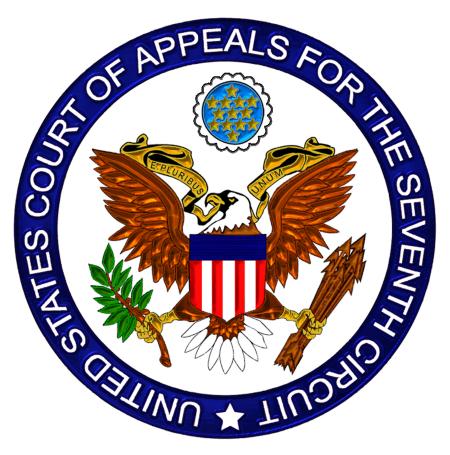
THE JUDICIAL BUSINESS
OF THE
UNITED STATES COURTS
OF THE
SEVENTH CIRCUIT

2012



Report on the Business of the Federal Courts of the Seventh Circuit For the Twelve Month Period From January 1, 2012 to December 31, 2012

The following annual report is submitted to the 62nd annual joint meeting of the Judicial Conference of the Seventh Circuit and the Seventh Circuit Bar Association held on May 05 through May 07, 2013 at the J. W. Marriott Hotel in Indianapolis, Indiana. This report is a collection of statistical data from every court of the circuit and national comparison data for the Circuit Courts of Appeal.

There are a number of people responsible for the collection and assembly of the data contained in these pages. Ms. Catherine J. Whitaker and members of the Statistics Division of the Administrative Office were helpful. We thank them for their hard work, professional service and good advice. Also, thanks to Mr. Christopher Conway, Ms. Desiree St. Germain and Mrs. Jeanette King of the Court of Appeals. This data is available on the Court of Appeals web page at: www.ca7.uscourts.gov.

This report shows that the federal courts of the Seventh Circuit continue to be busy and productive.

Respectfully submitted,

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Clerk, U.S. Court of Appeals for the Seventh Circuit

COURT OF APPEALS FOR THE SEVENTH CIRCUIT TABLES

Table 1

Appeals Commenced and Terminated During the Twelve Month Periods Ended December 31, 2000 Through 2012

Year	Filed	Percent of Change	Terminated	Percent of Change
2000	3,419	-0.4	3,804	19.4
2001	3,447	0.8	3,523	-7.4
2002	3,466	0.6	3,333	-5.4
2003	3,418	-1.4	3,275	-1.7
2004	3,399	-0.6	3,349	2.3
2005	3,926	15.5	3,750	12.0
2006	3,518	-10.4	3,839	2.4
2007	3,151	-10.4	3,078	-19.8
2008	3,409	8.2	3,301	7.2
2009	3,245	-4.8	3,468	5.1
2010	3,098	-4.5	3,336	-3.8
2011	3,005	-3.0	2,987	-10.5
2012	3,031	0.9	3,010	0.8
AVG.(71-80)	1,384	8.9	1,306	8.3
AVG.(81-90)	2,407	4.7	2,298	5.7
AVG.(91-00)	3,243	1.8	3,283	4.0
AVG.(01-08)	3,461	-0.8	3,472	3.1

Table 2

Appeals Commenced, Terminated and Pending During the Twelve Month Period Ended December 31, 2012

		Ca	ses Commen	ced		Cases Terminated								
							Procedural [*]	Termination			Terminations	on the Merits		
	Cases						Cases disposed				Cases disposed	After	After	Cases
	Pending			Re-			of by	Ву	Ву		of by	Oral	Submission	Pending
CASE TYPE	01/01/12	Total	Original	opened 2	Total	Total	Consolidation	Judge	Staff	Total	Consolidation	Hearing	on Briefs	12/31/12
Criminal	542	752	747	5	761	212	0	60	152	549	67	212	270	533
U.S. Prisoner Petitions	167	308	293	15	329	176	0	74	102	153	1	11	141	146
Other U.S. Civil	96	158	157	1	134	63	0	17	46	71	2	47	22	120
Private Prisoner Petitions	266	542	517	25	518	334	0	73	261	184	3	29	152	290
Other Private Civil	689	780	772	8	822	400	5	87	308	422	61	254	107	647
Bankruptcy	29	51	48	3	38	22	0	4	18	16	3	8	5	42
Administrative Cases	110	178	177	1	137	51	3	18	30	86	12	53	21	151
Original Proceedings *	29	262	262	0	271	49	0	26	23	222	4	0	218	20
Total	1,928	3,031	2,973	58	3,010	1,307	8	359	940	1,703	153	614	936	1,949

NOTE: This table includes appeals reopened and remanded, as well as original appeals. This table does not include data for the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit.

¹ Revised.

² Beginning in 2007, the category entitled "REOPENED," which includes all reopened appeals, has replaced the category entitled "REINSTATED." Therefore, data on reopened cases for 2007 and there after are not comparable to data published previously on reinstated cases.

Source of Appeals and Original Proceedings Commenced for the Twelve Month Periods Ended December 31, 2008 Through 2012

Source	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012
Illinois					
Northern	1,200	1,167	1,000	1,034	978
Central	344	321	321	313	301
Southern	199	270	261	230	240
Indiana					
Northern	283	246	218	301	203
Southern	338	330	334	293	330
Wisconsin					
Eastern	328	300	346	285	303
Western	244	221	203	178	185
Bankruptcy	55	51	49	41	51
Admin. Agency, Total	244	159	169	146	178
I.R.S	14	11	6	8	25
N.L.R.B.	25	15	35	11	22
B.I.A.	175	109	114	98	107
All Other					
Agencies	30	24	14	29	24
Original					
Original Proceedings	174	180	197	184	262
Total	3,409	3,245	3,098	3,005	3,031

Table 3

NOTE: Totals include appeals reopened and remanded as well as original appeals
This table does not include data for the U. S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit.
Administrative Agency cases previously reported as Imigration Service (INS) are shown under
Board of Immigration Appeals (BIA) and US Tax Court is shown under IRS.

Table 4

Source of Appeals in Civil and Criminal Cases from U.S. District Courts

During the Twelve Month Period Ended December 31, 2012

		Appeals Filed		Appeals Terminated			
District Courts	Total	Civil	Criminal	Total	Civil	Criminal	
Illinois Northern	978	716	262	984	711	273	
Illinois Central	301	194	107	354	248	106	
Illinois Southern	240	155	85	238	151	87	
Indiana Northern	203	132	71	228	146	82	
Indiana Southern	330	262	68	294	242	52	
Wisconsin Eastern	303	211	92	293	202	91	
Wisconsin Western	185	118	67	173	103	70	
Total	2,540	1,788	752	2,564	1,803	761	

NOTE: Totals include appeals reopened and remanded as well as original appeals.

Table 5

Appeals Filed, Terminated and Pending from U.S. District Courts During the Twelve Month Period Ended December 31, 2012

	Fi	ilings	Termi	nations	Pe	nding	
		Percent		Percent		Percent	
Nature of Proceedings	Number	Of Total	Number	Of Total	Number	Of Total	
Criminal	752	24.8	761	25.3	533	27.3	
U.S. Prisoner Petitions	308	10.2	329	10.9	146	7.5	
Other U.S. Civil	158	5.2	134	4.5	120	6.2	
Priv. Prisoner Petitions	542	17.9	518	17.2	290	14.9	
Other Private Civil	780	25.7	822	27.3	647	33.2	
Bankruptcy	51	1.7	38	1.3	42	2.2	
Administrative Cases	178	5.9	137	4.6	151	7.7	
Original Proceedings	262	8.6	271	9	20	1	
Total	3,031	100.0	3,010	100.0	1,949	100.0	

NOTE: Totals include appeals reopened and remanded as well as original appeals.

Table 6

Appeals Commenced, Terminated and Pending by Nature of Suit or Offense During the Twelve Month Period Ended December 31, 2012

Nature Of Suit Or Offense	Filed	Terminated	Pending
Total Cases	2,540	2,564	1,736
	-	•	
Total Criminal Cases	752	761	533
	'	*	
Total Civil Cases	1,788	1,803	1,203
U.S. Cases	466	463	266
H O Pl-1-48	22	16	22
U.S. Plaintiff		16	22
No. 244-bit - In a farmer of a	1 01	Δ1	
Negotiable Instruments Other Contract Actions	0	0	0 1
	•	•	
Condemnation Of Land	0	0	0
Other Real Property Actions		0	0
Tort Actions	0	0	1
Civil Rights:		•	
Employment	1	3	0
Other Civil Rights	0	1	0
Forfeiture And Penalty	4	2	2 0
Fair Labor Standards Act	0	0	0
Other Labor	4	2	3
Secur., Commod., & Exchg.	3	3	2
Tax Suits	1	1	2
All Other	8	3	11
U.S. Defendant	444	447	244
Outstand Antique	1 01	41	
Contract Actions	2	4	2
Real Property Actions	2	0	3
Tort Actions	11	9	8
Civil Rights:		4.01	- 10
Employment	19	18	12
Other Civil Rights	27	22	19
Prisoner Petitions:			
Motions to Vacate Sentence	189	194	106
Habeas Corpus	57	73	17
Habeas Corpus - Death	0	0	0
Prisoner Civil Rights	1	1	1
Prison Condition	42	39	11
Other Prisoner Petitions	19	22	11
Labor Suits	5	4	3
Social Security Laws	34	35	22
Tax Suits	8	6	5
Environmental Matters	4	3	3
Freedom of Information Act	3	2	1
All Other	21	15	20
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Private Cases	1,322	1,340	937

Table 6

Appeals Commenced, Terminated and Pending by Nature of Suit or Offense During the Twelve Month Period Ended December 31, 2012

[continued]

Nature Of Suit Or Offense	Filed	Terminated	Pending
Federal Question	1,218	1,223	808
Marine Contract		21	0
Other Contract Actions	20	2 28	20
Employers Liability Act	0	20 1	0
Marine Injury	2	1	1
Other Tort Actions	68	71	47
Antitrust	2	2	2
Civil Rights:			
Employment	144	137	113
Other Civil Rights	256	310	157
Prisoner Petitions:			
Habeas Corpus	235	206	138
Habeas Corpus - Death	2	1	2
Prisoner Civil Rights	8	8	6
Prison Condition	294	302	142
Other Prisoner Petitions	3	1	2
Labor Mgmt. Relations Act	6	8	10
Other Labor	52	46	63
Copyright, Patent & Trademark	17	11	14
Secur., Commod., & Exchg.	8	5	9
Const. of State Stats.	9	7	7
All Other	92	76	75
Diversity of Citizenship	104	117	129
Insurance	51	55	42
Other Contract Actions	53	61	87
Real Property Actions	0	0	0
Personal Injury - Prod.	•	<u> </u>	
Liability	0	0	0
Other Personal Injury	0	1	0
Personal Property Damage	0	0	0
All Other	0	0	0
General Local Jurisdiction	0	0	0
Contract Actions	0	0	0
real Property Actions	0	0	0
Tort Actions	0	0	0
Prisoner Petitions	0	0	0
All Other	0	0	0
Total Criminal Cases	752	761	533
Violent Offenses	42	38	29
Hamiaida	1 41	0.1	1
Homicide Robbery	1 21	0 18	18 18
Assault	4	3	10
Kidnapping	12	11	5
Racketeering - Violent	12	!!	
Crime	3	4	2
Carjacking	0	0	0
Terrorism	0	0	1
Other Violent Offenses	<u> </u>	2	i
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Table 6

Appeals Commenced, Terminated and Pending by Nature of Suit or Offense During the Twelve Month Period Ended December 31, 2012

[continued]

Nature Of Suit Or Offense	Filed	Terminated	Pending
Property Offenses	105	100	103
Troporty enemote			100
Burglary	0	0	0
Larcent & Theft, Total	4	5	5
Bank	0	0	0
Postal	0	0	0
Theft, U.S. Property	1	2	0
Transport, Etc. of	•	_	
Stolen Property	1	3	1
Other Larceny and	-	-	•
Theft Offenses	2	0	4
		-	-
Embezzlement	5	5	2
For all Total	1 001	001	00
Fraud, Total	86	83	89
Tax	4	8	4
Financial Institutions	5	10	5
Securities and Exchange	4	0	4
Mail	13	17	 19
Wire, Radio or Television	32	17	31
Social Security	2	1	3
Citizenship and			
Naturalization	0	0	0
Passport	0	1	1
Identification	1	•	<u> </u>
Documents & Information	2	7	1
False claims and	_		<u> </u>
Services, Gov't.	5	2	4
False Statements	4	2	2
Conspiracy To			
Defraud the U.S.	7	9	7
Unauthorized			
Access Devices	3	2	3
Health Care	4	3	5
Other Fraud Offenses	1	4	0
Forgery and Counterfeiting	6	4	5
Other Property Offenses	4	3	2
Drug Offenses	402	38	260
Marijuana, Total	15	12	12
Sell, Distribute, or Dispense	8	9	5
Import / Export	0	0	0
Manufacture	7	3	7
Possession	0	0	0
All Other Drugs, Total	378	382	243
Sell, Distribute, or Dispense	369	374	236
Import / Export	0	0	1
Manufacture	5	5	5
Possession	4	3	1
Other Drug Offenses	9	4	5

Table 6

Appeals Commenced, Terminated and Pending by Nature of Suit or Offense During the Twelve Month Period Ended December 31, 2012
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Other Sex Offenses				
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	Regulatory Offenses	2	6	2
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Unclassified Offenses 9 6 5				
	Unclassified Offenses	9	6	5

Beginning in 2005, categories for criminal offenses were modified. Therefore, offense data for 2005 and thereafter are not comparable to offense data for previous years.

¹ RICO = Racketeer Influenced and Corrupt Organizations.

Table 7

Appeals Terminated on the Merits, by Circuit, During the Twelve Month Period Ended December 31, 2012

	Total	Percent		Disposed			Terminations	on the Merits			
Nature	Appeals	of Total		of by	Affirmed /					Certificate	Percent
of Proceeding	Terminated ¹	Terminations	Total	Consolidation	Enforced ²	Dismissed	Reversed	Remanded	Other	Appealability	Reversed ³
Totals	3,010	56.6	1,703	153	1,000	144	208	16	26	156	14
Criminal	761	72.1	549	67	268	117	89	4	4	0	16.2
U. S. Prisoner Petitions	329	46.5	153	1	57	3	12	3	4	73	7.8
Other U. S. Civil	134	53	71	2	50	2	16	1	0	0	22.5
Priv. Prisoner Petitions	518	35.5	184	3	72	2	20	2	2	83	10.9
Other Private Civil	822	51.3	422	61	284	8	61	0	8	0	14.5
Bankruptcy	38	42.1	16	3	9	1	2	0	1	0	12.5
Administrative Appeals	137	62.8	86	12	52	2	7	6	7	0	8.1
Original Proceedings	271	81.9	222	4	208	9	1	0	0	0	0

¹ Totals include appeals reopened and remanded as well as original appeals.

² Affirmed includes merit terminations, affirmed in part and reversed in part.

³ Percent not shown where the total number of cases terminated on the merits is less than 10. No percentages of cases reversed have been computed for original proceedings because of their difference from appeals, nor have they been included in the percentage of total appeals reversed.

Appeals Terminated by Procedural Judgments During the Twelve Month Period Ended December 31, 2012

			Procedural Terminations												
							By Judges					By Staff			
			Cases					' ''''							
	Appeals		Disposed of		Juris.	FRAP		Appeal-			FRAP		I		
Nature of Proceeding	Terminated	Total	By Consolidation	Total	Defects	42*	Default	ability	Other	Total	42*	Default	Other		
Totals	3,010	1,307	8	359	157	11	13	87	91	940	446	463	31		
Criminal	761	212	0	60	44	2	1	0	13	152	122	29	1		
U.S. Prisoner Petitions	329	176	0	74	12	0	1	54	7	102	17	85	0		
Other U.S. Civil	134	63	0	17	12	0	0	0	5	46	20	25	1		
Priv. Prisoner Petitions	518	334	0	73	25	2	2	33	11	261	21	237	3		
Other Private Civil	822	400	5	87	58	4	6	0	19	308	225	82	1		
Bankruptcy	38	22	0	4	1	1	2	0	0	18	16	2	0		
Administrative Appeals	137	51	3	18	5	2	1	0	10	30	25	3	2		
Original Proceedings	271	49	0	26	0	0	0	0	26	23	0	0	23		

Table 8

NOTE: Totals include appeals reopened and remanded as well as original appeals. Juris defects=jurisdictional defects; cert.appealability=certificate of appealability.

st Voluntary dismissal under Rule 42(b), Federal Rules of Appellate Procedure.

Median Time Intervals* in Cases Terminated after Hearing or Submission by Circuit During the Twelve Month Period Ended December 31, 2012

	All A	ppeals	Prisone	r Petitions	Othe	er Civil	Crin	ninal	Admin.	. Agency	Banl	kruptcy
Total Cases	38,160	1,703	10,307	337	8,988	493	10,340	549	4,587	86	398	16
Cases Disposed of by Consolidation	2,764	153	277	4	1,121	63	899	67	384	12	55	3
Average	Nat.	7th Cir.	Nat.	7th Cir.	Nat.	7th Cir.	Nat.	7th Cir.	Nat.	7th Cir.	Nat.	7th Cir.
From Filing of Notice of Appeal or Docket Date ¹												
to Filing Last Brief	5.9	5.0	7.2	5.8	5.0	4.8	6.1	5.3	7.0	5.0	4.6	4.5
From Filing Last Brief												
to Hearing or Submission	4.5	2.0	5.2	2.3	5.0	2.0	3.3	1.9	5.4	2.1	4.8	2.7
From Hearing												
to Final Disposition	2.0	3.1	2.2	3.4	2.1	3.6	1.8	2.3	1.9	1.6	2.3	3.4
From Submission												
to Final Disposition	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.8	0.2	0.6	0.2	0.6	0.2	0.7	0.2
From Filing of Notice of Appeal or Docket Date ¹												
to Final Disposition	9.6	8.1	7.3	7.1	12.1	10.3	10.5	10.0	13.3	9.3	11.4	9.1
From Filing in Lower Court to Final Disposition												
in Appellate Court	28.9	28.2	26.5	18.9	30.1	30.6	29.8	31.6	0.0	0.0	22.4	17.7

Table 9

 $^{^{1}}$ Docket date is used when computing the median time interval for original proceedings and appeals from administrative agencies

^{*} All time intervals are reported in months.

Certiorari Data During the Twelve Month Period Ended December 31, 2012

	U.S.	Private			Administrative	
	Civil	Civil	Criminal	Prisoner	Appeals	Total
Petitions Pending						
01/01/12	9	10	45	22	4	90
Petitions Filed						
01/01/12 to 12/31/12	11	57	92	99	5	264
Petitions Granted						
01/01/12 to 12/31/12	1	1	29	3	1	35
Petitions Denied						
01/01/12 to 12/31/12	14	55	89	98	7	263
Petitions Dismissed						
01/01/12 to 12/31/12	2	0	3	3	0	8
Petitions Pending		_				
12/31/12	3	11	16	17	1	48

Table 10

U.S. COURT OF APPEALS COMPARISON TABLES

U.S.C.A. Table 1

Type of Opinion or Order Filed in Cases Terminated on the Merits after Oral Hearing or Submission on Briefs During the Twelve Month Period Ended December 31, 2012

		Cases Disposed of by		Written & Signed		-	Reasoned signed *	Written, Without	Percent	
Circuit	Total	Consolidation	Oral	Published	Unpublished	Published	Unpublished	Published	Unpublished	Unpublished
D.C.	649	204	0	173	0	8	264	0	0	40.7
First	1,041	90	0	310	20	12	594	7	8	59.8
Second	3,734	335	0	244	3,108	47	0	0	0	83.2
Third	2,493	89	0	190	1,399	0	699	4	112	88.6
Fourth	4,103	204	0	234	520	5	3,140	0	0	89.2
Fifth	4,568	606	0	319	56	46	3,521	0	20	78.7
Sixth	3,775	265	1	399	892	14	2,193	8	3	81.8
Seventh	1,703	153	0	534	2	16	975	3	20	58.5
Eighth	2,324	134	0	533	4	31	518	2	1,102	69.9
Ninth	8,377	396	0	533	1	45	3,548	11	3,843	88.2
Tenth	1,426	42	0	240	986	4	154	0	0	79.9
Eleventh	3,967	246	0	187	26	61	3,343	0	104	87.5
Total	38,160	2,764	1	3,896	7,014	289	18,949	35	5,212	81.7

^{*} Includes only opinions and orders which expound the law as applied to the facts of the case and detail the judicial reasons upon which the judgment is based.

U.S.C.A. Table 2

Appeals Terminated on the Merits after Oral Hearing or Submission on Briefs During the Twelve Month Period Ended December 31, 2012

		Cases		After Oral H	learing		Α	fter Submissi	on on Briefs	1
		Disposed of by		Percent				Percent		
Circuit	Total	Consolidation	Total	Of Total	En Banc	Panel	Total	of Total	En Banc	Panel
D.C.	649	204	199	30.7	1	198	246	37.9	0	246
First	1,041	90	262	25.2	2	260	689	66.2	0	689
Second	3,734	335	880	23.6	0	880	2,519	67.5	0	2,519
Third	2,493	89	280	11.2	1	279	2,124	85.2	3	2,121
Fourth	4,103	204	434	10.6	1	433	3,465	84.5	0	3,465
Fifth	4,568	606	834	18.3	9	825	3,128	68.5	0	3,128
Sixth	3,775	265	800	21.2	3	797	2,710	71.8	0	2,710
Seventh	1,703	153	614	36.1	5	609	936	55	0	936
Eighth	2,324	134	411	17.7	4	407	1,779	76.5	0	1,779
Ninth	8,377	396	1,495	17.8	20	1,475	6,486	77.4	1	6,485
Tenth	1,426	42	326	22.9	3	323	1,058	74.2	1	1,057
Eleventh	3,967	246	457	11.5	1	456	3,264	82.3	1	3,263
Total	38,160	2,764	6,992	18.3	50	6,942	28,404	74.4	6	28,398

Appeals Commenced, Terminated and Pending by Circuit for the Twelve Month Periods Ended December 31, 2011 and 2012

U.S.C.A. Table 3

		Filed			Terminated		Pending				
			Percent			Percent			Percent		
Circuit	2011	2012	Change ¹	2011	2012	Change ¹	2011 ²	2012	Change ¹		
D.C.	1,143	1,170	2.4	1,083	1,098	1.4	1,347	1,419	5.3		
First	1,534	1,549	1.0	1,494	1,560	4.4	1,252	1,241	-0.9		
Second	5,661	5,310	-6.2	5,175	5,532	6.9	4,875	4,653	-4.6		
Third	3,722	3,699	-0.6	4,158	3,691	-11.2	2,411	2,419	0.3		
Fourth	4,637	5,125	10.5	5,165	5,329	3.2	2,579	2,375	-7.9		
Fifth	7,413	7,627	2.9	7,634	7,299	-4.4	4,462	4,790	7.4		
Sixth	4,734	4,965	4.9	5,281	5,544	5.0	4,774	4,195	-12.1		
Seventh	3,005	3,031	0.9	2,987	3,010	0.8	1,928	1,949	1.1		
Eighth	2,919	3,084	5.7	2,934	2,957	0.8	1,400	1,527	9.1		
Ninth	12,306	12,707	3.3	12,709	13,148	3.5	14,448	14,007	-3.1		
Tenth	2,294	2,156	-6	2,250	2,176	-3.3	1,373	1,353	-1.5		
Eleventh	6,449	6,912	7.2	6,303	6,686	6.1	3,668	3,894	6.2		
Total	55,817	57,335	2.7	57,173	58,030	1.5	44,517	43,822	-1.6		

 $^{^{1}}$ Percent change not computed when fewer than ten cases reported for the previous period.

² Revised.

Length of Time Appeals Pending, in Months, by Circuit as of December 31, 2012

Circuit	Total Pending	0 - 3 Months	4 - 6 Months	7 - 9 Months	10 - 12 Months	Over 12 Months
D.C.	1,419	282	196	192	155	594
First	1,241	329	222	264	135	291
Second	4,653	1,215	917	717	591	1,213
Third	2,419	772	568	413	237	429
Fourth	2,375	1,084	603	305	159	224
Fifth	4,790	1,640	1,190	956	497	507
Sixth	4,195	1,251	846	854	406	838
Seventh	1,949	612	424	272	219	422
Eighth	1,527	637	388	267	121	114
Ninth	14,007	2,787	2,063	1,975	1,557	5,625
Tenth	1,353	430	286	232	154	251
Eleventh	3,894	1,433	978	671	362	450
Total	43,822	12,472	8,681	7,118	4,593	10,958

U.S.C.A. Table 4

U.S.C.A. Table 5

Appeals Disposed of after Oral Hearing During the Twelve Month Periods Ended December 31, 2008 Through 2012

						Percent Change
Circuit	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2011-2012
D.C.	260	267	223	253	199	-21.3
First	340	314	264	307	262	-14.7
Second	1,127	1,345	1,068	780	880	12.8
Third	378	372	326	333	280	-15.9
Fourth	377	366	367	406	434	6.9
Fifth	1,024	1,005	929	955	834	-12.7
Sixth	896	828	731	687	800	16.4
Seventh	813	762	711	699	614	-12.2
Eighth	578	549	544	507	411	-18.9
Ninth	1,926	1,912	1,912	1,722	1,495	-13.2
Tenth	476	499	378	362	326	-9.9
Eleventh	607	478	501	478	457	-4.4
Total	8,802	8,697	7,954	7,489	6,992	-6.6

U.S.C.A. Table 6

		Cases D	isposed				Case Participa	tion by		
		of	by	Resider	nt Active	Resider	nt Senior	Visi	ting	Senior and
		Consol	idation	Circuit	Judges	Circuit	Judges	Juc	lges	Visiting Judges
Circuit	Total	Number	Percent*	Number	Percent*	Number	Percent*	Number	Percent*	Percent*
D.C.	1,950	612	31.4	1,161	86.77	177	13.23	0	0.0	13.2
First	3,127	270	8.6	2,323	81.31	473	16.56	61	2.14	18.7
Second	11,165	1,003	9.0	6,402	63	3,257	32.05	503	5.0	37.0
Third	7,512	267	3.6	5,509	76.04	1,506	20.79	230	3.17	24.0
Fourth	12,342	636	5.2	10,896	93.08	709	6.06	101	0.86	6.9
Fifth	12,437	1,722	13.8	8,780	81.94	1,921	17.93	14	0.13	18.1
Sixth	10,975	827	7.5	6,650	65.53	1,947	19.19	1,551	15.28	34.5
Seventh	4,993	466	9.3	3,480	76.87	940	20.8	107	2.36	23.1
Eighth	7,019	418	6.0	5,403	81.85	1,125	17.04	73	1.11	18.2
Ninth	23,341	1,259	5.4	15,318	69.37	5,947	26.93	817	3.7	30.6
Tenth	4,304	126	2.9	3,134	75.01	1,023	24.49	21	0.5	25.0
Eleventh	10,134	728	7.2	7,385	78.51	1,706	18.14	315	3.35	21.5
Total	109,299	8,334	7.6	76,441	75.71	20,731	20.53	3,793	3.76	24.29

^{*} NOTE: Due to rounding, percents may not add up to 100.

This table does not include data for the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit.

U.S.C.A. Table 7
Administrative Agency, Bankruptcy and Original Proceedings Commenced for the Twelve Month Period Ended December 31, 2012

							CIRCUIT						
SOURCE	TOTAL	1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	5TH	6TH	7TH	8TH	9TH	10TH	11TH	D.C
Total Administrative													
Agency													
AGRI	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	
ARMY	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	
BCA	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	
BIA	6,994	168	1,370	365	213	414	294	107	127	3,534	64	338	
ВОР	5	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	
BPA	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	
BRB	146	1	0	10	81	12	31	4	0	4	3	0	
DEA DHS	6	0	0	0	7	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	
DOE	22 6	0	0	0	0	10 0	1	1	1	1	0	0	
DOI	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	
DOJ	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	
DOST	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Ö	0	0	0	
DVA	1	0	Ö	Ö	Ö	Ö	0	0	Ö	1	Ö	Ö	(
EDUC	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	(
EPA	226	1	2	3	3	9	6	8	9	23	5	1	150
FAA	16	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	2	0	2	10
FCC	51	0	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	3	19	0	2
FCMS	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
FEA	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
FEC	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
FERC FLRA	84 15	0	0	3	2	1	0	2	0	9	1 0	0	60 1
FMC	1 1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	<u>'</u>
FMCS	8	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	
FRA	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Ö	0	Ö	0	
FRS	2	0	1	Ö	Ö	Ö	0	0	Ö	Ö	Ö	Ö	
FTC	2	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	
HHS	16	1	0	2	1	3	2	0	0	4	1	2	
HUD	6	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	3	0	0	
IRS	216	3	16	9	5	15	11	25	11	57	16	28	20
LABR	19	1	2	1	1	1	1	0	2	2	1	5	
MARA	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	
MSHA	4	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	
MSHR NLRB	12 295	9	0 25	0 19	0 23	0 18	0 28	3 22	1 9	1 26	1 3	0 8	10:
NRC	7	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10.
NTSB	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	
OSHA	7	2	Ö	Ö	0	Ö	0	1	0	0	0	1	
OSHC	20	0	5	0	Ö	4	1	1	1	2	0	2	
OWCP	7	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	6	0	0	
PRC	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	(
RRRB	5	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	1	•
SEC	22	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2
SSA	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	
STB	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	
TRAN	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	
TREA TSA	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
BANKRUPTCY	893	28	119	65	63	1 128	54	51	29	0 222	39	87	
ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS	4,364	75	236	370	453	604	483	262	274	741	162	591	11:

Note: Administrative Agency cases previously reported under the Immigration and Naturalization Service (INS) are now reported under the Board of Immigration Appeal (BIA).

SEVENTH CIRCUIT DISTRICT COURTS CIVIL TABLES

Civil Table 1

Civil Cases Commenced, Terminated and Pending, in the District Courts, During the Twelve Month Periods Ended December 31, 2011 and 2012

		Filed			Terminated		Pending			
	Period Ended Dec. 31, 2011	Period Ended Dec. 31, 2012	Percent Change	Period Ended Dec. 31, 2011	Period Ended Dec. 31, 2012	Percent Change	Period Ended Dec. 31, 2011	Period Ended Dec. 31, 2012	Percent Change	
Total	22,244	22,632	1.7	18,168	18,914	4.1	25,267	28,985	14.7	
Illinois Northern	9,757	10,896	11.7	9,137	9,935	8.7	9,494	10,455	10.1	
Illinois Central	1,336	1,381	3.4	1,295	1,099	-15.1	1,177	1,459	24.0	
Illinois Southern	5,028	3,354	-33.3	1,593	1,553	-2.5	9,140	10,941	19.7	
Indiana Northern	1,522	1,979	30.0	1,534	1,632	6.4	1,636	1,983	21.2	
Indiana Southern	2,462	2,675	8.7	2,495	2,520	1.0	2,144	2,299	7.2	
Wisconsin Eastern	1,249	1,368	9.5	1,294	1,309	1.2	1,041	1,100	5.7	
Wisconsin Western	890	979	10.0	820	866	5.6	635	748	17.8	

Civil Table 2

Civil Cases Commenced by Nature of Suit and District During the Twelve Month Period Ended December 31, 2012

		Illinois		India	na	Wisco	nsin	Total
	ND	CD	SD	ND	SD	ED	WD	
Total Civil Cases	10,896	1,381	3,354	1,979	2,675	1,368	979	22,632
United States Cases							·	
Total U.S. Cases	1,110	254	274	406	459	237	244	2,984
Contract	137	2	2	5	12	6	9	173
Real Property	16	36	54	33	12	2	3	156
Tort Actions	81	6	12	8	20	6	10	143
Civil Rights	60	5	5	9	18	6	15	118
Forfeitures and Penalties	27	17	11	33	18	18	27	151
Labor Suits	9	1	2	4	3	1	2	22
Social Security	381	101	59	237	260	135	109	1,282
All Others	229	10	14	16	18	15	19	321
Prisoner Petitions								
Motion to Vacate Sentence	129	71	51	60	63	45	31	450
Habeas Corpus	5	3	47	0	6	2	18	81
Death Penalty	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Civil Rights	6	0	12	1	1	0	1	21
Prison Cond.	12	2	3	0	27	0	0	44
Mandamus & Other	13	0	1	0	1	0	0	15
Private Cases								
Total Private Cases	9,786	1,127	3,080	1,573	2,216	1,131	735	19,648
Contract	993	93	69	130	188	124	88	1,685
Real Property	1,411	70	236	6	30	12	11	1,776
FELA	8	3	7	8	3	3	2	34
Marine Personal Injury	2	2	3	0	1	1	0	9
Motor Vehicle Personal Injury	61	9	25	35	54	5	2	191
Other Personal Injury	1,036	54	2,171	363	130	52	41	3,847
Other Tort Action	131	13	12	42	20	58	29	305
Civil Rights	1,628	192	110	439	536	231	142	3,278
Intellectual Property	565	35	9	24	74	56	64	827
Labor Suits	1,404	102	51	124	226	103	61	2,071
All Other	1,415	71	52	107	353	195	78	2,271
Prisoner Petitions								
Habeas Corpus	239	72	38	160	363	123	42	1,037
Death Penalty	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	2
Civil Rights & Prison Cond.	883	409	297	135	236	164	170	2,294
Mandamus & Other	10	2	0	0	0	4	5	21

Civil Table 3

Civil Cases Terminated, by District and Action Taken, During the Twelve Month Period Ended December 31, 2012

			Court Action							
				Wit	hout Trial	During or After Trial				
		No			During or				Percent	
		Court		Before	After		Non		Reaching	
District	Total	Action	Total	Pretrial	Pretrial	Total	Jury	Jury	Trial	
Illinois Northern	9,935	2,708	7,227	6,295	806	126	21	105	1.3	
Illinois Central	1,098	433	665	635	11	19	6	13	1.7	
Illinois Southern	1,553	586	967	915	11	41	7	34	2.6	
Indiana Northern	1,632	495	1,137	609	506	22	7	15	1.3	
Indiana Southern	2,519	354	2,165	1,331	817	17	7	10	0.7	
Wisconsin Eastern	1,309	210	1,099	1,052	29	18	6	12	1.4	
Wisconsin Western	866	370	496	164	314	18	3	15	2.1	
Total	18,912	5,156	13,756	11,001	2,494	261	57	204	1.4	

NOTE: Excludes land condemnation cases.

Civil Table 4

Median Time Intervals from Filing to Disposition of Civil Cases Terminated, by District and Method of Disposition During the Twelve Month Period Ended December 31, 2012

	Total Cases		No Court Action		Court Action						
					Before Pretrial		During or After Pretrial		Trial		
District	Number of Cases	Median*	Number of Cases	Median*	Number of Cases	Median*	Number of Cases	Median*	Number of Cases	Median*	
Illinois Northern	8,611	6.6	2,486	5.8	5,268	6.2	747	11.7	110	32.9	
Illinois Central	689	9.6	273	7.4	395	10	9	0	12	32.3	
Illinois Southern	1,143	10.7	526	11	586	9.9	9	0	22	25.2	
Indiana Northern	1,291	10.3	396	3	393	9.2	482	15.7	20	27.1	
Indiana Southern	1,927	9.3	259	3.4	850	6.7	803	12.7	15	24.8	
Wisconsin Eastern	1,001	6.9	188	3.5	772	7.4	28	22.4	13	13.7	
Wisconsin Western	635	6.2	242	2.6	125	5.8	252	11.3	16	18.1	
Total	15,297	7.7	4,370	5.6	8,389	6.9	2,330	12.8	208	27.7	

^{*}Median time intervals computed only if ten or more cases.

Excludes: land condemnation cases, prisoner petitions, deportation reviews, recovery of overpayments and enforcement of judgments.

Civil Table 5

Civil Cases Pending, by District and Length of Time Pending, as of December 31, 2012

	Total	Less Than	1 to 2	2 to 3	Three Yea	rs & Over
District		1 Year	years	Years	Number	Percent *
Illinois Northern	10,455	6,618	2,067	741	1,029	9.8
Illinois Central	1,459	941	355	102	61	4.2
Illinois Southern	10,941	2,886	3,775	3,905	375	3.4
Indiana Northern	1,983	1,346	381	156	100	5
Indiana Southern	2,299	1,679	440	120	60	2.6
Wisconsin Eastern	1,100	770	206	82	42	3.8
Wisconsin Western	748	573	146	27	2	0.3
Total	28,985	14,813	7,370	5,133	1,669	5.8

SEVENTH CIRCUIT
DISTRICT COURTS
CRIMINAL TABLES

Criminal Table 1

Criminal Cases Commenced, Terminated and Pending (Including Transfers) During the Twelve Month Periods Ended December 31, 2011 and 2012

		Filed			Terminated	k		Pending	
			Percent			Percent			Percent
District	2011	2012	Change *	2011	2012	Change [*]	2011	2012	Change*
Illinois Northern	612	619	1.1	649	577	-11.1	1,223	1,262	3.2
Illinois Central	365	422	15.6	400	401	0.3	363	358	-1.4
Illinois Southern	299	411	37.5	315	369	17.1	224	271	21.0
Indiana Northern	387	343	-11.4	401	358	-10.7	434	413	-4.8
Indiana Southern	275	242	-12.0	210	270	28.6	277	246	-11.2
Wisconsin Eastern	288	251	-12.8	300	321	7.0	365	282	-22.7
Wisconsin Western	128	151	18.0	140	138	-1.4	186	199	7.0
Total	2,354	2,439	3.6	2,415	2,434	0.8	3,072	3,031	-1.3

^{*} Percent change not computed when fewer than ten cases reported for the previous period.

Criminal Cases Commenced, Terminated and Pending (Including Transfers) During the Twelve Month Period Ended December 31, 2012

Criminal Table 2

	Not Term	nated as of Dec	ember 31,	2011 ¹			Com	menced			
			Class A		Total			Class A			
			Misde-	Petty	Com-			Misde-	Petty	Re-	Trans-
District	Total	Felony	meanor	Offense	menced	Total	Felony	meanor	Offense	Open ²	fers
Illinois Northern	2,001	1,981	20	0	934	930	907	23	0	0	4
Illinois Central	487	426	61	0	581	579	523	52	4	1	1
Illinois Southern	292	288	4	0	512	504	495	7	2	5	3
Indiana Northern	659	652	6	1	427	423	405	18	0	2	2
Indiana Southern	497	497	0	0	446	443	435	7	1	0	3
Wisconsin Eastern	689	682	6	1	362	348	347	1	0	10	4
Wisconsin Western	233	229	4	0	171	166	162	4	0	3	2
Total	4,858	4,755	101	2	3,433	3,393	3,274	112	7	21	19

			Termin	ated			Not ⁻	Terminated as	of Decembe	r 31, 2012 ¹	
	Total			Class A						Class A	
	Termi-			Misde-	Petty	Re-	Trans-			Misde-	Petty
District	nated	Total	Felony	meanor	Offense	Open ²	fers	Total	Felony	meanor	Offense
Illinois Northern	913	910	887	22	1	1	2	2,012	1,986	26	0
Illinois Central	510	510	448	61	1	0	0	535	506	26	3
Illinois Southern	462	456	451	5	0	2	4	347	338	7	2
Indiana Northern	461	459	441	18	0	2	0	605	598	7	0
Indiana Southern	453	448	441	6	1	2	3	483	480	3	0
Wisconsin Eastern	541	538	526	12	0	3	0	486	482	4	0
Wisconsin Western	164	163	157	6	0	1	0	241	238	3	0
Total	3,504	3,484	3,351	130	3	11	9	4,709	4,628	76	5

 $^{^{1}}$ Excludes defendants who had been fugitives more than 12 months before the end of the period indicated.

NOTE: This table includes defendants in all cases filed as felonies or Class A misdemeanors, but includes only those defendants in cases filed as petty offenses that were assigned to district court judges rather than magistrate judges.

 $^{^{2}}$. Includes appeals from magistrate judges, reopens, remands, and retrials after mistrial.

Criminal Table 3

Criminal Cases Commenced, by Major Offense and District, During the Twelve Month Period Ended December 31, 2012

			Violent	Offenses			Property	Offenses		
						Burglary			Forgery &	
						Larceny,	Embezzle-		Counter-	
District	Total	Homicide	Robbery	Assault	Other	and Theft	ment	Fraud	feiting	Other
Total	3,414	2	94	13	38	136	36	629	25	3
Illinois Northern	930	0	69	2	21	48	17	299	5	0
Illinois Central	580	0	4	2	0	4	4	29	7	1
Illinois Southern	509	1	2	1	4	37	1	92	3	0
Indiana Northern	425	0	6	1	6	27	4	80	3	1
Indiana Southern	443	0	5	1	3	5	3	73	2	1
Wisconsin Eastern	358	1	6	6	4	8	3	33	3	0
Wisconsin Western	169	0	2	0	0	7	4	23	2	0

			Firearms &		Justice					
	Dr	ug	Explosives	Sex	System	lmmigi	ration	General	Regulatory	Traffic
	Offe	nses	Offenses	Offenses	Offenses	Offer	nses	Offenses	Offenses	Offenses
		All Other				Improper				
		Other				Reentry				
District	Marijuana	Drugs				by Alien	Other			
Total	118	1038	549	229	30	247	45	86	46	50
Illinois Northern	0	228	85	19	13	89	2	15	18	0
Illinois Central	11	236	72	53	2	59	27	18	4	47
Illinois Southern	16	162	82	38	3	48	15	2	1	1
Indiana Northern	44	68	128	35	5	3	0	6	8	0
Indiana Southern	0	180	69	35	3	18	1	38	6	0
Wisconsin Eastern	36	116	82	32	3	13	0	5	6	1
Wisconsin Western	11	48	31	17	1	17	0	2	3	1

NOTE: This table includes all felony and class A misdemeanor cases, but includes only those petty offense cases that have been assigned to district judges.

Criminal Table 4

Median Time Intervals from Filing to Disposition of Criminal Defendants, by District, During the Twelve Month Period Ended December 31, 2012

	To	otal	Dism	issed	Plea o	f Guilty	Cour	t Trial	Jury	/ Trial
		Median *								
District	Number	Months								
Illinois Northern	911	18.2	53	27.5	782	17	6	0.0	70	27.2
Illinois Central	510	8.7	26	10.1	475	8.6	1	0.0	8	0.0
Illinois Southern	458	7.3	15	3.7	441	7.3	0	0.0	2	0.0
Indiana Northern	461	9.5	42	14.1	394	8.5	0	0.0	25	17.3
Indiana Southern	450	11.1	19	12.9	413	10.8	4	0.0	14	12.2
Wisconsin Eastern	541	10.6	56	31.4	471	9.9	3	0.0	11	18.6
Wisconsin Western	164	6	6	0.0	156	6	0	0.0	2	0.0
Total	3,495	10.4	217	18.5	3,132	9.9	14	16.5	132	22.2

^{*} Medians are computed only for ten or more defendants.

NOTE: This table includes defendants in all felony and class A misdemeanor cases, but includes only those petty offense defendants whose cases have been assigned to district judges. Median time interval computed from the date case was filed to the date the defendant was either found not guilty or was sentenced.

SEVENTH CIRCUIT DISTRICT COURTS COMBINED CIVIL & CRIMINAL TABLES

Civil / Criminal Table 1

Weighted and Unweighted Filings per Authorized Judgeship During the Twelve Month Period Ended December 31, 2012

		We	ighted Filing	ıs Per Judgeship		Unv	eighted Filir	ngs Per Judgesh	ip
District	Judgeships	Civil	Criminal	Supervised Release Hearings	Total	Civil	Criminal	Supervised Release Hearings	Total
Illinois Northern	22	486	39	2.1	527	442	42	14.55	499
Illinois Central	4	306	127	4.68	438	332	145	31.00	508
Illinois Southern	4	593	119	5.1	717	795	127	34.00	956
Indiana Northern	5	380	83	4.63	468	363	85	27.00	475
Indiana Southern	5	575	94	0.74	670	524	89	4.60	618
Wisconsin Eastern	5	286	72	4.24	362	262	70	29.60	362
Wisconsin Western	2	558	80	3.5	642	477	84	25.00	586
Total	47	3,184	614	24.99	3,824	3,195	642	165.75	4,004

NOTE: Case weights are based on the 2003-2004 district court case weighting study conducted by the Federal Judicial Center.

This table excludes civil cases arising by reopening, remand, or transfer to the district by the order of the Judicial Panel on Multidistrict Litigation.

This table includes defendants in all felony and class A misdemeanor cases, but includes only those petty offense defendants whose cases have been assigned to district judges. Remands and reopens for criminal defendants are excluded. This table excludes data for the territorial courts.

Data are reported for supervised release and probation hearings (both evidentiary and non-evidentiary) previously not presented in this table.

Data are obtained from the monthly reports of trials and other court activities conducted by resident and visiting judges.

Due to rounding, subtotals for weighted and unweighted civil, criminal, and revocation filings may not equal totals for weighted and unweighted filings.

Civil and Criminal Trials Completed, by District, During the Twelve Month Period Ended December 31, 2012

			Civil			Criminal	
	Total		Non			Non	
District	All Trials	Total	Jury	Jury	Total	Jury	Jury
Illinois Northern	294	168	72	96	126	70	56
Illinois Central	92	39	25	14	53	46	7
Illinois Southern	72	33	18	15	39	31	8
Indiana Northern	146	23	16	7	123	100	23
Indiana Southern	101	46	32	14	55	43	12
Wisconsin Eastern	52	26	16	10	26	16	10
Wisconsin Western	24	20	10	10	4	0	4
Total	781	355	189	166	426	306	120

Civil / Criminal Table 2

NOTE: Includes trials conducted by district and appellate judges only. All trials conducted by magistrates are excluded. Includes land condemnation trials, hearings on temporary restraining orders and preliminary injunctions, hearings on contested motions and other contested proceedings in which evidence is introduced.

SEVENTH CIRCUIT BANKRUPTCY COURTS TABLES

Bankruptcy Table 1

Bankruptcy Petitions Commenced, Terminated and Pending During the Twelve Month Periods Ended December 31, 2011 and 2012

		Filed			Terminated			Pending	
			Percent			Percent			Percent
District	2011	2012	Change ¹	2011	2012	Change ¹	2011 ²	2012	Change ¹
Illinois Northern	59,093	56,954	-3.6	58,882	49,845	-15.3	50,600	57,708	14.0
Illinois Central	8,814	7,462	-15.3	9,224	8,550	-7.3	9,550	8,462	-11.4
Illinois Southern	5,303	4,696	-11.4	6,018	5,602	-6.9	9,303	8,397	-9.7
Indiana Northern	15,909	14,430	-9.3	16,474	15,631	-5.1	18,716	17,515	-6.4
Indiana Southern	23,427	21,751	-7.2	24,148	23,313	-3.5	36,450	34,888	-4.3
Wisconsin Eastern	19,430	18,442	-5.1	18,670	18,068	-3.2	18,050	18,423	2.1
Wisconsin Western	7,878	7,013	-11.0	7,981	7,222	-9.5	6,056	5,847	-3.5
Total	139,854	130,748	-6.5	141,397	128,231	-9.3	148,725	151,240	1.7

¹ Percent change not computed when fewer than ten cases reported for the previous period. REVISED.

NOTE: Due to differences among districts in reporting intra-district transfers, the total provided above for cases pending on December 31, 2011 may not equal the number obtained by adding totals for cases pending at the end of the prior period plus cases filed during the current period, then subtracting cases terminated during the current period.

Bankruptcy Table 2

Adversary Proceedings Commenced, Terminated and Pending During the Twelve Month Period Ended December 31, 2012

	Pending	Filed	Terminated	Pending
District	1/1/2012 ¹	2012	2012	12/31/12
Illinois Northern	1,901	2,233	2,777	1,357
Illinois Central	233	219	290	162
Illinois Southern	247	404	509	142
Indiana Northern	416	601	616	401
Indiana Southern	700	640	709	631
Wisconsin Eastern	634	985	1,060	559
Wisconsin Western	198	251	308	141
Total	4,329	5,333	6,269	3,393

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Bankruptcy Table 3

Business and Nonbusiness Bankruptcy Cases Commenced, by Chapter of the Bankruptcy Code, During the Twelve Month Periods Ended December 31, 2011 and 2012

	2011	2012		2011	2012	2011	2012	2011	2012	2011	2012
	Total	Total	Percent	Chap	Chap	Chap	Chap	Chap	Chap	Chap	Chap
District	Filings	Filings	Of Change	7	7	11	11	12	12	13	13
Illinois Northern	59,093	56,954	-3.6	43,878	39,699	334	339	0	0	14,881	16,916
Illinois Central	8,814	7,462	-15.3	7,071	5,994	21	41	1	1	1,721	1,426
Illinois Southern	5,303	4,696	-11.4	3,344	3,003	11	13	3	2	1,945	1,678
Indiana Northern	15,909	14,430	-9.3	12,493	10,942	31	46	2	6	3,383	3,436
Indiana Southern	23,427	21,751	-7.2	16,699	15,288	87	69	5	3	6,636	6,390
Wisconsin Eastern	19,430	18,442	-5.1	14,611	13,416	43	48	17	13	4,759	4,965
Wisconsin Western	7,878	7,013	-11.0	6,738	5,907	44	49	19	21	1,077	1,036
Total	139,854	130,748	-6.5	104,834	94,249	571	605	47	46	34,402	35,847

	Total						
	Business	Chap	Chap	Chap	Chap		
District	Filings	7	11	12	13		
Illinois Northern	1,644	1,267	305	0	72		
Illinois Central	171	119	40	1	11		
Illinois Southern	90	60	11	2	17		
Indiana Northern	227	148	44	6	29		
Indiana Southern	462	365	64	3	29		
Wisconsin Eastern	410	317	43	13	37		
Wisconsin Western	283	185	44	21	33		
Total	3,287	2,461	551	46	228		

	Total				
	Non-Business	CHAP	CHAP	CHAP	
District	Filings	7	11	13	
Illinois Northern	55,310	38,432	34	16,844	
Illinois Central	7,291	5,875	1	1,415	
Illinois Southern	4,606	2,943	2	1,661	
Indiana Northern	14,203	10,794	2	3,407	
Indiana Southern	21,289	14,923	5	6,361	
Wisconsin Eastern	18,032	13,099	5	4,928	
Wisconsin Western	6,730	5,722	5	1,003	
Total	127,461	91,788	54	35,619	

NOTE: These figures include the following cases not reflected elsewhere:

Chapter 9

DE = 58 VA, E = 1 LA, E = 1 TX, S = 2 MI, E = 4 OH, N = 3

IN, S = 1 IA, N = 1 IA, S = 1 AZ = 2 CA, E = 3 CA, C = 2

NV = 1 AL, N = 1 FL, M = 1

Chapter 15 was added and Section 304 was terminated by changes in the bankruptcy laws effective October 17, 2005.

(1) Section 101 of the U.S. Bankruptcy Code defines consumer (nonbusiness) debt as that incurred by an individual primarily for a personal, family, or household purpose. If the debtor is a corporation or partnership, or if debt related to operation of a business predominates, the nature of the debt is business.

SEVENTH CIRCUIT PROBATION OFFICE TABLES

Probation Table 1

People Received for Supervision During the Twelve Month Period Ended December 31, 2012

	Persons Under		Total		Term Of			Received
	Supervision	Total	Less		Supervised		ВОР	By
District	01/01/12	Received	Transfers	Probation ¹	Release	PAROLE ²	Custody ³	Transfer
Illinois Northern	2,567	936	903	133	763	7	0	33
Illinois Central	718	321	299	19	280	0	0	22
Illinois Southern	715	292	278	35	242	1	0	14
Indiana Northern	869	425	398	70	325	3	0	27
Indiana Southern	695	303	289	49	236	4	0	14
Wisconsin Eastern	1,056	497	481	87	389	5	0	16
Wisconsin Western	367	169	157	15	141	1	0	12
Total	6,987	2,943	2,805	408	2,376	21	0	138

People Removed from Supervision During the Twelve Month Period Ended December 31, 2012

								Persons
				Term Of			Removed	Under
	Total	Less		Supervised		ВОР	Ву	Supervision
District	Removed	Transfers	Probation ¹	Release	PAROLE ²	Custody ³	Transfer	12/31/12
Illinois Northern	935	875	126	740	9	0	60	2,567
Illinois Central	308	288	23	261	3	1	20	731
Illinois Southern	264	246	25	221	0	0	18	743
Indiana Northern	428	409	71	331	7	0	19	864
Indiana Southern	293	283	46	232	5	0	10	705
Wisconsin Eastern	427	415	83	327	5	0	12	1,126
Wisconsin Western	166	159	25	132	2	0	7	370
Total	2,821	2,675	399	2,244	31	1	146	7,106

¹ Includes conditional release and probation.

 $^{^{2}}$ Includes parole, special parole, mandatory release, and military parole

³ BOP = Bureau of Prisons