1	114	31	10
MINNESOTA	144	65	295	276	19	340	99	27
MISSOURI EASTERN	126	40	329	319	10	364	91	15
MISSOURI WESTERN	114	40	231	218	13	254	91	16
NEBRASKA	114	56	144	128	16	213	45	12
NORTH DAKOTA	31	15	140	136	4	140	31	4
SOUTH DAKOTA	189	12	345	341	4	393	141	4
NINTH CIRCUIT	4,826	2,572	7,076	6,673	403	7,281	4,621	2,340
ALASKA	82	14	155	151	4	167	70	12
ARIZONA	933	612	1,104	1,078	26	1,088	949	658
CALIFORNIA NORTHERN	198	20	726	657	69	655	269	47
CALIFORNIA EASTERN	254	87	534	513	21	539	249	59
CALIFORNIA CENTRAL	1,034	474	1,567	1,415	152	1,747	854	329
CALIFORNIA SOUTHERN	1,491	1,067	985	946	39	1,049	1,427	1,050
HAWAII	101	35	608	595	13	577	132	19
IDAHO	43	19	140	140	-	146	37	4
MONTANA	73	39	214	212	2	223	64	14
NEVADA	113	35	195	179	16	197	111	36
OREGON	170	39	270	241	29	298	142	27
WASHINGTON EASTERN	74	35	161	150	11	181	54	14
WASHINGTON WESTERN	249	93	393	372	21	391	251	69
GUAM	11	3	24	24	-	23	12	2
TENTH CIRCUIT	610	211	1,818	1,716	102	1,818	610	155
COLORADO	128	63	348	321	27	349	127	43
KANSAS	192	55	395	371	24	444	143	38
NEW MEXICO	116	58	254	239	15	251	119	49
OKLAHOMA NORTHERN	56	15	135	130	5	165	26	11
OKLAHOMA EASTERN	8	4	92	89	3	77	23	2
OKLAHOMA WESTERN	46	7	303	289	14	293	56	7
UTAH	54	7	148	138	10	101	101	4
WYOMING	10	2	143	139	4	138	15	1

1 INCLUDES ONLY THOSE CASES WITH FUGITIVE DEFENDANTS WHICH HAD BEEN PENDING 6 MONTHS OR MORE AT THE END OF THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD.
2 INCLUDES TRANSFERS.
* REFERS TO ANY OFFENSE FOR WHICH THE PENALTY EXCEEDS ONE YEAR IN PRISON OR WHERE THE FINE IS GREATER THAN $1,000 OR BOTH.

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CRIMINAL DEFENDANTS COMMENCED AND TERMINATED, (FELONIES AND MISDEMEANORS ONLY*)
FOR THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	PENDING JULY 1, 1976		COMMENCED				TOTAL TERMINATED[1]	PENDING JUNE 30, 1977	
	TOTAL	TRIABLE DEFENDANTS[2]	TOTAL	ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS	RE-OPENED	RECEIVED BY TRANSFER		TOTAL	TRIABLE DEFENDANTS[2]
TOTAL ALL DISTRICTS..	26,797	10,324	45,940	43,726	436	1,778	49,161	23,576	10,024
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.	463	202	1,002	982	3	17	1,083	382	165
FIRST CIRCUIT.....	951	357	1,102	1,069	6	27	1,413	640	318
MAINE.....	58	10	96	95	-	1	105	49	20
MASSACHUSETTS.....	630	213	560	545	-	15	796	394	189
NEW HAMPSHIRE.....	39	16	32	31	-	1	63	8	4
RHODE ISLAND.....	86	59	122	116	-	6	140	68	40
PUERTO RICO.....	138	59	292	282	6	4	309	121	65
SECOND CIRCUIT....	4,662	2,353	3,821	3,511	171	139	4,975	3,508	1,700
CONNECTICUT.....	406	139	264	253	-	11	457	213	49
NEW YORK NORTHERN....	205	74	190	183	-	7	231	164	51
NEW YORK EASTERN.....	1,583	592	1,161	1,130	-	31	1,382	1,362	645
NEW YORK SOUTHERN....	1,787	1,297	1,834	1,606	170	58	2,282	1,339	779
NEW YORK WESTERN.....	547	220	263	235	-	28	492	318	146
VERMONT.....	134	31	109	104	1	4	131	112	30
THIRD CIRCUIT.....	1,605	839	3,209	3,020	87	102	3,431	1,383	648
DELAWARE.....	55	13	156	148	1	7	161	50	22
NEW JERSEY.....	489	272	901	844	25	32	873	517	245
PENNSYLVANIA EASTERN.	385	212	916	819	60	37	960	341	178
PENNSYLVANIA MIDDLE..	115	41	216	206	-	10	238	93	24
PENNSYLVANIA WESTERN.	310	62	535	518	1	16	610	235	94
VIRGIN ISLANDS.....	251	239	485	485	-	-	589	147	85
FOURTH CIRCUIT....	1,465	612	3,954	3,814	10	130	4,126	1,293	470
MARYLAND.....	512	175	773	754	4	15	894	391	141
NO. CAROLINA EASTERN.	87	41	371	355	-	16	339	119	71
NO. CAROLINA MIDDLE..	72	36	390	372	-	18	389	73	15
NO. CAROLINA WESTERN.	79	46	261	245	1	15	293	47	17
SOUTH CAROLINA.....	212	111	530	511	2	17	479	263	96
VIRGINIA EASTERN.....	290	85	782	761	-	21	843	229	47
VIRGINIA WESTERN.....	36	11	205	190	2	13	217	24	14
W. VIRGINIA NORTHERN.	18	1	124	118	-	6	104	38	17
W. VIRGINIA SOUTHERN.	159	106	518	508	1	9	568	109	52
FIFTH CIRCUIT.....	4,334	1,492	10,935	10,486	56	393	10,749	4,520	1,789
ALABAMA NORTHERN.....	187	83	768	739	-	29	779	176	68
ALABAMA MIDDLE.....	58	40	228	222	1	5	223	63	38
ALABAMA SOUTHERN.....	56	30	293	287	-	6	221	128	97
FLORIDA NORTHERN.....	72	31	206	189	5	12	209	69	21
FLORIDA MIDDLE.....	395	157	725	666	3	56	737	383	176
FLORIDA SOUTHERN.....	803	179	1,248	1,172	19	57	1,061	990	380
GEORGIA NORTHERN.....	405	140	753	708	5	40	771	387	114
GEORGIA MIDDLE.....	89	24	279	269	-	10	313	55	6
GEORGIA SOUTHERN.....	133	68	274	264	1	9	327	80	29
LOUISIANA EASTERN....	170	86	942	926	6	10	930	182	97
LOUISIANA MIDDLE.....	42	21	131	129	-	2	146	27	11
LOUISIANA WESTERN....	49	23	246	222	6	18	251	44	20
MISSISSIPPI NORTHERN.	26	7	168	162	-	6	152	42	18
MISSISSIPPI SOUTHERN.	58	28	202	190	-	12	192	68	34
TEXAS NORTHERN.....	238	96	861	808	2	51	808	291	128
TEXAS EASTERN.....	43	20	244	227	-	17	201	86	64
TEXAS SOUTHERN.....	991	290	1,819	1,794	-	25	1,949	861	281
TEXAS WESTERN.....	455	152	1,217	1,181	8	28	1,170	502	180
CANAL ZONE.....	64	17	331	331	-	-	309	86	27

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CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	PENDING JULY 1, 1976		COMMENCED				TOTAL TERMINATED[1]	PENDING JUNE 30, 1977	
	TOTAL	TRIABLE DEFENDANTS[2]	TOTAL	ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS	RE-OPENED	RECEIVED BY TRANSFER		TOTAL	TRIABLE DEFENDANTS[2]
SIXTH CIRCUIT.....	2,913	1,343	4,634	4,418	25	191	5,359	2,188	1,161
KENTUCKY EASTERN.....	176	89	350	344	3	3	367	159	67
KENTUCKY WESTERN.....	130	60	497	481	-	16	525	102	76
MICHIGAN EASTERN.....	1,429	638	1,516	1,469	3	44	1,963	982	504
MICHIGAN WESTERN.....	213	102	289	271	-	18	365	137	104
OHIO NORTHERN.....	449	215	775	733	4	38	963	261	137
OHIO SOUTHERN.....	86	35	410	374	5	31	379	117	63
TENNESSEE EASTERN....	31	11	296	271	3	22	271	56	21
TENNESSEE MIDDLE.....	108	76	218	198	5	15	275	51	23
TENNESSEE WESTERN....	291	117	283	277	2	4	251	323	166
SEVENTH CIRCUIT...	1,878	735	2,449	2,287	16	146	2,843	1,484	711
ILLINOIS NORTHERN....	1,078	408	1,113	1,051	5	57	1,255	936	437
ILLINOIS EASTERN.....	56	37	177	170	6	1	173	60	33
ILLINOIS SOUTHERN....	99	36	114	107	4	3	157	56	22
INDIANA NORTHERN.....	280	103	382	369	-	13	530	132	52
INDIANA SOUTHERN.....	156	60	293	258	1	34	332	117	77
WISCONSIN EASTERN....	168	77	280	251	-	29	305	143	73
WISCONSIN WESTERN....	41	14	90	81	-	9	91	40	17
EIGHTH CIRCUIT....	1,118	357	2,646	2,539	9	98	2,846	918	435
ARKANSAS EASTERN.....	102	50	320	309	2	9	318	104	46
ARKANSAS WESTERN.....	38	9	94	87	-	7	89	43	24
IOWA NORTHERN.....	39	6	204	193	-	11	183	60	29
IOWA SOUTHERN.....	57	24	106	105	-	1	122	41	16
MINNESOTA.....	207	39	398	379	-	19	459	146	36
MISSOURI EASTERN.....	149	53	425	411	3	11	445	129	65
MISSOURI WESTERN.....	138	31	300	286	1	13	316	122	55
NEBRASKA.....	143	43	199	179	2	18	284	58	21
NORTH DAKOTA.....	31	12	190	185	1	4	176	45	32
SOUTH DAKOTA.....	214	90	410	405	-	5	454	170	111
NINTH CIRCUIT.....	6,638	1,758	9,728	9,253	46	429	9,873	6,493	2,257
ALASKA.....	116	68	224	211	3	10	230	110	66
ARIZONA.....	1,221	237	1,729	1,688	13	28	1,676	1,274	307
CALIFORNIA NORTHERN..	299	126	956	879	6	71	865	390	157
CALIFORNIA EASTERN...	332	117	693	671	-	22	655	370	194
CALIFORNIA CENTRAL...	1,368	388	2,038	1,873	6	159	2,305	1,101	422
CALIFORNIA SOUTHERN..	2,187	413	1,601	1,557	3	41	1,596	2,192	494
HAWAII.....	154	85	663	648	-	15	653	164	92
IDAHO.....	49	12	175	175	-	-	171	53	37
MONTANA.....	74	16	245	237	6	2	249	70	38
NEVADA.....	161	51	266	242	7	17	277	150	46
OREGON.....	253	56	371	340	-	31	424	200	114
WASHINGTON EASTERN...	82	24	177	165	-	12	197	62	39
WASHINGTON WESTERN...	328	156	553	530	2	21	545	336	235
GUAM.....	14	9	37	37	-	-	30	21	16
TENTH CIRCUIT.....	770	276	2,460	2,347	7	106	2,463	767	370
COLORADO.....	143	38	476	443	3	30	463	156	59
KANSAS.....	237	78	522	496	2	24	577	182	60
NEW MEXICO.....	147	29	369	352	1	16	367	149	44
OKLAHOMA NORTHERN....	93	77	212	207	-	5	272	33	7
OKLAHOMA EASTERN.....	8	2	110	106	1	3	93	25	10
OKLAHOMA WESTERN.....	61	11	427	413	-	14	406	82	72
UTAH.....	71	38	185	175	-	10	132	124	110
WYOMING.....	10	3	159	155	-	4	153	16	8

1 INCLUDES TRANSFERS AND DEFENDANTS IN MORE THAN ONE CASE.
2 INCLUDES ALL DEFENDANTS TRIABLE; I.E., AVAILABLE FOR FINAL PLEA OR TRIAL BY JUDGE OR JURY AS OF JUNE 30, 1977 DOES NOT INCLUDE THOSE DEFENDANTS AWAITING SENTENCE, THOSE COMMITTED FOR OBSERVATION AND STUDY, OR FUGITIVES.
* REFERS TO ANY OFFENSE FOR WHICH THE PENALTY EXCEEDS ONE YEAR IN PRISON OR WHERE THE FINE IS GREATER THAN $1,000 OR BOTH.

TABLE D 2FMC. U.S. DISTRICT COURTS
CRIMINAL CASES COMMENCED BY NATURE OF OFFENSE (EXCLUDES TRANSFERS)
DURING THE TWELVE MONTH PERIODS ENDED JUNE 30, 1974 AND 1977

NATURE OF PROCEEDINGS AND OFFENSE (FELONIES AND MISDEMEANORS ONLY)	TOTAL 1976	TOTAL 1977	PER-CENT CHANGE 1977 OVER 1976[1]
TOTAL	34,213	31,288	-8.5
PROCEEDINGS COMMENCED BY			
INDICTMENT	25,932	24,854	-4.2
INFORMATION--INDICTMENT WAIVED	2,570	2,274	-11.5
INFORMATION--OTHER	4,862	3,395	-30.2
REMANDED FROM APPELLATE COURT	112	116	3.6
REMOVED FROM STATE COURT	65	122	87.7
REOPENED/REINSTATED	216	325	50.5
APPEAL FROM U.S. MAGISTRATE	69	12	-
JUVENILE DELINQUENCY PROCEEDINGS	287	190	-33.8
GENERAL OFFENSES			
HOMICIDE TOTAL	158	131	-17.1
MURDER--1ST DEGREE	74	63	-14.9
MURDER--2ND DEGREE	31	25	-
MANSLAUGHTER	53	43	-
ROBBERY, TOTAL	2,040	1,732	-15.1
BANK	1,905	1,627	-14.6
POSTAL	68	63	-7.4
OTHER	67	42	-
ASSAULT	778	616	-20.8
BURGLARY--BREAKING AND ENTERING, TOTAL	354	393	11.0
BANK	42	68	-
POSTAL	61	53	-13.1
INTERSTATE SHIPMENTS	6	4	-
OTHER	245	268	9.4
LARCENY AND THEFT, TOTAL	3,580	3,375	-5.7
BANK	168	138	-17.9
POSTAL	1,519	1,728	13.8
INTERSTATE SHIPMENTS	655	465	-29.0
OTHER U.S. PROPERTY	476	353	-25.8
TRANSPORTATION, ETC., OF STOLEN PROPERTY	266	356	33.8
OTHER	496	335	-32.5
EMBEZZLEMENT, TOTAL	1,753	1,726	-1.5
BANK	1,087	967	-11.0
POSTAL	312	314	.6
OTHER	354	445	25.7
FRAUD, TOTAL	3,647	4,284	17.5
INCOME TAX	1,271	1,466	15.3
LENDING INSTITUTIONS	430	485	12.8
POSTAL	839	935	11.4
VETERANS AND ALLOTMENTS	22	64	-
OTHER	1,085	1,334	22.9
AUTO THEFT	1,419	1,156	-18.5

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NATURE OF PROCEEDINGS AND OFFENSE (FELONIES AND MISDEMEANORS ONLY)	TOTAL 1976	TOTAL 1977	PER-CENT CHANGE 1977 OVER 1976[1]
FORGERY AND COUNTERFEITING, TOTAL	3,946	3,910	-.9
TRANSPORTATION OF FORGERY SECURITIES	982	627	-36.2
POSTAL FORGERY	101	112	10.9
OTHER FORGERY	2,485	2,578	3.7
COUNTERFEITING	378	593	56.9
SEX OFFENSES, TOTAL	124	123	-.8
RAPE	78	88	12.8
WHITE SLAVE TRAFFIC	29	20	-
OTHER	17	15	-
NARCOTICS, TOTAL	6,007	4,620	-23.1
MARIHUANA TAX ACT	-	1	-
BORDER REGISTRATIONS	-	-	-
OTHER	64	27	-
DRUG ABUSE PREVENTION AND CONTROL ACT, TOTAL[2]	5,943	4,592	-22.7
DAPCA MARIHUANA	1,926	1,339	-30.5
DAPCA NARCOTICS	3,195	2,667	-16.5
DAPCA CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES	822	586	-28.7
MISCELLANEOUS GENERAL OFFENSES, TOTAL	5,740	5,692	-.8
BRIBERY	176	196	11.4
DRUNK DRIVING AND TRAFFIC	516	665	28.9
ESCAPE[3]	1,384	1,330	-3.9
EXTORTION, RACKETEERING, AND THREATS	402	347	-13.7
GAMBLING AND LOTTERY	130	78	-40.0
KIDNAPPING	75	79	5.3
PERJURY	186	153	-17.7
WEAPONS AND FIREARMS	2,800	2,817	.6
OTHER	71	27	-
SPECIAL OFFENSES			
IMMIGRATION LAWS	1,782	1,397	-21.6
LIQUOR, INTERNAL REVENUE	178	118	-33.7
FEDERAL STATUTES, TOTAL	2,707	2,015	-25.6
AGRICULTURAL ACTS	334	199	-40.4
ANTITRUST VIOLATIONS	19	30	-
CIVIL RIGHTS[4]	66	43	-
FAIR LABOR STANDARDS ACT	1	3	-
FOOD AND DRUG ACT	45	95	-
MIGRATORY BIRD LAWS	223	240	7.6
MOTOR CARRIER ACT	91	67	-26.4
SELECTIVE SERVICE ACT	119	136	14.3
OTHER NATIONAL DEFENSE LAWS	131	50	-61.8
MAIL, TRANSPORT OBSCENE MATERIAL	36	17	-
POSTAL LAWS, OTHER	674	351	-47.9
OTHER	968	784	-19.0

1 PERCENT CHANGE IS COMPUTED ON 50 OR MORE CASES.

2 THE COMPREHENSIVE DRUG ABUSE PREVENTION AND CONTROL ACT OF 1970 (PUBLIC LAW 91-513) BECAME EFFECTIVE MAY 1, 1971.

3 INCLUDES ESCAPE FROM CUSTODY, AIDING OR ABETTING AN ESCAPE, FAILURE TO APPEAR IN COURT AND BAIL JUMPING.

4 THESE INCLUDE CASES REMOVED FROM STATE COURTS UNDER PROVISION OF THE CIVIL RIGHTS ACT, 28 U.S.C. 1443.

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CRIMINAL CASES COMMENCED (FELONIES AND MISDEMEANORS ONLY*) (EXCLUDES TRANSFERS)
DURING THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	TOTAL	GENERAL OFFENSES							
		HOMI-CIDE	ROB-BERY	ASSAULT	BUR-GLARY	LAR-CENY	EMBEZ-ZLEMENT	FRAUD	AUTO THEFT
TOTAL ALL DISTRICTS....	31,288	131	1,732	616	393	3,375	1,726	4,284	1,156
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.....	775	-	24	3	-	112	12	76	15
FIRST CIRCUIT.....	746	1	32	19	7	73	59	159	13
MAINE.....	73	-	4	-	5	2	4	21	3
MASSACHUSETTS.....	357	1	20	10	-	41	20	83	4
NEW HAMPSHIRE.....	29	-	-	-	-	3	6	7	4
RHODE ISLAND.....	86	-	-	3	-	13	8	13	2
PUERTO RICO.....	201	-	8	6	2	14	21	35	-
SECOND CIRCUIT.....	2,399	1	161	23	9	323	176	407	6
CONNECTICUT.....	197	-	14	3	-	41	25	35	1
NEW YORK NORTHERN.....	127	-	1	-	2	16	17	32	3
NEW YORK EASTERN.....	726	1	71	3	4	80	30	115	1
NEW YORK SOUTHERN.....	1,105	-	61	15	2	153	91	183	-
NEW YORK WESTERN.....	167	-	12	1	1	25	9	31	-
VERMONT.....	77	-	2	1	-	8	4	11	1
THIRD CIRCUIT.....	2,049	20	104	59	67	206	133	373	42
DELAWARE.....	129	-	4	1	-	11	25	26	1
NEW JERSEY.....	562	2	19	3	2	75	47	156	16
PENNSYLVANIA EASTERN.....	526	2	45	5	6	53	22	85	4
PENNSYLVANIA MIDDLE.....	152	1	5	5	1	8	12	26	-
PENNSYLVANIA WESTERN.....	283	-	21	3	3	20	22	54	12
VIRGIN ISLANDS.....	397	15	10	42	55	39	5	46	9
FOURTH CIRCUIT.....	2,697	6	196	58	26	313	189	374	83
MARYLAND.....	558	-	56	10	5	45	47	83	9
NO. CAROLINA EASTERN.....	254	-	30	3	5	17	23	41	10
NO. CAROLINA MIDDLE.....	290	-	17	1	5	66	16	31	5
NO. CAROLINA WESTERN.....	187	2	17	5	1	9	5	25	11
SOUTH CAROLINA.....	333	-	25	3	3	41	18	68	16
VIRGINIA EASTERN.....	596	4	31	26	4	89	50	68	7
VIRGINIA WESTERN.....	178	-	15	7	-	14	11	18	1
W. VIRGINIA NORTHERN.....	0	-	-	1	2	17	8	18	15
W. VIRGINIA SOUTHERN.....	201	-	5	2	1	15	11	22	9
FIFTH CIRCUIT.....	7,269	12	189	74	63	674	353	699	408
ALABAMA NORTHERN.....	548	-	19	1	2	100	20	40	110
ALABAMA MIDDLE.....	171	-	4	1	2	19	7	11	25
ALABAMA SOUTHERN.....	159	-	6	1	-	6	9	13	24
FLORIDA NORTHERN.....	130	-	3	9	-	8	4	20	8
FLORIDA MIDDLE.....	433	-	37	5	1	25	30	79	10
FLORIDA SOUTHERN.....	756	2	14	5	-	70	32	99	16
GEORGIA NORTHERN.....	471	1	14	4	1	27	19	75	76
GEORGIA MIDDLE.....	222	1	9	-	1	14	11	5	28
GEORGIA SOUTHERN.....	209	-	10	5	1	75	4	11	11
LOUISIANA EASTERN.....	687	-	12	4	1	62	58	58	9
LOUISIANA MIDDLE.....	102	-	-	-	-	21	12	9	-
LOUISIANA WESTERN.....	199	-	4	4	2	31	15	28	21
MISSISSIPPI NORTHERN.....	109	-	-	-	-	5	13	13	9
MISSISSIPPI SOUTHERN.....	143	1	3	5	1	4	4	19	8
TEXAS NORTHERN.....	593	-	14	2	1	82	39	73	14
TEXAS EASTERN.....	176	1	3	-	1	22	8	21	14
TEXAS SOUTHERN.....	1,107	-	13	11	-	26	35	58	10
TEXAS WESTERN.....	779	2	13	6	3	44	23	61	15
CANAL ZONE.....	275	4	11	11	46	33	10	6	-

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GENERAL OFFENSES--CONTINUED						SPECIAL OFFENSES				
FORGERY AND COUNTER-FEITING	SEX OF-FENSES	NARCOTICS LAWS		WEAPONS AND FIRE-ARMS	OTHER	IMMI-GRATION LAWS	LIQUOR, INTER-NAL REVENUE	SELEC-TIVE SERVICE ACT	OTHER	CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT
		OLD[1]	NEW[2]							
3,910	123	28	4,592	2,817	2,875	1,397	118	136	1,879	TOTAL ALL DISTRICTS.
105	1	-	241	80	78	6	-	-	22	DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.
83	1	-	78	77	51	11	-	-	82	FIRST CIRCUIT.
4	-	-	6	9	3	1	-	-	11	MAINE.
41	-	-	24	49	41	1	-	-	22	MASSACHUSETTS.
4	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	1	NEW HAMPSHIRE.
14	-	-	9	14	2	1	-	-	7	RHODE ISLAND.
20	1	-	39	1	5	8	-	-	41	PUERTO RICO.
284	1	6	328	102	209	45	1	84	233	SECOND CIRCUIT.
21	-	-	11	22	11	1	1	-	11	CONNECTICUT.
6	1	-	6	17	2	13	-	-	11	NEW YORK NORTHERN.
77	-	2	124	20	52	11	-	-	135	NEW YORK EASTERN.
158	-	4	164	23	114	1	-	84	52	NEW YORK SOUTHERN.
22	-	-	17	11	15	4	-	-	19	NEW YORK WESTERN.
-	-	-	6	9	15	15	-	-	5	VERMONT.
284	20	5	237	158	205	36	-	41	59	THIRD CIRCUIT.
35	-	-	9	9	6	-	-	-	2	DELAWARE.
85	-	2	46	29	66	10	-	8	16	NEW JERSEY.
58	-	1	115	58	26	1	-	33	12	PENNSYLVANIA EASTERN.
22	-	-	11	11	41	-	-	-	9	PENNSYLVANIA MIDDLE.
64	1	2	21	26	26	-	-	-	8	PENNSYLVANIA WESTERN.
20	19	-	35	25	40	25	-	-	12	VIRGIN ISLANDS.
380	7	2	182	470	218	7	48	-	138	FOURTH CIRCUIT.
89	1	1	57	79	38	3	-	-	35	MARYLAND.
37	-	-	17	45	10	-	3	-	13	NO. CAROLINA EASTERN.
55	-	-	11	36	11	-	23	-	13	NO. CAROLINA MIDDLE.
41	-	-	10	34	4	1	6	-	16	NO. CAROLINA WESTERN.
63	-	-	11	55	11	-	1	-	18	SOUTH CAROLINA.
54	4	-	50	107	88	2	-	-	12	VIRGINIA EASTERN.
15	-	1	3	67	5	-	12	-	9	VIRGINIA WESTERN.
8	-	-	2	7	18	1	-	-	3	W. VIRGINIA NORTHERN.
18	2	-	21	40	33	-	3	-	19	W. VIRGINIA SOUTHERN.
871	11	10	1,431	740	637	473	51	2	571	FIFTH CIRCUIT.
78	1	2	6	116	13	-	8	-	32	ALABAMA NORTHERN.
27	1	-	13	18	25	-	6	-	12	ALABAMA MIDDLE.
27	-	-	13	35	10	-	4	1	10	ALABAMA SOUTHERN.
27	-	-	12	3	29	-	-	1	6	FLORIDA NORTHERN.
106	2	-	27	31	21	20	1	-	38	FLORIDA MIDDLE.
77	-	1	200	30	80	69	-	-	61	FLORIDA SOUTHERN.
70	-	1	36	82	43	4	3	-	15	GEORGIA NORTHERN.
19	-	-	9	37	76	-	5	-	7	GEORGIA MIDDLE.
17	1	-	9	9	38	-	3	-	15	GEORGIA SOUTHERN.
71	1	-	42	56	17	49	1	-	246	LOUISIANA EASTERN.
25	-	-	1	29	1	-	-	-	4	LOUISIANA MIDDLE.
30	1	-	6	36	8	-	1	-	12	LOUISIANA WESTERN.
11	-	-	-	29	5	-	11	-	13	MISSISSIPPI NORTHERN.
18	-	-	13	55	1	-	6	-	5	MISSISSIPPI SOUTHERN.
143	-	-	59	56	79	8	-	-	23	TEXAS NORTHERN.
33	-	-	4	29	29	1	1	-	9	TEXAS EASTERN.
34	1	-	579	42	62	211	-	-	25	TEXAS SOUTHERN.
57	1	6	300	47	77	99	1	-	24	TEXAS WESTERN.
1	2	-	102	-	23	12	-	-	14	CANAL ZONE.

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CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	TOTAL	GENERAL OFFENSES							
		HOMI-CIDE	ROB-BERY	ASSAULT	BUR-GLARY	LAR-CENY	EMBEZ-ZLEMENT	FRAUD	AUTO THEFT
SIXTH CIRCUIT.....	3,404	4	238	35	15	520	197	587	163
KENTUCKY EASTERN.....	267	1	12	10	1	38	8	19	31
KENTUCKY WESTERN.....	352	-	16	3	3	43	11	36	33
MICHIGAN EASTERN.....	1,134	1	66	4	1	202	47	267	5
MICHIGAN WESTERN.....	221	1	12	2	-	44	15	41	4
OHIO NORTHERN.....	600	-	50	8	4	98	59	88	21
OHIO SOUTHERN.....	306	-	34	4	1	33	29	55	7
TENNESSEE EASTERN.....	192	1	15	2	3	18	12	26	21
TENNESSEE MIDDLE.....	154	-	10	-	-	18	4	24	30
TENNESSEE WESTERN.....	178	-	23	2	2	26	12	31	11
SEVENTH CIRCUIT.....	1,621	7	108	23	14	163	111	409	52
ILLINOIS NORTHERN.....	716	1	36	5	5	77	39	267	8
ILLINOIS EASTERN.....	135	2	6	2	2	18	11	13	2
ILLINOIS SOUTHERN.....	91	-	1	3	1	2	13	16	1
INDIANA NORTHERN.....	226	-	9	3	3	34	10	37	8
INDIANA SOUTHERN.....	185	1	38	6	1	15	15	25	17
WISCONSIN EASTERN.....	187	3	12	2	2	8	13	39	1
WISCONSIN WESTERN.....	81	-	6	2	-	9	10	12	15
EIGHTH CIRCUIT.....	1,939	24	83	122	88	314	100	253	92
ARKANSAS EASTERN.....	241	-	15	-	1	62	9	26	13
ARKANSAS WESTERN.....	61	-	-	1	1	15	8	16	8
IOWA NORTHERN.....	128	1	4	1	2	28	12	25	5
IOWA SOUTHERN.....	91	-	21	2	-	9	6	20	2
MINNESOTA.....	276	-	12	1	-	20	19	29	6
MISSOURI EASTERN.....	319	-	15	2	2	73	19	45	12
MISSOURI WESTERN.....	218	1	6	1	-	27	13	36	21
NEBRASKA.....	128	-	4	3	-	15	7	24	11
NORTH DAKOTA.....	136	3	2	22	18	13	4	10	2
SOUTH DAKOTA.....	341	19	4	89	64	52	3	22	12
NINTH CIRCUIT.....	6,673	44	503	149	94	498	296	751	131
ALASKA.....	151	1	7	2	2	12	22	12	-
ARIZONA.....	1,078	18	17	34	27	52	12	69	15
CALIFORNIA NORTHERN.....	657	2	106	4	1	50	65	103	5
CALIFORNIA EASTERN.....	513	1	28	8	4	39	29	63	15
CALIFORNIA CENTRAL.....	1,415	4	196	26	1	127	98	227	53
CALIFORNIA SOUTHERN.....	946	-	24	11	2	29	11	52	3
HAWAII.....	595	-	20	3	1	23	4	14	1
IDAHO.....	140	1	6	7	3	15	4	21	5
MONTANA.....	212	11	2	24	46	44	5	31	2
NEVADA.....	179	1	18	6	-	24	7	24	4
OREGON.....	241	-	34	8	-	41	16	40	13
WASHINGTON EASTERN.....	150	-	8	2	3	10	4	28	13
WASHINGTON WESTERN.....	372	4	32	12	1	30	18	66	4
GUAM.....	24	1	5	2	3	2	1	1	-
TENTH CIRCUIT.....	1,716	12	94	51	10	179	100	196	151
COLORADO.....	321	1	36	8	-	33	23	42	27
KANSAS.....	271	-	10	10	3	55	20	25	35
NEW MEXICO.....	239	9	12	8	2	14	9	28	43
OKLAHOMA NORTHERN.....	130	-	2	1	1	11	8	10	11
OKLAHOMA EASTERN.....	89	-	3	-	1	7	5	8	4
OKLAHOMA WESTERN.....	289	1	13	7	1	12	19	31	17
UTAH.....	138	1	12	4	-	17	13	35	1
WYOMING.....	139	-	6	13	2	30	3	17	13

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GENERAL OFFENSES--CONTINUED						SPECIAL OFFENSES				
FORGERY AND COUNTER-FEITING	SEX OF-FENSES	NARCOTICS LAWS		WEAPONS AND FIRE-ARMS	OTHER	IMMI-GRATION LAWS	LIQUOR, INTER-NAL REVENUE	SELEC-TIVE SERVICE ACT	OTHER	CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT
		OLD[1]	NEW[2]							
637	7	-	254	320	171	49	12	4	191	SIXTH CIRCUIT.
21	-	-	5	72	28	-	4	-	17	KENTUCKY EASTERN.
75	3	-	12	70	28	-	2	-	17	KENTUCKY WESTERN.
161	1	-	177	54	34	40	1	1	72	MICHIGAN EASTERN.
47	1	-	13	13	7	5	-	-	16	MICHIGAN WESTERN.
153	-	-	23	41	27	3	-	-	25	OHIO NORTHERN.
95	-	-	5	15	12	1	-	2	13	OHIO SOUTHERN.
39	-	-	3	25	6	-	4	1	16	TENNESSEE EASTERN.
23	1	-	8	15	13	-	-	-	8	TENNESSEE MIDDLE.
23	1	-	8	15	16	-	1	-	7	TENNESSEE WESTERN.
179	3	-	212	127	115	35	-	2	61	SEVENTH CIRCUIT.
62	2	-	124	28	33	11	-	-	18	ILLINOIS NORTHERN.
19	1	-	15	16	13	9	-	1	5	ILLINOIS EASTERN.
15	-	-	3	14	5	11	-	-	6	ILLINOIS SOUTHERN.
36	-	-	35	21	21	-	-	1	8	INDIANA NORTHERN.
17	-	-	17	9	19	4	-	-	1	INDIANA SOUTHERN.
25	-	-	18	35	13	-	-	-	16	WISCONSIN EASTERN.
5	-	-	-	4	11	-	-	-	7	WISCONSIN WESTERN.
222	22	1	185	194	107	12	4	-	116	EIGHTH CIRCUIT.
48	-	-	10	35	8	-	-	-	14	ARKANSAS EASTERN.
1	-	-	1	7	-	2	1	-	-	ARKANSAS WESTERN.
18	-	-	4	8	10	-	-	-	10	IOWA NORTHERN.
4	-	-	3	12	3	1	-	-	8	IOWA SOUTHERN.
30	4	-	81	42	16	-	-	-	16	MINNESOTA.
40	-	-	43	34	14	1	-	-	19	MISSOURI EASTERN.
23	-	-	33	20	23	1	3	-	10	MISSOURI WESTERN.
19	1	1	7	8	2	6	-	-	20	NEBRASKA.
31	5	-	1	12	6	-	-	-	7	NORTH DAKOTA.
8	12	-	2	16	25	1	-	-	12	SOUTH DAKOTA.
615	38	2	1,225	360	956	691	-	3	317	NINTH CIRCUIT.
17	-	-	42	11	12	1	-	1	9	ALASKA.
38	20	-	407	52	115	165	-	-	37	ARIZONA.
99	1	2	73	22	47	38	-	1	38	CALIFORNIA NORTHERN.
88	1	-	37	46	23	114	-	-	17	CALIFORNIA EASTERN.
169	-	-	120	100	156	81	-	1	56	CALIFORNIA CENTRAL.
49	-	-	403	20	62	212	-	-	68	CALIFORNIA CENTRAL.
16	-	-	25	17	455	-	-	-	16	HAWAII.
17	1	-	6	34	3	16	-	-	3	IDAHO.
12	8	-	2	3	9	2	-	-	11	MONTANA.
20	2	-	21	12	18	8	-	-	14	NEVADA.
30	1	-	12	14	5	14	-	-	13	OREGON.
16	2	-	12	11	8	28	-	-	5	WASHINGTON EASTERN.
41	2	-	60	18	43	12	-	-	29	WASHINGTON WESTERN.
3	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	1	GUAM.
250	12	2	219	189	128	32	2	-	89	TENTH CIRCUIT.
42	3	-	45	22	24	3	-	-	12	COLORADO.
81	1	-	33	15	48	4	1	-	30	KANSAS.
15	6	2	35	19	10	18	1	-	8	NEW MEXICO.
35	-	-	10	27	2	3	-	-	9	OKLAHOMA NORTHERN.
18	-	-	-	36	2	-	-	-	5	OKLAHOMA EASTERN.
35	1	-	72	44	29	1	-	-	6	OKLAHOMA WESTERN.
15	1	-	9	13	4	3	-	-	10	UTAH.
9	-	-	15	13	9	-	-	-	9	WYOMING.

1 OLD LAW - HARRISON NARCOTIC DRUG ACT, MARIHUANA TAX ACT AND BORDER REGISTRATION OF ADDICTS AND NARCOTIC LAW VIOLATORS WAS REPEALED MAY 1, 1971. IT WAS REPLACED BY THE:
2 COMPREHENSIVE DRUG ABUSE PREVENTION AND CONTROL ACT OF 1970 (P.L. 91-513) WHICH BECAME EFFECTIVE MAY 1, 1971.
* REFERS TO ANY OFFENSE FOR WHICH THE PENALTY EXCEEDS ONE YEAR IN PRISON OR WHERE THE FINE IS GREATER THAN $1,000 OR BOTH.

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NATURE OF OFFENSE	TOTAL DEFENDANTS	NOT CONVICTED				CONVICTED AND SENTENCED			
		TOTAL	DISMISSED[2]	ACQUITTED BY		TOTAL	PLEA OF GUILTY OR NOLO CONTENDERE	CONVICTED BY	
				COURT	JURY			COURT	JURY
TOTAL	44,484	10,235	8,677	220	1,338	34,619	29,234	1,016	4,369
CIVIL RIGHTS REMOVED FROM STATE COURT[1]	9	9	9	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL (EXCLUDING CIVIL RIGHTS)	44,845	10,226	8,668	220	1,338	34,619	29,234	1,016	4,369
GENERAL OFFENSES									
HOMICIDE, TOTAL	153	36	20	1	15	117	69	4	44
MURDER--1ST DEGREE	83	24	13	1	10	59	23	2	34
MURDER--2ND DEGREE	29	3	1	-	2	26	19	-	7
MANSLAUGHTER	41	9	6	-	3	32	27	2	3
ROBBERY, TOTAL	2,339	295	223	2	70	2,044	1,607	24	413
BANK	2,181	272	207	2	63	1,909	1,498	20	391
POSTAL	91	9	4	-	5	82	65	1	16
OTHER	67	14	12	-	2	53	44	3	6
ASSAULT	698	200	143	5	52	498	364	26	108
BURGLARY--BREAKING AND ENTERING, TOTAL	513	114	105	2	7	399	361	12	26
BANK	90	11	8	-	3	79	70	-	9
POSTAL	91	11	10	-	1	80	69	3	8
INTERSTATE SHIPMENTS	3	-	-	-	-	3	3	-	-
OTHER	329	92	87	2	3	237	219	9	9
LARCENY AND THEFT, TOTAL	4,421	690	533	27	130	3,731	3,352	86	293
BANK	166	27	21	1	5	139	127	3	9
POSTAL	2,006	221	187	4	30	1,785	1,693	20	72
INTERSTATE SHIPMENTS	910	172	112	4	56	738	608	19	111
OTHER U.S. PROPERTY	478	80	69	-	11	398	346	19	33
TRANSPORTATION, ETC. OF STOLEN PROPERTY	437	85	59	7	19	352	291	8	53
OTHER	424	105	85	11	9	319	287	17	15
EMBEZZLEMENT, TOTAL	1,924	211	152	5	54	1,713	1,613	16	84
BANK	1,055	115	80	3	32	940	887	8	45
POSTAL	330	25	22	-	3	305	285	2	18
OTHER	539	71	50	2	19	468	441	6	21
FRAUD, TOTAL	5,131	931	726	24	181	4,200	3,547	72	581
INCOME TAX	1,660	202	145	7	50	1,458	1,252	26	180
LENDING INSTITUTIONS	527	108	83	1	24	419	356	5	58
POSTAL	1,276	269	215	3	51	1,007	806	16	185
VETERANS AND ALLOTMENTS	58	15	15	-	-	43	42	-	1
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE	103	32	27	-	5	71	56	3	12
SOCIAL SECURITY	89	18	17	1	-	71	66	3	2
NATIONALITY LAWS	159	15	12	-	3	144	140	2	2
FALSE CLAIMS AND STATEMENTS	633	130	101	4	25	503	411	11	81
OTHER	626	142	111	8	23	484	418	6	60
AUTO THEFT	1,585	226	193	-	33	1,359	1,179	13	167
FORGERY AND COUNTERFEITING, TOTAL	4,637	579	500	4	75	4,058	3,699	30	329
TRANSPORTATION OF FORGED SECURITIES	884	138	121	-	17	746	652	3	91
POSTAL FORGERY	133	19	19	-	-	114	94	1	19
OTHER FORGERY	2,830	295	254	3	38	2,535	2,371	19	145
COUNTERFEITING	790	127	106	1	20	663	582	7	74

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CRIMINAL DEFENDANTS DISPOSED OF BY NATURE OF OFFENSE AND TYPE OF DISPOSITION
(FELONIES AND MISDEMEANORS ONLY*) FOR THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

NATURE OF OFFENSE	TOTAL DEFENDANTS	NOT CONVICTED				CONVICTED AND SENTENCED			
		TOTAL	DISMISSED[2]	ACQUITTED BY		TOTAL	PLEA OF GUILTY OR NOLO CONTENDERE	CONVICTED BY	
				COURT	JURY			COURT	JURY
GENERAL OFFENSES--CONTINUED									
SEX OFFENSES, TOTAL	185	57	36	1	20	128	83	3	42
RAPE	115	34	23	-	11	81	63	2	16
WHITE SLAVE TRAFFIC	52	16	8	-	8	36	13	-	23
OTHER	18	7	5	1	1	11	7	1	3
NARCOTICS, TOTAL	9,474	2,028	1,681	50	297	7,446	5,808	365	1,273
MARIHUANA TAX ACT	23	21	20	-	1	2	2	-	-
BORDER REGISTRATIONS	2	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
OTHER	116	63	59	-	4	53	37	6	10
DRUG ABUSE PREVENTION AND CONTROL ACT, TOTAL	9,333	1,942	1,600	50	292	7,391	5,769	359	1,263
MARIHUANA	2,613	565	484	16	65	2,048	1,634	133	281
NARCOTICS	5,514	1,124	903	27	194	4,390	3,390	185	815
CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES	1,206	253	213	7	33	953	745	41	167
MISCELLANEOUS GENERAL OFFENSES, TOTAL	6,797	1,572	1,251	36	285	5,225	4,278	192	755
BRIBERY	294	52	32	2	18	242	209	3	30
DRUNK DRIVING AND TRAFFIC	606	118	109	7	2	488	449	26	13
ESCAPE, TOTAL	1,135	207	181	2	24	928	839	13	76
ESCAPE FROM CUSTODY	646	92	83	2	7	554	515	4	35
BAIL JUMPING	358	81	77	-	4	277	257	8	12
OTHER	131	34	21	-	13	97	67	1	29
EXTORTION, RACKETEERING AND THREATS	669	292	221	3	68	377	260	9	108
GAMBLING AND LOTTERY	618	221	172	8	41	397	249	42	106
KIDNAPPING	151	29	27	-	2	122	68	1	53
PERJURY	209	72	47	3	22	137	76	4	57
WEAPONS AND FIREARMS	3,077	571	452	11	108	2,506	2,105	93	308
OTHER	38	10	10	-	-	28	23	1	4
SPECIAL OFFENSES									
IMMIGRATION LAWS	1,568	205	177	12	16	1,363	1,264	49	50
LIQUOR, INTERNAL REVENUE	169	21	16	-	5	148	131	6	11
FEDERAL STATUTES, TOTAL	5,251	3,061	2,912	51	98	2,190	1,879	118	193
AGRICULTURAL ACTS	235	60	50	3	7	175	162	4	9
ANTITRUST VIOLATIONS	183	27	5	-	22	156	153	2	1
CIVIL RIGHTS	72	27	13	1	13	45	27	1	17
CONTEMPT	444	351	343	5	3	93	76	14	3
FAIR LABOR STANDARDS ACT	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
FOOD AND DRUG ACT	130	28	21	-	7	102	91	2	9
CUSTOMS LAWS	201	52	43	-	9	149	124	7	18
MIGRATORY BIRD LAWS	340	58	33	24	1	282	238	44	-
MOTOR CARRIER ACT	68	9	9	-	-	59	58	1	-
SELECTIVE SERVICE ACT	2,174	2,146	2,142	2	2	28	22	5	1
OTHER NATIONAL DEFENSE LAWS	67	21	16	2	3	46	29	10	7
MAIL, TRANSPORT OBSCENE MATERIAL	84	31	24	-	7	53	23	1	29
POSTAL LAWS	457	35	35	-	-	422	402	8	12
OTHER	795	216	178	14	24	579	473	19	87

1 REMOVED UNDER PROVISIONS OF THE CIVIL RIGHTS ACT, 28 U.S.C. 1443.
2 INCLUDED IN THIS COLUMN ARE DEFENDANTS WHO WERE COMMITTED PURSUANT TO TITLE 28 U.S.C. 2902, OF THE NARCOTIC ADDICT REHABILITATION ACT OF 1966.
* REFERS TO ANY OFFENSE FOR WHICH THE PENALTY EXCEEDS ONE YEAR IN PRISON OR WHERE THE FINE IS GREATER THAN $1,000 OR BOTH.

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CRIMINAL DEFENDANTS SENTENCED AFTER CONVICTION, BY NATURE OF OFFENSE
(FELONIES AND MISDEMEANORS ONLY*) FOR THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

NATURE OF OFFENSE	TOTAL DEFENDANTS SENTENCED	TYPE SENTENCE									AVERAGE SENTENCE OF IMPRISONMENT (MONTHS)[3]
		IMPRISONMENT[1]						PROBATION	FINE ONLY	OTHER	
		TOTAL	SPLIT SENTENCE[2]	1 YR. & 1 DAY & UNDER	OVER 1 YR. & 1 DAY TO 3 YRS.	3 TO 5 YEARS	5 YEARS AND OVER				
TOTAL	34,619	19,169	3,077	3,750	3,281	4,271	4,790	13,781	1,486	183	46.0
GENERAL OFFENSES											
HOMICIDE, TOTAL	117	99	6	4	8	24	57	18	-	-	191.4
MURDER--1ST DEGREE	59	57	3	-	2	10	42	2	-	-	279.1
MURDER--2ND DEGREE	26	22	-	2	2	4	14	4	-	-	-
MANSLAUGHTER	32	20	3	2	4	10	1	12	-	-	-
ROBBERY, TOTAL	2,044	1,872	43	27	44	274	1,484	171	-	1	132.6
BANK	1,909	1,766	42	19	39	248	1,418	142	-	1	134.1
POSTAL	82	73	-	5	4	12	52	9	-	-	124.3
OTHER	53	33	1	3	1	14	14	20	-	-	69.8
ASSAULT	498	278	46	75	39	55	63	203	15	2	37.0
BURGLARY--BREAKING AND ENTERING, TOTAL	399	236	43	29	43	68	53	162	1	-	43.7
BANK	79	67	12	-	6	15	34	11	1	-	79.3
POSTAL	80	59	7	3	8	31	10	21	-	-	38.7
INTERSTATE SHIPMENTS	3	2	-	-	2	-	-	1	-	-	-
OTHER	237	108	24	26	27	22	9	129	-	-	25.0
LARCENY AND THEFT, TOTAL	3,731	1,857	414	264	382	535	262	1,820	49	5	31.8
BANK	139	83	9	9	8	33	24	55	1	-	49.0
POSTAL	1,785	927	175	135	223	306	88	853	3	2	28.5
INTERSTATE SHIPMENTS	738	335	100	46	66	64	59	378	23	2	34.3
OTHER U.S. PROPERTY	398	181	48	32	30	45	26	197	20	-	29.1
TRANSPORTATION, ETC. OF STOLEN PROPERTY	352	233	56	23	41	54	59	118	-	1	40.4
OTHER	319	98	26	19	14	33	6	219	2	-	25.5
EMBEZZLEMENT, TOTAL	1,713	492	240	89	59	63	41	1,205	14	2	17.7
BANK	940	285	132	52	37	36	28	648	6	1	19.0
POSTAL	305	62	36	11	5	6	4	240	3	-	13.6
OTHER	468	145	72	26	17	21	9	317	5	1	16.9
FRAUD, TOTAL	4,200	1,653	650	365	265	211	162	2,334	207	6	21.0
INCOME TAX	1,458	528	284	152	39	36	17	837	92	1	10.2
LENDING INSTITUTIONS	419	172	62	27	54	18	11	230	17	-	19.0
POSTAL	1,007	477	133	72	84	89	99	504	26	-	36.0
VETERANS AND ALLOTMENTS	43	2	1	-	-	1	-	40	1	-	-
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE	71	34	10	6	6	4	8	30	7	-	27.3
SOCIAL SECURITY	71	7	2	5	-	-	-	56	8	-	-
NATIONALITY LAWS	144	70	36	24	8	2	-	70	1	3	6.1
FALSE CLAIMS AND STATEMENTS	503	174	57	40	36	25	16	300	29	-	22.5
OTHER	484	189	65	39	38	36	11	267	26	2	18.7
AUTO THEFT	1,359	1,002	111	83	217	409	182	353	3	1	36.2
FORGERY AND COUNTERFEITING, TOTAL	4,058	2,169	441	255	459	631	383	1,867	15	7	32.7
TRANSPORTATION OF FORGED SECURITIES	746	492	79	43	104	121	145	250	3	1	41.7
POSTAL FORGERY	114	66	9	6	17	23	11	48	-	-	32.2
OTHER FORGERY	2,535	1,225	224	152	280	393	176	1,297	7	6	31.1
COUNTERFEITING	663	386	129	54	58	94	51	272	5	-	26.5

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NATURE OF OFFENSE	TOTAL DEFENDANTS SENTENCED	TYPE SENTENCE									AVERAGE SENTENCE OF IMPRISONMENT (MONTHS)[3]
		IMPRISONMENT[1]						PROBATION	FINE ONLY	OTHER	
		TOTAL	SPLIT SENTENCE[2]	1 YR. & 1 DAY & UNDER	OVER 1 YR. & 1 DAY TO 3 YRS.	3 TO 5 YEARS	5 YEARS AND OVER				
GENERAL OFFENSES--CONTINUED											
SEX OFFENSES, TOTAL	128	86	10	7	11	23	35	40	-	2	75.7
RAPE	81	47	4	6	6	9	22	33	-	1	97.7
WHITE SLAVE TRAFFIC	36	31	5	-	4	13	9	5	-	-	43.5
OTHER	11	8	1	1	1	1	4	2	-	1	-
NARCOTICS, TOTAL	7,446	5,206	90	1,402	883	1,366	1,465	2,200	36	4	47.3
MARIHUANA TAX ACT	2	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
BORDER REGISTRATIONS	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
OTHER	53	39	2	3	4	11	19	14	-	-	57.8
DRUG ABUSE PREVENTION AND CONTROL ACT, TOTAL	7,391	5,166	87	1,399	879	1,355	1,446	2,185	36	4	47.2
MARIHUANA	2,048	1,275	20	457	288	313	197	754	19	-	32.6
NARCOTICS	4,390	3,296	56	760	463	894	1,123	1,076	14	4	54.3
CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES	953	595	11	182	128	148	126	355	3	-	39.6
MISCELLANEOUS GENERAL OFFENSES, TOTAL	5,225	2,884	561	711	594	508	510	1,798	433	110	37.3
BRIBERY	242	67	33	14	9	5	6	115	60	-	15.6
TRAFFIC	488	17	11	4	1	-	1	56	311	104	-
ESCAPE, TOTAL	928	837	59	448	153	102	75	88	-	3	20.3
ESCAPE FROM CUSTODY	554	511	37	301	88	53	32	41	-	2	16.6
BAIL JUMPING	277	250	18	113	54	40	25	26	-	1	24.6
OTHER	97	76	4	34	11	9	18	21	-	-	31.7
EXTORTION, RACKETEERING AND THREATS	377	245	49	32	44	54	66	125	7	-	42.3
GAMBLING AND LOTTERY	397	175	85	31	23	18	18	207	15	-	19.3
KIDNAPPING	122	116	-	-	-	12	104	6	-	-	226.4
PERJURY	137	80	24	23	13	13	7	52	5	-	20.2
WEAPONS AND FIREARMS	2,506	1,335	298	156	347	302	232	1,137	31	3	35.6
OTHER	28	12	2	3	4	2	1	12	4	-	-
SPECIAL OFFENSES											
IMMIGRATION LAWS	1,363	850	255	296	210	52	37	486	7	20	14.1
LIQUOR, INTERNAL REVENUE	148	60	31	13	6	6	4	87	1	-	14.5
FEDERAL STATUTES, TOTAL	2,190	425	136	130	61	46	52	1,037	705	23	24.4
AGRICULTURAL ACTS	175	29	8	10	7	3	1	78	67	1	14.8
ANTITRUST VIOLATIONS	156	5	-	5	-	-	-	27	124	-	-
CIVIL RIGHTS	46	27	17	2	1	-	7	16	3	-	41.6
CONTEMPT	95	21	3	16	1	-	1	49	21	2	-
FAIR LABOR STANDARDS ACT	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
FOOD AND DRUG ACT	102	14	5	5	3	-	1	38	50	-	-
CUSTOMS LAWS	149	35	13	8	9	4	1	95	19	-	16.7
MIGRATORY BIRD LAWS	282	7	4	3	-	-	-	80	177	18	-
MOTOR CARRIER ACT	59	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	56	-	-
SELECTIVE SERVICE ACT	28	4	1	1	1	1	-	22	2	-	-
OTHER NATIONAL DEFENSE LAWS	46	12	5	4	1	2	-	28	6	-	-
MAIL, TRANSPORT OBSCENE MATERIAL	53	18	8	4	3	2	1	15	20	-	-
POSTAL LAWS	422	74	23	38	6	4	3	329	18	1	13.5
OTHER	578	179	49	34	29	30	37	256	142	1	34.6

1 INCLUDES SENTENCES OF MORE THAN 6 MONTHS WHICH ARE TO BE FOLLOWED BY A TERM OF PROBATION (MIXED SENTENCES).
2 A SPLIT SENTENCE IS A SENTENCE ON A 1-COUNT INDICTMENT OF 6 MONTHS OR LESS IN A JAIL-TYPE INSTITUTION, FOLLOWED BY A TERM OF PROBATION, 18 U.S.C. 3651. INCLUDED IN THESE FIGURES ARE MIXED SENTENCES INVOLVING CONFINEMENT FOR 6 MONTHS OR LESS ON 1 COUNT, TO BE FOLLOWED BY A TERM OF PROBATION ON 1 OR MORE OTHER COUNTS.
3 NOT COMPUTED WHERE NUMBER IMPRISONED WAS LESS THAN 25.
* REFERS TO ANY OFFENSE FOR WHICH THE PENALTY EXCEEDS ONE YEAR IN PRISON OR WHERE THE FINE IS GREATER THAN $1,000 OR BOTH.

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CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	TOTAL		DISMISSED		PLEA OF GUILTY		COURT TRIAL		JURY TRIAL	
	NUMBER	MEDIAN (MOS.)	NUMBER	MEDIAN (MOS.)	NUMBER	MEDIAN (MOS.)	NUMBER	MEDIAN (MOS.)	NUMBER	MEDIAN (MOS.)
TOTAL ALL DISTRICTS..	44,854	3.7	8,677	8.3	29,233	3.0	1,236	4.4	5,708	5.1
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA..	971	3.6	121	3.1	714	3.5	34	4.7	102	4.6
FIRST CIRCUIT.....	1,283	6.5	266	33.0	775	5.0	26	7.0	216	7.4
MAINE.....	97	5.6	30	70.4	54	4.5	2	-	11	-
MASSACHUSETTS.....	735	7.9	153	37.7	431	6.2	9	-	142	7.8
NEW HAMPSHIRE.....	47	5.0	18	-	23	-	1	-	5	-
RHODE ISLAND.....	114	5.8	21	-	77	5.2	2	-	14	-
PUERTO RICO.....	290	4.2	44	15.5	190	3.1	12	-	44	6.2
SECOND CIRCUIT.....	4,587	6.3	1,240	20.7	2,676	4.5	34	7.0	637	7.8
CONNECTICUT.....	432	6.3	134	21.9	255	4.6	3	-	40	6.6
NEW YORK NORTHERN.....	210	7.3	54	53.0	128	3.5	2	-	26	12.2
NEW YORK EASTERN.....	1,297	6.8	299	45.0	819	4.9	13	-	166	8.8
NEW YORK SOUTHERN.....	2,085	5.1	585	11.8	1,175	4.0	15	-	310	6.5
NEW YORK WESTERN.....	447	18.0	149	36.0	228	7.8	-	-	70	18.0
VERMONT.....	116	5.7	19	-	71	4.2	1	-	25	7.2
THIRD CIRCUIT.....	3,141	4.5	672	7.0	1,910	3.6	82	5.7	477	6.8
DELAWARE.....	150	3.7	30	4.7	105	3.4	-	-	15	-
NEW JERSEY.....	823	5.7	145	18.0	536	4.4	5	-	137	9.1
PENNSYLVANIA EASTERN..	894	3.6	116	3.3	603	3.2	41	5.7	134	7.2
PENNSYLVANIA MIDDLE...	217	3.7	37	56.0	142	2.8	4	-	34	4.3
PENNSYLVANIA WESTERN..	560	6.6	188	7.9	253	4.6	24	-	95	7.2
VIRGIN ISLANDS.....	497	4.1	156	4.6	271	3.7	8	-	62	4.7
FOURTH CIRCUIT.....	3,701	2.8	839	3.7	2,382	2.6	94	3.9	386	3.9
MARYLAND.....	821	4.6	159	10.3	532	4.2	31	6.0	99	5.1
NO. CAROLINA EASTERN..	309	2.9	50	4.8	231	2.6	5	-	23	-
NO. CAROLINA MIDDLE...	307	1.8	31	5.0	240	1.8	14	-	22	-
NO. CAROLINA.....	269	2.3	37	4.0	194	2.1	5	-	33	3.0
SOUTH CAROLINA.....	14	3.1	61	3.0	286	2.9	4	-	63	4.3
VIRGINIA EASTERN.....	[illegible]	2.3	151	6.0	493	2.1	27	2.5	101	2.6
VIRGINIA WESTERN.....	[illegible]	.9	23	-	149	.8	4	-	15	-
W. VIRGINIA NORTHERN..	91	3.3	8	-	74	2.9	-	-	9	-
W. VIRGINIA SOUTHERN..	527	2.3	319	1.8	183	3.2	4	-	21	-
FIFTH CIRCUIT.....	9,813	2.9	1,379	5.3	6,857	2.5	355	3.1	1,222	4.6
ALABAMA NORTHERN.....	712	1.8	61	7.0	609	1.7	3	-	39	2.6
ALABAMA MIDDLE.....	202	2.2	30	2.6	105	1.6	14	-	53	3.1
ALABAMA SOUTHERN.....	200	3.1	18	-	147	2.9	1	-	34	3.4
FLORIDA NORTHERN.....	193	3.6	31	5.7	93	2.8	5	-	64	3.8
FLORIDA MIDDLE.....	673	4.2	111	11.0	437	3.6	8	-	117	6.2
FLORIDA SOUTHERN.....	959	4.2	156	6.2	591	3.7	30	5.8	182	5.6
GEORGIA NORTHERN.....	683	4.8	89	13.5	442	4.0	15	-	137	6.4
GEORGIA MIDDLE.....	288	1.5	33	6.0	190	1.1	10	-	55	2.8
GEORGIA SOUTHERN.....	303	2.1	29	12.0	214	1.9	27	1.5	33	2.6
LOUISIANA EASTERN.....	877	2.2	98	4.8	649	2.0	61	.9	69	5.1
LOUISIANA MIDDLE.....	138	3.0	14	-	110	2.9	4	-	10	-
LOUISIANA WESTERN.....	237	2.8	32	3.7	186	2.7	-	-	19	-
MISSISSIPPI NORTHERN..	123	3.2	8	-	69	2.5	4	-	42	3.9
MISSISSIPPI SOUTHERN..	162	3.3	22	-	131	2.9	-	-	9	-
TEXAS NORTHERN.....	728	2.4	61	11.0	589	2.1	10	-	68	3.9
TEXAS EASTERN.....	181	2.7	22	-	143	2.4	3	-	13	-
TEXAS SOUTHERN.....	1,815	3.1	286	6.4	1,300	2.5	75	5.1	154	5.4
TEXAS WESTERN.....	1,041	2.9	244	3.5	651	2.5	31	3.7	115	4.7
CANAL ZONE.....	298	1.5	34	1.5	201	1.5	54	1.7	9	-

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CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	TOTAL		DISMISSED		PLEA OF GUILTY		COURT TRIAL		JURY TRIAL	
	NUMBER	MEDIAN (MOS.)	NUMBER	MEDIAN (MOS.)	NUMBER	MEDIAN (MOS.)	NUMBER	MEDIAN (MOS.)	NUMBER	MEDIAN (MOS.)
SIXTH CIRCUIT.....	4,853	3.9	967	15.0	3,193	3.0	98	4.9	595	5.2
KENTUCKY EASTERN.....	337	3.4	61	16.2	191	2.6	6	-	79	3.7
KENTUCKY WESTERN.....	478	1.7	25	24.0	403	1.4	21	-	29	2.7
MICHIGAN EASTERN.....	1,768	5.8	499	13.5	1,071	4.5	30	8.7	168	7.3
MICHIGAN WESTERN.....	332	4.9	90	63.0	216	3.8	3	-	23	-
OHIO NORTHERN.....	910	3.3	185	59.4	655	2.7	10	-	60	4.2
OHIO SOUTHERN.....	316	2.9	32	3.5	232	2.6	4	-	48	5.2
TENNESSEE EASTERN.....	239	2.2	27	2.6	160	2.0	1	-	51	2.7
TENNESSEE MIDDLE.....	236	2.6	19	-	144	2.0	14	-	59	3.9
TENNESSEE WESTERN.....	237	6.8	29	10.2	121	5.3	9	-	78	9.6
SEVENTH CIRCUIT.....	2,665	5.3	415	15.0	1,695	4.4	107	7.7	448	7.3
ILLINOIS NORTHERN.....	1,193	6.3	127	12.7	787	5.5	79	8.0	200	8.5
ILLINOIS EASTERN.....	167	3.4	27	3.2	95	2.7	1	-	44	5.3
ILLINOIS SOUTHERN.....	150	6.2	35	72.0	70	3.8	4	-	41	9.8
INDIANA NORTHERN.....	488	4.4	92	32.5	313	3.9	4	-	79	6.2
INDIANA SOUTHERN.....	298	4.7	58	68.0	197	3.8	5	-	38	5.3
WISCONSIN EASTERN.....	285	5.2	56	6.0	177	4.1	14	-	38	7.5
WISCONSIN WESTERN.....	84	3.5	20	-	56	3.1	-	-	8	-
EIGHT CIRCUIT.....	2,591	3.4	500	11.5	1,701	2.9	26	4.3	364	4.0
ARKANSAS EASTERN.....	280	2.4	31	9.0	172	1.9	4	-	73	3.2
ARKANSAS WESTERN.....	79	3.6	8	-	59	3.3	1	-	11	-
IOWA NORTHERN.....	159	2.4	31	59.5	111	2.2	1	-	16	-
IOWA SOUTHERN.....	115	3.2	17	-	70	2.8	2	-	26	4.0
MINNESOTA.....	430	4.0	90	25.0	281	3.3	4	-	55	5.2
MISSOURI EASTERN.....	414	2.7	54	11.7	285	2.4	5	-	70	2.9
MISSOURI WESTERN.....	289	3.5	58	8.7	187	2.8	4	-	40	5.3
NEBRASKA.....	251	4.8	69	62.0	158	3.6	2	-	22	-
NORTH DAKOTA.....	161	2.5	21	-	118	2.2	2	-	20	-
SOUTH DAKOTA.....	413	6.2	121	7.4	260	5.7	1	-	31	7.6
NINTH CIRCUIT.....	9,029	3.4	1,878	6.9	5,905	2.9	343	4.3	903	4.5
ALASKA.....	209	4.3	48	5.0	134	3.8	2	-	25	4.6
ARIZONA.....	1,553	3.3	395	4.0	938	3.1	43	3.4	177	3.7
CALIFORNIA NORTHERN...	749	3.4	127	3.6	537	3.1	24	-	61	5.2
CALIFORNIA EASTERN....	627	3.9	121	15.5	458	3.1	9	-	39	7.7
CALIFORNIA CENTRAL....	2,151	3.3	339	33.0	1,492	2.8	101	5.3	219	4.7
CALIFORNIA SOUTHERN...	1,401	3.6	264	11.3	914	3.1	97	3.6	126	4.7
HAWAII.....	593	1.7	112	4.8	445	1.4	15	-	21	-
IDAHO.....	158	3.5	39	9.3	95	3.0	3	-	21	-
MONTANA.....	237	2.5	76	3.5	121	2.2	2	-	38	3.1
NEVADA.....	242	3.9	71	4.7	123	3.3	11	-	37	4.6
OREGON.....	386	5.3	148	9.5	183	3.5	11	-	44	5.4
WASHINGTON EASTERN....	184	3.2	44	52.0	110	2.1	11	-	19	-
WASHINGTON WESTERN....	511	3.7	83	11.0	342	3.4	14	-	72	4.2
GUAM.....	28	4.5	11	-	13	-	-	-	4	-
TENTH CIRCUIT.....	2,220	2.8	400	3.8	1,425	2.6	37	2.9	358	3.5
COLORADO.....	408	3.6	77	6.2	238	3.1	4	-	89	4.0
KANSAS.....	519	3.4	113	3.2	353	3.3	9	-	44	4.9
NEW MEXICO.....	330	2.6	88	3.7	186	2.3	6	-	50	2.8
OKLAHOMA NORTHERN.....	249	2.9	37	3.0	166	2.6	6	-	40	3.5
OKLAHOMA EASTERN.....	87	2.3	10	-	57	2.3	2	-	18	-
OKLAHOMA WESTERN.....	379	2.4	27	1.4	266	2.4	8	-	78	2.7
UTAH.....	109	5.8	28	6.4	56	3.6	2	-	23	-
WYOMING.....	139	2.0	20	-	103	1.9	-	-	16	-

* REFERS TO ANY OFFENSE FOR WHICH THE PENALTY EXCEEDS ONE YEAR IN PRISON OR WHERE THE FINE IS GREATER THAN $1,000 OR BOTH.

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CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	TOTAL DEFENDANTS	NOT CONVICTED					CONVICTED AND SENTENCED			
		TOTAL	NARA[2]	DISMISSED	ACQUITTED BY		TOTAL	PLEA OF GUILTY OR NOLO CONTENDERE	CONVICTED BY	
					COURT	JURY			COURT	JURY
TOTAL ALL DISTRICTS..	44,854	10,235	3	8,674	220	1,338	34,619	29,233	1,016	4,370
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA..	971	140	-	121	2	17	831	714	32	85
93 DISTRICTS.....	43,883	10,095	3	8,553	218	1,321	33,788	28,519	984	4,285
FIRST CIRCUIT....	1,283	329	-	266	10	53	954	775	16	163
MAINE.....	97	34	-	30	2	2	63	54	-	9
MASSACHUSETTS.....	735	189	-	153	2	34	546	431	7	108
NEW HAMPSHIRE.....	47	21	-	18	1	2	26	23	-	3
RHODE ISLAND.....	114	26	-	21	1	4	88	77	1	10
PUERTO RICO.....	290	59	-	44	4	11	231	190	8	33
SECOND CIRCUIT...	4,587	1,398	-	1,240	6	152	3,189	2,676	28	485
CONNECTICUT.....	432	148	-	134	1	13	284	255	2	27
NEW YORK NORTHERN.....	210	58	-	54	-	4	152	128	2	22
NEW YORK EASTERN.....	1,297	344	-	299	2	43	953	819	11	123
NEW YORK SOUTHERN.....	2,085	651	-	585	3	63	1,434	1,175	12	247
NEW YORK WESTERN.....	447	171	-	149	-	22	276	228	-	48
VERMONT.....	116	26	-	19	-	7	90	71	1	18
THIRD CIRCUIT....	3,141	788	-	672	19	97	2,353	1,910	63	380
DELAWARE.....	150	30	-	30	-	-	120	105	-	15
NEW JERSEY.....	823	175	-	145	-	30	648	536	5	107
PENNSYLVANIA EASTERN..	894	161	-	116	7	38	733	603	34	96
PENNSYLVANIA MIDDLE...	217	45	-	37	2	6	172	142	2	28
PENNSYLVANIA WESTERN..	560	207	-	188	6	13	353	253	18	82
VIRGIN ISLANDS.....	497	170	-	156	4	10	327	271	4	52
FOURTH CIRCUIT...	3,701	925	-	839	18	68	2,776	2,382	76	318
MARYLAND.....	821	179	-	159	4	16	642	532	27	83
NO. CAROLINA EASTERN..	309	53	-	50	1	2	256	231	4	21
NO. CAROLINA MIDDLE...	307	34	-	31	1	2	273	240	13	20
NO. CAROLINA WESTERN..	269	49	-	37	2	10	220	194	3	23
SOUTH CAROLINA.....	414	78	-	61	1	16	336	286	3	47
VIRGINIA EASTERN.....	772	169	-	151	6	12	603	493	21	89
VIRGINIA WESTERN.....	191	27	-	23	-	4	164	149	4	11
W. VIRGINIA NORTHERN..	91	10	-	8	-	2	81	74	-	7
W. VIRGINIA SOUTHERN..	527	326	-	319	3	4	201	183	1	17
FIFTH CIRCUIT....	9,813	1,740	-	1,379	73	288	8,073	6,857	282	934
ALABAMA NORTHERN.....	712	72	-	61	-	11	640	605	3	28
ALABAMA MIDDLE.....	202	41	-	30	1	10	161	105	13	43
ALABAMA SOUTHERN.....	200	29	-	18	-	11	171	147	1	23
FLORIDA NORTHERN.....	193	51	-	31	1	19	142	93	4	45
FLORIDA MIDDLE.....	673	144	-	111	2	31	529	437	6	86
FLORIDA SOUTHERN.....	959	201	-	156	-	45	758	591	30	137
GEORGIA NORTHERN.....	683	127	-	89	1	37	556	442	14	100
GEORGIA MIDDLE.....	288	48	-	33	3	12	240	190	7	43
GEORGIA SOUTHERN.....	303	55	-	29	11	15	248	214	16	18
LOUISIANA EASTERN.....	877	137	-	98	26	13	740	649	35	56
LOUISIANA MIDDLE.....	138	15	-	14	-	1	123	110	4	9
LOUISIANA WESTERN.....	237	37	-	32	-	5	200	186	-	14
MISSISSIPPI NORTHERN..	123	19	-	8	1	10	104	69	3	32
MISSISSIPPI SOUTHERN..	162	22	-	22	-	-	140	131	-	9
TEXAS NORTHERN.....	728	73	-	61	2	10	655	589	8	58
TEXAS EASTERN.....	181	26	-	22	-	4	155	143	3	9
TEXAS SOUTHERN.....	1,815	329	-	286	10	33	1,486	1,300	65	121
TEXAS WESTERN.....	1,041	270	-	244	6	20	771	651	25	95
CANAL ZONE.....	298	44	-	34	9	1	254	201	45	8

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TYPE SENTENCE									AVERAGE SENTENCE OF IMPRISONMENT (MONTHS)[4]	CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT
IMPRISONMENT[1]						PROBATION	FINE ONLY	OTHER		
TOTAL	SPLIT SENTENCE[3]	1 YR. & 1 DAY & UNDER	OVER 1 YR. & 1 DAY TO 3 YRS.	3 TO 5 YEARS	5 YEARS AND OVER					
19,169	3,077	3,750	3,281	4,271	4,790	13,781	1,486	183	46.0	TOTAL ALL DISTRICTS.
521	31	59	62	173	196	300	5	5	53.6	DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.
18,648	3,046	3,691	3,219	4,098	4,594	13,481	1,481	178	45.8	93 DISTRICTS.
433	75	108	56	95	99	459	62	-	39.8	FIRST CIRCUIT.
21	5	4	1	3	8	31	11	-	-	MAINE.
261	62	80	39	39	40	265	20	-	29.6	MASSACHUSETTS.
6	-	4	1	1	-	19	1	-	-	NEW HAMPSHIRE.
27	1	5	5	14	2	54	7	-	35.6	RHODE ISLAND.
118	6	15	10	38	49	90	23	-	64.3	PUERTO RICO.
1,499	339	317	195	300	348	1,493	189	8	41.1	SECOND CIRCUIT.
113	41	20	15	15	22	146	24	1	36.4	CONNECTICUT.
59	6	32	6	13	2	82	8	3	26.2	NEW YORK NORTHERN.
455	103	80	45	103	124	444	54	-	43.5	NEW YORK EASTERN.
716	169	147	102	143	155	648	69	1	40.3	NEW YORK SOUTHERN.
111	6	26	22	22	35	138	27	-	54.3	NEW YORK WESTERN.
45	14	12	5	4	10	35	7	3	27.6	VERMONT.
1,198	218	214	187	246	333	1,086	65	4	51.6	THIRD CIRCUIT.
51	8	16	7	12	8	65	4	-	43.0	DELAWARE.
281	39	30	39	68	105	331	35	1	71.0	NEW JERSEY.
332	38	60	74	90	70	398	3	-	42.7	PENNSYLVANIA EASTERN.
84	12	25	11	11	25	80	8	-	68.4	PENNSYLVANIA MIDDLE.
230	50	19	23	52	86	111	12	-	57.2	PENNSYLVANIA WESTERN.
220	71	64	33	13	39	101	3	3	30.2	VIRGIN ISLANDS.
1,572	267	240	260	335	470	1,116	84	4	57.3	FOURTH CIRCUIT.
386	66	44	54	84	138	240	15	1	65.6	MARYLAND.
143	19	6	4	34	80	104	9	-	97.7	NO. CAROLINA EASTERN.
182	35	43	52	17	35	89	2	-	37.2	NO. CAROLINA MIDDLE.
75	2	4	25	22	22	141	4	-	57.5	NO. CAROLINA WESTERN.
190	32	18	37	40	63	138	8	-	75.0	SOUTH CAROLINA.
386	92	85	59	67	83	181	36	-	40.5	VIRGINIA EASTERN.
60	16	1	7	13	23	102	2	-	59.9	VIRGINIA WESTERN.
47	-	12	7	21	7	32	2	-	37.9	W. VIRGINIA NORTHERN.
103	5	27	15	37	19	89	6	3	43.6	W. VIRGINIA SOUTHERN.
4,525	669	782	895	1,119	1,060	3,141	383	24	43.8	FIFTH CIRCUIT.
302	43	25	73	105	56	310	27	1	44.8	ALABAMA NORTHERN.
108	9	21	19	39	20	47	6	-	44.2	ALABAMA MIDDLE.
100	26	8	5	27	34	64	7	-	46.6	ALABAMA SOUTHERN.
110	4	24	13	37	32	28	4	-	48.8	FLORIDA NORTHERN.
277	29	43	58	78	69	234	18	-	54.4	FLORIDA MIDDLE.
500	63	126	147	98	66	242	14	2	30.5	FLORIDA SOUTHERN.
353	65	41	56	104	87	198	5	-	45.1	GEORGIA NORTHERN.
106	14	22	22	24	24	71	63	-	60.1	GEORGIA MIDDLE.
99	15	14	35	18	17	145	4	-	48.9	GEORGIA SOUTHERN.
280	69	45	59	52	55	272	168	20	36.9	LOUISIANA EASTERN.
59	1	7	30	18	3	63	1	-	30.1	LOUISIANA MIDDLE.
95	24	10	24	16	21	99	6	-	37.9	LOUISIANA WESTERN.
44	7	4	15	13	5	60	-	-	29.4	MISSISSIPPI NORTHERN.
79	25	9	14	19	12	60	1	-	42.1	MISSISSIPPI SOUTHERN.
424	81	75	76	93	99	219	12	-	40.8	TEXAS NORTHERN.
82	20	19	8	21	14	64	9	-	37.9	TEXAS EASTERN.
778	103	190	138	178	169	694	14	-	37.5	TEXAS SOUTHERN.
598	48	58	72	162	258	163	9	1	65.5	TEXAS WESTERN.
131	23	41	31	17	19	108	15	-	26.2	CANAL ZONE.

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CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	TOTAL DEFENDANTS	NOT CONVICTED					CONVICTED AND SENTENCED			
		TOTAL	NARA[2]	DISMISSED	ACQUITTED BY		TOTAL	PLEA OF GUILTY OR NOLO CONTENDERE	CONVICTED BY	
					COURT	JURY			COURT	JURY
SIXTH CIRCUIT....	4,853	1,124	-	967	20	137	3,729	3,193	78	458
KENTUCKY EASTERN.....	337	79	-	61	2	16	258	191	4	63
KENTUCKY WESTERN.....	478	33	-	25	2	6	445	403	19	23
MICHIGAN EASTERN.....	1,768	546	-	499	5	42	1,222	1,071	25	126
MICHIGAN WESTERN.....	332	101	-	90	2	9	231	216	1	14
OHIO NORTHERN.....	910	193	-	185	-	8	717	655	10	52
OHIO SOUTHERN.....	316	36	-	32	1	3	280	232	3	45
TENNESSEE EASTERN.....	239	48	-	27	-	21	191	160	1	30
TENNESSEE MIDDLE.....	236	34	-	19	7	8	202	144	7	51
TENNESSEE WESTERN.....	237	54	-	29	1	24	183	121	8	54
SEVENTH CIRCUIT..	2,665	586	-	415	26	145	2,079	1,695	81	303
ILLINOIS NORTHERN.....	1,193	215	-	127	17	71	978	787	62	129
ILLINOIS EASTERN.....	167	43	-	27	1	15	124	95	-	29
ILLINOIS SOUTHERN.....	150	52	-	35	1	16	98	70	3	25
INDIANA NORTHERN.....	488	114	-	92	-	22	374	313	4	57
INDIANA SOUTHERN.....	298	60	-	58	-	2	238	197	5	36
WISCONSIN EASTERN.....	285	79	-	56	7	16	206	177	7	22
WISCONSIN WESTERN.....	84	23	-	20	-	3	61	56	-	5
EIGHTH CIRCUIT...	2,591	604	-	500	4	100	1,987	1,701	22	264
ARKANSAS EASTERN.....	280	56	-	31	1	24	224	172	3	49
ARKANSAS WESTERN.....	79	11	-	8	1	2	68	59	-	9
IOWA NORTHERN.....	159	37	-	31	-	6	122	111	1	10
IOWA SOUTHERN.....	115	27	-	17	-	10	88	70	2	16
MINNESOTA.....	450	101	-	90	1	10	329	281	3	45
MISSOURI EASTERN.....	414	64	-	54	-	10	350	285	5	60
MISSOURI WESTERN.....	289	72	-	58	1	13	217	187	3	27
NEBRASKA.....	251	71	-	69	-	2	180	158	2	20
NORTH DAKOTA.....	161	29	-	21	-	8	132	118	2	12
SOUTH DAKOTA.....	413	136	-	121	-	15	277	260	1	16
NINTH CIRCUIT....	9,029	2,121	-	1,878	41	202	6,908	5,905	302	701
ALASKA.....	209	56	-	48	-	8	153	134	2	17
ARIZONA.....	1,555	440	-	395	2	43	1,113	938	41	134
CALIFORNIA NORTHERN...	749	146	-	127	3	16	603	537	21	45
CALIFORNIA EASTERN....	627	127	-	121	1	5	500	458	8	34
CALIFORNIA CENTRAL....	2,151	393	-	339	13	41	1,758	1,492	88	178
CALIFORNIA SOUTHERN...	1,401	306	-	264	11	31	1,095	914	86	95
HAWAII.....	593	119	-	112	2	5	474	445	13	16
IDAHO.....	158	45	-	39	1	5	113	95	2	16
MONTANA.....	237	90	-	76	2	12	147	121	-	26
NEVADA.....	242	86	-	71	2	13	156	123	9	24
OREGON.....	386	157	-	148	1	8	229	183	10	36
WASHINGTON EASTERN....	184	47	-	44	2	1	137	110	9	18
WASHINGTON WESTERN....	511	98	-	83	1	14	413	342	13	58
GUAM.....	28	11	-	11	-	-	17	13	-	4
TENTH CIRCUIT....	2,220	480	3	397	1	79	1,740	1,425	36	279
COLORADO.....	408	98	3	74	-	21	310	238	4	68
KANSAS.....	519	125	-	113	-	12	394	353	9	32
NEW MEXICO.....	330	92	-	88	-	4	238	186	6	46
OKLAHOMA NORTHERN.....	249	46	-	37	1	8	203	166	5	32
OKLAHOMA EASTERN.....	87	17	-	10	-	7	70	57	2	11
OKLAHOMA WESTERN.....	379	39	-	27	-	12	340	266	8	66
UTAH.....	109	38	-	28	-	10	71	56	2	13
WYOMING.....	139	25	-	20	-	5	114	103	-	11

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TYPE SENTENCE										
IMPRISONMENT[1]										
TOTAL	SPLIT SEN-TENCE[3]	1 YR. & 1 DAY & UNDER	OVER 1 YR. & 1 DAY TO 3 YRS.	3 TO 5 YEARS	5 YEARS AND OVER	PRO-BATION	FINE ONLY	OTHER	AVERAGE SENTENCE OF IM-PRISON-MENT (MONTHS)[4]	CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT
2,182	330	363	442	529	518	1,411	131	5	50.0	SIXTH CIRCUIT.
202	25	30	50	46	51	51	5	-	50.5	KENTUCKY EASTERN.
264	38	31	57	75	63	151	29	1	58.1	KENTUCKY WESTERN.
746	70	147	182	193	154	433	39	4	47.9	MICHIGAN EASTERN.
76	13	6	6	25	26	141	14	-	57.7	MICHIGAN WESTERN.
347	74	70	54	80	69	351	19	-	45.8	OHIO NORTHERN.
188	31	31	24	43	59	86	6	-	52.2	OHIO SOUTHERN.
127	23	16	23	36	29	57	7	-	44.6	TENNESSEE EASTERN.
124	30	14	29	18	33	72	6	-	49.5	TENNESSEE MIDDLE.
108	26	18	17	13	34	69	6	-	56.2	TENNESSEE WESTERN.
1,191	234	228	156	252	321	791	93	4	45.6	SEVENTH CIRCUIT.
552	115	136	75	109	117	358	68	-	33.5	ILLINOIS NORTHERN.
77	9	11	7	27	23	46	1	-	86.6	ILLINOIS EASTERN.
50	16	3	2	12	17	46	2	-	49.2	ILLINOIS SOUTHERN.
231	36	21	23	63	88	136	5	2	51.4	INDIANA NORTHERN.
160	42	21	22	27	48	75	2	1	59.6	INDIANA SOUTHERN.
90	15	22	19	11	23	103	13	-	51.1	WISCONSIN EASTERN.
31	1	14	8	3	5	27	2	1	22.4	WISCONSIN WESTERN.
1,074	166	192	185	253	278	832	78	3	45.4	EIGHTH CIRCUIT.
127	37	13	33	24	20	89	7	1	30.2	ARKANSAS EASTERN.
29	5	4	11	4	5	34	5	-	32.3	ARKANSAS WESTERN.
39	5	3	4	17	10	75	8	-	60.7	IOWA NORTHERN.
46	4	8	5	7	22	39	3	-	71.4	IOWA SOUTHERN.
230	22	70	44	39	55	99	-	-	35.3	MINNESOTA.
253	47	18	23	80	85	90	7	-	57.1	MISSOURI EASTERN.
131	20	28	23	28	32	85	1	-	42.9	MISSOURI WESTERN.
68	6	15	6	16	25	77	35	-	55.9	NEBRASKA.
58	15	16	13	7	7	68	6	-	50.4	NORTH DAKOTA.
93	5	17	23	31	17	176	6	2	37.1	SOUTH DAKOTA.
3,990	656	1,086	621	720	907	2,450	343	125	40.6	NINTH CIRCUIT.
63	9	18	9	15	12	79	11	-	50.7	ALASKA.
809	55	225	208	193	128	282	21	1	36.7	ARIZONA.
365	47	60	56	61	141	222	14	2	56.4	CALIFORNIA NORTHERN.
289	90	85	16	37	61	197	10	4	42.0	CALIFORNIA EASTERN.
1,030	221	267	119	158	265	706	20	2	41.4	CALIFORNIA CENTRAL.
694	68	314	120	99	93	394	3	4	26.0	CALIFORNIA SOUTHERN.
7[illegible]	19	18	11	18	12	78	214	104	30.0	HAWAII.
[illegible]	12	10	3	12	19	47	10	-	49.9	IDAHO.
49	5	5	3	18	18	93	5	-	57.8	MONTANA.
73	14	13	8	9	29	73	9	1	59.7	NEVADA.
150	29	10	27	33	51	67	12	-	56.9	OREGON.
85	37	11	10	19	8	51	1	-	25.0	WASHINGTON EASTERN.
239	50	50	31	42	66	154	13	7	50.4	WASHINGTON WESTERN.
10	-	-	-	6	4	7	-	-	-	GUAM.
984	92	161	222	249	260	702	53	1	50.6	TENTH CIRCUIT.
163	17	24	42	38	42	132	14	1	43.4	COLORADO.
232	20	38	34	70	70	138	24	-	45.8	KANSAS.
161	23	28	23	52	35	76	1	-	57.3	NEW MEXICO.
112	17	5	34	33	23	88	3	-	47.1	OKLAHOMA NORTHERN.
25	3	1	7	3	11	44	1	-	82.6	OKLAHOMA EASTERN.
227	11	50	73	32	61	110	3	-	53.0	OKLAHOMA WESTERN.
17	-	6	4	1	6	50	4	-	-	UTAH.
47	1	9	5	20	12	64	3	-	48.2	WYOMING.

1 INCLUDES SENTENCES OF MORE THAN 6 MONTHS WHICH ARE TO BE FOLLOWED BY A TERM OF PROBATION (MIXED SENTENCES).
2 DEFENDANTS WHO WERE COMMITTED UNDER 28 U.S.C. 2902 (B) OF THE NARCOTIC REHABILITATION ACT.
3 A SPLIT SENTENCE IS A SENTENCE ON A 1-COUNT INDICTMENT OF 6 MONTHS OR LESS IN A JAIL-TYPE INSTITUTION, FOLLOWED BY A TERM OF PROBATION, 18 U.S.C. 3651. INCLUDED IN THESE FIGURES ARE MIXED SENTENCES INVOLVING CONFINEMENT FOR 6 MONTHS OR LESS ON 1 COUNT, TO BE FOLLOWED BY A TERM OF PROBATION ON 1 OR MORE OTHER COUNTS.
4 NOT COMPUTED WHERE NUMBER IMPRISONED WAS LESS THAN 25.
* REFERS TO ANY OFFENSE FOR WHICH THE PENALTY EXCEEDS ONE YEAR IN PRISON OR WHERE THE FINE IS GREATER THAN $1,000 OR BOTH.

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CRIMINAL CASES PENDING ON JUNE 30, 1977, BY NATURE OF OFFENSE AND DISTRICT,
(FELONIES AND MISDEMEANORS ONLY*)

CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	TOTAL	GENERAL OFFENSES							
		HOMI-CIDE	ROB-BERY	ASSAULT	BUR-GLARY	LAR-CENY	EMBEZ-ZLEMENT	FRAUD	AUTO THEFT
TOTAL ALL DISTRICTS....	16,106	66	705	233	110	1,291	477	2,209	386
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.....	290	3	17	4	1	16	3	33	7
FIRST CIRCUIT.....	419	1	21	11	2	40	16	56	7
MAINE.....	38	-	4	-	1	1	1	4	2
MASSACHUSETTS.....	236	1	11	4	1	24	6	34	3
NEW HAMPSHIRE.....	8	-	-	-	-	2	-	2	1
RHODE ISLAND.....	55	-	-	2	-	10	3	8	1
PUERTO RICO.....	82	-	6	5	-	3	6	8	-
SECOND CIRCUIT.....	1,967	2	110	14	4	131	61	324	14
CONNECTICUT.....	131	-	11	2	-	12	9	24	2
NEW YORK NORTHERN.....	105	-	1	-	-	8	3	19	3
NEW YORK EASTERN.....	701	1	49	2	1	71	19	97	3
NEW YORK SOUTHERN.....	731	-	34	9	2	70	23	133	1
NEW YORK WESTERN.....	209	1	12	1	1	15	5	45	3
VERMONT.....	90	-	3	-	-	5	2	6	2
THIRD CIRCUIT.....	876	9	47	16	20	83	30	162	22
DELAWARE.....	38	-	2	-	-	4	2	8	-
NEW JERSEY.....	295	1	13	2	1	32	18	77	15
PENNSYLVANIA EASTERN.....	189	1	20	2	-	17	3	23	1
PENNSYLVANIA MIDDLE.....	66	-	3	1	-	2	1	7	-
PENNSYLVANIA WESTERN.....	160	-	6	2	1	13	5	33	4
VIRGIN ISLANDS.....	128	7	3	9	18	15	1	14	2
FOURTH CIRCUIT.....	963	2	59	17	2	81	42	151	30
MARYLAND.....	287	-	17	6	2	13	13	46	5
NO. CAROLINA EASTERN.....	81	1	7	1	-	8	5	15	4
NO. CAROLINA MIDDLE.....	61	-	4	-	-	12	4	7	2
NO. CAROLINA WESTERN.....	37	-	5	-	-	-	1	7	1
SOUTH CAROLINA.....	163	-	12	1	-	14	4	29	9
VIRGINIA EASTERN.....	188	1	10	5	-	23	10	22	2
VIRGINIA WESTERN.....	23	-	2	1	-	-	-	5	-
W. VIRGINIA NORTHERN.....	29	-	-	1	-	5	-	11	1
W. VIRGINIA SOUTHERN.....	94	-	2	2	-	6	5	9	6
FIFTH CIRCUIT.....	3,114	4	74	28	12	219	84	322	100
ALABAMA NORTHERN.....	134	-	4	-	-	28	8	13	17
ALABAMA MIDDLE.....	54	-	2	1	-	4	2	3	5
ALABAMA SOUTHERN.....	63	-	1	-	-	2	3	7	5
FLORIDA NORTHERN.....	41	-	1	3	-	2	-	1	5
FLORIDA MIDDLE.....	260	1	19	1	1	12	8	46	7
FLORIDA SOUTHERN.....	649	1	6	2	-	39	12	77	12
GEORGIA NORTHERN.....	242	-	11	3	1	16	8	48	23
GEORGIA MIDDLE.....	43	-	1	-	-	1	3	3	3
GEORGIA SOUTHERN.....	69	-	6	-	-	21	1	10	3
LOUISIANA EASTERN.....	145	-	2	1	-	20	8	11	2
LOUISIANA MIDDLE.....	21	-	-	-	-	2	1	4	-
LOUISIANA WESTERN.....	39	-	2	1	-	6	3	5	3
MISSISSIPPI NORTHERN.....	25	-	-	-	-	2	-	7	2
MISSISSIPPI SOUTHERN.....	52	-	-	2	-	3	1	5	3
TEXAS NORTHERN.....	211	-	5	-	-	18	6	33	3
TEXAS EASTERN.....	58	-	1	-	-	8	1	15	1
TEXAS SOUTHERN.....	588	-	3	5	-	11	8	13	4
TEXAS WESTERN.....	340	1	4	5	1	12	7	20	2
CANAL ZONE.....	80	1	6	4	9	12	4	1	-

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GENERAL OFFENSES--CONTINUED						SPECIAL OFFENSES				
FORGERY AND COUNTER-FEITING	SEX OF-FENSES	NARCOTICS LAWS		WEAPONS AND FIRE-ARMS	OTHER	IMMI-GRATION LAWS	LIQUOR, INTER-NAL REVENUE	SELEC-TIVE SERVICE ACT	OTHER	CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT
		OLD[1]	NEW[2]							
1,646	38	474	3,598	1,142	2,275	561	48	65	782	TOTAL ALL DISTRICTS.
36	1	3	99	26	29	-	-	-	12	DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.
44	-	8	70	62	39	8	-	-	34	FIRST CIRCUIT.
3	-	1	2	7	1	5	-	-	6	MAINE.
20	-	5	39	43	30	2	-	-	13	MASSACHUSETTS.
2	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	NEW HAMPSHIRE.
11	-	-	5	11	2	1	-	-	1	RHODE ISLAND.
8	-	2	24	-	6	-	-	-	14	PUERTO RICO.
193	1	63	482	77	199	57	1	20	164	SECOND CIRCUIT.
16	-	-	12	17	17	2	-	-	7	CONNECTICUT.
3	1	1	10	10	5	23	-	1	17	NEW YORK NORTHERN.
58	-	48	207	12	40	8	-	15	70	NEW YORK EASTERN.
101	-	12	205	16	80	5	1	4	35	NEW YORK SOUTHERN.
14	-	-	38	15	25	5	-	-	29	NEW YORK WESTERN.
1	-	2	10	7	32	14	-	-	6	VERMONT.
125	4	2	125	77	107	8	-	3	36	THIRD CIRCUIT.
14	-	-	3	3	2	-	-	-	-	DELAWARE.
44	-	-	31	12	37	1	-	1	10	NEW JERSEY.
18	-	-	50	33	11	-	-	1	9	PENNSYLVANIA EASTERN.
4	-	-	10	4	28	-	-	1	5	PENNSYLVANIA MIDDLE.
40	-	2	16	16	15	-	-	-	7	PENNSYLVANIA WESTERN.
5	4	-	15	9	14	7	-	-	5	VIRGIN ISLANDS.
156	3	2	106	141	107	2	8	6	48	FOURTH CIRCUIT.
53	-	1	45	40	29	1	-	1	15	MARYLAND.
12	-	-	17	5	2	-	1	-	3	NO. CAROLINA EASTERN.
13	-	-	-	9	4	-	3	-	3	NO. CAROLINA MIDDLE.
6	-	-	2	8	3	1	-	-	3	NO. CAROLINA WESTERN.
25	-	-	13	24	18	-	1	-	13	SOUTH CAROLINA.
23	2	1	20	35	27	-	-	3	4	VIRGINIA EASTERN.
3	-	-	-	6	3	-	2	-	1	VIRGINIA WESTERN.
4	-	-	-	1	5	-	-	-	1	W. VIRGINIA NORTHERN.
17	1	-	9	13	16	-	1	2	5	W. VIRGINIA SOUTHERN.
347	7	45	835	282	471	111	24	5	144	FIFTH CIRCUIT.
12	1	-	11	24	7	-	2	-	7	ALABAMA NORTHERN.
8	-	-	2	9	13	-	1	-	4	ALABAMA MIDDLE.
10	-	-	8	14	6	-	3	-	4	ALABAMA SOUTHERN.
7	-	-	7	2	13	-	-	-	-	FLORIDA NORTHERN.
60	2	1	38	22	19	6	1	-	16	FLORIDA MIDDLE.
54	1	10	218	21	127	23	1	1	44	FLORIDA SOUTHERN.
29	-	1	24	39	33	2	-	1	3	GEORGIA NORTHERN.
4	-	-	2	6	9	-	6	2	3	GEORGIA MIDDLE.
6	1	-	2	2	15	-	2	-	-	GEORGIA SOUTHERN.
31	-	-	23	30	3	1	-	-	13	LOUISIANA EASTERN.
9	-	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	2	LOUISIANA MIDDLE.
7	-	-	1	8	2	-	1	-	-	LOUISIANA WESTERN.
2	-	-	-	2	2	-	6	1	1	MISSISSIPPI NORTHERN.
6	-	-	6	26	-	-	-	-	-	MISSISSIPPI SOUTHERN.
51	-	1	26	19	37	2	-	-	10	TEXAS NORTHERN.
11	-	-	1	7	11	-	1	-	1	TEXAS EASTERN.
14	1	18	299	24	135	41	-	-	12	TEXAS SOUTHERN.
26	-	14	131	25	33	36	-	-	23	TEXAS WESTERN.
-	1	-	35	-	6	-	-	-	1	CANAL ZONE.

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CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	TOTAL	GENERAL OFFENSES							
		HOMI-CIDE	ROB-BERY	ASSAULT	BUR-GLARY	LAR-CENY	EMBEZ-ZLEMENT	FRAUD	AUTO THEFT
SIXTH CIRCUIT	1,498	3	97	14	5	214	56	251	51
KENTUCKY EASTERN	121	-	6	2	-	14	3	5	10
KENTUCKY WESTERN	67	-	4	-	-	8	2	8	3
MICHIGAN EASTERN	658	1	17	5	2	101	16	143	6
MICHIGAN WESTERN	112	1	4	1	1	18	5	19	3
OHIO NORTHERN	199	-	24	2	-	28	18	25	9
OHIO SOUTHERN	95	-	13	2	-	6	4	20	2
TENNESSEE EASTERN	37	1	7	2	-	5	1	3	4
TENNESSEE MIDDLE	43	-	5	-	-	6	-	9	5
TENNESSEE WESTERN	166	-	17	-	2	28	7	19	9
SEVENTH CIRCUIT	1,067	2	51	12	1	89	46	272	30
ILLINOIS NORTHERN	657	1	18	4	-	58	26	204	7
ILLINOIS EASTERN	46	1	2	1	-	7	2	7	-
ILLINOIS SOUTHERN	41	-	-	1	1	-	5	9	-
INDIANA NORTHERN	103	-	3	2	-	11	1	13	2
INDIANA SOUTHERN	79	-	16	2	-	4	5	6	10
WISCONSIN EASTERN	101	-	5	1	-	5	6	28	-
WISCONSIN WESTERN	40	-	7	1	-	4	1	5	11
EIGHTH CIRCUIT	681	17	23	40	29	104	25	120	30
ARKANSAS EASTERN	80	-	2	-	-	19	3	12	4
ARKANSAS WESTERN	29	-	-	-	-	9	7	11	1
IOWA NORTHERN	43	1	1	1	1	7	-	13	1
IOWA SOUTHERN	31	1	2	3	-	2	1	8	-
MINNESOTA	99	-	6	1	-	8	5	14	2
MISSOURI EASTERN	91	-	2	1	1	16	5	15	5
MISSOURI WESTERN	91	-	2	1	-	10	2	16	7
NEBRASKA	45	-	5	-	1	8	2	13	5
NORTH DAKOTA	31	1	-	3	8	3	-	6	-
SOUTH DAKOTA	141	14	3	30	18	22	-	12	5
NINTH CIRCUIT	4,621	19	172	66	30	201	101	439	56
ALASKA	70	1	2	2	-	5	7	5	-
ARIZONA	949	6	3	7	6	15	3	28	9
CALIFORNIA NORTHERN	269	-	37	4	2	23	20	47	3
CALIFORNIA EASTERN	249	-	14	5	1	20	12	36	5
CALIFORNIA CENTRAL	854	1	59	13	2	62	29	157	19
CALIFORNIA SOUTHERN	1,427	-	7	14	-	11	7	29	4
HAWAII	132	-	9	1	-	6	1	11	1
IDAHO	37	-	-	2	1	2	1	11	-
MONTANA	64	6	1	5	15	3	-	9	-
NEVADA	111	1	8	4	-	8	1	25	1
OREGON	142	1	12	5	-	29	8	28	8
WASHINGTON EASTERN	54	-	3	1	-	2	2	13	3
WASHINGTON WESTERN	251	2	17	2	-	14	10	40	3
GUAM	12	1	-	1	3	1	-	-	-
TENTH CIRCUIT	610	4	34	11	4	63	13	79	39
COLORADO	127	-	10	3	-	9	4	17	9
KANSAS	143	-	4	-	1	25	2	15	9
NEW MEXICO	119	2	8	2	1	10	1	4	13
OKLAHOMA NORTHERN	26	-	-	1	-	1	-	1	1
OKLAHOMA EASTERN	23	-	-	-	-	3	-	3	1
OKLAHOMA WESTERN	56	1	3	1	1	-	1	8	4
UTAH	101	1	9	3	-	12	5	30	1
WYOMING	15	-	-	1	1	3	-	1	1

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GENERAL OFFENSES--CONTINUED						SPECIAL OFFENSES				
FORGERY AND COUNTER-FEITING	SEX OF-FENSES	NARCOTICS LAWS OLD[1]	NARCOTICS LAWS NEW[2]	WEAPONS AND FIRE-ARMS	OTHER	IMMI-GRATION LAWS	LIQUOR, INTER-NAL REVENUE	SELEC-TIVE SERVICE ACT	OTHER	CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT
227	3	1	214	136	134	13	8	-	71	SIXTH CIRCUIT.
14	-	-	1	37	18	-	1	-	10	KENTUCKY EASTERN.
10	-	-	4	12	12	1	1	-	2	KENTUCKY WESTERN.
84	1	1	164	41	42	8	3	-	23	MICHIGAN EASTERN.
18	-	-	14	14	7	2	-	-	5	MICHIGAN WESTERN.
40	-	-	12	11	18	2	-	-	10	OHIO NORTHERN.
29	-	-	4	6	4	-	-	-	5	OHIO SOUTHERN.
9	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	3	TENNESSEE EASTERN.
3	-	-	2	5	6	-	2	-	-	TENNESSEE MIDDLE.
20	2	-	13	9	26	-	1	-	13	TENNESSEE WESTERN.
91	-	13	245	68	97	16	-	7	27	SEVENTH CIRCUIT.
42	-	13	178	34	42	10	-	6	14	ILLINOIS NORTHERN.
4	-	-	9	6	7	-	-	-	-	ILLINOIS EASTERN.
7	-	-	2	7	4	3	-	-	2	ILLINOIS SOUTHERN.
11	-	-	29	8	18	1	-	1	3	INDIANA NORTHERN.
7	-	-	9	4	14	1	-	-	1	INDIANA SOUTHERN.
17	-	-	16	7	9	1	-	-	6	WISCONSIN EASTERN.
3	-	-	2	2	3	-	-	-	1	WISCONSIN WESTERN.
53	5	2	62	63	62	4	1	1	40	EIGHTH CIRCUIT.
11	-	-	4	12	3	-	-	1	9	ARKANSAS EASTERN.
-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	ARKANSAS WESTERN.
6	-	-	1	2	5	-	-	-	4	IOWA NORTHERN.
1	-	1	2	6	2	1	-	-	1	IOWA SOUTHERN.
11	-	-	19	12	10	-	1	-	10	MINNESOTA.
6	-	1	18	9	7	1	-	-	4	MISSOURI EASTERN.
7	-	-	16	11	15	1	-	-	3	MISSOURI WESTERN.
4	-	-	2	1	2	1	-	-	1	NEBRASKA.
5	1	-	-	2	1	-	-	-	1	NORTH DAKOTA.
2	4	-	-	8	16	-	-	-	7	SOUTH DAKOTA.
286	12	330	1,255	149	978	328	5	21	173	NINTH CIRCUIT.
5	-	1	31	4	7	-	-	-	-	ALASKA.
17	4	25	369	16	381	43	-	-	17	ARIZONA.
33	-	2	36	9	28	12	-	1	12	CALIFORNIA NORTHERN.
42	1	8	37	15	19	16	-	5	13	CALIFORNIA EASTERN.
80	-	56	172	50	71	35	4	10	34	CALIFORNIA CENTRAL.
23	-	234	484	11	356	195	-	-	52	CALIFORNIA CENTRAL.
11	-	1	14	6	62	-	-	-	9	HAWAII.
5	-	-	1	10	-	3	-	-	1	IDAHO.
4	3	-	6	2	2	1	1	-	6	MONTANA.
12	1	-	22	6	10	7	-	-	5	NEVADA.
13	1	-	11	9	6	2	-	2	7	OREGON.
7	2	-	8	3	3	4	-	-	3	WASHINGTON EASTERN.
32	-	3	61	8	33	10	-	3	13	WASHINGTON WESTERN.
2	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	1	GUAM.
88	2	5	105	61	52	14	1	2	33	TENTH CIRCUIT.
20	2	-	31	9	8	2	-	-	3	COLORADO.
29	-	-	26	9	14	1	1	-	7	KANSAS.
9	-	5	27	8	18	5	-	-	6	NEW MEXICO.
6	-	-	4	4	2	5	-	-	1	OKLAHOMA NORTHERN.
6	-	-	-	5	1	-	-	-	4	OKLAHOMA EASTERN.
5	-	-	8	14	7	-	-	2	1	OKLAHOMA WESTERN.
10	-	-	6	11	2	1	-	-	10	UTAH.
3	-	-	3	1	-	-	-	-	1	WYOMING.

1 OLD LAW - HARRISON NARCOTIC DRUG ACT, MARIHUANA TAX ACT AND BORDER REGISTRATION OF ADDICTS AND NARCOTIC LAW VIOLATORS WAS REPEALED MAY 1, 1971. IT WAS REPLACED BY THE:
2 COMPREHENSIVE DRUG ABUSE PREVENTION AND CONTROL ACT OF 1970 (P.L. 91-513) WHICH BECAME EFFECTIVE MAY 1, 1971.
* REFERS TO ANY OFFENSE FOR WHICH THE PENALTY EXCEEDS ONE YEAR IN PRISON OR WHERE THE FINE IS GREATER THAN $1,000 OR BOTH.

TABLE D9FMC. U.S. DISTRICT COURTS.
CRIMINAL CASES PENDING ON JUNE 30, 1977 (EXCLUSIVE OF FUGITIVE DEFENDANTS IN CASES PENDING 6 MONTHS OR MORE) BY NATURE OF OFFENSE AND DISTRICT (FELONIES AND MISDEMEANORS ONLY*)

CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	TOTAL	GENERAL OFFENSES							
		HOMI-CIDE	ROB-BERY	ASSAULT	BUR-GLARY	LAR-CENY	EMBEZ-ZLEMENT	FRAUD	AUTO THEFT
TOTAL ALL DISTRICTS....	10,649	62	609	206	96	1,065	429	1,833	300
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.....	258	2	16	2	1	13	3	29	5
FIRST CIRCUIT.....	300	1	18	10	-	30	15	47	6
MAINE.....	25	-	4	-	-	1	1	4	2
MASSACHUSETTS.....	168	1	9	4	-	15	5	28	2
NEW HAMPSHIRE.....	5	-	-	-	-	2	-	1	1
RHODE ISLAND.....	42	-	-	2	-	9	3	7	1
PUERTO RICO.....	60	-	5	4	-	3	6	7	-
SECOND CIRCUIT.....	1,239	1	93	14	3	121	44	263	10
CONNECTICUT.....	85	-	7	2	-	10	7	15	1
NEW YORK NORTHERN.....	52	-	1	-	-	6	2	16	2
NEW YORK EASTERN.....	429	1	43	2	1	54	14	76	2
NEW YORK SOUTHERN.....	474	-	28	9	1	36	18	110	2
NEW YORK WESTERN.....	174	-	11	1	1	14	1	40	3
VERMONT.....	25	-	3	-	-	1	2	6	-
THIRD CIRCUIT.....	764	8	41	15	19	74	30	153	17
DELAWARE.....	35	-	2	-	-	4	2	7	-
NEW JERSEY.....	261	1	10	2	1	30	18	73	11
PENNSYLVANIA EASTERN.....	168	1	19	2	-	14	3	22	2
PENNSYLVANIA MIDDLE.....	44	-	3	1	-	2	1	7	-
PENNSYLVANIA WESTERN.....	142	-	5	2	1	11	5	32	2
VIRGIN ISLANDS.....	114	6	2	8	17	13	1	12	2
FOURTH CIRCUIT.....	736	2	46	16	2	65	41	127	22
MARYLAND.....	233	-	15	6	2	11	13	38	3
NO. CAROLINA EASTERN.....	68	1	6	1	-	7	5	15	4
NO. CAROLINA MIDDLE.....	50	-	2	-	-	12	3	6	1
NO. CAROLINA WESTERN.....	28	-	3	-	-	-	1	5	1
SOUTH CAROLINA.....	123	-	9	1	-	11	4	25	6
VIRGINIA EASTERN.....	119	1	8	4	-	16	10	16	1
VIRGINIA WESTERN.....	18	-	1	1	-	-	-	4	-
W. VIRGINIA NORTHERN.....	23	-	-	1	-	4	-	10	1
W. VIRGINIA SOUTHERN.....	74	-	2	2	-	4	5	8	5
FIFTH CIRCUIT.....	1,993	4	59	24	9	179	79	256	74
ALABAMA NORTHERN.....	101	-	3	-	-	27	7	12	13
ALABAMA MIDDLE.....	46	-	2	1	-	3	2	3	5
ALABAMA SOUTHERN.....	56	-	1	-	-	2	3	6	5
FLORIDA NORTHERN.....	33	-	1	3	-	2	-	1	4
FLORIDA MIDDLE.....	199	1	16	1	1	8	8	38	6
FLORIDA SOUTHERN.....	317	1	5	2	-	29	11	54	5
GEORGIA NORTHERN.....	182	-	9	2	1	14	8	39	17
GEORGIA MIDDLE.....	21	-	1	-	-	1	1	3	1
GEORGIA SOUTHERN.....	52	-	3	-	-	16	1	8	2
LOUISIANA EASTERN.....	128	-	2	1	-	18	8	11	1
LOUISIANA MIDDLE.....	16	-	-	-	-	1	2	2	-
LOUISIANA WESTERN.....	34	-	1	1	-	6	3	5	3
MISSISSIPPI NORTHERN.....	22	-	-	-	-	2	-	7	2
MISSISSIPPI SOUTHERN.....	42	-	-	1	-	3	1	5	3
TEXAS NORTHERN.....	159	-	4	-	-	14	5	24	2
TEXAS EASTERN.....	53	-	-	-	-	8	1	14	1
TEXAS SOUTHERN.....	268	-	3	5	-	7	8	10	3
TEXAS WESTERN.....	209	1	3	4	1	11	7	14	1
CANAL ZONE.....	55	1	5	3	6	7	3	-	-

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GENERAL OFFENSES--CONTINUED						SPECIAL OFFENSES				
FORGERY AND COUNTER-FEITING	SEX OF-FENSES	NARCOTICS LAWS		WEAPONS AND FIRE-ARMS	OTHER	IMMI-GRATION LAWS	LIQUOR, INTER-NAL REVENUE	SELEC-TIVE SERVICE ACT	OTHER	CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT
		OLD[1]	NEW[2]							
1,313	31	56	1,881	901	1,013	262	29	16	547	TOTAL ALL DISTRICTS.
35	1	3	91	22	26	-	-	-	9	DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.
33	-	-	39	47	27	1	-	-	26	FIRST CIRCUIT.
3	-	-	2	3	1	1	-	-	3	MAINE.
16	-	-	21	34	23	-	-	-	10	MASSACHUSETTS.
-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	NEW HAMPSHIRE.
6	-	-	2	9	2	-	-	-	1	RHODE ISLAND.
8	-	-	14	-	1	-	-	-	12	PUERTO RICO.
136	1	11	246	54	121	14	1	2	104	SECOND CIRCUIT.
8	-	-	7	12	10	1	-	-	5	CONNECTICUT.
2	1	-	4	3	5	1	-	-	9	NEW YORK NORTHERN.
43	-	5	100	10	28	4	-	2	44	NEW YORK EASTERN.
71	-	6	104	10	52	3	1	-	23	NEW YORK SOUTHERN.
12	-	-	28	14	23	4	-	-	22	NEW YORK WESTERN.
-	-	-	3	5	3	1	-	-	1	VERMONT.
108	3	2	97	72	82	7	-	1	35	THIRD CIRCUIT.
12	-	-	3	3	2	-	-	-	-	DELAWARE.
37	-	-	22	11	33	-	-	1	11	NEW JERSEY.
19	-	-	39	31	9	-	-	-	7	PENNSYLVANIA EASTERN.
3	-	-	6	4	12	-	-	-	5	PENNSYLVANIA MIDDLE.
33	-	2	12	15	15	-	-	-	7	PENNSYLVANIA WESTERN.
4	3	-	15	8	11	7	-	-	5	VIRGIN ISLANDS.
131	3	2	71	99	56	1	8	4	40	FOURTH CIRCUIT.
45	-	2	31	36	19	1	-	-	11	MARYLAND.
8	-	-	12	4	1	-	1	-	3	NO. CAROLINA EASTERN.
12	-	-	-	6	2	-	3	-	3	NO. CAROLINA MIDDLE.
5	-	-	1	7	1	-	-	-	4	NO. CAROLINA WESTERN.
21	-	-	10	14	9	-	1	-	12	SOUTH CAROLINA.
20	2	-	10	19	10	-	-	2	-	VIRGINIA EASTERN.
3	-	-	-	4	2	-	2	-	1	VIRGINIA WESTERN.
4	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	1	W. VIRGINIA NORTHERN.
13	1	-	7	9	10	-	1	2	5	W. VIRGINIA SOUTHERN.
272	6	8	430	225	203	58	12	1	94	FIFTH CIRCUIT.
7	1	-	3	19	5	-	-	-	4	ALABAMA NORTHERN.
8	-	-	1	7	10	-	1	-	3	ALABAMA MIDDLE.
8	-	-	7	13	6	-	2	-	3	ALABAMA SOUTHERN.
6	-	-	5	2	9	-	-	-	-	FLORIDA NORTHERN.
52	2	-	16	20	10	5	1	-	14	FLORIDA MIDDLE.
32	-	1	84	17	37	11	-	-	28	FLORIDA SOUTHERN.
19	-	-	15	33	23	-	-	-	2	GEORGIA NORTHERN.
3	-	-	1	2	5	-	-	1	2	GEORGIA MIDDLE.
5	1	-	2	1	12	-	1	-	-	GEORGIA SOUTHERN.
29	-	-	19	26	3	-	-	-	10	LOUISIANA EASTERN.
9	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	LOUISIANA MIDDLE.
6	-	-	1	6	1	-	1	-	-	LOUISIANA WESTERN.
-	-	-	-	2	2	-	6	-	1	MISSISSIPPI NORTHERN.
6	-	-	3	20	-	-	-	-	-	MISSISSIPPI SOUTHERN.
46	-	-	15	19	19	2	-	-	9	TEXAS NORTHERN.
10	-	-	-	7	11	-	-	-	1	TEXAS EASTERN.
7	1	6	161	13	22	19	-	-	3	TEXAS SOUTHERN.
19	-	1	75	16	22	21	-	-	13	TEXAS WESTERN.
-	1	-	22	-	6	-	-	-	1	CANAL ZONE.

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CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	TOTAL	GENERAL OFFENSES							
		HOMI-CIDE	ROB-BERY	ASSAULT	BUR-GLARY	LAR-CENY	EMBEZ-ZLEMENT	FRAUD	AUTO THEFT
SIXTH CIRCUIT	1,302	3	92	13	4	195	53	233	46
KENTUCKY EASTERN	103	-	4	2	-	14	3	5	9
KENTUCKY WESTERN	57	-	4	-	-	7	2	7	2
MICHIGAN EASTERN	588	1	17	4	2	94	15	139	6
MICHIGAN WESTERN	100	1	4	1	-	17	5	18	3
OHIO NORTHERN	156	-	22	2	-	21	16	18	7
OHIO SOUTHERN	93	-	13	2	-	7	4	20	2
TENNESSEE EASTERN	31	1	6	2	-	5	1	2	4
TENNESSEE MIDDLE	38	-	5	-	-	6	-	8	4
TENNESSEE WESTERN	136	-	17	-	2	24	7	16	9
SEVENTH CIRCUIT	762	2	44	10	-	72	41	236	28
ILLINOIS NORTHERN	437	1	16	2	-	43	22	177	7
ILLINOIS EASTERN	41	1	1	1	-	7	2	6	-
ILLINOIS SOUTHERN	33	-	-	1	-	-	5	8	-
INDIANA NORTHERN	77	-	2	2	-	9	-	12	2
INDIANA SOUTHERN	63	-	13	2	-	4	5	5	10
WISCONSIN EASTERN	79	-	5	1	-	5	6	23	-
WISCONSIN WESTERN	32	-	7	1	-	4	1	5	9
EIGHTH CIRCUIT	559	16	23	39	28	95	24	95	25
ARKANSAS EASTERN	54	-	2	-	-	17	3	7	3
ARKANSAS WESTERN	28	-	-	-	-	8	7	11	1
IOWA NORTHERN	36	-	1	1	1	6	-	10	1
IOWA SOUTHERN	21	1	2	2	-	-	1	6	-
MINNESOTA	72	-	6	1	-	7	4	11	1
MISSOURI EASTERN	76	-	2	1	1	15	5	12	5
MISSOURI WESTERN	75	-	2	1	-	9	2	15	7
NEBRASKA	33	-	5	-	-	8	2	8	3
NORTH DAKOTA	27	1	-	2	8	3	-	3	-
SOUTH DAKOTA	137	14	3	31	18	22	-	12	4
NINTH CIRCUIT	2,281	19	147	53	27	163	87	328	37
ALASKA	58	1	2	2	-	5	7	3	-
ARIZONA	291	6	2	6	6	13	-	23	4
CALIFORNIA NORTHERN	222	-	31	2	2	21	17	43	2
CALIFORNIA EASTERN	190	-	10	5	1	18	10	30	5
CALIFORNIA CENTRAL	525	1	51	12	-	42	24	96	12
CALIFORNIA SOUTHERN	377	-	7	5	-	7	6	22	-
HAWAII	113	-	9	1	-	5	1	10	-
IDAHO	33	-	-	2	1	2	1	9	-
MONTANA	50	6	1	5	14	2	-	8	-
NEVADA	75	1	8	4	-	5	1	15	1
OREGON	115	1	9	5	-	28	9	22	6
WASHINGTON EASTERN	40	-	3	1	-	2	2	12	4
WASHINGTON WESTERN	182	2	14	2	-	12	9	35	3
GUAM	10	1	-	1	3	1	-	-	-
TENTH CIRCUIT	455	4	30	10	3	58	12	66	30
COLORADO	84	-	9	3	-	9	3	10	6
KANSAS	105	-	3	-	1	24	2	12	7
NEW MEXICO	70	2	6	2	1	7	1	4	10
OKLAHOMA NORTHERN	15	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
OKLAHOMA EASTERN	21	-	-	-	-	3	-	3	1
OKLAHOMA WESTERN	49	1	3	1	-	-	1	7	4
UTAH	97	1	9	3	-	12	5	28	1
WYOMING	14	-	-	1	1	3	-	1	1

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GENERAL OFFENSES--CONTINUED						SPECIAL OFFENSES				
FORGERY AND COUNTER-FEITING	SEX OF-FENSES	NARCOTICS LAWS OLD[1]	NARCOTICS LAWS NEW[2]	WEAPONS AND FIRE-ARMS	OTHER	IMMI-GRATION LAWS	LIQUOR, INTER-NAL REVENUE	SELEC-TIVE SERVICE ACT	OTHER	CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT
195	1	-	168	113	107	9	6	-	64	SIXTH CIRCUIT.
11	-	-	1	32	12	-	1	-	9	KENTUCKY EASTERN.
9	-	-	4	8	11	-	1	-	2	KENTUCKY WESTERN.
69	1	-	134	36	38	7	2	-	23	MICHIGAN EASTERN.
17	-	-	8	12	7	2	-	-	5	MICHIGAN WESTERN.
36	-	-	5	8	13	-	-	-	8	OHIO NORTHERN.
28	-	-	3	6	3	-	-	-	5	OHIO SOUTHERN.
5	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	3	TENNESSEE EASTERN.
2	-	-	2	4	6	-	1	-	-	TENNESSEE MIDDLE.
18	-	-	10	7	16	-	1	-	9	TENNESSEE WESTERN.
60	-	1	129	49	66	8	-	2	14	SEVENTH CIRCUIT.
22	-	1	83	21	30	4	-	1	7	ILLINOIS NORTHERN.
4	-	-	9	6	4	-	-	-	-	ILLINOIS EASTERN.
6	-	-	2	6	2	2	-	-	1	ILLINOIS SOUTHERN.
11	-	-	16	6	13	1	-	1	2	INDIANA NORTHERN.
4	-	-	7	3	9	1	-	-	-	INDIANA SOUTHERN.
11	-	-	12	5	7	-	-	-	4	WISCONSIN EASTERN.
2	-	-	-	2	1	-	-	-	-	WISCONSIN WESTERN.
40	5	-	42	53	41	2	-	-	31	EIGHTH CIRCUIT.
6	-	-	1	8	2	-	-	-	5	ARKANSAS EASTERN.
1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	ARKANSAS WESTERN.
5	-	-	1	2	5	-	-	-	3	IOWA NORTHERN.
-	-	-	1	6	1	-	-	-	1	IOWA SOUTHERN.
8	-	-	11	11	5	-	-	-	7	MINNESOTA.
5	-	-	14	8	3	1	-	-	4	MISSOURI EASTERN.
4	-	-	13	9	10	-	-	-	3	MISSOURI WESTERN.
4	-	-	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	NEBRASKA.
5	1	-	-	2	1	-	-	-	1	NORTH DAKOTA.
2	4	-	-	6	14	-	-	-	7	SOUTH DAKOTA.
230	9	27	513	117	261	154	1	6	102	NINTH CIRCUIT.
3	-	-	27	3	5	-	-	-	-	ALASKA.
14	4	-	110	9	47	38	-	-	9	ARIZONA.
28	-	1	25	6	25	9	-	-	10	CALIFORNIA NORTHERN.
40	1	1	26	13	11	7	-	1	11	CALIFORNIA EASTERN.
62	-	24	73	42	43	19	1	4	19	CALIFORNIA CENTRAL.
19	-	1	184	7	34	66	-	-	19	CALIFORNIA CENTRAL.
6	-	-	10	4	59	-	-	-	8	HAWAII.
5	-	-	1	9	-	3	-	-	-	IDAHO.
2	3	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	5	MONTANA.
9	-	-	11	5	8	4	-	-	3	NEVADA.
9	1	-	6	8	4	2	-	1	4	OREGON.
5	-	-	3	1	3	1	-	-	3	WASHINGTON EASTERN.
26	-	-	36	8	20	5	-	-	10	WASHINGTON WESTERN.
2	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	GUAM.
73	2	2	55	50	23	8	1	-	28	TENTH CIRCUIT.
13	2	-	11	8	6	1	-	-	3	COLORADO.
25	-	-	14	4	6	1	1	-	5	KANSAS.
7	-	2	12	6	3	4	-	-	3	NEW MEXICO.
5	-	-	3	3	1	1	-	-	1	OKLAHOMA NORTHERN.
6	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	4	OKLAHOMA EASTERN.
5	-	-	7	14	5	-	-	-	1	OKLAHOMA WESTERN.
9	-	-	6	10	2	1	-	-	10	UTAH.
3	-	-	2	1	-	-	-	-	1	WYOMING.

1 OLD LAW - HARRISON NARCOTIC DRUG ACT, MARIHUANA TAX ACT AND BORDER REGISTRATION OF ADDICTS AND NARCOTIC LAW VIOLATORS WAS REPEALED MAY 1, 1971. IT WAS REPLACED BY THE:
2 COMPREHENSIVE DRUG ABUSE PREVENTION AND CONTROL ACT OF 1970 (P.L. 91-513) WHICH BECAME EFFECTIVE MAY 1, 1971.
* REFERS TO ANY OFFENSE FOR WHICH THE PENALTY EXCEEDS ONE YEAR IN PRISON OR WHERE THE FINE IS GREATER THAN $1,000 OR BOTH.

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CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	TOTAL	PENDING LESS THAN SIX MONTHS	AGE OF PENDING CASES WITHOUT FUGITIVE DEFENDANTS				AGE OF PENDING CASES WITH FUGITIVE DEFENDANTS			
			TOTAL	6-12 MONTHS	1-2 YEARS	3 YEARS OR MORE	TOTAL	6-12 MONTHS	1-2 YEARS	3 YEARS OR MORE
TOTAL ALL DISTRICTS....	16,106	8,108	2,541	1,047	1,101	393	5,457	690	2,018	2,749
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.....	290	200	58	24	20	14	32	4	17	11
FIRST CIRCUIT.....	419	254	46	15	25	6	119	21	47	51
MAINE.....	38	23	2	2	-	-	13	1	3	9
MASSACHUSETTS.....	236	138	30	7	18	5	68	11	25	32
NEW HAMPSHIRE.....	8	5	-	-	-	-	3	-	2	1
RHODE ISLAND.....	55	36	6	2	4	-	13	5	8	-
PUERTO RICO.....	62	52	8	4	3	1	22	4	9	9
SECOND CIRCUIT.....	1,967	733	506	135	247	124	728	102	277	349
CONNECTICUT.....	131	62	23	5	16	2	46	6	17	23
NEW YORK NORTHERN.....	105	44	8	2	5	1	53	5	11	37
NEW YORK EASTERN.....	701	248	181	53	85	43	272	24	77	171
NEW YORK SOUTHERN.....	731	275	149	51	99	49	257	50	150	57
NEW YORK WESTERN.....	209	83	91	22	40	29	35	5	8	22
VERMONT.....	90	21	4	2	2	-	65	12	14	39
THIRD CIRCUIT.....	876	541	223	127	86	10	112	39	54	19
DELAWARE.....	38	31	4	3	1	-	3	-	2	1
NEW JERSEY.....	295	159	102	65	32	5	34	13	17	4
PENNSYLVANIA EASTERN.....	189	132	36	24	11	1	21	11	10	-
PENNSYLVANIA MIDDLE.....	66	39	5	2	2	1	22	3	10	9
PENNSYLVANIA WESTERN.....	160	88	54	21	30	3	18	6	7	5
VIRGIN ISLANDS.....	128	92	22	12	10	-	14	6	8	-
FOURTH CIRCUIT.....	963	600	136	57	64	15	227	42	100	85
MARYLAND.....	287	183	50	21	27	2	54	6	23	25
NO. CAROLINA EASTERN.....	81	59	9	6	3	-	13	4	7	2
NO. CAROLINA MIDDLE.....	61	47	3	2	1	-	11	2	5	4
NO. CAROLINA WESTERN.....	37	26	2	2	-	-	9	2	4	3
SOUTH CAROLINA.....	163	96	27	17	8	2	40	9	21	10
VIRGINIA EASTERN.....	188	100	19	5	9	5	69	9	32	28
VIRGINIA WESTERN.....	23	18	-	-	-	-	5	3	-	2
W. VIRGINIA NORTHERN.....	29	22	1	1	-	-	6	4	-	2
W. VIRGINIA SOUTHERN.....	94	49	25	3	16	6	20	3	8	9
FIFTH CIRCUIT.....	3,114	1,686	307	128	139	40	1,121	196	449	476
ALABAMA NORTHERN.....	134	93	8	5	3	-	33	8	15	10
ALABAMA MIDDLE.....	54	42	4	2	2	-	8	3	5	-
ALABAMA SOUTHERN.....	63	47	9	5	4	-	7	2	4	1
FLORIDA NORTHERN.....	41	33	-	-	-	-	8	6	2	-
FLORIDA MIDDLE.....	260	177	22	11	8	3	61	8	28	25
FLORIDA SOUTHERN.....	649	262	55	27	21	7	332	59	131	142
GEORGIA NORTHERN.....	242	151	31	11	15	5	60	12	29	19
GEORGIA MIDDLE.....	43	7	14	2	8	4	22	2	8	12
GEORGIA SOUTHERN.....	69	31	21	4	17	-	17	1	13	3
LOUISIANA EASTERN.....	145	117	11	7	2	2	17	8	8	1
LOUISIANA MIDDLE.....	21	14	2	2	-	-	5	1	2	2
LOUISIANA WESTERN.....	39	31	3	3	-	-	5	2	3	-
MISSISSIPPI NORTHERN.....	25	17	5	4	1	-	3	-	2	1
MISSISSIPPI SOUTHERN.....	52	36	6	3	3	-	10	8	1	1
TEXAS NORTHERN.....	211	144	15	6	7	2	52	13	13	26
TEXAS EASTERN.....	58	47	6	4	2	-	5	1	1	3
TEXAS SOUTHERN.....	588	220	48	15	25	8	320	46	129	145
TEXAS WESTERN.....	340	170	39	15	16	8	131	12	37	82
CANAL ZONE.....	80	47	8	2	5	1	25	4	18	3

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CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	TOTAL	PENDING LESS THAN SIX MONTHS	AGE OF PENDING CASES WITHOUT FUGITIVE DEFENDANTS				AGE OF PENDING CASES WITH FUGITIVE DEFENDANTS			
			TOTAL	6-12 MONTHS	1-2 YEARS	3 YEARS OR MORE	TOTAL	6-12 MONTHS	1-2 YEARS	3 YEARS OR MORE
SIXTH CIRCUIT	1,498	918	384	133	195	56	196	33	80	83
KENTUCKY EASTERN	121	85	18	9	7	2	18	-	6	12
KENTUCKY WESTERN	67	51	6	1	5	-	10	2	4	4
MICHIGAN EASTERN	658	340	248	74	126	48	70	11	28	31
MICHIGAN WESTERN	112	79	21	12	9	-	12	2	4	6
OHIO NORTHERN	199	124	32	13	19	-	43	10	16	17
OHIO SOUTHERN	95	79	14	5	9	-	2	-	1	1
TENNESSEE EASTERN	37	31	-	-	-	-	6	2	4	-
TENNESSEE MIDDLE	43	33	5	1	2	2	5	1	3	1
TENNESSEE WESTERN	166	96	40	18	18	4	30	5	14	11
SEVENTH CIRCUIT	1,067	579	183	85	83	15	305	42	131	132
ILLINOIS NORTHERN	657	321	116	49	60	7	220	23	102	95
ILLINOIS EASTERN	46	36	5	4	1	-	5	3	1	1
ILLINOIS SOUTHERN	41	27	6	2	2	2	8	2	-	6
INDIANA NORTHERN	103	52	25	10	11	4	26	4	14	8
INDIANA SOUTHERN	79	54	9	7	1	1	16	7	4	5
WISCONSIN EASTERN	101	62	17	11	6	-	22	2	6	14
WISCONSIN WESTERN	40	27	5	2	2	1	8	1	4	3
EIGHTH CIRCUIT	681	483	76	54	22	-	122	16	60	46
ARKANSAS EASTERN	80	36	18	13	5	-	26	4	13	9
ARKANSAS WESTERN	29	25	3	2	1	-	1	-	-	1
IOWA NORTHERN	43	34	2	2	-	-	7	2	2	3
IOWA SOUTHERN	31	21	-	-	-	-	10	1	4	5
MINNESOTA	99	66	6	4	2	-	27	3	17	7
MISSOURI EASTERN	91	69	7	5	2	-	15	1	5	9
MISSOURI WESTERN	91	72	3	1	2	-	16	1	9	6
NEBRASKA	45	29	4	3	1	-	12	1	6	5
NORTH DAKOTA	31	20	7	6	1	-	4	1	2	1
SOUTH DAKOTA	141	111	26	18	8	-	4	2	2	-
NINTH CIRCUIT	4,621	1,750	531	229	196	106	2,340	171	749	1,420
ALASKA	70	51	7	5	2	-	12	2	5	5
ARIZONA	949	253	38	18	16	4	658	68	247	343
CALIFORNIA NORTHERN	269	175	47	34	11	2	47	15	29	3
CALIFORNIA EASTERN	249	150	40	19	18	3	59	7	13	39
CALIFORNIA CENTRAL	854	392	133	35	41	57	329	18	96	215
CALIFORNIA SOUTHERN	1,427	256	121	45	40	36	1,050	38	283	729
HAWAII	132	80	33	27	5	1	19	2	9	8
IDAHO	37	31	2	1	1	-	4	2	1	1
MONTANA	64	50	-	-	-	-	14	-	3	11
NEVADA	111	62	13	5	7	1	36	9	16	11
OREGON	142	84	31	15	16	-	27	6	10	11
WASHINGTON EASTERN	54	33	7	5	2	-	14	3	4	7
WASHINGTON WESTERN	251	124	58	19	37	2	69	-	32	37
GUAM	12	9	1	1	-	-	2	1	1	-
TENTH CIRCUIT	610	364	91	60	24	7	155	24	54	77
COLORADO	127	71	13	8	4	1	43	10	10	23
KANSAS	143	95	10	4	4	2	38	2	20	16
NEW MEXICO	119	61	9	3	3	3	49	8	13	28
OKLAHOMA NORTHERN	26	11	4	1	3	-	11	3	4	4
OKLAHOMA EASTERN	23	21	-	-	-	-	2	1	-	1
OKLAHOMA WESTERN	56	43	6	5	1	-	7	-	3	4
UTAH	101	48	49	39	9	1	4	-	3	1
WYOMING	15	14	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-

* REFERS TO ANY OFFENSE FOR WHICH THE PENALTY EXCEEDS ONE YEAR IN PRISON OR WHERE THE FINE IS GREATER THAN $1,000 OR BOTH.

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CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	PERSONS UNDER SUPERVISION JULY 1, 1976	TOTAL RECEIVED	RECEIVED FOR SUPERVISION								RECEIVED BY TRANSFER
			TOTAL LESS TRANSFERS	COURT PROBATION	PRE-TRIAL DIVERSION	U.S. MAGISTRATE PROBATION	PAROLE	MANDATORY RELEASE	MILITARY PAROLE	SPECIAL PAROLE	
TOTAL ALL DISTRICTS.	64,246	44,529	35,098	17,561	2,081	5,678	5,222	2,521	289	1,746	9,431
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.....	2,040	1,178	1,022	428	-	244	254	61	4	31	156
FIRST CIRCUIT.....	1,672	1,054	863	479	77	104	98	37	10	58	191
MAINE.....	114	71	52	32	-	3	10	4	1	2	19
MASSACHUSETTS.....	1,049	658	572	323	59	66	52	26	5	41	86
NEW HAMPSHIRE.....	92	47	26	21	-	1	1	-	-	3	21
RHODE ISLAND.....	126	96	75	43	-	20	9	1	-	2	21
PUERTO RICO.....	291	182	138	60	18	14	26	6	4	10	44
SECOND CIRCUIT.....	5,535	3,804	3,069	1,922	294	204	285	173	17	174	735
CONNECTICUT.....	575	343	280	209	18	3	18	20	-	12	63
NEW YORK NORTHERN.....	239	187	157	85	31	20	8	5	5	3	30
NEW YORK EASTERN.....	2,148	1,310	955	515	40	151	154	49	5	41	355
NEW YORK SOUTHERN.....	2,067	1,628	1,398	900	191	17	95	85	1	109	230
NEW YORK WESTERN.....	345	265	225	175	4	13	6	13	6	8	40
VERMONT.....	161	71	54	38	10	-	4	1	-	1	17
THIRD CIRCUIT.....	5,055	3,437	2,925	1,238	167	987	271	135	17	110	512
DELAWARE.....	210	177	157	72	13	53	14	1	3	1	20
NEW JERSEY.....	1,593	1,155	916	362	18	391	74	37	4	30	239
PENNSYLVANIA EASTERN.....	2,041	1,454	1,315	501	99	475	92	75	2	71	139
PENNSYLVANIA MIDDLE.....	303	225	165	96	1	36	19	7	4	2	60
PENNSYLVANIA WESTERN.....	908	426	372	207	36	32	72	15	4	6	54
VIRGIN ISLANDS.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
FOURTH CIRCUIT.....	6,551	4,041	3,371	1,436	212	917	567	136	44	59	670
MARYLAND.....	1,574	1,165	1,058	249	15	609	119	33	9	24	107
NO. CAROLINA EASTERN.....	677	399	312	139	17	79	64	5	7	1	87
NO. CAROLINA MIDDLE.....	773	319	250	122	10	15	73	22	4	4	69
NO. CAROLINA WESTERN.....	599	359	283	155	12	56	44	8	2	6	76
SOUTH CAROLINA.....	1,016	573	461	237	33	57	96	19	7	12	112
VIRGINIA EASTERN.....	1,008	695	577	271	90	73	100	26	9	8	118
VIRGINIA WESTERN.....	505	253	216	125	28	23	24	6	6	3	39
W. VIRGINIA NORTHERN.....	114	70	57	40	-	1	12	4	-	-	13
W. VIRGINIA SOUTHERN.....	285	206	157	97	7	4	35	13	-	1	49
FIFTH CIRCUIT.....	13,404	10,724	8,093	3,755	426	1,454	1,313	593	67	485	2,631
ALABAMA NORTHERN.....	946	644	544	371	23	15	91	32	4	8	100
ALABAMA MIDDLE.....	369	192	149	59	10	20	42	12	2	4	43
ALABAMA SOUTHERN.....	293	176	131	91	-	8	21	8	2	1	45
FLORIDA NORTHERN.....	276	148	97	28	1	15	36	6	1	10	51
FLORIDA MIDDLE.....	1,286	848	577	288	31	40	111	35	8	64	271
FLORIDA SOUTHERN.....	1,215	733	585	298	4	30	88	61	7	97	248
GEORGIA NORTHERN.....	1,138	781	657	272	59	152	100	51	3	20	124
GEORGIA MIDDLE.....	484	269	217	113	29	11	44	15	1	4	52
GEORGIA SOUTHERN.....	519	395	348	100	-	211	19	12	5	1	47
LOUISIANA EASTERN.....	746	450	385	185	49	10	74	40	2	25	65
LOUISIANA MIDDLE.....	141	138	105	53	11	16	19	2	2	2	33
LOUISIANA WESTERN.....	490	379	285	124	72	45	21	16	2	5	94
MISSISSIPPI NORTHERN.....	219	149	114	[illegible]	-	5	13	6	3	4	35
MISSISSIPPI SOUTHERN.....	324	240	165	70	6	54	18	9	-	2	75
TEXAS NORTHERN.....	1,408	1,006	705	331	60	25	168	82	2	37	301
TEXAS EASTERN.....	343	250	153	101	7	3	23	11	4	4	97
TEXAS SOUTHERN.....	1,855	2,317	1,613	726	13	504	166	106	10	88	704
TEXAS WESTERN.....	1,352	1,084	838	182	33	277	194	82	9	61	246
CANAL ZONE.....	-	425	425	274	18	13	65	7	-	48	-

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TOTAL REMOVED	REMOVED FROM SUPERVISION								RE-MOVED BY TRANS-FER	PERSONS UNDER SUPER-VISION JUNE 30, 1977	CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT
	TOTAL LESS TRANS-FERS	COURT PROBA-TION	PRE-TRIAL DIVER-SION	U.S. MAGIS-TATE PROBA-TION	PAROLE	MANDA-TORY RELEASE	MILI-TARY PAROLE	SPECIAL PAROLE			
44,348	34,979	17,974	1,747	4,991	6,784	2,346	244	893	9,369	64,427	TOTAL ALL DISTRICTS.
1,342	1,252	556	2	293	329	62	-	10	90	1,876	DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.
1,019	839	513	38	75	142	33	8	30	180	1,707	FIRST CIRCUIT.
72	61	40	-	2	13	5	-	1	11	113	MAINE.
620	511	306	26	50	84	21	2	22	109	1,087	MASSACHUSETTS.
49	40	30	2	2	6	-	-	-	9	90	NEW HAMPSHIRE.
101	85	66	-	12	6	1	-	-	16	121	RHODE ISLAND.
177	142	71	10	9	33	6	6	7	35	296	PUERTO RICO.
3,754	2,923	1,719	197	182	495	187	21	122	831	5,585	SECOND CIRCUIT.
354	312	199	18	2	69	17	1	6	42	564	CONNECTICUT.
214	168	118	19	7	16	2	6	-	46	212	NEW YORK NORTHERN.
1,274	1,009	527	33	135	208	55	9	42	265	2,184	NEW YORK EASTERN.
1,571	1,161	673	123	20	176	98	5	66	410	2,124	NEW YORK SOUTHERN.
231	193	133	4	18	18	15	-	5	38	379	NEW YORK WESTERN.
110	80	69	-	-	8	-	-	3	30	122	VERMONT.
3,105	2,634	1,237	103	772	339	112	14	57	471	5,387	THIRD CIRCUIT.
151	120	60	4	37	18	-	1	-	31	236	DELAWARE.
1,091	906	401	15	317	115	39	4	15	185	1,657	NEW JERSEY.
1,291	1,141	495	51	378	129	49	5	34	150	2,204	PENNSYLVANIA EASTERN.
205	153	88	14	25	14	7	2	3	52	323	PENNSYLVANIA MIDDLE.
367	314	193	19	15	63	17	2	5	53	967	PENNSYLVANIA WESTERN.
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	VIRGIN ISLANDS.
4,189	3,332	1,612	194	704	639	127	29	27	857	6,403	FOURTH CIRCUIT.
1,175	932	328	14	396	153	31	3	7	243	1,564	MARYLAND.
383	294	159	5	74	42	11	2	1	89	693	NO. CAROLINA EASTERN.
384	312	176	30	11	72	20	1	2	72	708	NO. CAROLINA MIDDLE.
359	283	148	4	74	45	9	-	3	76	599	NO. CAROLINA WESTERN.
589	494	247	56	50	103	25	7	6	95	1,000	SOUTH CAROLINA.
747	599	290	51	78	144	20	12	4	148	956	VIRGINIA EASTERN.
285	230	151	34	11	28	3	-	3	55	475	VIRGINIA WESTERN.
54	35	25	-	1	9	-	-	-	19	130	W. VIRGINIA NORTHERN
213	153	88	-	9	43	8	4	1	60	278	W. VIRGINIA SOUTHERN
10,284	7,443	3,503	292	1,142	1,653	545	59	249	2,841	13,844	FIFTH CIRCUIT.
652	527	325	38	16	99	36	8	5	125	938	ALABAMA NORTHERN.
216	173	94	7	14	47	9	2	-	43	345	ALABAMA MIDDLE.
155	120	91	-	4	18	5	-	2	35	314	ALABAMA SOUTHERN.
193	143	65	1	13	54	5	2	3	50	231	FLORIDA NORTHERN.
875	623	335	19	39	178	27	6	19	252	1,259	FLORIDA MIDDLE.
884	699	363	2	43	160	54	5	72	185	1,164	FLORIDA SOUTHERN.
877	753	289	42	172	164	54	2	30	124	1,042	GEORGIA NORTHERN.
225	170	99	17	10	28	10	3	3	55	528	GEORGIA MIDDLE.
490	369	152	4	175	24	13	1	-	121	424	GEORGIA SOUTHERN.
422	355	162	41	22	79	42	1	8	67	774	LOUISIANA EASTERN.
102	81	54	1	3	21	2	-	-	21	177	LOUISIANA MIDDLE.
376	279	141	42	45	33	12	3	3	97	493	LOUISIANA WESTERN.
122	92	63	1	5	18	4	-	1	30	246	MISSISSIPPI NORTHERN.
216	163	100	1	32	20	8	2	-	53	348	MISSISSIPPI SOUTHERN.
897	684	281	21	57	215	84	6	20	213	1,517	TEXAS NORTHERN.
255	171	96	5	16	33	13	5	3	84	338	TEXAS EASTERN.
2,104	1,119	420	15	327	215	89	4	49	985	2,068	TEXAS SOUTHERN.
1,051	763	273	27	139	219	76	9	20	288	1,385	TEXAS WESTERN.
172	159	100	8	10	28	2	-	11	13	253	CANAL ZONE.

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			TOTAL LESS TRANSFERS	COURT PROBATION	PRE-TRIAL DIVERSION	U.S. MAGISTRATE PROBATION	PAROLE	MANDATORY RELEASE	MILITARY PAROLE	SPECIAL PAROLE	
SIXTH CIRCUIT.....	6,741	4,214	3,502	1,825	86	332	750	327	35	147	712
KENTUCKY EASTERN.....	442	268	201	95	2	6	56	35	2	5	67
KENTUCKY WESTERN.....	589	393	330	171	21	44	62	22	4	6	63
MICHIGAN EASTERN.....	2,063	1,224	1,091	521	19	80	260	123	7	81	133
MICHIGAN WESTERN.....	432	264	206	118	21	29	25	8	3	2	58
OHIO NORTHERN.....	1,237	783	695	484	23	17	100	50	3	18	88
OHIO SOUTHERN.....	675	411	311	126	-	45	87	39	5	9	100
TENNESSEE EASTERN.....	473	302	227	92	-	46	64	19	4	2	75
TENNESSEE MIDDLE.....	400	305	244	106	-	64	42	17	1	14	61
TENNESSEE WESTERN.....	430	264	197	112	-	1	54	14	6	10	67
SEVENTH CIRCUIT.....	4,447	2,556	2,024	1,034	209	77	367	199	22	116	532
ILLINOIS NORTHERN.....	2,316	1,170	954	494	134	20	137	106	10	53	216
ILLINOIS EASTERN.....	348	198	139	51	8	19	42	10	3	6	59
ILLINOIS SOUTHERN.....	315	191	116	60	3	7	33	7	3	3	75
INDIANA NORTHERN.....	577	356	292	168	10	-	62	28	3	21	64
INDIANA SOUTHERN.....	589	320	254	123	10	13	60	35	2	11	66
WISCONSIN EASTERN.....	226	244	212	111	42	8	22	9	-	20	32
WISCONSIN WESTERN.....	76	77	57	27	2	10	11	4	1	2	20
EIGHTH CIRCUIT.....	3,464	2,393	1,923	1,075	177	74	304	208	17	68	470
ARKANSAS EASTERN.....	395	256	206	125	9	11	39	20	-	2	50
ARKANSAS WESTERN.....	156	112	80	49	-	6	20	4	1	-	32
IOWA NORTHERN.....	141	114	92	72	2	2	12	3	1	-	22
IOWA SOUTHERN.....	198	117	79	42	-	-	17	14	1	5	38
MINNESOTA.....	489	344	290	153	14	13	34	35	2	39	54
MISSOURI EASTERN.....	815	489	415	152	77	9	114	48	5	10	74
MISSOURI WESTERN.....	627	408	312	135	47	25	38	55	4	8	96
NEBRASKA.....	214	178	141	97	10	3	16	9	3	3	37
NORTH DAKOTA.....	118	117	94	71	-	5	5	12	-	1	23
SOUTH DAKOTA.....	311	258	214	179	18	-	9	8	-	-	44
NINTH CIRCUIT.....	12,284	8,869	6,728	3,520	376	1,075	780	504	38	435	2,141
ALASKA.....	186	172	129	99	7	1	10	2	1	9	43
ARIZONA.....	1,223	952	789	383	21	142	100	76	1	66	163
CALIFORNIA NORTHERN.....	1,858	1,296	987	304	31	417	116	58	4	57	309
CALIFORNIA EASTERN.....	976	717	490	292	37	57	49	25	9	21	227
CALIFORNIA CENTRAL.....	4,299	2,721	1,988	1,125	91	175	264	179	13	141	733
CALIFORNIA SOUTHERN.....	1,133	1,025	848	510	-	161	64	39	1	73	177
HAWAII.....	254	172	144	95	-	16	19	7	-	7	28
IDAHO.....	189	139	99	66	8	6	8	6	-	5	40
MONTANA.....	277	172	145	107	10	5	14	7	1	1	27
NEVADA.....	266	254	161	103	8	6	23	14	1	6	93
OREGON.....	541	359	239	97	66	15	32	21	2	6	120
WASHINGTON EASTERN.....	228	206	144	74	18	23	20	7	-	2	62
WASHINGTON WESTERN.....	854	634	517	224	79	51	56	63	3	41	117
GUAM.....	-	50	48	41	-	-	5	-	2	-	2
TENTH CIRCUIT.....	3,053	2,259	1,578	849	57	210	233	148	18	63	681
COLORADO.....	765	530	344	178	3	34	53	41	3	32	186
KANSAS.....	604	423	332	157	31	45	56	29	6	8	91
NEW MEXICO.....	464	365	233	112	6	34	35	34	-	12	132
OKLAHOMA NORTHERN.....	269	204	160	118	5	9	17	10	-	1	44
OKLAHOMA EASTERN.....	133	118	66	45	-	1	10	6	1	3	52
OKLAHOMA WESTERN.....	432	370	273	112	-	84	47	17	7	6	97
UTAH.....	254	126	77	59	-	-	13	5	-	-	49
WYOMING.....	132	123	93	68	12	3	2	6	1	1	30

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	TOTAL LESS TRANS-FERS	COURT PROBA-TION	PRE-TRIAL DIVER-SION	U.S. MAGIS-TATE PROBA-TION	PAROLE	MANDA-TORY RELEASE	MILI-TARY PAROLE	SPECIAL PAROLE			
4,447	3,770	1,931	182	436	830	299	29	63	677	6,508	SIXTH CIRCUIT.
280	222	105	1	11	73	30	-	2	58	430	KENTUCKY EASTERN.
491	415	176	96	38	74	26	3	2	76	491	KENTUCKY WESTERN.
1,313	1,173	590	46	151	236	113	11	26	140	1,974	MICHIGAN EASTERN.
282	233	137	15	40	28	6	5	2	49	414	MICHIGAN WESTERN.
751	658	425	17	45	106	45	5	15	93	1,269	OHIO NORTHERN.
400	321	163	-	32	90	29	2	5	79	686	OHIO SOUTHERN.
329	280	139	2	35	84	16	2	2	49	446	TENNESSEE EASTERN.
335	252	78	4	82	60	23	1	4	83	370	TENNESSEE MIDDLE.
266	216	118	1	2	79	11	-	5	50	428	TENNESSEE WESTERN.
2,651	2,174	1,269	212	77	381	173	21	41	477	4,352	SEVENTH CIRCUIT.
1,217	1,021	538	148	23	194	90	10	18	196	2,269	ILLINOIS NORTHERN.
222	164	103	5	8	34	9	-	5	58	324	ILLINOIS EASTERN.
181	145	97	6	1	26	12	3	-	36	325	ILLINOIS SOUTHERN.
354	292	194	9	4	49	26	1	9	62	579	INDIANA NORTHERN.
414	346	216	11	26	56	27	5	5	68	495	INDIANA SOUTHERN.
201	160	90	30	8	18	8	2	4	41	269	WISCONSIN EASTERN.
62	46	31	3	7	4	1	-	-	16	91	WISCONSIN WESTERN.
2,300	1,967	1,053	151	77	352	194	12	28	433	3,557	EIGHTH CIRCUIT.
231	177	99	4	11	42	19	-	2	54	420	ARKANSAS EASTERN.
128	104	79	2	1	13	7	2	-	24	140	ARKANSAS WESTERN.
98	82	59	2	1	12	7	-	1	16	157	IOWA NORTHERN.
140	117	68	-	5	24	15	1	4	23	175	IOWA SOUTHERN.
311	274	143	16	20	46	31	6	12	37	522	MINNESOTA.
468	384	166	59	8	106	39	1	5	84	836	MISSOURI EASTERN.
424	354	169	40	22	69	50	1	3	70	611	MISSOURI WESTERN.
169	118	72	10	6	23	6	1	-	51	223	NEBRASKA.
94	63	45	-	2	4	11	-	1	31	141	NORTH DAKOTA.
237	194	153	18	1	13	9	-	-	43	332	SOUTH DAKOTA.
9,016	7,120	3,765	327	992	1,294	480	39	223	1,896	12,137	NINTH CIRCUIT.
191	128	96	4	4	12	8	1	3	53	177	ALASKA.
920	705	339	14	94	150	71	3	34	215	1,255	ARIZONA.
1,487	1,273	554	44	380	215	58	5	17	214	1,667	CALIFORNIA NORTHERN.
714	545	353	19	44	80	27	5	17	169	979	CALIFORNIA EASTERN.
2,835	2,367	1,270	101	279	451	170	13	83	468	4,185	CALIFORNIA CENTRAL.
999	664	401	5	92	89	42	2	33	335	1,159	CALIFORNIA SOUTHERN.
171	139	88	1	12	26	11	-	1	32	255	HAWAII.
153	113	74	8	5	17	6	-	3	40	175	IDAHO.
142	108	69	11	2	19	3	4	-	34	307	MONTANA.
219	143	94	7	8	20	6	1	7	76	301	NEVADA.
380	292	129	61	10	59	23	3	7	88	520	OREGON.
172	118	74	10	10	20	3	-	1	54	262	WASHINGTON EASTERN.
632	515	216	42	52	134	52	2	17	117	856	WASHINGTON WESTERN.
11	10	8	-	-	2	-	-	-	1	39	GUAM.
2,241	1,625	816	49	241	330	134	12	43	616	3,071	TENTH CIRCUIT.
511	372	196	8	22	87	38	2	19	139	784	COLORADO.
457	367	158	33	61	69	32	7	7	90	570	KANSAS.
372	257	114	2	51	61	21	-	8	115	457	NEW MEXICO.
180	114	68	4	8	23	8	-	3	66	293	OKLAHOMA NORTHERN.
115	78	57	-	1	11	7	-	2	37	136	OKLAHOMA EASTERN.
342	250	88	-	94	50	15	1	2	92	460	OKLAHOMA WESTERN.
160	115	82	-	2	24	7	-	-	45	220	UTAH.
104	72	53	2	2	5	6	2	2	32	151	WYOMING.

TABLE E 2. U.S. DISTRICT COURTS
PERSONS UNDER THE SUPERVISION OF THE FEDERAL PROBATION SYSTEM
DURING THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	TOTAL	COURT PROBA-TION	PAROLE	MANDA-TORY RELEASE	MILI-TARY PAROLE	PRETRIAL DIVERSION	U.S. MAGIS-TRATE PROBA-TION	SPECIAL PAROLE
TOTAL ALL DISTRICTS....	64,427	38,846	12,492	1,541	382	2,120	6,732	2,314
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.....	1,876	843	607	76	6	5	307	32
93 DISTRICTS.....	62,551	38,003	11,885	1,465	376	2,115	6,425	2,282
FIRST CIRCUIT.....	1,707	1,030	306	30	15	85	147	94
MAINE.....	113	85	19	1	2	1	3	2
MASSACHUSETTS.....	1,087	634	199	22	8	67	97	60
NEW HAMPSHIRE.....	90	73	11	-	-	-	2	4
RHODE ISLAND.....	121	75	28	1	-	1	14	2
PUERTO RICO.....	296	163	49	6	5	16	31	26
SECOND CIRCUIT.....	5,585	3,655	1,066	170	24	272	152	246
CONNECTICUT.....	564	415	91	17	1	17	8	15
NEW YORK NORTHERN.....	212	130	36	4	3	17	17	5
NEW YORK EASTERN.....	2,184	1,561	478	33	10	39	13	50
NEW YORK SOUTHERN.....	2,124	1,168	400	107	3	189	103	154
NEW YORK WESTERN.....	379	288	46	7	7	2	11	18
VERMONT.....	122	93	15	2	-	8	-	4
THIRD CIRCUIT.....	5,387	3,170	734	79	16	190	1,058	140
DELAWARE.....	236	131	39	2	1	10	50	3
NEW JERSEY.....	1,657	911	208	26	6	24	443	39
PENNSYLVANIA EASTERN.....	2,204	1,260	261	36	2	93	470	82
PENNSYLVANIA MIDDLE.....	323	227	49	2	3	5	35	2
PENNSYLVANIA WESTERN.....	967	641	177	13	4	58	60	14
VIRGIN ISLANDS.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
FOURTH CIRCUIT.....	6,403	3,876	1,170	73	50	188	963	83
MARYLAND.....	1,564	670	265	20	9	18	550	32
NO. CAROLINA EASTERN.....	693	429	141	5	10	19	87	2
NO. CAROLINA MIDDLE.....	708	554	103	8	4	11	23	5
NO. CAROLINA WESTERN.....	599	414	78	2	3	13	83	6
SOUTH CAROLINA.....	1,000	651	188	6	6	33	100	16
VIRGINIA EASTERN.....	956	535	240	11	12	64	82	12
VIRGINIA WESTERN.....	475	335	68	6	6	22	32	6
W. VIRGINIA NORTHERN.....	130	100	22	5	-	-	3	-
W. VIRGINIA SOUTHERN.....	278	188	65	10	-	8	3	4
FIFTH CIRCUIT.....	13,844	7,862	2,865	322	93	469	1,608	625
ALABAMA NORTHERN.....	938	711	165	12	5	20	16	9
ALABAMA MIDDLE.....	345	217	77	10	2	14	20	5
ALABAMA SOUTHERN.....	314	223	66	5	2	1	13	4
FLORIDA NORTHERN.....	231	127	69	3	4	2	13	13
FLORIDA MIDDLE.....	1,259	798	260	27	9	27	63	75
FLORIDA SOUTHERN.....	1,164	683	225	26	12	5	42	171
GEORGIA NORTHERN.....	1,042	554	236	15	5	56	153	23
GEORGIA MIDDLE.....	528	379	81	9	1	39	13	6
GEORGIA SOUTHERN.....	424	257	39	3	5	1	118	1
LOUISIANA EASTERN.....	774	434	177	35	1	60	31	36
LOUISIANA MIDDLE.....	177	82	46	1	3	16	26	3
LOUISIANA WESTERN.....	493	304	53	10	3	88	30	5
MISSISSIPPI NORTHERN.....	246	192	29	3	3	3	11	5
MISSISSIPPI SOUTHERN.....	348	226	42	7	2	7	61	3
TEXAS NORTHERN.....	1,517	818	389	38	7	57	174	34
TEXAS EASTERN.....	338	228	54	7	7	11	22	9
TEXAS SOUTHERN.....	2,068	1,059	357	50	13	20	450	119
TEXAS WESTERN.....	1,385	404	463	56	9	32	349	72
CANAL ZONE.....	253	166	37	5	-	10	3	32

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PERSONS UNDER THE SUPERVISION OF THE FEDERAL PROBATION SYSTEM
DURING THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	TOTAL	COURT PROBATION	PAROLE	MANDATORY RELEASE	MILITARY PAROLE	PRETRIAL DIVERSION	U.S. MAGISTRATE PROBATION	SPECIAL PAROLE
SIXTH CIRCUIT	6,508	4,076	1,446	187	56	84	466	193
KENTUCKY EASTERN	430	294	100	10	2	1	17	6
KENTUCKY WESTERN	491	315	103	15	4	10	35	9
MICHIGAN EASTERN	1,974	1,126	471	76	16	24	194	107
MICHIGAN WESTERN	414	288	50	7	-	22	37	5
OHIO NORTHERN	1,269	943	223	18	8	23	35	19
OHIO SOUTHERN	686	409	180	25	8	-	55	9
TENNESSEE EASTERN	446	236	113	22	4	3	65	3
TENNESSEE MIDDLE	370	195	84	7	1	-	65	18
TENNESSEE WESTERN	428	270	122	7	8	1	3	17
SEVENTH CIRCUIT	4,352	2,808	873	124	27	209	156	155
ILLINOIS NORTHERN	2,269	1,494	389	74	11	139	89	73
ILLINOIS EASTERN	324	205	70	3	4	11	19	12
ILLINOIS SOUTHERN	325	221	75	5	3	6	11	4
INDIANA NORTHERN	579	368	147	13	3	14	5	29
INDIANA SOUTHERN	495	309	138	17	1	6	13	11
WISCONSIN EASTERN	269	155	38	9	4	31	8	24
WISCONSIN WESTERN	91	56	16	3	1	2	11	2
EIGHTH CIRCUIT	3,557	2,349	687	104	23	194	102	98
ARKANSAS EASTERN	420	303	68	16	2	7	15	9
ARKANSAS WESTERN	140	107	24	-	2	1	6	-
IOWA NORTHERN	157	128	21	1	1	3	2	1
IOWA SOUTHERN	175	105	57	2	2	-	2	7
MINNESOTA	522	321	82	18	3	19	26	53
MISSOURI EASTERN	836	469	238	29	6	69	12	13
MISSOURI WESTERN	611	350	133	24	3	61	31	9
NEBRASKA	223	160	35	5	3	12	4	4
NORTH DAKOTA	141	114	16	6	-	-	3	2
SOUTH DAKOTA	332	292	13	3	1	22	1	-
NINTH CIRCUIT	12,137	7,343	2,165	273	47	354	1,405	550
ALASKA	177	122	32	-	1	8	10	4
ARIZONA	1,255	757	256	34	4	21	90	93
CALIFORNIA								
CALIFORNIA NORTHERN	1,667	767	303	37	-	34	459	67
CALIFORNIA EASTERN	979	677	126	14	10	36	100	16
CALIFORNIA CENTRAL	4,185	2,711	780	98	14	76	335	171
CALIFORNIA SOUTHERN	1,159	664	142	6	3	6	252	86
HAWAII	255	190	32	9	-	-	11	13
IDAHO	175	117	32	4	-	7	10	5
MONTANA	307	218	64	7	1	10	6	1
NEVADA	301	210	53	9	1	7	8	13
OREGON	520	306	101	9	3	64	27	10
WASHINGTON EASTERN	262	160	47	8	2	11	22	12
WASHINGTON WESTERN	856	410	194	38	6	74	75	59
GUAM	39	34	3	-	2	-	-	-
TENTH CIRCUIT	3,071	1,834	573	103	25	70	368	98
COLORADO	784	461	156	26	3	6	82	50
KANSAS	570	317	127	18	11	28	57	12
NEW MEXICO	457	230	87	34	1	7	83	15
OKLAHOMA NORTHERN	293	199	54	10	1	6	19	4
OKLAHOMA EASTERN	136	103	21	-	1	-	4	7
OKLAHOMA WESTERN	460	225	92	9	8	3	116	7
UTAH	220	188	25	2	-	-	4	1
WYOMING	151	111	11	4	-	20	3	2

TABLE F 1. U.S. DISTRICT COURTS
BANKRUPTCY CASES COMMENCED AND TERMINATED
DURING THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

Circuit and district	Pending July 1, 1976	Commenced	Terminated	Pending June 30, 1977
Total all districts	271,039	214,399	231,509	253,929
District of Columbia	365	264	183	446
First Circuit	10,807	5,626	5,992	10,441
Maine	4,213	1,218	1,719	3,712
Massachusetts	4,888	2,998	2,881	5,005
New Hampshire	455	510	567	398
Rhode Island	563	479	579	463
Puerto Rico	688	421	246	863
Second Circuit	22,627	15,674	15,464	22,837
Connecticut	2,537	2,302	2,147	2,692
New York:				
Northern	3,485	2,922	3,306	3,101
Eastern	5,250	3,453	3,286	5,417
Southern	4,234	2,965	2,601	4,598
Western	6,978	3,751	3,827	6,902
Vermont	143	281	297	127
Third Circuit	10,537	8,905	9,050	10,392
Delaware	370	313	356	327
New Jersey	3,671	3,790	3,793	3,668
Pennsylvania:				
Eastern	3,995	2,132	1,743	4,384
Middle	902	1,296	1,447	751
Western	1,552	1,351	1,694	1,209
Virgin Islands	47	23	17	53
Fourth Circuit	20,441	14,015	13,907	20,549
Maryland	1,696	1,533	933	2,296
North Carolina:				
Eastern	1,758	1,273	1,053	1,978
Middle	4,443	1,557	1,627	4,373
Western	3,097	1,061	945	3,213
South Carolina	274	457	455	276
Virginia:				
Eastern	3,438	4,120	4,486	3,072
Western	4,671	2,401	2,840	4,232
West Virginia:				
Northern	588	593	682	499
Southern	476	1,020	886	610
Fifth Circuit	42,636	32,039	33,401	41,274
Alabama:				
Northern	8,310	4,472	4,464	8,318
Middle	2,526	1,379	1,469	2,436
Southern	2,473	1,194	1,399	2,268
Florida:				
Northern	598	403	471	530
Middle	2,361	3,337	3,311	2,387
Southern	1,628	1,848	2,021	1,455
Georgia:				
Northern	5,522	4,467	4,874	5,115
Middle	2,762	2,057	2,453	2,366
Southern	1,689	966	1,028	1,627
Louisiana:				
Eastern	1,366	1,806	2,138	1,034
Middle	543	532	558	517
Western	2,859	2,347	2,321	2,885
Mississippi:				
Northern	494	682	675	501
Southern	2,899	1,908	1,989	2,818
Texas:				
Northern	2,388	1,484	1,535	2,337
Eastern	265	346	258	353
Southern	1,878	1,250	940	2,168
Western	2,075	1,581	1,497	2,159
Sixth Circuit	38,918	32,089	35,918	35,089
Kentucky:				
Eastern	2,267	1,429	1,632	2,064
Western	3,821	3,345	4,135	3,031
Michigan:				
Eastern	6,392	4,405	5,689	5,108
Western	2,338	1,832	1,999	2,171
Ohio:				
Northern	8,515	6,588	7,662	7,441
Southern	6,866	6,466	6,822	6,510
Tennessee:				
Eastern	2,941	2,944	3,115	2,770
Middle	2,164	2,118	2,143	2,139
Western	3,614	2,962	2,721	3,855
Seventh Circuit	22,582	27,590	28,339	21,833
Illinois:				
Northern	9,898	10,652	10,520	10,030
Eastern	828	1,485	1,486	827
Southern	3,229	2,809	3,273	2,765
Indiana:				
Northern	1,711	2,943	3,092	1,562
Southern	2,647	5,605	5,590	2,662
Wisconsin:				
Eastern	2,932	2,581	2,768	2,745
Western	1,337	1,515	1,610	1,242
Eighth Circuit	18,957	15,552	17,137	17,372
Arkansas:				
Eastern	2,159	1,141	1,184	2,116
Western	267	380	360	287
Iowa:				
Northern	1,150	1,287	1,315	1,122
Southern	1,585	1,419	1,419	1,578
Minnesota	7,172	3,368	4,232	6,308
Missouri:				
Eastern	1,950	2,083	2,405	1,628
Western	2,866	3,118	3,415	2,569
Nebraska	1,139	1,934	1,930	1,143
North Dakota	516	430	497	449
South Dakota	153	399	380	172
Ninth Circuit	68,011	47,630	56,207	59,434
Alaska	247	190	158	279
Arizona	5,132	3,437	4,231	4,338
California:				
Northern	14,937	8,168	10,586	12,519
Eastern	9,371	5,703	6,352	8,722
Central	19,708	14,631	19,093	15,246
Southern	5,193	3,094	3,173	5,114
Hawaii	386	564	356	594
Idaho	1,818	1,486	1,422	1,882
Montana	774	768	824	718
Nevada	1,997	1,491	1,526	1,962
Oregon	3,187	3,431	3,827	2,791
Washington:				
Eastern	1,597	1,050	1,091	1,556
Western	3,643	3,603	3,555	3,691
Guam	21	14	13	22
Tenth Circuit	15,158	15,015	15,911	14,262
Colorado	5,621	4,041	4,762	4,900
Kansas	4,875	3,863	4,293	4,445
New Mexico	797	1,367	1,304	860
Oklahoma:				
Northern	1,075	1,260	1,277	1,058
Eastern	206	402	377	231
Western	1,004	2,253	2,177	1,080
Utah	1,321	1,295	1,275	1,341
Wyoming	259	534	446	347

TABLE F 2. U.S. DISTRICT COURTS
VOLUNTARY AND INVOLUNTARY CASES COMMENCED, BY CHAPTERS OF THE BANKRUPTCY ACT
DURING THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	TOTAL	VOLUNTARY						INVOLUNTARY		
		TOTAL	STRAIGHT BANKRUPTCY	CHAPTER X	CHAPTER XI	CHAPTER XII	CHAPTER XIII	TOTAL	STRAIGHT BANKRUPTCY	CHAPTER X
TOTAL ALL DISTRICTS.	214,399[2]	213,257	180,062	86	3,046	640	29,422	1,142	1,132	10
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	264	264	238	-	4	5	17	-	-	-
FIRST CIRCUIT....	5,626	5,531	3,648	3	374	39	1,467	95	95	-
MAINE.....	1,218	1,218	537	-	29	5	647	-	-	-
MASSACHUSETTS.....	2,998	2,915	2,062	1	116	16	720	83	83	-
NEW HAMPSHIRE.....	510	504	488	1	11	2	2	6	6	-
RHODE ISLAND.....	479	475	442	-	18	2	13	4	4	-
PUERTO RICO.....	421	419	119	1	200	14	85	2	2	-
SECOND CIRCUIT...	15,674	15,501	14,175	3	422	55	846	173	173	-
CONNECTICUT.....	2,302	2,281	2,159	-	31	5	86	21	21	-
NEW YORK NORTHERN...	2,922	2,911	2,867	1	22	6	15	11	11	-
NEW YORK EASTERN....	3,453	3,380	3,208	-	95	9	68	73	73	-
NEW YORK SOUTHERN...	2,965	2,905	2,610	1	217	33	44	60	60	-
NEW YORK WESTERN....	3,751	3,745	3,058	1	55	2	629	6	6	-
VERMONT.....	281	279	273	-	2	-	4	2	2	-
THIRD CIRCUIT....	8,905	8,806	8,181	5	331	43	246	99	99	-
DELAWARE.....	313	311	294	1	8	2	6	2	2	-
NEW JERSEY.....	3,790	3,744	3,393	2	159	20	170	46	46	-
PENNSYLVANIA EASTERN	2,132	2,118	1,968	1	85	13	51	14	14	-
PENNSYLVANIA MIDDLE.	1,296	1,276	1,215	-	46	3	12	20	20	-
PENNSYLVANIA WESTERN	1,351	1,336	1,291	1	32	5	7	15	15	-
VIRGIN ISLANDS.....	23	21	20	-	1	-	-	2	2	-
FOURTH CIRCUIT...	14,015	13,957	10,311	23	164	66	3,393	58	55	3
MARYLAND.....	1,533	1,524	1,443	2	30	13	36	9	9	-
NO. CARCLINA EASTERN	1,273	1,268	661	2	19	11	575	5	3	2
NO. CARCLINA MIDDLE.	1,557	1,554	348	13	22	15	1,156	3	3	-
NO. CAROLINA WESTERN	1,061	1,057	358	-	18	14	667	4	4	-
SOUTH CAROLINA.....	457	444	389	3	15	5	32	13	12	1
VIRGINIA EASTERN....	4,120	4,105	3,811	-	31	5	258	15	15	-
VIRGINIA WESTERN....	2,401	2,395	1,740	2	24	3	626	6	6	-
W. VIRGINIA NORTHERN	593	592	586	1	2	-	3	1	1	-
W. VIRGINIA SOUTHERN	1,020	1,018	975	-	3	-	40	2	2	-
FIFTH CIRCUIT....	32,039	31,816	23,643	19	647	154	7,353	223	221	2
ALABAMA NORTHERN....	4,472	4,462	1,433	1	6	6	3,016	10	10	-
ALABAMA MIDDLE.....	1,379	1,374	480	-	5	-	889	5	5	-
ALABAMA SOUTHERN....	1,194	1,193	335	-	4	-	854	1	1	-
FLORIDA NORTHERN....	403	402	377	-	18	6	1	1	1	-
FLORIDA MIDDLE.....	3,337	3,304	3,108	4	151	23	18	33	33	-
FLORIDA SOUTHERN....	1,848	1,801	1,698	5	63	9	26	47	47	-
GEORGIA NORTHERN....	4,467	4,448	3,563	1	80	45	759	19	19	-
GEORGIA MIDDLE.....	2,057	2,050	1,401	-	12	2	635	7	7	-
GEORGIA SOUTHERN....	966	958	569	-	10	2	377	8	8	-
LOUISIANA EASTERN...	1,806	1,799	1,691	-	11	4	93	7	6	1
LOUISIANA MIDDLE....	532	529	498	-	12	10	9	3	3	-
LOUISIANA WESTERN...	2,347	2,342	2,031	-	13	2	296	5	5	-
MISSISSIPPI NORTHERN	682	679	671	-	2	-	6	3	3	-
MISSISSIPPI SOUTHERN	1,908	1,903	1,863	2	16	8	14	5	5	-
TEXAS NORTHERN.....	1,484	1,445	1,344	1	88	6	6	39	39	-
TEXAS EASTERN.....	346	340	323	1	13	1	2	6	5	1
TEXAS SOUTHERN.....	1,230	1,211	1,080	2	106	9	14	19	19	-
TEXAS WESTERN.....	1,581	1,576	1,178	2	37	21	338	5	5	-

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VOLUNTARY AND INVOLUNTARY CASES COMMENCED[1], BY CHAPTERS OF THE BANKRUPTCY ACT
DURING THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	TOTAL	VOLUNTARY						INVOLUNTARY		
		TOTAL	STRAIGHT BANKRUPTCY	CHAPTER X	CHAPTER XI	CHAPTER XII	CHAPTER XIII	TOTAL	STRAIGHT BANKRUPTCY	CHAPTER X
SIXTH CIRCUIT....	32,089	31,970	26,919	1	162	23	4,865	119	118	1
KENTUCKY EASTERN....	1,429	1,428	1,219	-	8	-	201	1	1	-
KENTUCKY WESTERN....	3,345	3,335	2,934	-	5	-	396	10	10	-
MICHIGAN EASTERN....	4,405	4,394	4,092	1	43	4	254	11	11	-
MICHIGAN WESTERN....	1,832	1,791	1,717	-	13	6	55	41	41	-
OHIO NORTHERN.....	6,588	6,568	5,942	-	40	6	580	20	20	-
OHIO SOUTHERN.....	6,466	6,452	5,567	-	18	4	863	14	14	-
TENNESSEE EASTERN...	2,944	2,939	1,993	-	15	1	930	5	4	1
TENNESSEE MIDDLE....	2,118	2,104	1,907	-	14	-	183	14	14	-
TENNESSEE WESTERN...	2,962	2,959	1,548	-	6	2	1,403	3	3	-
SEVENTH CIRCUIT..	27,590	27,466	23,970	8	170	26	3,292	124	122	2
ILLINOIS NORTHERN...	10,652	10,592	8,006	1	96	13	2,476	60	60	-
ILLINOIS EASTERN....	1,485	1,474	1,434	-	-	3	37	11	11	-
ILLINOIS SOUTHERN...	2,809	2,804	2,545	-	12	1	246	5	5	-
INDIANA NORTHERN....	2,943	2,931	2,860	1	10	1	59	12	12	-
INDIANA SOUTHERN....	5,605	5,580	5,470	5	25	7	73	25	23	2
WISCONSIN EASTERN...	2,581	2,576	2,257	1	14	1	303	5	5	-
WISCONSIN WESTERN...	1,515	1,509	1,398	-	13	-	98	6	6	-
EIGHTH CIRCUIT...	15,552	15,494	13,641	3	93	14	1,543	58	58	-
ARKANSAS EASTERN....	1,141	1,140	639	-	8	6	487	1	1	-
ARKANSAS WESTERN....	380	379	336	-	-	-	43	1	1	-
IOWA NORTHERN.....	1,287	1,284	1,235	-	8	-	41	3	3	-
IOWA SOUTHERN.....	1,412	1,411	1,303	-	7	1	100	1	1	-
MINNESOTA.....	3,368	3,345	3,032	-	21	-	292	23	23	-
MISSOURI EASTERN....	2,083	2,074	2,048	-	11	4	11	9	9	-
MISSOURI WESTERN....	3,118	3,107	2,612	2	18	1	474	11	11	-
NEBRASKA.....	1,934	1,929	1,821	1	16	2	89	5	5	-
NORTH DAKOTA.....	430	428	425	-	1	-	2	2	2	-
SOUTH DAKOTA.....	399	397	390	-	3	-	4	2	2	-
NINTH CIRCUIT....	47,630	47,478	41,353	16	595	169	5,345	152	151	1
ALASKA.....	190	189	175	-	12	2	-	1	1	-
ARIZONA.....	3,437	3,432	3,325	1	34	6	66	5	4	1
CALIFORNIA NORTHERN.	8,168	8,139	6,596	-	105	32	1,406	29	29	-
CALIFORNIA EASTERN..	5,703	5,698	4,782	-	70	9	837	5	5	-
CALIFORNIA CENTRAL..	14,631	14,573	13,643	4	190	47	689	58	58	-
CALIFORNIA SOUTHERN.	3,094	3,082	2,373	1	86	31	591	12	12	-
HAWAII.....	564	562	495	1	24	18	24	2	2	-
IDAHO.....	1,486	1,485	1,080	-	8	-	397	1	1	-
MONTANA.....	768	764	753	1	4	2	4	4	4	-
NEVADA.....	1,491	1,484	1,431	3	23	12	15	7	7	-
OREGON.....	3,431	3,418	3,239	2	2	-	175	13	13	-
WASHINGTON EASTERN..	1,050	1,049	871	-	3	5	170	1	1	-
WASHINGTON WESTERN..	3,603	3,590	2,578	2	34	5	971	13	13	-
GUAM.....	14	13	12	1	-	-	-	1	1	-
TENTH CIRCUIT....	15,015[2]	14,974	13,783	5	84	46	1,055	41	40	1
COLORADO.....	4,041	4,030	3,713	1	28	9	278	11	11	-
KANSAS.....	3,863	3,856	3,207	1	6	2	640	7	7	-
NEW MEXICO.....	1,367	1,361	1,306	-	16	2	37	6	6	-
OKLAHOMA NORTHERN...	1,260	1,257	1,244	1	1	2	9	3	2	1
OKLAHOMA EASTERN....	402	397	392	-	2	-	3	5	5	-
OKLAHOMA WESTERN....	2,253	2,247	2,188	2	18	21	18	6	6	-
UTAH.....	1,295	1,292	1,210	-	10	8	64	3	3	-
WYOMING.....	534	534	523	-	3	2	6	-	-	-

1 CASES COMMENCED REFLECT INITIAL FILINGS, THEREFORE EXCLUDE SUBSEQUENT TRANSFERS DURING THE YEAR FROM ONE CHAPTER TO ANOTHER.

2 THESE FIGURES INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING TYPE CASES NOT REFLECTED ELSEWHERE: COLORADO..... CHAPTER IX 1

TABLE F 3. U.S. DISTRICT COURTS
VOLUNTARY BANKRUPTCY CASES COMMENCED, BY OCCUPATION OF BANKRUPT OR DEBTOR
DURING THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	TOTAL VOLUNTARY	BUSINESS					NONBUSINESS	
		FARMER	PROFES-SIONAL	MERCHANT	MANU-FAC-TURER	OTHERS	EMPLOYEE	OTHERS
TOTAL ALL DISTRICTS.	213,257	736	2,680	6,533	779	20,423	144,754	37,352
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	264	-	3	4	-	16	210	31
FIRST CIRCUIT....	5,531	13	39	347	43	951	3,326	812
MAINE.....	1,218	9	7	43	5	131	892	131
MASSACHUSETTS.....	2,915	4	10	121	17	545	1,678	540
NEW HAMPSHIRE.....	504	-	-	48	4	68	309	75
RHODE ISLAND.....	475	-	15	15	-	59	334	52
PUERTO RICO.....	419	-	7	120	17	148	113	14
SECOND CIRCUIT...	15,501	48	295	690	116	1,913	9,007	3,432
CONNECTICUT.....	2,281	3	56	176	13	254	1,183	596
NEW YORK NORTHERN...	2,911	16	46	76	3	463	1,692	615
NEW YORK EASTERN....	3,380	-	126	178	24	334	1,921	797
NEW YORK SOUTHERN...	2,905	5	18	183	69	316	1,651	663
NEW YORK WESTERN....	3,745	16	46	64	4	513	2,409	693
VERMONT.....	279	8	3	13	3	33	151	68
THIRD CIRCUIT....	8,806	17	192	536	72	1,391	4,401	2,197
DELAWARE.....	311	-	3	10	-	32	175	91
NEW JERSEY.....	3,744	5	131	304	43	660	1,798	803
PENNSYLVANIA EASTERN	2,118	2	23	95	10	340	1,201	447
PENNSYLVANIA MIDDLE.	1,276	6	20	44	7	233	582	384
PENNSYLVANIA WESTERN	1,336	4	13	72	12	124	639	472
VIRGIN ISLANDS.....	21	-	2	11	-	2	6	-
FOURTH CIRCUIT...	13,957	38	132	327	32	944	10,292	2,192
MARYLAND.....	1,524	1	40	28	-	125	1,036	294
NO. CAROLINA EASTERN	1,268	14	15	34	4	88	807	306
NO. CAROLINA MIDDLE.	1,554	5	4	41	5	101	1,328	70
NO. CAROLINA WESTERN	1,057	-	4	41	6	69	870	67
SOUTH CAROLINA.....	444	1	8	34	6	64	251	80
VIRGINIA EASTERN....	4,105	7	36	70	8	254	3,093	637
VIRGINIA WESTERN....	2,395	6	10	49	1	189	1,858	282
W. VIRGINIA NORTHERN	592	4	5	14	-	29	357	183
W. VIRGINIA SOUTHERN	1,018	-	10	16	2	25	692	273
FIFTH CIRCUIT....	31,816	137	517	1,218	137	3,382	21,809	4,616
ALABAMA NORTHERN....	4,462	2	10	63	1	140	3,999	247
ALABAMA MIDDLE.....	1,374	2	-	10	2	80	1,196	84
ALABAMA SOUTHERN....	1,193	5	6	17	-	66	1,039	60
FLORIDA NORTHERN....	402	3	12	31	4	47	216	89
FLORIDA MIDDLE.....	3,304	12	53	170	14	432	1,890	733
FLORIDA SOUTHERN....	1,801	2	75	93	25	225	802	579
GEORGIA NORTHERN....	4,448	1	97	101	14	676	3,154	405
GEORGIA MIDDLE.....	2,050	14	18	77	4	91	1,646	200
GEORGIA SOUTHERN....	958	2	19	27	4	71	767	68
LOUISIANA EASTERN...	1,799	10	11	52	1	101	1,251	373
LOUISIANA MIDDLE....	529	1	-	3	-	77	353	95
LOUISIANA WESTERN...	2,342	28	49	62	4	210	1,399	590
MISSISSIPPI NORTHERN	679	2	14	11	-	65	526	61
MISSISSIPPI SOUTHERN	1,903	9	33	40	6	135	1,314	366
TEXAS NORTHERN.....	1,445	15	51	147	23	371	581	257
TEXAS EASTERN.....	340	19	4	36	11	83	124	63
TEXAS SOUTHERN.....	1,211	2	33	193	17	290	562	114
TEXAS WESTERN.....	1,576	8	32	85	7	222	990	232

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VOLUNTARY BANKRUPTCY CASES COMMENCED, BY OCCUPATION OF BANKRUPT OR DEBTOR
DURING THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	TOTAL VOLUNTARY	BUSINESS					NONBUSINESS	
		FARMER	PROFES-SIONAL	MERCHANT	MANU-FAC-TURER	OTHERS	EMPLOYEE	OTHERS
SIXTH CIRCUIT....	31,970	65	219	642	61	1,809	24,732	4,442
KENTUCKY EASTERN....	1,428	6	2	25	1	62	1,065	267
KENTUCKY WESTERN....	3,335	9	8	41	6	115	2,369	787
MICHIGAN EASTERN....	4,394	7	84	100	3	448	3,210	542
MICHIGAN WESTERN....	1,791	5	5	68	3	140	1,542	28
OHIO NORTHERN.....	6,568	9	21	126	12	336	5,148	916
OHIO SOUTHERN.....	6,452	8	30	88	11	285	4,949	1,081
TENNESSEE EASTERN...	2,939	4	14	68	11	157	2,362	323
TENNESSEE MIDDLE....	2,104	11	19	83	6	162	1,539	284
TENNESSEE WESTERN...	2,959	6	36	43	8	104	2,548	214
SEVENTH CIRCUIT..	27,466	75	225	538	45	1,609	20,671	4,303
ILLINOIS NORTHERN...	10,592	8	34	158	19	672	8,387	1,314
ILLINOIS EASTERN....	1,474	5	12	36	4	112	963	342
ILLINOIS SOUTHERN...	2,804	2	7	28	4	141	2,035	587
INDIANA NORTHERN....	2,931	8	10	72	6	139	2,316	380
INDIANA SOUTHERN....	5,580	12	94	83	7	245	4,321	818
WISCONSIN EASTERN...	2,576	16	34	74	1	197	1,766	488
WISCONSIN WESTERN...	1,509	24	34	87	4	103	883	374
EIGHTH CIRCUIT...	15,494	152	192	529	60	1,554	10,085	2,922
ARKANSAS EASTERN....	1,140	13	-	42	4	108	887	86
ARKANSAS WESTERN....	379	3	1	26	2	56	200	91
IOWA NORTHERN.....	1,284	23	14	56	4	207	645	335
IOWA SOUTHERN.....	1,411	7	6	51	3	90	897	357
MINNESOTA.....	3,345	41	58	114	17	400	2,028	687
MISSOURI EASTERN....	2,074	8	39	68	7	197	1,519	236
MISSOURI WESTERN....	3,107	21	49	74	13	238	2,150	562
NEBRASKA.....	1,929	14	5	40	3	135	1,355	377
NORTH DAKOTA.....	428	11	4	34	4	56	234	85
SOUTH DAKOTA.....	397	11	16	24	3	67	170	106
NINTH CIRCUIT....	47,478	91	702	1,177	127	5,319	30,938	9,124
ALASKA.....	189	-	1	8	1	48	107	24
ARIZONA.....	3,432	9	60	85	7	203	2,265	803
CALIFORNIA NORTHERN.	8,139	5	140	166	25	868	5,471	1,464
CALIFORNIA EASTERN..	5,698	25	26	165	12	260	4,423	787
CALIFORNIA CENTRAL..	14,573	8	342	287	34	2,067	8,381	3,454
CALIFORNIA SOUTHERN.	3,082	3	53	115	15	316	2,026	554
HAWAII.....	562	-	2	22	3	83	347	105
IDAHO.....	1,485	16	9	29	7	131	1,177	116
MONTANA.....	764	8	6	18	4	76	415	237
NEVADA.....	1,484	-	7	21	2	224	1,073	157
OREGON.....	3,418	2	46	145	9	450	1,834	932
WASHINGTON EASTERN..	1,049	9	1	26	1	88	745	179
WASHINGTON WESTERN..	3,590	6	8	88	7	502	2,667	312
GUAM.....	13	-	1	2	-	3	7	-
TENTH CIRCUIT....	14,974	100	164	525	86	1,535	9,283	3,281
COLORADO.....	4,030	15	61	165	20	409	2,443	917
KANSAS.....	3,856	29	10	71	9	325	2,596	816
NEW MEXICO.....	1,361	9	35	95	8	167	641	406
OKLAHOMA NORTHERN...	1,257	3	5	31	1	121	829	267
OKLAHOMA EASTERN....	397	4	2	14	-	64	208	105
OKLAHOMA WESTERN....	2,247	20	31	110	12	207	1,451	416
UTAH.....	1,292	5	14	26	34	152	812	249
WYOMING.....	534	15	6	13	2	90	303	105

G. 2a U.S. COURT OF CUSTOMS AND PATENT APPEALS
CASES FILED, TERMINATED, AND PENDING
STATISTICAL YEAR 1977

Type of case	Pending July 1 1976	Cases Filed	Cases Terminated			Pending June 30, 1977
			Total	With Opinions	Dismissals	
Total.....	135	193	198	155	43	130
Customs, Commerce and International Trade.....	25	30	34	20	14	21
Patents and Trademarks.....	110	163	164	135	29	109

G. 2b U.S. COURT OF CUSTOMS AND PATENT APPEALS
AVERAGE TIMES OF CASES DISPOSED OF WITH OPINIONS
STATISTICAL YEARS 1973 - 1977

Interval	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977
Customs, Commerce, and International Trade					
Filing to decision.....	17.4	14.3	12.7	11.6	11.5
Filing to hearing.....	14.5	12.3	10.8	10.0	9.5
Hearing to decision.....	2.9	2.0	1.9	1.6	2.0
Patents and Trademarks					
Filing to decision.....	31.5	22.5	12.9	9.9	10.2
Filing to hearing.....	28.3	20.0	10.8	8.2	8.4
Hearing to decision.....	3.2	2.5	2.1	1.7	1.8

TABLE J-1
NUMBER OF GRAND JURIES
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURTS
STATISTICAL YEAR 1977

District	Number on July 1, 1976	Number impaneled in the 12 month period	Number discharged in the 12 month period	Number on June 30, 1977	Total number in existence in the 12 month period
Total all districts..	343[R]	298	295	346	641
District of Columbia.....	12[R]	11	9	14	23
First Circuit					
Maine.....	2	2	2	2	4
Massachusetts.....	8[R]	6	5	9	14
New Hampshire.....	1	-	-	1	1
Rhode Island.....	1	2	1	2	3
Puerto Rico.....	2	1	1	2	3
Second Circuit					
Connecticut.....	5	6	5	6	11
New York:					
Northern.....	2	5	6	1	7
Eastern.....	18[R]	17	20	15	3[illegible]
Southern.....	32	21	21	32	53
Western.....	3	2	3	2	5
Vermont.....	2	2	2	2	4
Third Circuit					
Delaware.....	2	1	1	2	3
New Jersey.....	6	5	4	7	11
Pennsylvania:					
Eastern.....	8	3	4	7	11
Middle.....	4	2	3	3	6
Western.....	6	3	2	7	9
Virgin Islands*.....	-	-	-	-	-
Fourth Circuit					
Maryland.....	6	7	7	6	13
North Carolina:					
Eastern.....	1	2	2	1	3
Middle.....	1	1	1	1	2
Western.....	2	2	2	2	4
South Carolina.....	1	1	1	1	2
Virginia:					
Eastern.....	9	8	10	7	17
Western.....	6	9	9	6	15
West Virginia:					
Northern.....	1	1	1	1	2
Southern.....	2	3	1	4	5
Fifth Circuit					
Alabama:					
Northern.....	1	2	2	1	3
Middle.....	-	1	-	1	1
Southern.....	1	2	1	2	3
Florida:					
Northern.....	2	2	2	2	4
Middle.....	7	5	5	7	12
Southern.....	12	7	7	12	19
Georgia:					
Northern.....	5[R]	5	5	5	10
Middle.....	3	2	3	2	5
Southern.....	2	1	1	2	3
Louisiana:					
Eastern.....	4	4	2	6	8
Middle.....	1	3	3	1	4
Western.....	5	5	7	3	10
Mississippi:					
Northern.....	1	1	1	1	2
Southern.....	1	1	1	1	2
Texas:					
Northern.....	9	5	8	6	14
Eastern.....	2	1	2	1	3
Southern.....	6[R]	7	7	6	13
Western.....	10	9	8	11	19
Canal Zone*.....	-	-	-	-	-

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NUMBER OF GRAND JURIES
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURTS
STATISTICAL YEAR 1977

District	Number on July 1, 1976	Number impaneled in the 12 month period	Number discharged in the 12 month period	Number on June 30, 1977	Total number in existence in the 12 month period
Sixth Circuit					
Kentucky:					
Eastern	3	2	3	2	5
Western	3	1	1	3	4
Michigan:					
Eastern	9	11	7	13	26
Western	1	1	1	1	2
Ohio:					
Northern	6	4	3	7	10
Southern	4	3	3	4	7
Tennessee:					
Eastern	2	3	1	4	5
Middle	1	1	1	1	2
Western	1	2	1	2	3
Seventh Circuit					
Illinois:					
Northern	8	14	14	8	22
Eastern	1	-	-	1	1
Southern	3	2	2	3	5
Indiana:					
Northern	3	1	1	3	4
Southern	1	3	3	1	4
Wisconsin:					
Eastern	2	2	1	3	4
Western	1	1	1	1	2
Eighth Circuit					
Arkansas:					
Eastern	2	1	1	2	3
Western	-	1	-	1	1
Iowa:					
Northern	2	2	2	2	4
Southern	2	-	1	1	2
Minnesota	1	1	1	1	2
Missouri:					
Eastern	4	2	3	3	6
Western	3	-	1	2	3
Nebraska	1	1	1	1	2
North Dakota	1	1	1	1	2
South Dakota	2	2	2	2	4
Ninth Circuit					
Alaska	1	1	1	1	2
Arizona	4	3	2	5	7
California:					
Northern	4	5	3	6	9
Eastern	1 R	1	-	2	2
Central	18	15	21	12	33
Southern	8	5	5	8	13
Hawaii	2	1	1	2	3
Idaho	2	1	2	1	3
Montana	-	1	-	1	1
Nevada	2	3	2	3	5
Oregon	3	2	3	2	5
Washington:					
Eastern	1	1	1	1	2
Western	2	-	-	2	2
Guam	1	1	1	1	2
Tenth Circuit					
Colorado	1	1	1	1	2
Kansas	3	3	3	3	6
New Mexico	3	2	2	3	5
Oklahoma:					
Northern	1	1	1	1	2
Eastern	1	1	1	1	2
Western	1	1	1	1	2
Utah	2	-	-	2	2
Wyoming	-	1	-	1	1

RRevised to more accurately reflect the number of pending grand juries.

*The Districts of Virgin Islands and Canal Zone reported no grand juries in existence during the 12 month period, July 1, 1976 - June 30, 1977.

TABLE J-2
GRAND JUROR USAGE
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURTS
STATISTICAL YEAR 1977

District	Sessions convened	Jurors in session	Hours in session	Average number of jurors per session	Average number of hours per session
Total all districts..	8,849	175,687	47,094	19.9	5.32
District of Columbia.....	681	13,840	3,269	20.3	4.80
First Circuit					
Maine.....	14	276	88	19.7	6.29
Massachusetts.....	230	4,488	1,082	19.5	4.70
New Hampshire.....	11	234	57	21.3	5.18
Rhode Island.....	37	714	219	19.3	5.92
Puerto Rico.....	39	765	230	19.6	5.90
Second Circuit					
Connecticut.....	102	2,015	623	19.8	6.11
New York:					
Northern.....	63	1,254	269	19.9	4.27
Eastern.....	477	9,492	2,042	19.9	4.28
Southern.....	990	19,905	4,210	20.1	4.25
Western.....	101	1,925	448	19.1	4.44
Vermont.....	35	673	208	19.2	5.94
Third Circuit					
Delaware.....	48	948	179	19.8	3.73
New Jersey.....	270	5,054	1,483	18.7	5.49
Pennsylvania:					
Eastern.....	304	5,864	1,323	19.3	4.35
Middle.....	57	1,090	276	19.1	4.84
Western.....	106	1,994	657	18.8	6.20
Virgin Islands*.....	---	---	---	---	---
Fourth Circuit					
Maryland.....	167	3,346	685	20.0	4.10
North Carolina:					
Eastern.....	20	409	129	20.4	6.45
Middle.....	16	329	90	20.6	5.62
Western.....	23	441	149	19.2	6.48
South Carolina.....	27	519	190	19.2	7.04
Virginia:					
Eastern.....	116	2,294	720	19.8	6.21
Western.....	29	570	179	19.7	6.17
West Virginia:					
Northern.....	8	178	49	22.2	6.12
Southern.....	28	565	191	20.2	6.82
Fifth Circuit					
Alabama:					
Northern.....	26	569	194	21.9	7.46
Middle.....	9	202	54	22.4	6.00
Southern.....	44	904	309	20.5	7.02
Florida:					
Northern.....	15	327	88	21.8	5.87
Middle.....	154	3,018	941	19.6	6.11
Southern.....	281	5,579	1,628	19.9	5.79
Georgia:					
Northern.....	130	2,524	835	19.4	6.42
Middle.....	44	877	336	19.9	7.64
Southern.....	20	352	82	17.6	4.10
Louisiana:					
Eastern.....	132	2,574	822	19.5	6.23
Middle.....	48	978	253	20.4	5.27
Western.....	51	1,087	334	21.3	6.55
Mississippi:					
Northern.....	20	410	130	20.5	6.50
Southern.....	25	557	139	22.3	5.56
Texas:					
Northern.....	134	2,671	884	19.9	6.60
Eastern.....	32	609	190	19.0	5.94
Southern.....	144	2,891	861	20.1	5.98
Western.....	147	2,991	744	20.3	5.06
Canal Zone*.....	---	---	---	---	---

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GRAND JUROR USAGE
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURTS
STATISTICAL YEAR 1977

District	Sessions convened	Jurors in session	Hours in session	Average number of jurors per session	Average number of hours per session
Sixth Circuit					
Kentucky:					
Eastern	16	327	79	20.4	4.94
Western	101	1,961	581	19.4	5.75
Michigan:					
Eastern	302	6,063	1,697	20.1	5.62
Western	15	286	82	19.1	5.47
Ohio:					
Northern	145	2,932	796	20.2	5.49
Southern	67	1,336	459	19.9	6.85
Tennessee:					
Eastern	17	339	98	19.9	5.76
Middle	17	341	99	20.1	5.82
Western	89	1,784	621	20.0	6.98
Seventh Circuit					
Illinois:					
Northern	388	8,091	2,074	20.9	5.35
Eastern	26	507	148	19.5	5.69
Southern	40	810	249	20.2	6.22
Indiana:					
Northern	60	1,197	364	20.0	6.07
Southern	57	1,154	349	20.2	6.12
Wisconsin:					
Eastern	84	1,661	524	19.8	6.24
Western	20	393	115	19.6	5.75
Eighth Circuit					
Arkansas:					
Eastern	28	595	158	21.2	5.64
Western	10	221	57	22.1	5.70
Iowa:					
Northern	45	916	313	20.4	6.96
Southern	16	297	104	18.6	6.50
Minnesota	70	1,364	349	19.5	4.99
Missouri:					
Eastern	102	1,922	514	18.8	5.04
Western	53	945	374	17.8	7.06
Nebraska	16	348	112	21.8	7.00
North Dakota	11	235	63	21.4	5.73
South Dakota	24	528	132	22.0	5.50
Ninth Circuit					
Alaska	25	536	135	21.4	5.40
Arizona	142	2,692	820	19.0	5.77
California:					
Northern	140	2,722	779	19.4	5.56
Eastern	40	831	146	20.8	3.65
Central	405	7,799	2,083	19.3	5.14
Southern	168	3,335	827	19.9	4.92
Hawaii	60	1,144	371	19.1	6.18
Idaho	32	610	240	19.1	7.50
Montana	8	164	55	20.5	6.88
Nevada	139	2,691	760	19.4	5.47
Oregon	67	1,349	336	20.1	5.01
Washington:					
Eastern	13	255	78	19.6	6.00
Western	53	1,123	373	21.2	7.04
Guam	15	308	59	20.5	3.93
Tenth Circuit					
Colorado	44	793	332	18.0	7.55
Kansas	42	860	289	20.5	6.88
New Mexico	43	877	228	20.4	5.30
Oklahoma:					
Northern	25	483	165	19.3	6.60
Eastern	23	485	151	21.1	6.57
Western	21	432	150	20.6	7.14
Utah	65	1,244	300	19.1	4.62
Wyoming	5	99	37	19.8	7.40

*The Districts of Virgin Islands and Canal Zone reported no grand juries in existence during the 12 month period, July 1, 1976 - June 30, 1977.

TABLE J-3
PETIT JUROR USAGE REPORTS - TOTALS
STATISTICAL YEAR 1977

District	Number of Juror Days				Jury Trial Days			Juror Usage Index[1]
	Total Available	Percent Selected or Serving	Percent Challenged	Percent Not Selected, Serving or Challenged	Total	Percent Civil	Percent Criminal	
Total all districts	584,094	60.4	15.5	24.1	29,873	43.3	56.7	19.55
District of Columbia.....	10,663	56.3	15.7	28.0	494	31.8	68.2	21.59
First Circuit								
Maine.....	1,586	54.0	12.1	33.9	66	31.8	68.2	24.03
Massachusetts.....	9,018	71.0	12.7	16.3	561	39.6	60.4	16.07
New Hampshire.....	1,901	58.8	17.7	23.5	105	60.0	40.0	18.10
Rhode Island.....	1,620	77.5	9.8	12.7	104	54.8	45.2	15.58
Puerto Rico.....	5,192	43.3	13.7	43.0	207	44.9	55.1	25.08
Second Circuit								
Connecticut.....	5,651	70.5	20.7	8.8	261	37.5	62.5	21.65
New York:								
Northern.....	2,872	46.3	8.1	45.6	121	47.9	52.1	23.74
Eastern.....	25,346	53.7	13.4	32.9	1,100	31.1	68.9	23.04
Southern.....	47,125	54.2	15.6	30.2	2,196	41.7	58.3	21.46
*Western.....	6,457	70.2	8.9	20.9	299	27.1	72.9	21.60
Vermont.....	2,654	61.3	13.3	25.4	167	60.5	39.5	15.89
Third Circuit								
Delaware.....	1,130	60.4	24.2	15.4	63	39.7	60.3	17.94
New Jersey.....	19,304	68.9	10.9	20.2	1,023	33.9	66.1	18.87
Pennsylvania:								
Eastern.....	31,594	55.8	19.1	25.1	1,745	70.1	29.9	18.11
Middle.....	4,342	76.0	15.2	8.8	244	63.9	36.1	17.80
Western.....	13,273	56.6	16.3	27.1	676	48.5	51.5	19.63
Virgin Islands.....	5,438	48.8	21.3	29.9	160	34.4	65.6	33.99
Fourth Circuit								
Maryland.....	15,041	54.6	14.1	31.3	648	35.2	64.8	23.21
North Carolina:								
*Eastern.....	2,215	59.2	9.1	31.7	90	36.7	63.3	24.61
Middle.....	1,047	73.1	13.3	13.6	63	15.9	84.1	16.62
Western.....	2,675	76.3	10.8	12.9	183	66.1	33.9	14.62
South Carolina.....	7,411	71.0	13.2	15.8	399	55.9	44.1	18.57
Virginia:								
Eastern.....	5,093	49.2	36.8	14.0	276	55.4	44.6	18.45
Western.....	1,522	57.6	37.3	5.1	99	81.8	18.2	15.37
West Virginia:								
Northern.....	854	60.5	24.7	14.8	49	38.8	61.2	17.43
Southern.....	2,037	47.9	23.8	28.3	102	52.9	47.1	19.97
Fifth Circuit								
Alabama:								
Northern.....	5,675	53.7	19.4	26.9	328	67.1	32.9	17.30
Middle.....	3,209	75.0	11.1	13.9	181	49.7	50.3	17.73
Southern.....	2,041	80.8	13.0	6.2	128	50.8	49.2	15.95
Florida:								
Northern.....	2.053	69.7	14.5	15.8	103	25.2	74.8	19.93
Middle.....	10,567	67.0	12.4	20.6	531	16.6	83.4	19.90
Southern.....	14.477	52.8	13.2	34.0	637	24.8	75.2	22.73
Georgia:								
Northern.....	12,042	56.2	19.8	24.0	573	25.5	74.5	21.02
*Middle.....	3,819	64.9	23.3	11.8	191	47.1	52.9	19.99
*Southern.....	3,102	76.8	17.6	[illegible].6	153	71.9	28.1	20.27
Louisiana:								
Eastern.....	9,099	59.0	23.[illegible]	17.8	581	76.6	23.4	15.66
Middle.....	452	38.5	33.4	28.1	17	29.4	70.6	26.59
Western.....	2,665	53.8	21.6	24.6	155	69.0	31.0	17.19
Mississippi:								
Northern.....	3,983	64.2	19.2	16.6	200	46.0	54.0	19.92
*Southern.....	3,446	58.9	16.1	25.0	151	79.5	20.5	22.82
Texas:								
*Northern.....	10,779	69.2	13.3	17.5	591	61.6	38.4	18.24
Eastern.....	4,179	65.9	15.0	19.1	233	82.8	17.2	17.94
Southern.....	11,699	67.3	11.9	20.8	513	30.2	69.8	22.81
Western.....	8,378	61.3	17.1	21.6	354	29.1	70.9	23.67
*Canal Zone.....	150	59.3	6.0	34.7	7	-	100.0	21.43

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STATISTICAL YEAR 1977

District	Number of Juror Days				Jury Trial Days			Juror Usage Index[1]
	Total Available	Percent Selected or Serving	Percent Challenged	Percent Not Selected, Serving or Challenged	Total	Percent Civil	Percent Criminal	
Sixth Circuit								
Kentucky:								
Eastern	5,156	58.3	11.4	30.3	219	19.6	80.4	23.54
Western	3,286	53.9	15.9	30.2	150	24.0	76.0	21.91
Michigan:								
*Eastern	21,379	67.4	9.8	22.8	1,088	34.7	65.3	19.65
Western	2,813	81.9	8.3	9.8	164	47.6	52.4	17.15
Ohio:								
Northern	9,337	54.4	8.2	37.4	457	48.4	51.6	20.43
*Southern	5,438	68.1	13.2	18.7	294	58.2	41.8	18.50
Tennessee:								
Eastern	4,198	62.5	14.2	23.3	272	66.2	33.8	15.44
Middle	3,734	49.9	11.2	38.9	156	35.3	64.7	23.94
Western	5,315	69.1	17.2	13.7	308	34.1	65.9	17.26
Seventh Circuit								
Illinois:								
Northern	19,464	63.6	9.6	26.8	1,114	38.5	61.7	17.47
Eastern	2,426	65.7	24.9	9.4	132	45.5	54.5	18.38
Southern	1,504	62.1	18.6	19.3	73	18.1	81.9	20.59
Indiana:								
Northern	6,634	59.1	16.3	24.6	317	26.8	73.2	20.93
Southern	3,368	60.6	17.7	21.7	191	40.3	59.7	17.58
Wisconsin:								
Eastern	4,871	68.0	15.9	16.1	308	40.7	59.3	15.81
Western	516	71.3	24.0	4.7	27	14.8	85.2	19.11
Eighth Circuit								
Arkansas:								
*Eastern	4,223	57.2	25.6	17.2	202	37.1	62.9	20.91
*Western	2,202	58.7	24.1	17.2	98	79.6	20.4	22.39
Iowa:								
Northern	1,672	65.1	15.4	19.5	117	68.6	31.6	14.29
Southern	2,832	69.3	17.9	12.8	178	51.1	48.9	15.91
Minnesota	6,045	60.4	18.5	21.1	343	41.7	58.3	17.62
Missouri:								
Eastern	6,030	54.9	25.1	20.0	346	53.2	46.8	17.43
Western	3,748	48.3	25.4	26.3	164	39.6	60.4	22.85
Nebraska	3,795	57.8	19.6	22.6	246	71.1	28.9	15.43
*North Dakota	2,582	61.3	15.5	23.2	126	23.8	76.2	20.49
South Dakota	2,009	48.7	19.4	31.9	131	45.8	54.2	23.89
Ninth Circuit								
Alaska	2,129	63.9	13.5	22.6	118	41.5	58.5	18.04
Arizona	8,773	57.4	27.0	15.6	407	5.2	94.8	21.56
California:								
Northern	12,211	65.9	12.7	21.4	728	44.8	55.2	16.77
Eastern	3,417	53.5	9.5	37.0	152	19.7	80.3	22.48
Central	20,955	61.3	10.3	28.4	1,060	29.5	70.5	19.77
Southern	10,433	60.1	17.0	22.9	459	13.3	86.7	22.73
Hawaii	1,727	58.1	33.6	8.3	85	23.5	76.5	20.32
Idaho	1,624	59.1	18.1	22.8	98	56.1	43.9	16.57
Montana	2,729	68.3	14.3	17.4	159	57.9	42.1	17.16
Nevada	3,555	49.4	11.8	38.8	153	35.3	64.7	23.24
Oregon	3,813	54.9	22.4	22.7	238	64.7	35.3	16.02
Washington:								
Eastern	1,145	58.4	20.6	21.0	59	40.7	59.3	19.41
Western	4,740	59.1	18.8	22.1	250	27.6	72.4	18.96
Guam	420	20.5	16.4	63.1	7	14.3	85.7	60.00
Tenth Circuit								
Colorado	5,031	64.5	16.9	18.6	300	29.3	70.7	16.77
Kansas	3,982	63.2	15.4	21.4	236	55.1	44.9	16.87
New Mexico	4,088	66.6	17.8	15.6	233	53.2	46.8	17.55
Oklahoma:								
Northern	2,645	69.0	13.6	17.4	133	24.1	75.9	19.89
Eastern	1,322	68.8	18.1	13.1	90	51.1	48.9	14.69
Western	3,993	70.8	16.0	14.2	296	52.4	47.6	13.49
Utah	3,370	52.1	11.1	36.8	144	59.7	40.3	23.40
Wyoming	1,469	68.2	10.6	21.2	120	75.8	24.2	12.24

*Indicates those districts which have not yet adopted local rules reducing the size of the civil juries.
[1]Total available jurors divided by total jury trial days giving the average number of jurors available per jury trial per day.

TABLE K 1. FEDERAL PUBLIC DEFENDERS
STATISTICAL SUMMARY OF ACTIVITIES BY DISTRICT
DURING THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

District	Pending July 1, 1976[1]	Cases Opened[2]	Cases Closed[3]			Pending June 30, 1977
			Number	Hours in Court	Avg. hrs. per case	
TOTAL	3,224[R]	13,743	13,622	22,976.99	1.69	3,345
Criminal cases	2,403[R]	9,570	9,582	20,857.49	2.18	2,391
Other representations	821[R]	4,173	4,040	2,119.50	0.52	954
ARIZONA	336	1,275	1,293	1,608.45	1.24	318
Criminal cases	273	1,137	1,140	1,496.75	1.31	270
Other representations	63	138	153	111.70	0.73	48
CALIFORNIA, NORTHERN	214	1,174	1,156	1,845.50	1.60	232
Criminal cases	154	992	970	1,690.75	1.74	176
Other representations	60	182	186	154.75	0.83	56
CALIFORNIA, EASTERN	84	765	731	715.44	0.98	118
Criminal cases	57	595	561	640.44	1.14	91
Other representations	27	170	170	75.00	0.44	27
CALIFORNIA, CENTRAL	659	2,012	2,087	4,539.65	2.18	584
Criminal cases	517	1,443	1,526	4,097.40	2.69	434
Other representations	142	569	561	442.25	0.79	150
COLORADO	55	363	353	595.20	1.69	65
Criminal cases	38	256	259	561.95	2.17	35
Other representations	17	107	94	33.25	0.35	30
CONNECTICUT	71	252	259	428.80	1.66	64
Criminal cases	62	168	184	389.10	2.11	46
Other representations	9	84	75	39.70	0.53	18
FLORIDA, SOUTHERN	222[R]	693	645	1,667.25	2.58	270
Criminal cases	178[R]	553	535	1,572.00	2.94	196
Other representations	44[R]	140	110	95.25	0.87	74
KANSAS	96	311	338	530.30	1.57	69
Criminal cases	64	263	275	502.05	1.83	52
Other representations	32	48	63	28.25	0.45	17
KENTUCKY, EASTERN	36[R]	221	211	554.05	2.63	46
Criminal cases	24[R]	183	177	526.95	2.98	30
Other representations	12	38	34	27.10	0.80	16
LOUISIANA, EASTERN	107	325	352	721.40	2.05	81
Criminal cases	75	268	278	661.40	2.38	63
Other representations	32	60	74	60.00	0.81	18
MARYLAND	131	585	550	713.00	1.30	166
Criminal cases	101	469	442	636.35	1.44	128
Other representations	30	116	108	76.65	0.71	38
MISSOURI, WESTERN	101[R]	1,719	1,645	1,049.00	0.64	175
Criminal cases	27	237	228	840.50	3.69	36
Other representations	74[R]	1,482[4]	1,417[4]	208.50	0.15	139

TABLE K 1. FEDERAL PUBLIC DEFENDERS
STATISTICAL SUMMARY OF ACTIVITIES BY DISTRICT
DURING THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

District	Pending July 1, 1976[1]	Cases Opened[2]	Cases Closed[3]			Pending June 30, 1977
			Number	Hours in Court	Avg. hrs. per Case	
NEVADA	47	251	264	299.75	1.14	34
Criminal cases	37	169	180	270.05	1.50	26
Other representations	10	82	84	29.70	0.35	8
NEW JERSEY	322[R]	667	637	1,743.50	2.74	352
Criminal cases	248[R]	454	437	1,468.50	3.36	265
Other representations	74	213	200	275.00	1.38	87
NEW MEXICO	98	311	322	331.10	1.03	87
Criminal cases	28	155	156	291.40	1.87	27
Other representations	70	156	166	39.70	0.24	60
OHIO, NORTHERN	91	368	395	969.40	2.45	64
Criminal cases	79	258	290	889.65	3.07	47
Other representations	12	110	105	79.75	0.76	17
PENNSYLVANIA, WESTERN	87	214	211	444.40	2.11	90
Criminal cases	70	166	164	406.60	2.48	72
Other representations	17	48	47	37.80	0.80	18
SOUTH CAROLINA[5]	-	68	26	22.25	0.86	42
Criminal cases	-	58	21	20.50	0.98	37
Other representations	-	10	5	1.75	0.35	5
TENNESSEE, WESTERN	36	157	130	371.70	2.86	63
Criminal cases	28	121	95	344.35	3.62	54
Other representations	8	36	35	27.35	0.78	9
TEXAS, SOUTHERN	136	587	633	949.60	1.50	90
Criminal cases	89	482	512	843.10	1.65	59
Other representations	47	105	121	106.50	0.88	31
TEXAS, WESTERN	98	710	672	1,223.20	1.82	136
Criminal cases	84	593	575	1,128.60	1.96	102
Other representations	14	117	97	94.60	0.98	34
VIRGIN ISLANDS	82	181	211	937.00	4.44	52
Criminal cases	78	164	198	917.00	4.63	44
Other representations	4	17	13	20.00	1.54	8
WASHINGTON, WESTERN	115	493	480	638.55	1.33	128
Criminal cases	92	352	359	587.60	1.64	85
Other representations	23	141	121	50.95	0.42	43
WEST VIRGINIA, SOUTHERN[5]	-	40	21	78.50	3.74	19
Criminal cases	-	36	20	74.50	3.72	16
Other representations	-	4	1	4.00	4.00	3

[1] Cases pending at the beginning and the end of the reporting period include both active and inactive cases.

[2] Cases opened--A new case is counted as a case opened when:
(a) there is an initial appointment in any type of case, and
(b) the appointment is continued in a new type of case (continued for Appeals or New Trial granted).
Cases opened include cases reopened whenever:
(a) counsel is reappointed after previously relieved as counsel, and
(b) counsel is reappointed in same case after charges were previously dismissed.

[3] Cases closed--A case is counted as a case closed when:
(a) the appointment is terminated in any type of case for any reason, and
(b) services are completed.

[4] Includes 953 miscellaneous inmate requests by federal prisoners of the U.S. Medical Center for Federal Prisoners at Springfield, Missouri served under the Inmate Assistance Program.

[5] South Carolina and West Virginia reporting period, March 1977 to June 30, 1977.

[R] Revised to more accurately reflect pending caseload as of July 1, 1976.

TABLE L 1. COMMUNITY DEFENDER ORGANIZATIONS
STATISTICAL SUMMARY OF ACTIVITIES BY DISTRICT
DURING THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

District	Pending July 1, 1976[1]	Cases Opened[2]	Cases Closed[3]			Pending June 30, 1977
			Number	Hours in Court	Avg. hrs. per case	
Total	2,510	6,389	6,454	15,739.44	2.44	2,445
Criminal cases	1,864	4,639	4,756	13,902.79	2.92	1,747
Other representations	646	1,750	1,698	1,836.65	1.08	698
CALIFORNIA, SOUTHERN	413	1,384	1,318	3,035.08	2.30	479
Criminal cases	224	970	908	2,554.83	2.81	286
Other representations	189	414	410	480.25	1.17	193
GEORGIA, NORTHERN	118	400	406	967.66	2.38	112
Criminal cases	93	252	270	870.76	3.23	75
Other representations	25	148	136	96.90	0.71	37
ILLINOIS, NORTHERN	247	605	562	1,188.00	2.11	290
Criminal cases	196	466	433	1,051.00	2.43	229
Other representations	51	139	129	137.00	1.06	61
MICHIGAN, EASTERN	529	820	841	2,143.00	2.55	508
Criminal cases	378	580	607	1,859.50	3.06	351
Other representations	151	240	234	283.50	1.21	157
MINNESOTA	24	99	88	143.00	1.62	35
Criminal cases	17	77	69	129.00	1.87	25
Other representations	7	22	19	14.00	0.74	10
TOTAL, NEW YORK	800	1,816	1,965	5,193.75	2.64	651
Criminal cases	682	1,320	1,475	4,784.25	3.24	527
Other representations	118	496	490	409.50	0.84	124
NEW YORK, EASTERN	286	658	687	1,938.50	2.82	257
Criminal cases	270	536	591	1,821.50	3.08	215
Other representations	16	122	96	117.00	1.22	42
2ND CIRCUIT	49	102	109	102.25	0.94	42
Criminal cases	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other representations	49	102	109	102.25	0.94	42
NEW YORK, SOUTHERN	465	1,056	1,169	3,153.00	2.70	352
Criminal cases	412	784	884	2,962.75	3.35	312
Other representations	53	272	285	190.25	0.67	40
OREGON	94	295	271	503.95	1.86	118
Criminal cases	76	218	215	451.45	2.10	79
Other representations	18	77	56	52.50	0.94	39
PENNSYLVANIA, EASTERN	285	970	1,003	2,565.00	2.56	252
Criminal cases	198	756	779	2,202.00	2.83	175
Other representations	87	214	224	363.00	1.62	77

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(a) the appointment is terminated in any type of case for any reason, and
(b) services are completed.

TABLE M 1. U.S. DISTRICT COURTS, MINOR OFFENSE CASES-
DEFENDANTS DISPOSED OF BY UNITED STATES MAGISTRATES, BY NATURE OF OFFENSE
DURING THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

Circuit and district	Total all defendants	Minor offenses other than petty offenses						Petty offenses							
		Total	Traffic	Theft	Food & Drug	Weapons	Other	Total	Traffic	Immi-gration	Food & Drug	Mail	Drunk Disorderly	Hunting Fishing Camping	Other
Total	103,061	17,181	12,478	2,610	454	139	1,500	85,880	56,941	13,331	1,150	1,928	1,552	6,511	4,567
District of Columbia	343	149	-	42	62	17	28	194	21	-	5	147	2	-	19
First Circuit	2,437	159	18	80	12	5	44	2,278	2,035	6	21	8	16	114	78
Maine	49	2	-	-	1	-	1	47	25	3	-	-	2	2	15
Massachusetts	2,124	93	5	51	9	5	23	2,031	1,871	1	18	6	3	89	43
New Hamsphire	37	1	-	-	-	-	1	36	14	-	-	-	-	22	-
Rhode Island	58	44	13	18	-	-	13	14	6	-	3	2	1	1	1
Puerto Rico	169	19	-	11	2	-	6	150	119	2	-	-	10	-	19
Second Circuit	1,547	173	3	156	1	1	12	1,374	1,135	68	16	11	5	28	111
Connecticut	5	3	1	-	-	-	2	2	1	-	-	-	-	1	-
New York:															
Northern	90	18	-	7	1	1	9	72	1	43	16	-	-	4	8
Eastern	1,069	135	-	135	-	-	-	934	835	-	-	-	-	4	95
Southern	241	-	-	-	-	-	-	241	220	-	-	8	5	2	6
Western	110	15	-	14	-	-	1	95	59	20	-	3	-	11	2
Vermont	32	2	2	-	-	-	-	30	19	5	-	-	-	6	-
Third Circuit	2,954	615	6	224	2	11	372	2,339	1,404	7	28	665	87	35	113
Delaware	78	1	-	-	-	-	1	77	23	-	-	46	1	6	1
New Jersey	1,961	563	5	192	2	11	353	1,398	1,149	6	24	74	74	2	69
Pennsylvania:															
Eastern	609	24	1	17	-	-	6	585	96	1	-	461	1	3	23
Middle	203	20	-	13	-	-	7	183	113	-	2	30	9	12	17
Western	103	7	-	2	-	-	5	96	23	-	2	54	2	12	3
Fourth Circuit	19,710	2,264	1,198	543	225	43	255	17,446	15,617	-	109	222	262	457	779
Maryland	5,646	696	352	182	112	14	36	4,950	4,610	-	30	65	89	18	138
North Carolina:															
Eastern	1,975	22	3	7	1	-	11	1,953	1,624	-	50	5	83	110	81
Middle	64	5	-	5	-	-	-	59	22	-	1	10	2	20	4
Western	139	33	-	7	-	-	26	106	27	-	2	2	13	28	34
South Carolina	141	12	4	6	-	-	2	129	28	-	-	22	5	45	29
Virginia:															
Eastern	11,396	1,467	829	332	110	29	167	9,929	9,181	-	19	85	61	118	465
Western	312	24	10	4	2	-	8	288	125	-	7	6	8	114	28
West Virginia:															
Northern	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
Southern	35	5	-	-	-	-	5	30	-	-	-	26	-	4	-
Fifth Circuit	32,193	10,215	9,334	517	41	36	287	21,978	9,302	9,222	303	275	324	1,699	853
Alabama:															
Northern	649	172	137	6	6	2	21	477	436	-	1	1	3	24	12
Middle	1,512	83	56	20	1	-	6	1,429	1,325	1	1	14	-	73	15
Southern	37	9	-	2	-	4	3	28	18	-	-	1	-	4	5
Florida:															
Northern	519	5	-	-	-	-	5	514	286	-	-	3	20	155	50
Middle	505	45	2	17	4	-	22	460	359	1	-	5	14	11	70
Southern	184	45	1	27	2	-	15	139	61	-	1	3	30	44	-
Georgia:															
Northern	673	212	188	7	-	3	14	461	167	2	2	110	16	53	111
Middle	819	783	774	9	-	-	-	36	-	-	-	4	4	23	5
Southern	8,569	8,398	8,171	111	20	24	72	171	-	-	8	4	26	121	12
Louisiana:															
Eastern	483	19	-	8	1	-	10	464	102	38	-	13	2	308	1
Middle	59	10	1	1	-	-	8	49	3	-	-	5	-	38	3
Western	2,049	28	1	22	-	-	5	2,021	1,270	-	6	4	21	652	68
Mississippi:															
Northern	503	3	-	-	-	-	3	500	473	-	2	-	9	4	12
Southern	896	59	-	37	-	-	22	837	765	-	15	-	27	4	26
Texas:															
Northern	468	30	2	11	3	-	14	438	253	9	21	3	42	5	105
Eastern	94	7	-	1	2	-	4	87	53	-	2	2	2	16	12
Southern	6,547	35	1	14	-	3	17	6,512	537	5,747	113	25	12	26	52
Western	7,627	272	-	224	2	-	46	7,355	3,194	3,424	131	78	96	138	294

TABLE M 1. U.S. DISTRICT COURTS. MINOR OFFENSE CASES-
DEFENDANTS DISPOSED OF BY UNITED STATES MAGISTRATES, BY NATURE OF OFFENSE
DURING THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

Circuit and district	Total all defendants	Minor offenses other than petty offenses						Petty offenses							
		Total	Traffic	Theft	Food & Drug	Weapons	Other	Total	Traffic	Immi-gration	Food & Drug	Mail	Drunk Disorderly	Hunting Fishing Camping	Other
Sixth Circuit.....	4,514	451	137	222	15	8	69	4,063	3,011	9	119	139	107	415	263
Kentucky:															
Eastern.....	259	7	1	-	-	-	6	252	105	-	11	2	2	74	58
Western.....	2,070	143	16	107	1	3	16	1,927	1,653	-	36	2	48	97	91
Michigan:															
Eastern.....	249	35	-	22	2	-	11	214	165	6	-	26	-	12	5
Western.....	192	24	1	14	-	-	9	168	79	1	-	14	8	59	7
Ohio:															
Northern.....	111	7	-	-	-	-	7	104	68	-	2	11	1	21	1
Southern.....	295	62	5	49	-	-	8	233	195	-	-	11	-	2	25
Tennessee:															
Eastern.....	124	10	3	4	-	-	3	314	118	-	58	19	24	63	32
Middle.....	850	160	111	26	12	3	8	690	533	-	12	54	17	50	24
Western.....	164	3	-	-	-	2	1	161	95	2	-	-	7	37	20
Seventh Circuit.....	2,139	78	9	40	2	2	25	2,061	1,062	[illegible]	24	20	123	661	166
Illinois:															
Northern.....	665	12	-	7	-	-	5	653	475	-	7	9	30	6	126
Eastern.....	954	12	-	6	-	1	5	942	207	-	11	9	78	622	15
Southern.....	107	7	6	1	-	-	-	100	93	-	-	2	-	5	-
Indiana:															
Northern.....	56	7	1	-	-	1	5	49	33	-	-	-	2	8	6
Southern.....	290	12	-	7	-	-	5	278	248	-	-	-	17	4	9
Wisconsin:															
Eastern.....	36	14	2	10	2	-	-	22	6	-	6	-	1	9	-
Western.....	31	14	-	9	-	-	5	17	-	-	-	-	-	7	10
Eighth Circuit.....	1,580	489	408	26	5	5	45	1,091	588	4	53	29	40	250	127
Arkansas:															
Eastern.....	57	13	-	8	-	-	5	44	25	-	-	5	1	5	8
Western.....	170	11	-	2	1	3	5	159	68	-	2	3	14	59	13
Iowa:															
Northern.....	8	7	1	-	4	-	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Southern.....	284	15	4	-	-	2	9	269	251	-	-	1	1	10	6
Minnesota.....	215	13	1	2	-	-	10	202	64	-	3	14	1	92	28
Missouri:															
Eastern.....	248	4	1	-	-	-	3	244	135	-	40	1	22	9	37
Western.....	462	415	401	11	-	-	3	47	24	3	-	5	-	2	13
Nebraska.....	38	8	-	2	-	-	6	30	4	1	-	-	-	23	2
North Dakota.....	62	2	-	1	-	-	1	60	15	-	-	-	-	29	16
South Dakota.....	36	1	-	-	-	-	1	35	2	-	8	-	1	21	3
Ninth Circuit.....	28,065	2,005	978	652	84	7	284	26,060	16,845	3,862	444	376	499	2,280	1,754
Alaska.....	1,025	32	2	6	-	-	24	993	966	-	-	1	6	19	1
Arizona.....	1,837	28	-	11	-	-	17	1,809	295	1,054	106	11	58	65	220
California:															
Northern.....	5,094	268	12	160	31	-	66	4,826	4,078	69	9	192	30	155	293
Eastern.....	3,845	15	1	6	1	-	7	3,830	1,653	520	109	35	123	782	608
Central.....	2,607	373	14	287	5	1	66	2,234	1,002	-	116	55	40	754	267
Southern.....	4,140	87	-	42	18	2	25	4,053	1,377	2,180	70	65	1	232	128
Hawaii.....	2,457	524	488	4	16	-	16	1,933	1,757	-	-	1	124	7	44
Idaho.....	82	5	-	1	-	-	4	77	3	35	-	-	-	21	18
Montana.....	101	2	-	2	-	-	-	99	8	-	-	-	5	46	40
Nevada.....	536	1	-	1	-	-	-	535	334	-	24	-	90	27	60
Oregon.....	136	20	2	12	1	-	5	116	13	-	2	-	-	79	22
Washington:															
Eastern.....	209	23	5	4	-	2	12	186	115	-	-	9	-	49	13
Western.....	5,996	627	455	116	12	2	42	5,369	5,244	4	8	7	22	44	40
Tenth Circuit.....	7,579	583	387	108	5	4	79	6,996	5,921	53	28	36	82	572	304
Colorado.....	2,401	226	171	22	-	1	32	2,175	1,887	1	4	6	5	237	35
Kansas.....	847	49	32	5	-	1	11	798	744	4	-	15	2	22	11
New Mexico.....	551	8	-	3	5	-	-	543	372	38	9	2	39	77	6
Oklahoma:															
Northern.....	31	20	-	9	-	-	11	11	1	2	-	-	-	7	1
Eastern.....	58	9	1	2	-	-	6	49	22	-	-	-	6	5	16
Western.....	3,263	240	160	67	-	2	11	3,023	2,705	-	2	13	18	94	191
Utah.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wyoming.....	428	31	23	-	-	-	8	397	190	8	13	-	12	130	44

TABLE M 2. U.S. DISTRICT COURTS. MINOR OFFENSE CASES-
DEFENDANTS DISPOSED OF BY UNITED STATES MAGISTRATES, BY TYPE OF DISPOSITION
DURING THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

Circuit and district	Total All defendants	Minor offenses other than petty					Petty offenses				
		Total	Dismissed or acquitted		Convicted		Total	Dismissed or acquitted		Convicted	
			Without trial	With trial	On guilty plea	With trial		Without trial	With trial	On guilty plea	With trial
Total	103,061	17,181	465	758	12,622	3,336	85,880	12,003	5,893	57,294	10,590
District of Columbia	343	149	2	1	146	-	194	10	3	178	3
First Circuit	2,437	159	37	-	118	4	2,278	326	72	1,742	138
Maine	49	2	-	-	2	-	47	-	5	33	9
Massachusetts	2,124	93	34	-	58	1	2,031	272	29	1,673	57
New Hampshire	37	1	-	-	1	-	36	-	6	3	27
Rhode Island	58	44	3	-	38	3	14	8	1	5	-
Puerto Rico	169	19	-	-	19	-	150	46	31	28	45
Second Circuit	1,547	173	6	-	166	1	1,374	482	175	557	160
Connecticut	5	3	-	-	3	-	2	-	-	2	-
New York:											
Northern	90	18	3	-	15	-	72	1	-	71	-
Eastern	1,069	135	3	-	132	-	934	447	87	343	57
Southern	241	-	-	-	-	-	241	22	75	66	78
Western	110	15	-	-	15	-	95	11	6	69	9
Vermont	32	2	-	-	1	1	30	1	7	6	16
Third Circuit	2,954	615	8	7	562	38	2,339	153	207	1,539	440
Delaware	78	1	-	-	1	-	77	2	2	58	15
New Jersey	1,961	563	7	4	520	32	1,398	101	120	860	317
Pennsylvania:											
Eastern	609	24	-	2	22	-	585	8	47	514	16
Middle	203	20	1	1	14	4	183	39	27	41	76
Western	103	7	-	-	5	2	96	3	11	66	16
Fourth Circuit	19,710	2,264	138	408	999	719	17,446	3,979	2,304	7,581	3,582
Maryland	5,646	696	32	58	463	143	4,950	711	481	2,431	1,327
North Carolina:											
Eastern	1,975	22	-	1	12	9	1,953	604	114	949	286
Middle	64	5	-	-	4	1	59	2	-	44	13
Western	139	33	-	-	33	-	106	9	8	54	35
South Carolina	141	12	1	-	10	1	129	22	9	71	27
Virginia:											
Eastern	11,396	1,467	105	347	464	551	9,929	2,622	1,605	3,913	1,789
Western	312	24	-	2	8	14	288	9	87	99	93
West Virginia:											
Northern	2	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	2	-
Southern	35	5	-	-	5	-	30	-	-	18	12
Fifth Circuit	32,193	10,215	62	224	7,674	2,255	21,978	1,688	955	17,268	2,066
Alabama:											
Northern	649	172	4	5	149	14	477	39	30	358	50
Middle	1,512	83	1	9	68	5	1,429	99	16	1,243	71
Southern	37	9	-	1	7	1	28	-	-	27	1
Florida:											
Northern	519	5	1	-	2	2	514	72	53	258	131
Middle	505	45	2	-	38	5	460	89	25	277	69
Southern	184	45	-	1	41	3	139	13	12	82	32
Georgia:											
Northern	673	212	4	3	201	4	461	38	34	323	66
Middle	819	783	-	21	737	25	36	1	-	29	6
Southern	8,569	8,398	32	172	6,043	2,151	171	5	30	66	70
Louisiana:											
Eastern	483	19	-	1	17	1	464	43	42	336	43
Middle	59	10	-	-	10	-	49	-	2	44	3
Western	2,049	28	3	1	22	2	2,021	296	44	1,483	198
Mississippi:											
Northern	503	3	-	-	3	-	500	61	18	408	13
Southern	896	59	-	1	48	10	837	93	23	665	56
Texas:											
Northern	468	30	-	-	25	5	438	116	48	226	48
Eastern	94	7	1	-	5	1	87	-	6	71	10
Southern	6,547	35	2	-	32	1	6,512	490	17	5,987	18
Western	7,627	272	12	9	226	25	7,355	233	556	5,385	1,181

TABLE M 2. U.S. DISTRICT COURTS, MINOR OFFENSE CASES-
DEFENDANTS DISPOSED OF BY UNITED STATES MAGISTRATES, BY TYPE OF DISPOSITION
DURING THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

Circuit and district	Total all defendants	Minor offenses other than petty					Petty offenses				
		Total	Dismissed or acquitted		Convicted		Total	Dismissed or acquitted		Convicted	
			Without trial	With trial	On guilty plea	With trial		Without trial	With trial	On guilty plea	With trial
Sixth Circuit	4,514	451	16	14	388	33	4,063	458	240	2,825	540
Kentucky:											
Eastern	259	7	-	-	5	2	252	13	14	217	8
Western	2,070	143	5	6	117	15	1,927	193	76	1,487	171
Michigan:											
Eastern	249	35	3	-	32	-	214	49	22	47	96
Western	192	24	-	-	24	-	168	70	15	60	23
Ohio:											
Northern	111	7	-	-	6	1	104	25	3	71	5
Southern	295	62	-	2	58	2	233	9	15	178	31
Tennessee:											
Eastern	324	10	-	1	6	3	314	16	27	210	61
Middle	850	160	8	4	139	9	690	59	34	519	78
Western	164	3	-	1	1	1	161	24	34	36	67
Seventh Circuit	2,139	78	3	2	68	5	2,061	297	179	1,296	289
Illinois:											
Northern	665	12	-	-	11	1	653	184	117	170	182
Eastern	954	12	3	-	9	-	942	63	11	825	43
Southern	107	7	-	-	6	1	100	-	20	65	15
Indiana:											
Northern	56	7	-	2	4	1	49	10	3	25	11
Southern	290	12	-	-	11	1	278	40	24	187	27
Wisconsin:											
Eastern	36	14	-	-	14	-	22	-	4	10	8
Western	31	14	-	-	13	1	17	-	-	14	3
Eighth Circuit	1,580	489	36	20	371	62	1,091	197	112	573	209
Arkansas:											
Eastern	57	13	-	-	10	3	44	-	2	30	12
Western	170	11	-	7	2	2	159	25	15	87	32
Iowa:											
Northern	8	7	-	-	6	1	1	-	-	1	-
Southern	284	15	3	-	11	1	269	89	43	89	48
Minnesota	215	13	-	-	13	-	202	29	19	121	33
Missouri:											
Eastern	248	4	-	-	4	-	244	18	22	154	50
Western	462	415	33	13	314	55	47	22	1	24	-
Nebraska	38	8	-	-	8	-	30	-	-	28	2
North Dakota	62	2	-	-	2	-	60	5	5	29	21
South Dakota	36	1	-	-	1	-	35	9	5	10	11
Ninth Circuit	28,065	2,005	123	67	1,636	179	26,060	2,807	1,460	19,282	2,511
Alaska	1,025	32	3	3	17	9	993	314	123	384	172
Arizona	1,837	28	-	-	28	-	1,809	60	18	1,695	36
California:											
Northern	5,094	268	32	16	195	25	4,826	824	400	2,863	739
Eastern	3,845	15	-	5	8	2	3,830	560	162	2,679	429
Central	2,607	373	9	5	352	7	2,234	352	212	1,382	288
Southern	4,140	87	17	3	61	6	4,053	275	62	3,605	111
Hawaii	2,457	524	24	3	474	23	1,933	48	59	1,651	175
Idaho	82	5	-	-	5	-	77	4	2	59	12
Montana	101	2	-	-	2	-	99	16	5	72	6
Nevada	536	1	1	-	-	-	535	120	27	361	27
Oregon	136	20	-	-	16	4	116	2	6	65	43
Washington:											
Eastern	209	23	3	1	15	4	186	43	68	31	44
Western	5,996	627	34	31	463	99	5,369	189	316	4,435	429
Tenth Circuit	7,579	583	34	15	494	40	6,996	1,606	285	4,453	652
Colorado	2,401	226	20	2	191	13	2,175	575	56	1,416	128
Kansas	847	49	3	5	38	3	798	170	48	460	120
New Mexico	551	8	1	-	7	-	543	162	33	251	97
Oklahoma:											
Northern	31	20	-	-	20	-	11	-	2	5	4
Eastern	58	9	1	-	5	3	49	-	10	24	15
Western	3,263	240	9	5	205	21	3,023	638	111	2,044	230
Utah	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wyoming	428	31	-	3	28	-	397	61	25	253	58

TABLE M 3. U.S. DISTRICT COURTS
MATTERS DISPOSED OF BY UNITED STATES MAGISTRATES PURSUANT TO 28 U.S.C. 636(a)
DURING THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977[1]

Circuit and district	Total	Search warrants	Summons	Arrest warrants	Bail proceedings: Initial appearances	Bail proceedings: Initial probation	Bail proceedings: Material witness	Bail review	Preliminary examinations	Removal hearings
Total	83,357	5,203	2,751	17,716	37,278	1,819	3,230	7,975	5,502	1,883
District of Columbia	3,455	327	697	497	1,142	66	52	250	418	6
First Circuit	2,062	134	16	437	1,019	13	2	140	244	57
Maine	84	7	1	31	34	-	-	2	7	2
Massachusetts	1,250	81	16	280	606	10	1	52	173	37
New Hampshire	17	-	-	3	12	-	1	-	-	1
Rhode Island	249	27	4	72	89	2	-	9	40	6
Puerto Rico	462	19	1	51	278	1	-	77	24	11
Second Circuit	4,385	394	6	825	2,544	63	11	339	102	101
Connecticut	272	49	-	43	137	6	-	21	9	7
New York:										
Northern	286	17	3	58	140	1	-	13	44	10
Eastern	1,350	121	-	272	782	37	8	116	11	3
Southern	1,934	169	-	344	1,186	19	-	138	1	77
Western	452	36	3	87	244	-	3	43	33	3
Vermont	91	2	-	21	55	-	-	8	4	1
Third Circuit	5,201	305	75	1,469	2,298	165	29	237	531	92
Delaware	166	23	6	57	73	-	-	-	6	1
New Jersey	1,189	76	11	236	733	23	12	62	29	7
Pennsylvania:										
Eastern	2,608	74	5	885	946	124	2	106	402	64
Middle	250	13	2	84	124	1	-	2	21	3
Western	988	119	51	207	422	17	15	67	73	17
Fourth Circuit	7,044	572	786	2,054	2,294	214	7	355	554	208
Maryland	1,728	128	198	497	607	84	-	83	78	53
North Carolina:										
Eastern	1,015	45	385	254	217	9	-	36	39	31
Middle	540	38	4	142	287	15	-	40	11	3
Western	354	58	11	101	139	-	-	31	8	6
South Carolina	864	84	40	241	334	18	2	59	75	11
Virginia:										
Eastern	1,791	148	145	508	458	81	4	73	293	81
Western	408	32	3	181	140	1	-	10	34	7
West Virginia:										
Northern	84	3	-	37	31	-	-	10	5	2
Southern	260	36	-	93	81	6	1	13	16	14
Fifth Circuit	18,059	967	529	3,231	8,555	427	759	1,647	1,495	449
Alabama:										
Northern	969	96	-	267	489	24	1	56	28	8
Middle	543	85	66	100	197	6	-	37	34	10
Southern	222	54	-	78	54	4	-	11	11	7
Florida:										
Northern	271	9	1	86	149	1	-	11	14	2
Middle	1,712	66	91	342	598	69	33	224	171	118
Southern	2,401	94	3	269	1,246	50	3	224	444	68
Georgia:										
Northern	1,355	115	29	268	664	42	3	134	84	16
Middle	226	54	1	75	41	13	-	-	19	23
Southern	359	28	-	159	104	7	3	1	40	17
Louisiana:										
Eastern	780	60	-	104	524	19	-	43	18	12
Middle	212	21	-	50	108	7	-	18	6	2
Western	651	26	127	114	200	36	-	106	17	25
Mississippi:										
Northern	160	22	-	20	103	2	-	-	-	13
Southern	382	43	19	59	195	3	-	33	22	8
Texas:										
Northern	1,005	37	2	135	712	8	3	44	38	26
Eastern	194	3	16	60	84	9	-	4	14	4
Southern	2,856	62	27	215	1,799	63	461	133	55	41
Western	3,761	92	147	830	1,288	84	252	568	479	41

TABLE M 3. U.S. DISTRICT COURTS
MATTERS DISPOSED OF BY UNITED STATES MAGISTRATES PURSUANT TO 28 U.S.C. 636(a)
DURING THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977[1]

Circuits and district	Total	Search warrants	Summons	Arrest warrants	Bail proceedings			Bail review	Preliminary examinations	Removal hearings
					Initial appearances	Initial probation	Material witness			
Sixth Circuit	7,392	648	111	2,093	3,068	244	5	517	565	141
Kentucky:										
Eastern	422	81	21	166	110	1	-	3	32	8
Western	1,006	29	8	360	359	11	1	15	193	30
Michigan:										
Eastern	2,260	139	9	409	1,051	143	3	386	85	35
Western	376	47	-	133	129	17	-	26	23	1
Ohio:										
Northern	1,216	156	5	430	448	52	-	16	88	21
Southern	739	119	5	192	331	14	1	15	45	17
Tennessee:										
Eastern	515	44	1	187	207	3	-	21	40	12
Middle	573	8	62	171	240	3	-	30	45	14
Western	285	25	-	45	193	-	-	5	14	3
Seventh Circuit	4,760	199	30	1,548	1,876	60	11	454	442	140
Illinois:										
Northern	2,587	104	-	930	861	5	6	298	310	73
Eastern	332	28	11	104	94	28	-	2	49	16
Southern	195	8	-	90	52	3	3	6	23	10
Indiana:										
Northern	540	26	-	140	288	1	2	40	31	12
Southern	523	13	8	125	270	16	-	43	25	23
Wisconsin:										
Eastern	417	18	6	134	218	6	-	32	3	-
Western	166	2	5	25	93	1	-	33	1	6
Eighth Circuit	4,142	310	35	999	1,781	134	18	476	246	143
Arkansas:										
Eastern	241	40	-	75	80	16	-	12	18	-
Western	89	9	3	35	19	3	-	13	4	3
Iowa:										
Northern	119	16	-	33	61	-	3	4	2	-
Southern	234	46	9	58	67	2	-	18	22	12
Minnesota	922	110	5	219	339	10	1	104	112	21
Missouri:										
Eastern	815	48	-	304	255	36	1	120	26	25
Western	838	27	-	112	522	42	3	60	23	49
Nebraska	259	6	1	60	114	4	9	30	16	19
North Dakota	126	5	16	31	60	8	-	1	2	3
South Dakota	499	3	1	72	264	13	1	114	21	10
Ninth Circuit	21,650	1,060	315	3,314	10,577	339	2,166	3,050	478	381
Alaska	259	24	2	31	111	2	-	54	26	9
Arizona	5,111	106	50	227	3,130	41	770	629	117	41
California:										
Northern	2,495	145	132	643	1,099	65	-	294	26	91
Eastern	964	138	5	257	389	18	28	73	46	10
Central	4,476	318	31	1,092	2,453	16	244	244	1	27
Southern	5,120	91	7	315	1,939	117	1,095	1,532	16	8
Hawaii	279	24	-	51	138	5	-	2	42	12
Idaho	186	20	1	68	87	-	-	-	5	5
Montana	206	10	5	79	92	-	1	5	13	1
Nevada	544	44	1	107	229	30	26	67	3	37
Oregon	563	57	5	161	223	6	-	48	39	24
Washington:										
Eastern	374	17	4	140	147	1	2	14	42	7
Western	1,073	66	72	143	540	38	-	88	102	34
Tenth Circuit	5,207	287	151	1,249	2,124	94	170	510	427	195
Colorado	1,067	66	35	243	508	1	-	125	64	25
Kansas	965	41	10	246	507	36	1	74	24	26
New Mexico	852	28	-	131	373	16	154	104	39	7
Oklahoma:										
Northern	275	36	-	61	104	7	12	20	20	15
Eastern	152	12	9	50	67	-	-	1	4	9
Western	1,126	70	47	316	326	23	1	146	137	60
Utah	433	27	47	82	103	10	1	30	84	40
Wyoming	337	7	3	120	136	1	1	10	55	4

[1] Excludes trials of minor offenses pursuant to 18 U.S.C. 3401. See Tables M-1 and M-2.

TABLE M 4. U.S. DISTRICT COURTS
MATTERS DISPOSED OF BY UNITED STATES MAGISTRATES PURSUANT TO 28 U.S.C. 636 (b)
DURING THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

Circuit and District	Total	Criminal Cases							Civil Cases									
										Prisoner Petitions								
		Total criminal	Post-indictment arraignments	Pretrial conference	Motions	Probation revocation	Indictments	Other	Total civil	State habeas	Federal habeas	Civil rights	Pretrial conference	Motions	Civil trial	Special master reports	Social security	Other
Total	100,318	43,303	21,799	4,787	7,301	943	3,518	4,955	57,015	4,208	1,529	2,778	22,787	17,687	325	546	3,449	3,706
District of Columbia	1,332	671	146	-	194	127	-	204	661	1	1	-	195	211	2	3	-	248
First Circuit	7,373	2,093	792	97	867	9	77	251	5,280	132	10	104	1,073	3,430	10	15	44	462
Maine	257	68	25	25	14	-	-	4	189	-	-	-	131	38	-	10	7	3
Massachusetts	2,173	1,056	423	11	588	5	28	1	1,117	9	-	3	254	832	-	4	-	15
New Hampshire	1,386	49	18	6	24	-	-	1	1,337	23	1	30	222	940	1	-	3	117
Rhode Island	1,265	148	78	-	57	-	13	-	1,117	46	-	51	87	903	9	-	6	15
Puerto Rico	2,292	772	248	55	184	4	36	245	1,520	54	9	20	379	717	-	1	28	312
Second Circuit	9,481	1,142	490	2	110	4	335	201	8,339	85	24	131	6,621	1,295	22	15	12	134
Connecticut	965	180	100	-	36	1	33	10	785	6	8	5	150	554	2	1	10	49
New York:																		
Northern	286	56	11	2	26	1	-	16	230	78	16	126	-	3	-	-	-	7
Eastern	1,014	410	124	-	-	-	265	21	604	-	-	-	603	-	-	1	-	-
Southern	6,515	228	107	-	2	2	-	117	6,287	1	-	-	5,463	723	12	10	2	76
Western	698	265	147	-	46	-	35	37	433	-	-	-	405	15	8	3	-	2
Vermont	3	3	1	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Third Circuit	6,366	1,905	1,326	1	85	119	250	124	4,461	225	85	2[illegible]	2,495	515	34	13	694	138
Delaware	30	30	1	-	1	5	15	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
New Jersey	2,397	223	34	-	59	17	62	51	2,174	52	-	-	1,600	421	6	9	36	50
Pennsylvania:																		
Eastern	2,289	928	775	-	7	86	-	60	1,361	100	18	161	887	65	27	3	61	39
Middle	606	41	36	-	2	1	-	2	565	11	52	15	-	1	-	-	482	4
Western	1,044	683	480	1	16	10	173	3	361	62	15	86	8	28	1	1	115	45
Fourth Circuit	5,362	1,979	1,618	5	98	64	34	160	3,383	608	96	444	479	253	9	18	1,175	301
Maryland	774	533	486	-	11	29	-	7	241	28	1	25	26	10	3	1	47	100
North Carolina:																		
Eastern	750	385	296	5	22	-	19	43	365	19	6	38	157	132	-	-	-	13
Middle	658	15	-	-	9	-	-	6	643	113	13	97	253	89	-	4	27	47
Western	305	226	215	-	-	11	-	-	79	70	5	-	-	-	-	2	-	2
South Carolina	963	559	550	-	-	7	-	2	404	82	22	84	-	-	-	5	184	27
Virginia:																		
Eastern	613	127	1	-	11	14	-	101	486	237	23	164	-	-	1	1	23	37
Western	728	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	727	11	-	21	10	5	-	1	656	23
West Virginia:																		
Northern	107	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	107	-	-	-	32	11	5	-	19	40
Southern	464	133	70	-	44	3	15	1	331	48	26	15	1	6	-	4	219	12
Fifth Circuit	29,837	12,786	5,393	1,653	3,573	336	966	865	17,051	1,879	415	958	6,455	6,115	74	303	320	532
Alabama:																		
Northern	1,822	1,313	667	538	104	3	-	1	509	158	57	92	79	41	3	22	15	42
Middle	377	19	14	-	-	-	1	4	358	225	19	57	2	-	-	-	15	40
Southern	604	207	-	125	69	-	13	-	397	32	2	50	2	272	-	-	19	20
Florida:																		
Northern	678	51	7	-	6	2	33	3	627	136	6	114	35	296	-	-	39	1
Middle	3,277	2,352	752	604	557	18	168	253	925	214	1	86	216	312	2	-	43	51
Southern	3,514	3,180	1,094	-	1,542	8	204	332	334	146	25	73	2	35	1	6	23	23
Georgia:																		
Northern	1,899	1,708	692	154	568	17	189	88	191	37	17	3	17	34	-	5	23	55
Middle	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Southern	37	37	37	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Louisiana:																		
Eastern	7,378	1,070	644	121	74	5	208	18	6,308	85	40	9	2,954	3,053	26	47	29	65
Middle	773	345	91	79	129	7	-	39	428	44	1	60	182	108	14	1	-	15
Western	1,068	363	19	-	256	13	70	5	705	106	22	65	340	101	1	4	45	21
Mississippi:																		
Northern	549	228	130	-	57	-	40	1	321	23	4	31	132	120	-	5	6	-
Southern	2,061	333	163	23	133	3	-	11	1,728	28	3	8	438	1,108	11	63	17	52
Texas:																		
Northern	686	103	56	-	43	3	-	1	583	339	40	43	65	16	-	-	-	80
Eastern	274	40	16	-	-	-	11	13	234	83	53	65	-	-	-	-	27	6
Southern	3,864	1,047	749	9	31	197	-	61	2,817	147	9	109	1,883	615	6	13	7	28
Western	976	390	262	-	4	60	29	35	586	76	116	93	105	4	10	137	12	33

TABLE M 4. U.S. DISTRICT COURTS
MATTERS DISPOSED OF BY UNITED STATES MAGISTRATES PURSUANT TO 28 U.S.C. 636 (b)
DURING THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

Circuit and District	Total	Criminal Cases							Civil Cases									
										Prisoner Petitions								
		Total Criminal	Post-indictment arraignments	Pretrial conference	Motions	Probation revocation	Indictments	Other	Total Civil	State habeas	Federal habeas	Civil rights	Pretrial conference	Motions	Civil trial	Special master reports	Social security	Other
Sixth Circuit.....	7,667	4,661	2,401	860	350	71	740	239	3,006	308	125	246	676	492	45	55	770	289
Kentucky:																		
Eastern.....	600	8	4	1	-	1	1	1	592	30	59	-	81	5	27	11	289	90
Western.....	474	252	22	-	-	9	200	21	222	85	16	120	-	-	-	-	-	1
Michigan:																		
Eastern.....	3,259	2,944	1,620	721	135	30	305	33	315	22	24	13	64	66	16	14	46	50
Western.....	862	622	283	132	177	6	5	19	240	55	4	49	1	82	-	6	31	12
Ohio:																		
Northern.....	498	423	234	-	5	6	173	5	75	2	-	-	31	-	-	-	29	13
Southern.....	1,182	96	4	6	22	7	54	3	1,086	74	8	54	449	252	-	10	226	13
Tennessee:																		
Eastern.....	269	14	-	-	9	3	-	2	255	28	7	8	50	70	1	5	73	13
Middle.....	85	9	-	-	-	9	-	-	76	-	7	-	-	-	-	-	65	4
Western.....	438	293	234	-	2	-	2	55	145	12	-	2	-	17	1	9	11	93
Seventh Circuit....	4,609	1,302	350	112	594	7	218	21	3,307	46	157	10	1,956	942	11	24	67	94
Illinois:																		
Northern.....	1,408	691	176	-	514	1	-	-	717	-	-	-	402	242	1	23	17	32
Eastern.....	1,090	167	83	42	26	3	10	3	923	4	7	-	364	455	10	-	49	34
Southern.....	5	2	-	-	-	1	-	1	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
Indiana:																		
Northern.....	56	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	54	-	-	-	52	-	-	-	-	2
Southern.....	1,153	15	12	-	-	2	-	1	1,138	16	149	10	960	-	-	1	-	2
Wisconsin:																		
Eastern.....	235	219	40	19	-	-	157	3	16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16
Western.....	662	206	37	51	54	-	51	13	456	26	1	-	178	245	-	-	1	5
Eighth Circuit.....	6,032	2,922	1,577	385	361	18	221	360	3,110	197	358	297	1,158	688	21	16	103	272
Arkansas:																		
Eastern.....	498	263	263	-	-	-	-	-	235	81	-	128	19	-	-	-	3	4
Western.....	5	4	3	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Iowa:																		
Northern.....	402	148	75	-	4	-	68	1	254	8	15	7	89	126	-	-	-	9
Southern.....	547	183	90	3	38	-	45	7	364	-	1	2	176	140	9	1	5	30
Minnesota.....	1,203	377	252	4	106	5	-	10	826	12	23	-	408	313	12	5	34	19
Missouri:																		
Eastern.....	860	695	256	-	109	-	-	330	165	65	19	20	1	-	-	3	46	11
Western.....	1,591	752	238	378	47	11	76	2	839	12	299	138	183	-	-	6	12	189
Nebraska.....	579	176	99	-	53	-	16	8	403	1	-	-	282	107	-	1	2	10
North Dakota.....	25	25	9	-	1	-	15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
South Dakota.....	322	299	292	-	3	2	-	2	23	18	1	2	-	1	-	-	1	-
Ninth Circuit.....	17,418	12,247	6,784	1,276	1,049	166	575	2,397	5,171	488	144	218	746	2,234	97	64	228	552
Alaska.....	193	189	181	-	4	2	-	2	4	2	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-
Arizona.....	2,079	1,960	1,381	-	7	2	432	138	119	39	6	57	1	5	-	7	-	4
California:																		
Northern.....	3,041	2,202	800	1	181	53	-	1,167	839	-	-	-	96	581	21	12	3	126
Eastern.....	212	154	131	2	2	12	-	7	58	-	-	-	18	12	-	1	24	3
Central.....	3,942	2,839	1,854	-	352	30	-	603	1,103	283	65	142	8	64	2	2	128	409
Southern.....	3,596	3,112	1,406	1,245	216	50	-	195	484	-	-	-	166	173	3	27	-	115
Hawaii.....	501	279	200	10	66	3	-	-	222	-	-	-	68	154	-	-	-	-
Idaho.....	5	5	1	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Montana.....	18	15	1	4	10	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	2
Nevada.....	391	119	2	-	29	7	25	56	272	17	3	7	47	171	3	-	7	17
Oregon.....	2,391	649	316	10	172	2	112	37	1,742	41	11	6	295	1,052	54	1	30	252
Washington:																		
Eastern.....	177	135	125	-	2	-	-	8	42	-	-	-	-	5	6	-	29	2
Western.....	872	589	386	-	8	5	6	184	283	106	59	6	44	17	8	14	7	22
Tenth Circuit.....	4,841	1,595	922	396	20	22	102	133	3,246	239	114	108	933	1,512	-	20	36	284
Colorado.....	279	128	20	-	3	-	102	3	151	28	9	39	-	44	-	3	9	19
Kansas.....	2,865	895	389	386	5	10	-	105	1,970	-	-	-	772	1,012	-	9	-	177
New Mexico.....	713	279	277	-	-	2	-	-	434	80	15	44	160	129	-	6	-	-
Oklahoma:																		
Northern.....	275	136	108	-	6	2	-	20	139	16	5	2	-	112	-	-	-	4
Eastern.....	68	4	3	-	-	-	-	1	64	28	-	-	-	-	-	-	26	10
Western.....	630	142	122	5	6	8	-	1	488	87	85	23	1	215	-	2	1	74
Utah.....	8	8	3	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wyoming.....	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

TABLE P 1. U.S. DISTRICT COURTS. PASSPORT APPLICATIONS, PETITIONS FOR NATURALIZATION AND ALIENS NATURALIZED DURING THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

Circuit and district	Passport applications processed by U.S. district courts	Other agencies processing passport applications			Petitions for naturalization	Aliens naturalized
		U.S. Postal Service	U.S. State Department	State Courts		
Total	42,031	---	---	---	152,247	140,859
District of Columbia	---	no	yes	no	1,005	866
First Circuit	959	---	---	---	6,417	6,347
Maine	751	yes	no	yes	260	245
Massachusetts	---	yes	yes	yes	3,688	3,826
New Hampshire	---	yes	no	yes	114	51
Rhode Island	20	yes	no	yes	465	574
Puerto Rico	---[1]	no	no	no	1,890	1,651
Second Circuit	781	---	---	---	30,916	27,363
Connecticut	67	yes	no	yes	3,813	3,182
New York:						
Northern	---	yes	no	no	---	---
Eastern	---	yes	yes	yes	17,939	15,878
Southern	---	yes	yes	no	7,943	7,258
Western	---	yes	no	no	1,028	866
Vermont	714	yes	no	yes	193	179
Third Circuit	3,684	---	---	---	9,369	7,124
Delaware	425	yes	no	no	306	247
New Jersey	---	no	no	yes	5,458	3,516
Pennsylvania:						
Eastern	---	yes	yes	yes	1,755	1,403
Middle	---	yes	no	no	240	221
Western	---	yes	no	yes	769	829
Virgin Islands	3,259	no	no	no	841	908
Fourth Circuit	4,272	---	---	---	6,695	5,360
Maryland	348	yes	no	yes	2,599	1,849
North Carolina.						
Eastern	367	yes	no	no	392	525
Middle	50	yes	no	yes	163	182
Western	2	yes	no	no	211	213
South Carolina	82	yes	no	no	450	402
Virginia:						
Eastern	2,181[2]	yes	yes	no	2,454	1,755
Western	172	yes	no	yes	180	175
West Virginia:						
Northern	189	yes	no	no	96	108
Southern	881	yes	no	yes	150	151
Fifth Circuit	7,871	---	---	---	29,955	34,241
Alabama:						
Northern	---	yes	no	no	180	196
Middle	4	yes	yes	yes	100	84
Southern	---	yes	no	no	69	70
Florida:						
Northern	3	yes	no	no	396	304
Middle	45	yes	no	no	1,604	1,730
Southern	---	yes	yes	yes	19,838	24,123
Georgia:						
Northern	---	yes	no	no	735	702
Middle	344	yes	no	no	161	180
Southern	435	yes	no	no	207	229
Louisiana:						
Eastern	---	yes	yes	no	545	528
Middle	---	yes	no	no	101	136
Western	1,795	yes	no	no	202	155
Mississippi:						
Northern	---	yes	no	no	73	38
Southern	---	yes	no	no	151	137
Texas:						
Northern	1,768	yes	no	yes	1,046	1,073
Eastern	460	yes	no	no	158	163
Southern	335	yes	no	yes	1,850	1,833
Western	2,682	yes	no	no	2,539	2,560
Canal Zone	---	no	no	no	---	---

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Circuit and district	Passport applications processed by U.S. district courts	Other agencies processing passport applications			Petitions for natural-ization	Aliens natu-ralized
		U.S. Postal Service	U.S. State Depart-ment	State Courts		
Sixth Circuit	8,728	---	---	---	7,188	7,169
Kentucky:						
Eastern	835	yes	no	yes	216	209
Western	---	yes	no	no	312	331
Michigan:						
Eastern	704	no	no	no	2,603	2,986
Western	1,427	yes	no	no	349	294
Ohio:						
Northern	2,597	yes	no	no	1,867	1,873
Southern	1,387	yes	no	no	1,242	1,120
Tennessee:						
Eastern	130	yes	no	no	267	258
Middle	1,648	yes	no	no	226	8
Western	---	yes	no	no	106	90
Seventh Circuit	2,092	---	---	---	15,114	12,629
Illinois:						
Northern	392	yes	yes	no	12,289	10,026
Eastern	---	yes	no	no	248	269
Southern	---	yes	no	no	289	276
Indiana:						
Northern	852	yes	no	yes	694	620
Southern	550	yes	no	yes	576	470
Wisconsin:						
Eastern	1	yes	no	yes	840	787
Western	297	yes	no	yes	178	181
Eighth Circuit	3,436	---	---	---	3,919	3,744
Arkansas:						
Eastern	---	yes	no	no	156	78
Western	271	yes	no	no	35	13
Iowa:						
Northern	---	yes	no	yes	205	206
Southern	---	yes	no	yes	248	305
Minnesota	1,008	yes	no	yes	1,226	1,121
Missouri:						
Eastern	1,800	yes	no	no	857	836
Western	132	yes	no	no	544	578
Nebraska	---	yes	no	no	413	348
North Dakota	2	yes	no	yes	154	192
South Dakota	223	yes	no	yes	81	67
Ninth Circuit	9,058	---	---	---	39,125	33,742
Alaska	1,470	yes	no	no	259	238
Arizona	4,894	yes	no	yes	970	780
California:						
Northern	---	no	yes	no	9,620	9,156
Eastern	739	yes	no	no	2,414	2,281
Central	---	no	no	no	14,344	10,566
Southern	---	yes	no	yes	2,523	2,107
Hawaii	---	no	no	no	4,106	4,248
Idaho	842	yes	no	yes	124	101
Montana	332	yes	no	yes	80	63
Nevada	781	yes	no	yes	557	561
Oregon	---	yes	no	no	929	900
Washington:						
Eastern	---	yes	no	yes	217	201
Western	---	yes	yes	no	1,931	1,465
Guam	---	no	no	no	1,051	1,075
Tenth Circuit	1,150	---	---	---	2,544	2,274
Colorado	30	yes	no	no	1,374	1,312
Kansas	---	yes	no	yes	518	486
New Mexico	30	yes	no	no	190	152
Oklahoma:						
Northern	2	no	no	yes	134	111
Eastern	---	yes	no	no	38	23
Western	1,087	yes	no	yes	241	151
Utah	---	no	no	no	---	---
Wyoming	1	yes	no	no	49	39

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[2]Military Installations also process passport applications.

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