

Table M-4B.

**U.S. District Courts—Reports and Recommendations Issued by U.S. Magistrate Judges Under 28 U.S.C. 636(b)
During the 12-Month Period Ending September 30, 2009**

Circuit and District	Total	Prisoner Petitions			Social Security	Special Master References	Other Civil Motions Under Section 636(b)(1)(B)	Criminal Motions Under Section 636(b)(1)(B)
		State Habeas	Federal Habeas	Civil Rights				
TOTAL	39,751	8,734	2,517	10,522	4,296	336	8,847	4,499
DC	26	0	0	1	0	0	25	0
1ST	936	117	45	167	97	1	429	80
ME	259	29	22	32	52	0	98	26
MA	160	35	9	25	6	0	85	0
NH	140	36	0	70	7	0	27	0
RI	143	15	2	32	22	0	61	11
PR	234	2	12	8	10	1	158	43
2ND	2,016	226	85	373	229	15	962	126
CT	197	8	0	9	51	1	111	17
NY,N	358	42	0	181	86	0	49	0
NY,E	467	18	2	19	0	0	414	14
NY,S	742	116	77	111	77	14	297	50
NY,W	202	28	3	37	9	0	82	43
VT	50	14	3	16	6	0	9	2
3RD	1,511	440	90	435	187	0	351	8
DE	47	0	0	0	15	0	32	0
NJ	74	0	0	4	0	0	70	0
PA,E	390	204	14	0	135	0	29	8
PA,M	420	48	54	162	25	0	131	0
PA,W	560	182	20	257	12	0	89	0
VI	20	6	2	12	0	0	0	0
4TH	3,487	691	290	1,133	449	0	765	159
MD	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
NC,E	104	0	2	0	34	0	43	25
NC,M	486	90	76	125	48	0	122	25
NC,W	137	0	0	0	17	0	110	10
SC	1,612	405	15	796	116	0	278	2
VA,E	259	58	12	24	41	0	124	0
VA,W	139	0	5	6	77	0	45	6
WV,N	424	75	103	105	62	0	14	65
WV,S	324	63	77	77	54	0	27	26

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		State Habeas	Federal Habeas	Civil Rights				
5TH	8,175	1,600	656	2,119	564	0	1,440	1,796
LA,E	417	147	0	169	46	0	50	5
LA,M	322	42	7	138	13	0	118	4
LA,W	806	112	53	293	95	0	215	38
MS,N	78	19	0	35	16	0	8	0
MS,S	311	105	21	123	15	0	47	0
TX,N	1,641	522	118	277	109	0	261	354
TX,E	1,802	371	200	844	130	0	238	19
TX,S	1,982	147	123	103	45	0	229	1,335
TX,W	816	135	134	137	95	0	274	41
6TH	3,307	614	157	647	848	1	758	282
KY,E	162	36	16	2	13	1	22	72
KY,W	126	37	15	0	39	0	14	21
MI,E	773	51	76	229	197	0	206	14
MI,W	515	177	1	214	63	0	53	7
OH,N	180	84	7	7	27	0	45	10
OH,S	922	217	35	124	274	0	266	6
TN,E	273	1	3	0	107	0	26	136
TN,M	319	11	2	71	128	0	103	4
TN,W	37	0	2	0	0	0	23	12
7TH	454	27	11	73	66	0	190	87
IL,N	46	0	0	2	2	0	42	0
IL,C	120	0	0	0	42	0	76	2
IL,S	108	16	11	69	4	0	8	0
IN,N	40	0	0	2	9	0	28	1
IN,S	52	0	0	0	9	0	35	8
WI,E	77	4	0	0	0	0	1	72
WI,W	11	7	0	0	0	0	0	4
8TH	2,653	302	110	897	341	0	335	668
AR,E	652	76	31	499	34	0	12	0
AR,W	269	13	18	123	89	0	16	10
IA,N	118	12	0	4	66	0	10	26
IA,S	15	1	0	6	0	0	7	1
MN	587	100	29	101	45	0	208	104
MO,E	356	66	0	0	92	0	3	195
MO,W	260	4	15	129	0	0	33	79
NE	169	0	0	1	0	0	23	145
ND	61	15	0	19	6	0	20	1
SD	166	15	17	15	9	0	3	107

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		State Habeas	Federal Habeas	Civil Rights				
9TH	7,580	3,082	354	2,212	498	67	958	409
AK	72	16	9	2	0	0	7	38
AZ	359	112	76	25	23	0	70	53
CA,N	36	0	0	0	1	0	35	0
CA,E	2,499	899	65	1,274	117	0	129	15
CA,C	2,322	1,583	115	346	77	0	107	94
CA,S	270	167	2	68	15	0	9	9
HI	179	4	0	3	1	53	39	79
ID	33	0	0	1	1	0	31	0
MT	228	48	0	68	14	0	61	37
NV	253	2	0	116	9	0	84	42
OR	692	105	15	64	113	0	358	37
WA,E	85	20	2	37	4	14	7	1
WA,W	544	126	70	208	123	0	16	1
GU	8	0	0	0	0	0	5	3
10TH	1,469	273	77	437	256	0	381	45
CO	423	37	23	199	0	0	161	3
KS	115	0	0	1	95	0	15	4
NM	232	46	51	46	5	0	60	24
OK,N	74	1	0	0	23	0	48	2
OK,E	54	3	3	0	40	0	1	7
OK,W	477	184	0	185	85	0	20	3
UT	90	2	0	6	6	0	74	2
WY	4	0	0	0	2	0	2	0
11TH	8,137	1,362	642	2,028	761	252	2,253	839
AL,N	477	152	46	139	0	0	94	46
AL,M	639	176	29	308	7	0	82	37
AL,S	389	83	22	109	28	0	123	24
FL,N	966	200	58	377	126	0	191	14
FL,M	1,121	0	4	1	156	1	709	250
FL,S	2,323	401	283	640	264	0	542	193
GA,N	1,221	175	62	3	75	251	451	204
GA,M	377	62	37	194	57	0	7	20
GA,S	624	113	101	257	48	0	54	51

NOTE: Totals include both civil and criminal reports and recommendations.