

Date: August 3, 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 - JULY

Cumulative: January 1, 2007 through July 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>464</u>	<u>396</u>	<u>374</u>	<u>440</u>	<u>1674</u>
Civil	225	192	206	260	883
Criminal	239	204	168	180	791
Cases Docketed	<u>1166</u>	<u>849</u>	<u>750</u>	<u>916</u>	<u>3681</u>
Civil	534	447	419	554	1954
Criminal	632	402	331	362	1727
Cases Reopened	<u>7</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>30</u>
Civil	7	4	4	9	24
Criminal	0	3	1	2	6
Cases Terminated*	<u>436</u>	<u>397</u>	<u>422</u>	<u>413</u>	<u>1668</u>
Opinion - Civil	122	88	100	105	415
Opinion - Criminal	<u>98</u>	<u>38</u>	<u>54</u>	<u>56</u>	<u>246</u>
Subtotal	220	126	154	161	661
Sum. Disp. - Civil	26	61	27	32	146
Sum. Disp. - Criminal	<u>51</u>	<u>86</u>	<u>85</u>	<u>65</u>	<u>287</u>
Subtotal	77	147	112	97	433
Memo Opinion - Civil	77	66	94	73	310
Memo Opinion - Criminal	<u>44</u>	<u>35</u>	<u>38</u>	<u>54</u>	<u>171</u>
Subtotal	121	101	132	127	481
Other - Civil	13	12	21	20	66
Other - Criminal	<u>5</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>27</u>
Subtotal	18	23	24	28	93
Cases Pending	<u>737</u>	<u>459</u>	<u>333</u>	<u>514</u>	<u>2043</u>
Civil	303	224	181	333	1041
Criminal	434	235	152	181	1002

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

Case Activity During the Month of July 2007

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APPELLATE DISTRICT	I	II	III	IV	TOTAL
Cases Filed	<u>44</u>	<u>68</u>	<u>61</u>	<u>73</u>	<u>246</u>
Civil	25	28	30	45	128
Criminal	19	40	31	28	118
Cases Terminated	<u>75</u>	<u>48</u>	<u>60</u>	<u>47</u>	<u>230</u>
Opinion - Civil	24	11 1 - IV/II	12 1 - IV/III	11 3 - III/IV	58
Opinion - Criminal	15	2	8	10 1 - I/IV	35
Sum. Disp. - Civil	3	11 2 - IV/II	1	3	18
Sum. Disp. - Criminal	8	5 1 - I/II	19	10 1 - III/IV 1 - I/IV	42
Memo Opinion - Civil	17	8	11	5	41
Memo Opinion - Criminal	6	5	3	7	21
Other - Civil	2	1	5	0	8
Other - Criminal	0	5	1	1	7
Cases Reopened	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>5</u>
Civil	1	1	1	1	4
Criminal	0	1	0	0	1
Notices of Appeal Filed:	I	II	III	IV	TOTAL
One-Judge Appeals	<u>4</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>43</u>
Civil	4	4	4	11	23
Criminal	0	4	9	7	20
Three-Judge Appeals	<u>34</u>	<u>55</u>	<u>40</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>179</u>
Civil	15	21	18	29	83
Criminal	19	34	22	21	96
Sup. Writs Filed	7	1	1	5	14
Sup. Writs Terminated	<u>5</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>11</u>
Granted	1	0	0	1	2
Denied, Dismissed, Other	4	2	1	2	9
Sup. Writs Pending	22	5	3	17	47
Leave to Appeal Filed	0	4	6	4	14
Leave to Appeal Terminated	<u>2</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>11</u>
Granted	0	2	0	0	2
Denied, Dismissed, Other	2	3	3	1	9
Leave to Appeal Pending	20	5	8	4	37

Additional Matters During the Month of July 2007

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APPELLATE DISTRICT	I	II	III	IV	TOTAL
Motions Filed					
Numbered Cases	90	91	58	96	335
Extensions of Time	87	60	47	43	237
Unnumbered Cases	87	77	36	50	250
Sua Sponte Matters	<u>33</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>26</u>	<u>88</u>
Total Motions Filed	297	243	155	215	910
Motions Terminated					
Numbered Cases	114	103	49	85	351
Extensions of Time	82	59	51	54	246
Unnumbered Cases	94	76	37	57	264
Sua Sponte Matters	<u>32</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>81</u>
Total Motions Terminated	322	256	146	218	942
Motions Pending					
Numbered Cases	103	43	31	78	255
Extensions of Time	11	4	6	10	31
Unnumbered Cases	9	7	4	7	27
Sua Sponte Matters	<u>9</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>37</u>
Total Motions Pending	132	57	51	110	350
Opinions Circulating:	51	15	0	13	79
Opinions Approved but not Released:	1	9	0	7	17
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Petitions for Bypass Filed	<u>0</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>2</u>
Civil	0	2	0	0	2
Criminal	0	0	0	0	0
Certifications Filed	<u>0</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>
Civil	0	1	0	1	2
Criminal	0	0	0	0	0
Petitions for Review Filed	<u>14</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>54</u>
Civil	8	10	5	7	30
Criminal	6	9	1	8	24

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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.