

**Table B.**  
**U.S. Courts of Appeals—Cases Commenced, Terminated, and Pending**  
**During the 12-Month Periods Ending September 30, 2019 and 2020**

Circuit	Commenced			Terminated			Pending		
	2019	2020	Percent Change <sup>1</sup>	2019	2020	Percent Change <sup>1</sup>	2019 <sup>2</sup>	2020	Percent Change <sup>1</sup>
<b>Total</b>	<b>48,486</b>	<b>48,190</b>	<b>-0.6</b>	<b>47,889</b>	<b>48,300</b>	<b>0.9</b>	<b>38,841</b>	<b>38,731</b>	<b>-0.3</b>
DC	908	1,118	23.1	1,023	972	-5.0	1,100	1,246	13.3
1st	1,342	1,284	-4.3	1,288	1,236	-4.0	1,395	1,443	3.4
2nd	4,260	4,698	10.3	3,890	4,496	15.6	4,096	4,298	4.9
3rd	3,503	2,877	-17.9	3,018	3,574	18.4	2,805	2,108	-24.8
4th	4,517	4,680	3.6	4,233	4,200	-0.8	2,729	3,209	17.6
5th	7,020	6,401	-8.8	7,109	6,154	-13.4	4,632	4,879	5.3
6th	4,243	4,306	1.5	4,101	4,347	6.0	2,756	2,715	-1.5
7th	2,622	2,609	-0.5	2,713	2,525	-6.9	1,712	1,796	4.9
8th	2,812	2,766	-1.6	2,849	2,998	5.2	1,768	1,536	-13.1
9th	10,106	10,400	2.9	10,210	10,504	2.9	11,268	11,164	-0.9
10th	1,757	1,737	-1.1	1,737	1,794	3.3	1,252	1,195	-4.6
11th	5,396	5,314	-1.5	5,718	5,500	-3.8	3,328	3,142	-5.6

NOTE: This table does not include data for the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit. Beginning in March 2014, data include miscellaneous cases not included previously.

<sup>1</sup> Percent change not computed when fewer than 10 cases reported for the previous period.

<sup>2</sup> Revised.