

Date: May 1, 2007
 To: Court of Appeals Judges, Director of State Courts, Staff Counsel, Clerk's Office Staff
 From: David R. Schanker, Clerk
 Re: COURT OF APPEALS MONTHLY STATISTICAL REPORT - JANUARY

Cumulative: January 1, 2007 through January 31, 2007

APPELLATE DISTRICT	I	II	III	IV	TOTAL
Cases Carried Over from December 31	<u>702</u>	<u>453</u>	<u>376</u>	<u>476</u>	<u>2007</u>
Civil	309	255	213	294	1071
Criminal	393	198	163	182	936
Cases Filed	<u>64</u>	<u>54</u>	<u>58</u>	<u>70</u>	<u>246</u>
Civil	32	33	35	33	133
Criminal	32	21	23	37	113
Cases Docketed	<u>766</u>	<u>507</u>	<u>434</u>	<u>546</u>	<u>2253</u>
Civil	341	288	248	327	1204
Criminal	425	219	186	219	1049
Cases Reopened	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>
Civil	0	0	0	2	2
Criminal	0	0	0	0	0
Cases Terminated*	<u>49</u>	<u>54</u>	<u>77</u>	<u>47</u>	<u>227</u>
Opinion - Civil	8	15	8	14	45
Opinion - Criminal	<u>11</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>27</u>
Subtotal	19	17	17	19	72
Sum. Disp. - Civil	4	9	4	6	23
Sum. Disp. - Criminal	<u>13</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>57</u>
Subtotal	17	25	25	13	80
Memo Opinion - Civil	9	7	28	9	53
Memo Opinion - Criminal	<u>1</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>13</u>
Subtotal	10	11	34	11	66
Other - Civil	1	1	1	3	6
Other - Criminal	<u>2</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>3</u>
Subtotal	3	1	1	4	9
Cases Pending	<u>717</u>	<u>453</u>	<u>357</u>	<u>501</u>	<u>2028</u>
Civil	319	256	207	297	1079
Criminal	398	197	150	204	949

* Terminations are adjusted to reflect dispositions by panels assigned to cases filed in other districts and cover the "number of cases" terminated.

Cases Activity During the Month of January 2007

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Cases Reopened	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>
Civil	0	0	0	2	2
Criminal	0	0	0	0	0
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Notices of Appeal Filed:	I	II	III	IV	TOTAL
One-Judge Appeals	<u>6</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>34</u>
Civil	5	6	7	7	25
Criminal	1	2	2	4	9
Three-Judge Appeals	<u>53</u>	<u>40</u>	<u>44</u>	<u>49</u>	<u>186</u>
Civil	24	21	24	20	89
Criminal	29	19	20	29	97
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Sup. Writs Filed	3	4	1	2	10
Sup. Writs Terminated	<u>4</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>14</u>
Granted	0	0	0	1	1
Denied, Dismissed, Other	4	2	5	2	13
Sup. Writs Pending	15	9	2	10	36
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Leave to Appeal Filed	3	3	3	7	16
Leave to Appeal Terminated	<u>1</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>17</u>
Granted	1	0	0	1	2
Denied, Dismissed, Other	0	3	7	5	15
Leave to Appeal Pending	20	4	6	10	40

Additional Matters During the Month of January 2007

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APPELLATE DISTRICT	I	II	III	IV	TOTAL
Motions Filed					
Numbered Cases	106	119	61	117	403
Extensions of Time	71	48	44	53	216
Unnumbered Cases	93	53	35	41	222
Sua Sponte Matters	<u>28</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>39</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>97</u>
Total Motions Filed	298	234	179	227	938
Motions Terminated					
Numbered Cases	99	90	69	96	354
Extensions of Time	60	57	49	52	218
Unnumbered Cases	80	58	31	36	205
Sua Sponte Matters	<u>18</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>37</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>83</u>
Total Motions Terminated	257	218	186	199	860
Motions Pending					
Numbered Cases	102	67	24	92	285
Extensions of Time	19	2	2	13	36
Unnumbered Cases	32	11	3	11	57
Sua Sponte Matters	<u>23</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>44</u>
Total Motions Pending	176	83	38	125	422
Opinions Circulating:	33	15	3	7	58
Opinions Approved but not Released:	3	2	3	0	8
Petitions for Bypass Filed					
Civil	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Criminal	0	0	0	0	0
Certifications Filed					
Civil	<u>0</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1</u>
Criminal	0	0	0	0	0
Petitions for Review Filed					
Civil	<u>25</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>27</u>	<u>84</u>
Criminal	15	9	4	18	46
	10	12	7	9	38

**Wisconsin Court of Appeals
Explanation of Termination Categories**

OPINIONS

Includes three-judge and one-judge authored opinions and per curiam opinions. All per curiam opinions are assigned to a supervising judge who has the responsibility for approval of the final draft of the opinion after circulation to the panel.

SUMMARY DISPOSITIONS

Includes opinions issued in the form of a court order after the court has reviewed the briefs and record, and following a screening and decision conference(s). All dispositions in this category are assigned to a supervising judge who is responsible for approval of the final draft of the opinion after circulation to the panel.

MEMO OPINIONS

Includes opinions issued in the form of a court order prior to a screening and decision conference(s). Examples of memo opinions are: jurisdictional terminations; petitions for writs denied or granted if the order terminates the action; petitions for leave to appeal that are denied; summary disposition of unscreened cases – usually upon a motion; motions to dismiss on the merits that are granted; transfers to circuit court; any other miscellaneous termination of an appeal in which judicial time is expended and a full explication of reasoning is set forth.

OTHER

Includes miscellaneous orders terminating cases that are issued by the Clerk's Office. Examples of miscellaneous orders are: voluntary dismissals; stipulations to dismiss; failure of an appellant to submit filing fee information.

Please Note: Case filings are counted according to the district of origin and tracked through the appellate process in the filing district. Terminations, however, are counted in the district that issued the opinion. For example, a case filed in District IV, but transferred to District III, will be counted as a pending case in District IV until the opinion is issued when adjustments will be made to reflect the termination by District III. In this example, the District III termination will result in one less case pending in District IV.

Page 2 of the Monthly Statistical Report reflects how many cases terminated by a particular district are transfer cases. Page 3 of the report reflects the current status of transfer cases.