DOWNWARD DEPARTURES WITH *BOOKER* /18 U.S.C. § 3553: DEGREE OF DECREASE FOR OFFENDERS IN EACH PRIMARY OFFENSE CATEGORY<sup>1</sup> Fiscal Year 2012

Table 31B

		Median Sentence	Median Decrease in Months From	Median Percent Decrease From
PRIMARY OFFENSE	N	in Months	<b>Guideline Minimum</b>	Guideline Minimum
TOTAL	777	29	18	41.5
Murder	0			
Manslaughter	2			
Kidnapping/Hostage Taking	1			
Sexual Abuse	1			
Assault	6	37	14	46.3
Robbery	13	36	10	21.7
Arson	0			
Drugs - Trafficking	279	48	24	36.2
<b>Drugs - Communication Facility</b>	4	27	28	51.6
Drugs - Simple Possession	0			
Firearms	86	36	17	34.1
Burglary/B&E	1			
Auto Theft	0			
Larceny	13	0	12	100.0
Fraud	117	15	13	48.6
Embezzlement	5	0	12	100.0
Forgery/Counterfeiting	5	0	9	100.0
Bribery	3	24	21	60.0
Tax	12	6	12	74.9
Money Laundering	11	0	24	100.0
Racketeering/Extortion	15	39	16	41.7
Gambling/Lottery	1			
Civil Rights	1			
Immigration	102	24	15	38.6
Child Pornography	54	60	42	42.9
Prison Offenses	3	12	6	33.2
Administration of Justice Offenses	18	5	13	77.1
Environmental/Wildlife	8	0	14	100.0
National Defense	1			
Antitrust	1			
Food & Drug	0			
Other Miscellaneous Offenses	14	0	14	100.0

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Of the 84,173 cases, 811 received a downward departure from the guideline range with *Booker/* 18 U.S.C § 3553. Of these, 780 cases had complete guideline application information. Due to an inability to calculate the extent of departure for cases with a guideline minimum of life, an additional three cases were also excluded from this table. Note that the information presented in this table does include sentences of probation, but does not include any time of alternative confinement as described in USSG §5C1.1. Descriptions of variables used in this table are provided in Appendix A.

SOURCE: U.S. Sentencing Commission, 2012 Datafile, USSCFY12.