

C. Case Deadline – Drafted Opinions

- **Cases drafted 30 days prior to Distress.**
 - **100% compliance that all cases be drafted prior to Artificial Distress Date (30 days prior to Actual Distress)**

Key Partners – COA-Judges & Staff

Objective – Fewer cases to be newly circulated just prior to Distress

State Strategic Link/Anticipated Impact -

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D. New Drafting Policy to Enhance Case Processing Efficiency

- Implement new drafting deadline policy.**
 - 50% of offices working on current term**

Key Partners – COA-Judges & Staff

Objective – Assists in meeting deadlines should there be a court shutdown due to disaster, threat, etc.

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E. Reduce Caseloads for Judge/Staff

- **Increase floating staff to assist Judges offices.**
- **Increase # of Judgeships**

Costs: Startup – Atty-\$10,000 / Judgeship-\$50,000

Ongoing - Atty-\$152,000 / Judgeship-\$1M

Type of Funds - State Funds-Enhancement (One-time & Ongoing)

Key Partners – COA Judges & Legislature

Objective – Emphasis on Quality versus Quantity.

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