

**Table B-4B.**

**U.S. Courts of Appeals—Median Time Intervals in Months for Bankruptcy Cases Terminated on the Merits, by Circuit, During the 12-Month Period Ending September 30, 2016**

Circuit	Terminated on the Merits													
	Total	By Consolidation	Median Time Intervals From											
			Filing of Notice of Appeal or Docket Date to Filing of Appellee's Last Brief		Filing of Appellee's Last Brief to Oral Argument or Submission on Briefs		Oral Argument to Last Opinion or Final Order		Submission on Briefs to Last Opinion or Final Order		Filing of Notice of Appeal to Last Opinion or Final Order		Filing in Lower Court to Last Opinion or Final Order in Appeals Court	
			Cases	Interval	Cases	Interval	Cases	Interval	Cases	Interval	Cases	Interval	Cases	Interval
<b>Total</b>	<b>411</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>249</b>	<b>5.0</b>	<b>249</b>	<b>4.1</b>	<b>156</b>	<b>2.1</b>	<b>200</b>	<b>0.7</b>	<b>356</b>	<b>12.2</b>	<b>356</b>	<b>24.3</b>
DC	3	2	1	9.4	1	1.8	1	5.0	-	-	1	16.1	1	17.5
1st	13	-	12	5.4	12	1.8	7	3.5	6	0.8	13	10.4	13	21.1
2nd	40	6	23	6.0	23	4.3	12	1.0	22	0.2	34	10.0	34	20.0
3rd	34	1	25	5.8	25	2.7	5	2.3	28	3.4	33	12.4	33	21.1
4th	29	5	15	3.1	15	4.0	4	1.6	20	0.3	24	7.4	24	16.2
5th	47	11	33	4.9	33	4.2	24	0.7	12	1.9	36	10.0	36	19.8
6th	21	3	17	5.2	17	4.0	8	2.7	10	0.8	18	11.5	18	21.4
7th	24	-	22	3.7	22	2.6	18	4.1	6	0.2	24	11.1	24	21.2
8th	18	4	12	4.0	12	4.5	8	3.0	6	1.1	14	11.8	14	21.2
9th	123	19	42	6.1	42	16.9	55	0.9	49	0.3	104	25.4	104	37.4
10th	17	-	17	4.8	17	2.4	4	5.3	13	2.1	17	10.3	17	24.2
11th	42	4	30	3.4	30	4.0	10	2.6	28	2.3	38	10.0	38	19.9

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