

COURT OF APPEALS CASELOAD

1993 - 1994

Filed	1993	1994
Appeals	2,601	2,895
Discretionary Applications	479	611
Interlocutory Applications	450	458
Total	3,530	3,964

Disposed

By Opinion	2,183	2,339
By Order	512	586

Discretionary Applications

Granted	127	136
Denied	296	355
Total Dismissed	51	70
Dismissed because appellant should have filed direct (notice) appeal	12	16
Transferred to Supreme Court	0	0
Withdrawn	1	0
Changed to Interlocutory	4	0
Total	479	561*

Although the proposed legislation does not apply to improperly filed interlocutory applications, the following is included for your information:

Interlocutory Applications

Granted	142	148
Denied	247	255
Total Dismissed	49	40
Dismissed because appellant should have filed direct (notice) appeal	17	14
Transferred to Supreme Court	1	0
Withdrawn	0	0
Total	439	443*

*Some applications filed during 1994 remain pending at this time.

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October 24, 1994

Chief Judge Marion T. Pope, Jr.
Court of Appeals of Georgia
403 State Judicial Building
Atlanta, GA 30334

Dear Judge Pope:

We appreciate your advising us of your efforts to look at various approaches to cope with the ever-increasing caseload of the Court of Appeals and how your court can provide the best service to the public in the future. I wish that I could be with you and the court at your planning meeting on November 7-8, but as I mentioned earlier, I will be otherwise engaged on those dates.

Several days ago, Holly Sparrow and I met with Bill Martin to discuss how we might assist your court in this effort. The following ideas came out of that discussion:

1. Workload of the Court of Appeals--We are enclosing two graphs which are intended to reflect the actual filings of the Court of Appeals of Georgia (as reported to us by the Clerk's office over the years) from 1983 through 1992 and with projections through 2002, and actual opinions written from 1983 through 1992 with projections to 2002. We have discussed these graphs with Bill Martin, and he is checking the data, especially the declines that are shown for certain years.

2. Comparison of filings and opinions for intermediate appellate courts in other states--We are enclosing a table which appears in the National Center for State Courts' State Court Caseload Statistics 1992 Annual Report that compares the number of judges, population, filings, and opinions for several courts of appeal.

3. Ideas from other states--I have already sent to you a list from the National Center for State Courts of several ideas being used in other states to cope with increased appellate caseload. Additionally, Holly has compiled a short list of additional ideas from a review of literature on the subject, which is attached.

4. Use of a local facilitator--Based on our telephone discussion, it is evident that you and the court are aware of many approaches to deal with the future of the court. We have found it valuable to use a trained facilitator to lead discussions of this sort, to draw the ideas out of the persons at the table, to help in identifying the various clients and constituencies to be served, to keep the group focused, and to add perspective. This is often difficult for a member of the group to do, no matter how able and articulate, because of the close relationships and the politics of all groups. There are many qualified persons who could provide this service to you, but the one we suggest if he is available is Dr. Louis Phillips of the University of Georgia. He is a very senior and seasoned facilitator whom we have used on some court projects in the past. He is able to establish the proper environment in which everyone's ideas can be heard and evaluated in a creative and completely non-threatening way. If you are interested in this, we can make the arrangements for you.

5. Advice from someone with national experience and a national perspective--We are aware of two persons who do work at the national level with appellate courts. They are Thomas B. Marvell of Justec Research in Williamsburg, Va., and Roger Hanson of the National Center for State Courts, also in Williamsburg. Dr. Greg Arnold spoke with Mr. Marvell recently in seeking information we might pass on to you, and as a result, Marvell sent us the enclosed resume, including a list of his publications (which is also an excellent bibliography of things written about the work of appellate courts). He sent us copies of the articles marked by an "x", and we will be glad to give them to you if someone on the court would like to read them. We are enclosing a copy of "State Appellate Court Responses to Caseload Growth" from Judicature 1989 by Mr. Marvell because it provides an especially good survey of possible innovations.

I don't know if your court is interested in using outside people like this, but if you are, we can investigate having their fees and travel expenses paid by an educational grant of funds through the American University in Washington, D.C. As

you can see from his letter, Marvell is interested and available on these dates. I do not know Marvell personally. I do know Hanson--he is a PhD research type, but is poised, well-mannered, and has done a great deal of work with appellate judges.

These are the thoughts that have initially occurred to us, and we will continue to think about it. If you are interested in having a facilitator or a nationally-based person(s), or both, we will be glad to immediately make arrangements for them to be with you. If you think of something else, please let me know.

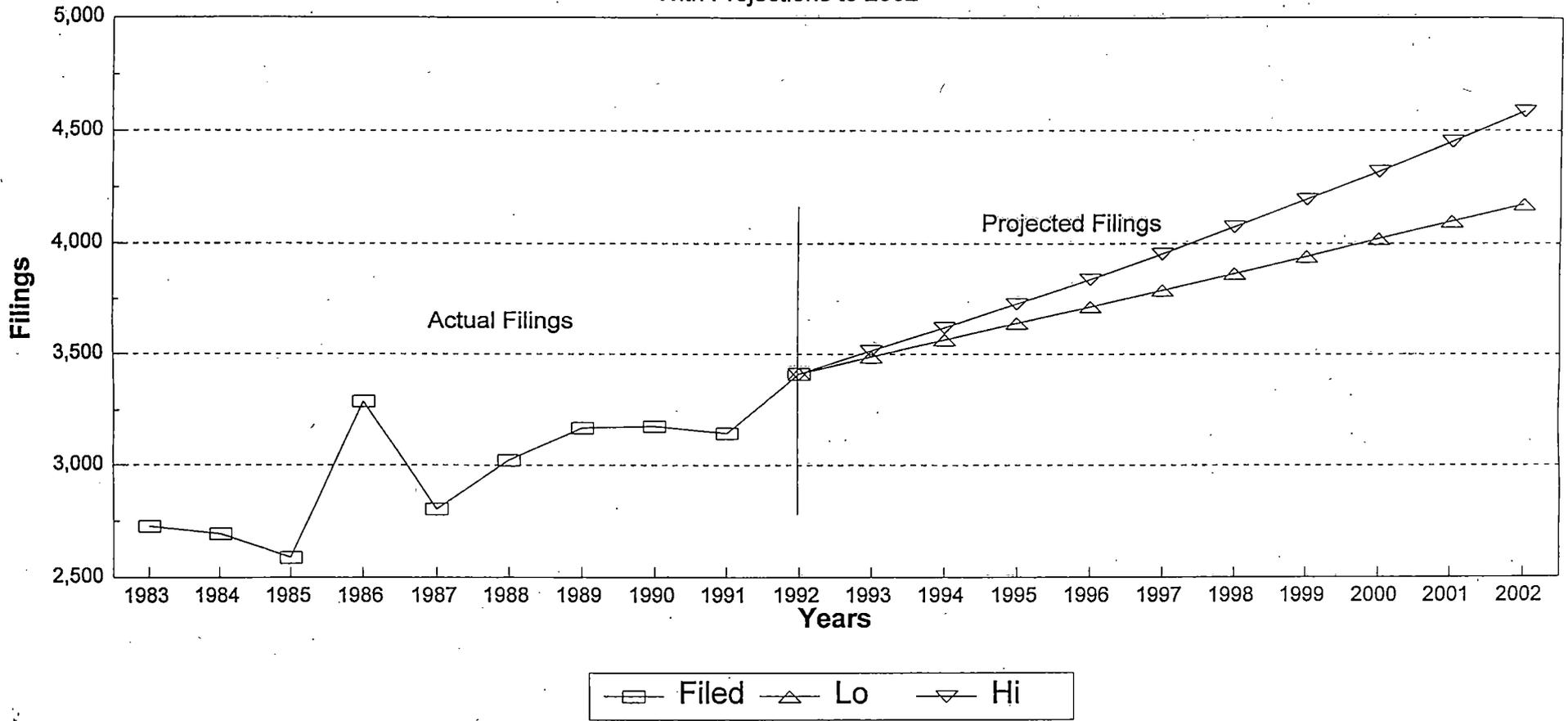
Sincerely,


Robert L. Doss, Jr.
Director

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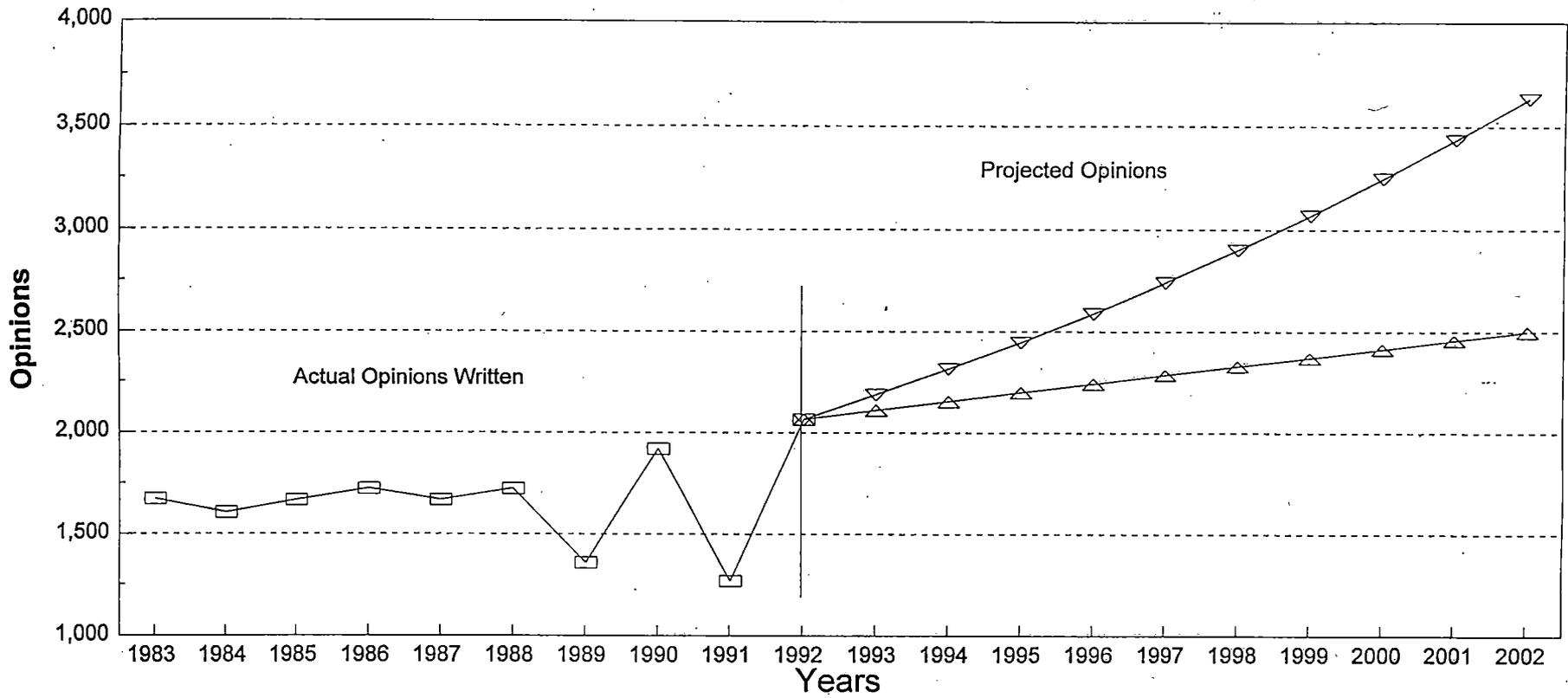
cc: Mr. William L. Martin, III ✓

Graph 1
Court of Appeals Projections
Actual Filings from 1983 to 1992
 With Projections to 2002



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Graph 2
Court of Appeals Projections
Actual Opinions Written: 1983 to 1992
With Projections to 2002



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Intermediate Appellate Court
Population, Judges, Total Filings and Opinions, and Total Filings and Opinions per Judge

	Population	Judges	Total		Per Judge	
			Filings	Opinions	Filings	Opinions
California	29,760,021	88	21,628	11,718	246	133
New York	17,990,455	47 ¹	11,187		238	
Texas	16,986,510	89 ²	15,164	5,923	170	67
Florida	12,937,926	57 ³	19,136	334	336	6
Pennsylvania	11,881,643	15 ⁴	7,121		475	
Illinois	11,430,602	50	9,126	2,234	183	45
Ohio	10,847,115	65	11,377	7,781	175	120
Michigan	9,295,297	24	12,960	331	540	14
New Jersey	7,730,188	30	6,871	3,623	229	121
North Carolina	6,628,637	12	1,660	960	138	80
Georgia	6,478,216	9	3,412	2,065	379	229
Virginia	6,187,358	10	2,611	623	261	62
Massachusetts	6,016,425	14	2,840	210	203	15
Indiana	5,544,159	13 ⁵	1,876		144	
Missouri	5,117,073	32	3,826	1,677	120	52
Wisconsin	4,891,769	15	3,187	850	212	57
Tennessee	4,877,185	21 ²	2,292	1,682	109	80
Washington	4,866,692	17	4,093	1,542	241	91
Maryland	4,781,468	13	2,149	241	165	19
Minnesota	4,375,099	16	2,382	1,304	149	82
Louisiana	4,219,973	53	8,934	3,190	169	60

1 This state has multiple appellate courts; data is for the Appellate Division of Superior Court.

2 This state has multiple appellate courts; data is combined for both Court of Criminal Appeals and Court of Appeals.

3 This state has multiple District Courts of Appeal; data is combined for all.

4 This state has multiple appellate courts; data is for the Superior Court (IAC).

5 This state has multiple appellate courts; data is for the Court of Appeals

DATA FROM: State Court Caseload Statistics: Annual Report 1992



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MEMORANDUM

TO: Robert L. Doss, Jr., Director

FROM: Holly Sparrow 

RE: Changes or innovations considered by Appellate Courts

DATE: October 21, 1994

In addition to the list provided by Mr. Roger Hanson of the NCSC, states have experimented with the following items:

1. No opinions, memo or unpublished opinions
2. Special sentencing calendars as in New Jersey
3. Creation of multiple intermediate appellate courts either on a regional basis or organized by subject matter jurisdiction
4. Increased number of and greater authority given to staff research attorneys either as personal employees of the judges or as central staff
5. Changes in the jurisdictional split between court of last resort and intermediate appellate court
6. Change in discretionary and mandatory appeals
7. Change in the number and size of judicial panels
8. Use of either retired or trial court judges on appellate panels

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October 6, 1994



Greg Arnold
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Dear Mr. Arnold:

To follow up on our phone conversation today, I enclose my resume and several articles I wrote concerning appellate courts' attempts to deal with caseload volume. There is much more written on the topic, of course, but it is easiest for me to send copies of my materials. Many other writings can be found from the citations there.

You also brought up the possibility that I might attend an appellate judge retreat, probably in November. I think I could contribute, especially with information about what is going on in other states. I would be glad to go, therefore, assuming I have not scheduled anything else for the time. My daily fee is \$320. Travel and lodging would be at economy rates, with an upper limit of \$500.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Thomas B. Marvell".

Thomas B. Marvell

RESUME

THOMAS B. MARVELL

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PRESENT POSITION

I am president of Justec Research, which is a nonprofit corporation established in 1984 to conduct empirical research on the courts and the criminal justice system. I have directed the following projects, funded by the State Justice Institute, National Institute of Justice, and Bureau of Justice Statistics:

A study of the division of jurisdiction between state supreme courts and intermediate courts, concentrating on states where the supreme court has authority to transfer cases between the two courts.

A study to estimate the impact of sentencing laws -- including determinate sentencing, sentencing guidelines, and enhanced penalties for gun use -- on crime and prison population in the fifty states.

Evaluation of abbreviated procedures in several state intermediate appellate courts.

A study of the impact of speedy trial laws, judgeship increases, and guilty plea rates on state court delay in criminal cases.

An nationwide evaluation of the major changes made by appellate courts to increase efficiency from 1968 to 1984.

Analysis of the extent and causes of trial and appellate court caseload growth.

PREVIOUS POSITIONS

Senior Staff Attorney, National Center for State Courts, 300 Newport Avenue, Williamsburg, VA 23185, 1977-84. My duties included a wide range empirical research and technical assistance activities. I developed and directed several projects, including a study of why attorneys prefer federal or state courts in student rights cases. Also, I conducted smaller evaluations of individual trial or appellate courts in seven states, and I had major roles in studies of mental health forensic screening, child abuse litigation, and procedures in complex cases.

Attorney, Federal Home Loan Bank Board, Washington, D.C., 1966-67.
Attorney in the General Counsel's Office.

EDUCATION

Harvard University, B.A., 1961.

University of Michigan Law School, J.D., 1964.

University of Michigan, Ph.D. (Sociology), 1976.

ORGANIZATION MEMBERSHIPS

District of Columbia Bar; Law and Society Association; American Judicature Society; American Society of Criminology.

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% VARIANCE:	3.1	.8	8.7	8.4	3.6-	12.7	3.9	8.5	4.8	5.4-
AVG. CASES PER JUDGE:	0054	0052	0052	0047	0043	0045	0039	0038	0034	0033
INTERLOCUTORY APPL.:	0377	0450	0486	0450	0400	0401	0361	0391	0313	0343
% VARIANCE:	19.4-	8.0-	7.4	11.1	.3-	10.0	8.3-	19.9	9.6-	4.7
AVG. CASES PER JUDGE:	0041	0050	0054	0050	0044	0044	0040	0043	0034	0038
TOTAL MATTERS DOCT:	3762	3526	3412	3145	3178	3169	3023	2804	3292	2587
AVG. CASES PER JUDGE:	0418	0391	0379	0349	0353	0352	0335	0311	0365	0287

STATE	NUMBER OF OPINIONS	NUMBER OF JUDGES	OPINIONS JUDGE
Ohio	7,781	65	120
Oklahoma	1,399	12	117
Oregon	691	10	69
Pennsylvania	1,664	9	185
South Carolina	379	6	63
Tennessee	1,893	26	73
Texas	6,050	98	62
Utah	273	7	39
Virginia	623	10	62
Washington	1,542	17	91
Wisconsin	850	15	57

Delaware, Maine, Mississippi, Montana, Nebraska, Nevada, Rhode Island, South Dakota, Vermont, West Virginia and Wyoming have no intermediate appellate courts.

Information on the opinions reports for Idaho, Kentucky and New York was not available.



Court of Appeals

Memorandum

To: Judge Johnson
From: Sheila Collins *sc*
Subject: Case Load Status Report
Date: September 15, 1994

As of the close of the docket for the September, 1993 call (on July 15, 1993) there were approximately 240 cases docketed per judge. A total of 2162 cases to date.

As of the close of the docket for the September, 1994 call (on July 15, 1994) there were approximately 256 cases docketed per judge. Total of 2303 cases to date.

cc: Bill Martin ✓



Court of Appeals

Memorandum

To: Bud Tirey
From: *WJ Martin*
Bill Martin
Subject: Court Technology Survey, National Center for State Courts
Date: August 23, 1994

Attached please find a copy of the National Center for State Courts' questionnaire on Court Technology. I would appreciate your reviewing sections 2, 3 & 4 and responding appropriately.

If you have any questions regarding the questionnaire, or if you feel there are questions we should not answer, please feel free to discuss the matter with me.

As always, I want to thank you in advance for your help and cooperation.

Complete

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Court of Appeals

Memorandum

To: Judge Johnson
From: Sheila Collins *sc*
Subject: Case Load Status Report
Date: August 15, 1994

As of the close of the docket for the October, 1993 call (on August 16, 1993), there were 266 cases docketed per judge. A total of 2365 cases to date.

As of the close of the docket for the October, 1994 call (on August 15, 1994), there were 289 cases docketed per judge. A total of 2608 cases to date.

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TABLE CLASSIFICATION: CASE CLASSIFICATION

01	000	CIVIL, TO BE CLASSIFIED
01	003	Dismissal/Tort/Malcious Prosecution
01	004	JNOV/TORT/MALICIOUS PROSECUTION
01	005	TORT/DAMAGES
01	006	SJ/Tort/Damages
01	007	Dismissal/Tort/Damages
01	008	JNOV/Tort/Damages
01	009	Contract/Lease
01	010	SJ/Contract/Damages
01	011	Dismissal/Contract/Damages
01	012	JNOV/Contract/Damages
01	013	CONTRACT/REAL PROPERTY
01	014	SJ/Contract/Lease
01	016	JNOV/Contract/Lease
01	017	Contract/Employment
01	018	SJ/Contract/Employment
01	019	Dismissal/Contract/Employment
01	020	JNOV/Contract/Employment
01	021	Contract Insurance
01	022	SJ/Contract/Insurance
01	023	Dismissal/Contract/Insurance
01	024	JNOV/Contract/Insurance
01	025	SJ/CONTRACT/PROMISSORY NOTE
01	026	CONTRACT/PROMISSORY NOTE
01	027	JNOV/CONTRACT PROMISSORY NOTE
01	028	DISMISSAL/CONTRACT/PROMISSORY NOTE
01	029	CONTRACT/ACCOUNT
01	030	SJ/CONTRACT/ACCOUNT
01	031	JNOV/CONTRACT/ACCOUNT
01	032	DISMISSAL/CONTRACT/ACCOUNT
01	033	NEGLIGENCE/MEDICAL MALPRACTICE
01	034	SJ/NEGLIGENCE/MEDICAL MALPRACTICE
01	035	JNOV/NEGLIGENCE/MEDICAL MALPRACTICE
01	036	DISMISSAL/NEGLIGENCE/MEDICAL MALPRACTICE
01	037	NEGLIGENCE/PROPERTY DAMAGE
01	038	SJ/NEGLIGENCE/PROPERTY DAMAGE
01	039	JNOV/NEGLIGENCE/PROPERTY DAMAGE
01	040	DISMISSAL/NEGLIGENCE/PROPERTY DAMAGE
01	041	NEGLIGENCE/WRONGFUL DEATH
01	042	SJ/NEGLIGENCE/WRONGFUL DEATH
01	043	JNOV/NEGLIGENCE/WRONGFUL DEATH
01	044	DISMISSAL/NEGLIGENCE/WRONGFUL DEATH
01	045	Negligence/Personal Injury
01	046	SJ/Negligence/Personal Injury
01	047	JNOV/Negligence/Personal Injury
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01	049	WORKER'S COMPENSATION
01	050	EMINENT DOMAIN
01	051	CONDEMNATION

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01	054	CONTEMPT
01	055	CONTRACT/ATTORNEY FEES
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01	057	REAL PROPERTY/EASEMENT
01	058	LICENSING
01	059	DECLARATORY JUDGMENT
01	060	ENFORCEMENT OF SETTLEMENT
01	061	Domestication of Judgment
01	062	TROVER
01	063	TORT/LIBEL
01	065	SUMMARY JUDGMENT/CONDEMNATION
01	066	GARNISHMENT/YOST
01	067	Tort/Soverign Immunity
01	068	Violation of Ga. Securities Act
01	069	SJ/TORT/GOVN'T IMMUNITY
01	070	UCCJA/Transfer
01	071	Adoption
01	072	SJ/Civil Rights
01	073	DISMISSAL/APPELLATE PROCEDURE
01	074	SJ/TORT/LIBEL
01	075	CHILD SUPPORT
01	076	WRIT OF POSSESSION
01	077	PRO SE MOTIONS
01	078	Contract Damages
01	079	Negligence/Personal Injury
01	080	Administrative
01	081	ESTATE ADMINISTRATION
01	082	SJ/Real Property/Lien
01	083	Real Property/Lease
01	084	SJ/TRUST
01	085	Declaratory Judgment/Contract/Insurance
01	086	NEG/ATTY FEES
01	087	TORT/TRESPASS
01	088	JUROR MISCONDUCT
01	089	SJ/CONTRACT/REAL PROPERTY
01	090	SJ/TORT/SOVEREIGN IMMUNITY
01	091	ATTORNEY FEES
01	092	REAL PROPERTY/TRESPASS
01	093	NEGLIGENCE/VENUE
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01	096	REAL PROPERTY/TITLE TO LAND
01	097	ENFORCEMENT OF JUDGMENT

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01	100	FELA
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01	102	BOND FORFEITURE
01	103	AD VALOREM TAXES
01	104	APPOINTMENT OF COUNSEL
01	105	SJ/NEGLIGENCE/LEGAL MALPRACTICE
01	106	TORT/VENUE
01	107	WITNESS FEES
01	108	CHILD CUSTODY/ET AL
01	109	REAL PROPERTY/CONFIRMATION
01	110	SJ/REAL PROPERTY/LEASE
01	111	REAL PROPERTY/PARTITION
01	112	PRO SE/REQUEST FOR TRANSCRIPT
01	113	RECEIVERSHIP
01	114	GUARDIANSHIP
01	115	REVIVAL OF DORMANT JUDGMENT
01	116	DIVORCE
01	117	SUMMARY JUDGMENT/CONTRACT
01	118	CONTRACT/VENUE
01	119	NEW TRIAL/JUROR MISCONDUCT
01	120	DISQUALIFICATION OF COUNSEL
01	121	NEGLIGENCE/LEGAL MALPRACTICE
01	122	GRAND JURY PROCEEDINGS
01	123	SUMMARY JUDGMENT/YOST
01	124	VISITATION RIGHTS
01	125	ADMINISTRATIVE EMPLOYMENT
01	126	REAL PROPERTY
01	127	MURDER/SOLICITATION
01	128	REAL PROPERTY/LIEN
01	129	MOTION TO COMPEL
01	130	POST JUDGMENT/MOTIONS
01	131	DISMISSAL/CIVIL RIGHTS
01	132	SUMMARY JUDGMENT/REAL PROPERTY
01	133	DECLARATORY JUDGMENT/WRONGFUL DEATH
01	<u>134</u>	<u>MOTION TO SET ASIDE</u>
01	135	ARBITRATION
01	136	SUMMARY JUDGMENT/PRIVILEGE
01	<u>137</u>	<u>MOTION TO SET ASIDE</u>
01	138	LOCAL ORDINANCE
01	139	DISMISSAL/CONTRACT/LEASE
01	140	DEPRIVATION
01	141	SUMMARY JUDGMENT/AFDC
01	142	DECLARATORY JUDGMENT/CONTRACT

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01	143	SUMMARY JUDGMENT/CIVIL PROCEDURE
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01	147	NEGLIGENCE/PROFESSIONAL MALPRACTICE
01	148	NEGLIGENCE/DISCOVERY, MOTION
01	149	FALSE ARREST
01	150	YEAR'S SUPPORT
01	151	APPELLATE PROCEDURE
01	152	REAL PROPERTY
01	153	SUMMARY JUDGMENT/ACCOUNT
01	154	DISMISSAL/ESTATE ADMINISTRATION
01	155	AFDC
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01	157	TROVER/CONTRACT/ACCOUNT
01	158	MOTION TO DISMISS/STATUTE OF LIMITATION
01	159	DISCOVERY/DENIAL OF SANCTIONS
01	160	MOTION TO SET ASIDE/LICENSING
01	161	MOTION TO QUASH
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01	163	JNOV/CONTRACT/REAL PROPERTY
01	164	SJ/ARBITRATION
01	165	SJ/MOTION IN LIMINE
01	166	INVERSE CONDEMNATION
01	167	PROBABLE CAUSE
01	168	DAMAGES/SALES/FBPA
01	169	S/J LOCAL ORDINANCE
01	170	PETITION FOR NAME CHANGE
01	171	BREACH OF CONTRACT
01	172	REAL PROPERTY/CONFIRMATION
01	173	MOTION TO DISMISS
01	174	SJ/NEGLIGENCE/LEGAL MALPRACTICE
01	175	MANDAMUS
01	176	URESA
01	177	MOTION TO INTERVENE
01	178	REAL PROPERTY/NUISANCE
01	179	ELECTIONS
01	180	WRONGFUL DEATH/APPORTIONMENT OF PROCEEDS
01	181	SJ/TORT/MALICIOUS PROSECUTION
01	182	SJ/DISCRIMINATION
01	183	SUMMARY JUDGMENT/BANKING
01	184	INJUNCTIVE RELIEF
01	185	DISMISSAL/REAL PROPERTY/LIEN
01	186	CONVERSION
01	187	CIVIL RIGHTS

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01	190	REAL PROPERTY/TAXATION
01	191	LOWER COURT COSTS
01	192	DECLARATORY JUDGMENT
01	193	DISCOVERY MOTION
01	194	MOTION TO STAY
01	195	GEORGIA CEMETARY ACT
01	196	ATTORNEY FEES
01	197	STATUTORY PUBLICATIONS
01	198	MOTION TO RECUSE
01	200	ZONING
01	201	MOTION TO ADD PARTY
01	202	ATTORNEY-CLIENT PRIVILEGE
01	203	SJ/CONTRIBUTION
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01	205	DEFAULT JUDGMENT
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01	210	THIRD PARTY COMPLAINT
01	211	SJ/THRID PARTY COMPLAINT
01	212	JNOV/THIRD PARTY COMPLAINT
01	213	DISMISSAL/THIRD PARTY COMPLAINT
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01	215	SUNSHINE LAW
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01	217	SJ/UNIFORM COMMERCIAL BANKING CODE
01	218	SJ/UCC
01	219	BANKING
01	220	FORECLOSURE
01	221	DISMISSAL/NEGLIGENCE/LEGAL MALPRACTICE
01	222	SJ/NEGLIGENCE/UM
01	223	DIRECTED VERDICT/NEG. PERSONAL INJURY
01	224	DIRECTED VERDICT/CONTRACT/LEASE
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01	239	SEVERANCE
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01	502	Armed Robbery
01	503	Rape
01	504	Kidnapping
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01	506	Involuntary Manslaughter
01	507	Aggravated Assault
01	508	Child Molestation
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01	513	Theft by Taking
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01	517	MOTION IN LIMINE/DUI
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01	520	DUI/plea in bar
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01	522	Cruelty to Animals
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01	524	Delinquency
01	525	Theft by receiving stolen property
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01	527	TRESPASS
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01	529	traffic violations
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01	540	TERRORISTIC THREATS
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01	543	MOTION TO SUPPRESS/VGCSA
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01	549	HARASSING PHONE CALLS
01	550	HABEAS CORPUS
01	551	INEFFECTIVE ASSISTANCE OF COUNSEL
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01	553	ROBBERY
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01	555	AGGRAVATED BATTERY
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01	557	DISCHARGE OF FIREARM IN PUBLIC
01	558	ABANDONMENT
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01	560	ENTERING AUTOMOBILE
01	561	MANDAMUS
01	562	BAD CHECKS
01	563	OBSTRUCTION OF AN OFFICER
01	564	BOND DENIAL
01	565	RELEASE FROM CIVIL COMMITMENT
01	566	CRIMINAL TRESPASS
01	567	UNDERAGE/ALCOHOL
01	568	MUNITY IN PENAL INSTITUTE
01	569	POSSESSION OF WEAPON BY INMATE
01	570	PUBLIC DRUNKENNESS
01	571	SPEEDY TRIAL DEMAND
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01	588	AGGRAVATED SODOMY
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01	616	CRIMINAL INTERFERENCE/GOVERNMENT PROPERTY
01	617	FURNISHING ALCOHOL TO MINOR
01	618	IMPERSONATING AN OFFICER
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01	640	FALSE REPORT OF A CRIME
01	641	CARRYING A CONCEALED WEAPON
01	642	RACING
01	643	EXPUNGE RECORD
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02	035	VACATED AND REINSTATED ON MFR
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02	037	VACATED IN PART/AFFIRMED IN PART
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02	104	I/A TRANSFERRED TO SUPREME COURT
02	105	I/A MFR/DENIED
02	106	I/A MFR/GRANT
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03	011	##### FLAG VM #####
03	012	ARGUMENTS TAPED
03	013	REQUEST TO ARGUE (EE)
03	014	REPLY BRIEF NT
03	015	REPLY BRIEF EE
03	017	NOTICE OF INTENT
03	018	CERT OF APPLICATION TO SUPREME COURT
03	019	OBJECTION TO ARGUE
03	021	AMENDED APPLICATION
03	024	AMICUS CURIAE
03	025	AMENDED ENUMERATIONS OF ERROR
03	027	letter cert. abandoned
03	028	WAIVE ORAL ARGUMENT/EE
03	029	EXHIBITS
03	030	AMENDED BRIEF OF APPELLEE
03	031	AMENDED BRIEF OF APPELLANT
03	032	AMENDED REQUEST FOR ARGUMENT
03	033	####FLAG --CHANGE OF JUDGE AND/OR PANEL ####
03	034	WITHDRAWAL OF NOTICE OF INTENT
03	035	SUPPLEMENTAL ENUMERATIONS OF ERROR
03	036	CORRECTED BRIEF AND/OR PAGES
03	037	WAIVE ORAL ARGUMENT/NT
03	038	APPENDIX
03	039	AMENDED NOTICE OF INTENTION
03	040	AMENDED SUPPLEMENTAL BRIEF (NT)
03	041	AMENDED SUPPLEMENTAL BRIEF (EE)
03	042	SUPPLEMENTAL REPLY TO APPLICATION
03	043	NT REPLY TO RESPONSE OF APPLICATION
03	044	AMENDED CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE
03	045	\$\$FLAG\$\$ DEEN,P.J., BENHAM & BEASLEY, JJ.
03	046	STIPULATION
03	047	#####FLAG TO 90#####
03	048	#####FLAG TO 91#####
03	049	#####FLAG TO 92#####
03	050	#####FLAG TO 93*#####
03	051	#####FLAG TO 94*#####
03	052	#####FLAG TO 95*#####

TABLE CLASSIFICATION: FILINGS

03	053	&&&&*****&&**FLAG TO 96**&&*****&&&&
03	054	&&&&*****&&***FLAG TO 97**&&&*****&&&&
03	055	&&&&*****&&***FLAG TO 98**&&&*****&&&&]
03	056	SUPPLEMENT TO APPLICATION
03	057	RECORD TO JUDGE WITH ORDER
03	058	&&&&&&&&& FLAG TO 87 &&&&&&&&&&&&&&&
03	059	ADDENDUM TO BRIEF (NT)
03	060	ADDENDUM TO BRIEF (EE)
03	061	REPLY BRIEF OF AMICUS CURIAE
03	062	ADDENDUM TO SUPPLEMENTAL/EE
03	063	ADDENDUM TO SUPPLEMENTAL /NT
03	064	FILING DATE CHANGED ON CERT OF APP.
03	065	12 USC 1441/1821 NOTICE
03	066	AMENDED STATEMENT OF FACTS
03	067	FILING DATED CHANGED ON N.O.I.
03	068	INTEROFFICE MEMO SENT TO JUDGE
03	069	QUESTION OF LAW
03	070	FILING DATE CHANGED (ORAL ARGUMENT)
03	071	RESPONSE TO A.C.
03	072	RESPONSE TO ORDER TO FILE
03	073	AMENDED REPLY (EE)
03	074	AMENDED REPLY BRIEF (NT)
03	075	AMENDED REPLY BRIEF (NT)
03	076	SUPP LETTER CITE (EE)
03	077	SUPP LETTER CITE (NT)
03	078	TO MCMURRAY,P.J.,POPE & COOPER, JJ.
03	079	MCMURRAY,P.J.,CARLEY,P.J.,COOPER
03	080	POPE, BEASLEY AND ANDREWS
03	081	CARLEY, POPE AND ANDREWS
03	082	FILING DATE CHANGED ON REPLY BRIEF (NT)
03	083	FILING DATE CHANGED ON REPLY BRIEF (EE)
03	084	SUPP. LETTER CITE (A.C.)
03	085	CHANGED FILING DATE ON CERT OF APP.
03	086	ADOPTED BRIEF NT/EE
03	087	CORRECTION TO BRIEF (NT)
03	088	CORRECTION TO BRIEF (EE)
03	089	AMENDMENT TO BRIEF NT/EE
03	090	ATTACHMENTS TO BRIEF
03	091	ADDENDUM TO APPLICATION
03	100	SETTLEMENT LETTER
03	500	FLAG;BENHAM,PJ,BEASLEY,WALTHER, JJ.
03	503	BRIEF IN SUPPORT
03	504	RESPONSE TO REQUEST OF ORAL ARGUMENT
03	507	FILING DATE OF BRIEF CHANGED (NT)
03	508	FILING DATE CHANGED ON BRIEF (EE)

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03	509	RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF INTENT
03	510	BANKRUPTCY STAY INFO
03	511	TO CHANGE FILING DATE
03	512	AFFIDAVIT
03	514	INSERTION TO BRIEF
03	515	RESPONSE TO SHOW CAUSE ORDER
03	516	OBJECTION TO AMENDED DESIGNATION
03	517	RESPONSE TO OBJECTION OF DESIGNATION
03	519	SUPPLEMENTAL A.C.
03	520	SUBSTITUTE PAGE/S
03	521	NOTICE OF INTENT TO UNITED STATE SUP. CT.
03	600	BRIEF IN OPPOSITION
03	601	AMENDMENT TO SECOND MFR

TABLE CLASSIFICATION: MOTIONS

04	001	EXT(NT)
04	002	EXT(EE)
04	003	OUT OF TIME MOTION TO ARGUE
04	004	Motion to Dismiss
04	005	TO BE PLACED AT FIRST POSITION ON CALENDAR
04	006	Reschedule Oral Argument
04	007	Withdrawal
04	009	Additional time to argue
04	010	MOTION TO EXPEDITE
04	011	Frivolous Appeal
04	012	Attorneys fees & Expenses
04	013	to Supplement the record
04	014	Supersedeas
04	015	extension to file MFR
04	016	to substitute administrator
04	017	to remand
04	018	to consolidate
04	019	TO WITHDRAW AS COUNSEL
04	020	for contempt
04	021	move to the foot of the call
04	022	to vacate judgment
04	023	conflict
04	024	to exceed 30 pages
04	025	TO STRIKE BRIEF
04	026	expedite remittitur
04	027	TO STRIKE EXHIBIT
04	028	to strike
04	029	for stipulation
04	030	to transfer
04	031	motion to stay

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04	032	to strike appendix
04	033	MOTION FOR RECONSIDERATION/NT
04	034	TO SUPPLEMENT (INFO)
04	035	EXT/NT/DUPLICATE COPY
04	036	MOTION TO FILE OUT OF TIME NOTICE OF APPEAL
04	037	MOTION TO CONSIDER AS DISCRE./INTER. APPEAL
04	038	TO SUBSTITUE PARTY
04	039	RESP. TO MOTION TO EXTEND TIME TO ARGUE
04	040	TO HAVE COURT REPORTER IN COURTROOM
04	041	MOTION
04	042	TO AMEND ENUMERATIONS OF ERROR
04	043	TO RESTRICT
04	044	M/F/R OTHER PARTY
04	045	MOTION FOR INCLUSION
04	046	MOTION TO COMPELL
04	047	MOTION TO RELEASE GARNISHED FUNDS
04	048	MOTION FOR EXPEDITED CONSIDERATION
04	049	RESPONSE TO OPPOSITION
04	050	ADDENDUM TO MOTION FOR REHEARING
04	051	OBJECTION TO SUPP. BRIEF/NT
04	052	OBJECTION TO SUPP. BRIEF/EE
04	053	TO PROCEED AS A PAUPER
04	054	RESPONSE TO ORDER
04	055	TO FILE SUPPLEMENTAL BRIEF (NT)
04	056	TO FILE SUPPLEMENTAL BRIEF (EE)
04	057	TO FILE SUPP BRIEF NT/FILED W/BRIEF
04	058	TO FILE SUPP BRIEF EE/FILED W/BRIEF
04	059	MOTION TO AMEND STATEMENT OF FACTS
04	060	EXT. TO FILE REPLY BRIEF (NT)
04	061	2ND MOTION FOR RECONSIDERATION
04	062	MOTION TO CORRECT TYPO ERROR IN OPINION
04	063	TO AMEND BRIEF OF APPELLANT
04	064	MOTION TO AMEND
04	065	MOTION TO LIMIT BRIEFING
04	066	MOTION TO EXCLUDE
04	067	TO SUBSTITUTE PAGE/S
04	068	RETURN RECORD/ PREMATURELY FILED
04	069	AMENDMENT TO MOTION
04	070	FILE SUPP AMICUS CURIAE BRIEF
04	071	TO DISQUALIFY JUDGE/S
04	072	TO WITHDRAW ORAL ARGUMENT
04	073	TO CARLEY, P.J., POPE AND COOPER
04	074	RESP. TO MOTION TO LIMIT BRIEFING
04	075	TO WITHDRAW MOTION FOR DAMAGES
04	076	TO TRANSFER VENUE

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04	077	EXT. TO FILE RESPONSE
04	078	MOTION FOR OUT OF TIME APPLICATION
04	079	MCMURRAY, P.J., POPE & COOPER, JJ.
04	080	MCMURRAY, P.J., CARLEY, P.J., AND COOPER, J.
04	081	EXT TO FILE N.O.I. TO U.S.S.C.
04	082	POPE, BEASLEY AND ANDREWS
04	083	CARLEY, POPE AND ANDREWS
04	084	TO EXCEED 50 PAGES (CRIMINAL)
04	085	STAY-PENDING ANSWER TO MOTION TO DISMISS
04	086	TO FILE REPLY BRIEF/NT
04	087	TO FILE REPLY BRIEF/EE
04	088	TO FILE REPLY BRIEF/NT (FILED W/BRIEF)
04	089	TO FILE REPLY BRIEF/EE (FILED W/BRIEF)
04	090	TO RE-ARGUE
04	091	EXHIBITS IN SUPPORT OF MOTION
04	092	UNSEAL EXHIBITS
04	093	M.F.R. TO STAY REMITTITUR
04	095	OBJECTION TO REPLY BRIEF NT/EE
04	096	AMENDMENT TO RESPONSE
04	097	RETURN EXHIBIT/S
04	098	TO SEAL RECORDS
04	099	TO ENFORCE JUDGMENT
04	100	CERTIFIED QUESTION
04	500	REQUEST
04	501	AMENDED ANDERS
04	502	TO STRIKE BRIEF
04	503	BRIEF IN SUPPORT
04	504	MOTION TO PRODUCE
04	505	MOTION FOR RECONSIDERATION/EE
04	506	NO ACTION/MOTION TO TRANSFER/FROM S.C.
04	507	TO REQUIRE SUPERSEDEAS BOND
04	508	INFO ON CONFLICT
04	509	TO REQUIRE CORRECTION OF RECORD
04	510	WITHDRAWAL OF MOTION TO REMAND
04	511	FOR ARREST WARRANTS
04	512	TO USE SUPPLEMENTAL RECORD IN ANOTHER CASE
04	513	AMENDED FRIVOLOUS APPEAL
04	514	RESPONSE TO APPLICATION
04	515	RESPONSE TO MOTION FOR RECONSIDERATION
04	516	RESPONSE TO MOTION TO DISMISS
04	517	RESPONSE TO EXTENTION
04	518	RESPONSE TO ANDERS
04	519	RESPONSE TO FRIVOLOUS APPEAL
04	520	RESPONSE TO REQUEST TO ARGUE
04	521	RESPONSE TO MOTION TO REMAND

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04	568	RESPONSE TO MOTION TO EXPEDITE
04	569	EXT. TO FILE N.O.I.
04	571	MOTION TO TREAT CASE/S SEPARATELY
04	572	TO WITHDRAW MOTION FOR RECONSIDERATION
04	573	TO ARGUE 30 MINUTES
04	574	RECALL REMITTITUR
04	576	AMENDED PRO SE MOTION/S
04	577	STAY - PENDING NEW TRIAL MOTION
04	578	MOTION TO ADOPT
04	579	INFORMATION - ACTION REQUIRED
04	580	SUPPLEMENTAL MOTION
04	581	TO DISMISS SUPPLEMENTAL BRIEF
04	582	EXTENSION TO FILE TRANSCRIPT
04	583	STAY PENDING SETTLEMENT
04	584	TO SUPPLEMENT MOTION/EXT. ON BRIEF
04	585	TO ADD PARTY
04	586	MOTION TO ALLOW FILING OF 2ND M.F.R.
04	587	MOTION TO ORDER ATTY TO SERVE OPPOSING PARTY
04	588	MOTION TO DISMISS MOTION
04	589	MOTION TO STAY/BANKRUPTCY PROCEEDINGS
04	590	CERT. OF COUNSEL FOR M.F.R.
04	591	MOTION TO FILE LATE BRIEF
04	592	MOTION TO STAY DECISION
04	593	MOTION TO TRANSPORT
04	594	REQUEST FOR REINSTATEMENT
04	595	MOTION TO RETURN RECORD TO LOWER COURT
04	596	REPLY TO RESPONSE
04	597	TO AMEND
04	600	ORDER ON MOTION FOR RECONSIDERATION
04	620	MOTION FOR RECONSIDERATION/AMICUS
04	621	TRAVERSE TO PAUPER'S AFFIDAVIT
04	717	REQUEST TO ARGUE, A/C
04	723	AMENDMENT TO MOTION FOR SUPERSEDEAS
04	724	M/F/R CONTEMPT
04	725	TO TRANSMIT TRANSCRIPT
04	800	ADMINISTRATIVE STAY ON REMITTITUR
04	900	SUBSTITUTED MFR
04	901	AMICUS CURIAE
04	902	MOTION FOR SANCTIONS
04	999	OVERRIDE -- MUST BE UPDATED

TABLE CLASSIFICATION: COURT ACTIONS

05	001	TREATED AS SEPARATE CASE ARGUMENT/DENIED
05	002	MOTION FOR EXPEDITED ORAL ARGUMENT/GRANTED
05	003	SUPERSEDEAS BOND/REMANDED WITH DIRECTION

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05	004	MOTION/TRANSPORT INCARCERATED PRO SE/DENIED
05	005	MOTION TO ARGUE/GRANTED/NT
05	006	MOTION TO ARGUE/DENIED
05	007	RESCHEDULE ORAL ARGUMENT/GRANT
05	008	RESCHEDULE ORAL ARGUMENT/DENIED
05	009	ADDITIONAL TIME TO ARGUE/GRANT
05	010	ADDITIONAL TIME TO ARGUE/DENIED
05	011	COURTESY APPEARANCE/GRANT
05	012	COURTESY APPEARANCE/DENIED
05	013	AMICUS CURIAE TO ARGUE/GRANT
05	014	AMICUS CURIAE TO ARGUE/DENIED
05	015	EXT/NT/TO FILE MFR/GRANT
05	016	EXT/NT/TO FILE MFR/DENIED
05	017	EXT/EE/TO FILE MFR/GRANT
05	018	EXT/EE/TO FILE MFR/DENIED
05	019	MOVE TO FOOT OF CALL/GRANT
05	020	MOVE TO FOOT OF CALL/DENIED
05	021	PLACED AT BEGINNING OF CALL/GRANT
05	022	PLACED AT BEGINNING OF CALL/DENIED
05	023	RESPOND TO/MOTION TO REMAND
05	024	TO REMAND/DENIED
05	025	REMOVED FROM ORAL ARGUMENT CALENDAR
05	026	SUPERSEDEAS BOND/DISMISSED
05	027	MOTION FOR DAMAGES/FRIVOLOUS APPEAL/DENIED
05	028	TO DISMISS/DENIED
05	029	TO CONSOLIDATE/GRANT
05	030	TO CONSOLIDATE/DENIED
05	031	TO EXCEED 30/50 PAGES/GRANT/NT
05	032	TO EXCEED 30/50 PAGES/GRANT/EE
05	033	MOTION FOR SINGLE COPY DENIED
05	034	EXT. TO FILE MFR/DISMISSED/UNTIMELY
05	035	WITHDRAWAL OF COUNSEL/GRANT
05	036	WITHDRAWAL OF COUNSEL/DENIED
05	037	RECONSIDERATION GRANTED
05	038	RECONSIDERATION DENIED
05	039	MOTION/S DENIED
05	040	CASE REINSTATED
05	041	WITHDRAWAL OF COUNSEL/DISMISSED
05	042	SUPERSEDEAS GRANTED
05	043	TO EXCEED 30/50 PAGES/DENIED
05	044	MOTION FOR EXPEDITED ORAL ARGUMENT/DENIED
05	045	SUBSTITUTED APPELLEE FOR PURPOSES OF APPEAL
05	046	RESCINDED AND WITHDRAWN ORDER
05	047	NOTICE OF APPEAL SHALL BE CONSIDERED TIMELY
05	048	PARTIES FILE SUPPLEMENTAL MOTIONS

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05	049	NT/ORDERED FILE RESPONSE TO MOTION TO DISMISS
05	050	NT/ORDERED TO FILE
05	051	EE/ORDERED TO FILE
05	052	LAST ORDER VACATED
05	053	EE/5 DAY LETTER/CRIMINAL
05	054	EE/5 DAY LETTER/CIVIL
05	055	APPELLANT TO POST SUPERSEDEAS BOND
05	056	NT ORDERED TO FILE AMENDED BRIEFS
05	057	TO FILE REPLY GRANTED
05	058	CONSOLIDATED
05	059	CONSOLIDATED/CHANGED CALENDAR DATE
05	060	MOTION TO STAY/DENIED
05	061	NT/ORDERED TO FILE SUPPLEMENTAL BRIEF
05	062	TO EXPEDITE APPEAL/DENIED
05	063	TO EXPEDITE APPEAL/GRANTED
05	064	MOTION TO DISCHARGE/GRANTED
05	065	MOTION TO DISCHARGE/DENIED
05	066	LOWER COURT CLERK TRANSMIT EVIDENCE
05	067	LOWER COURT CLERK TRANSMIT TRANSCRIPT
05	068	CHANGED CALENDAR DATE
05	069	PARTIES TO FILE SUPPLEMENTAL BRIEFS
05	070	SHOW CAUSE WHY SHOULD NOT BE HELD IN CONTEMPT
05	071	TRIAL COURT TO APPOINT COUNSEL
05	072	NOTED/NO ACTION
05	073	DENIED MOTION TO RECUSE JUDGES
05	074	DENIED MOTION SEEKING RELIEF/PENDING SC ACTION
05	075	REMANDED/REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION OF DOCUMENTS
05	076	REMANDED/REQUEST FOR APPOINTMENT OF COUNSEL
05	077	EE ORDERED TO FILE REPLY BRIEF
05	078	DISMISSED/TRANSFERRED TO SUPREME COURT
05	079	PARTIES TO RESOLVE ISSUE OF FILING
05	080	LOWER COURT CLERK TRANSMIT SUPPLEMENTAL RECORD
05	081	HABEAS CORPUS AD TESTIFICANDUM/DENIED
05	082	EE/ORDERED TO FILE 20 DAYS FROM ORDER
05	083	NT/FILE RESPONSE/EE MOTION TO IMPOSE PENALTY
05	084	MOTION UNDER ADVISEMENT/DEFER RULING
05	085	WRIT OF MANDAMUS/DISMISSED
05	086	NT ORDERED TO SERVE COPY OF BRIEF TO EE
05	087	TREATED AS SEPARATE CASE FOR ARGUMENT/GRANTED
05	088	TO SUPPLEMENT RECORD/DENIED
05	089	BRIEF RETURNED DOES NOT COMPLY WITH RULES
05	090	TO DISMISS/STRIKE SUPPLEMENTAL BRIEF/DENIED
05	091	MOTION TO VACATE JUDGMENT/DENIED
05	092	DISMISSAL RESCINDED ON MFR
05	093	MOTION REMAND/CORRECT TRANSCRIPT/DISMISSED

TABLE CLASSIFICATION: COURT ACTIONS

05	094	TO TRANSMIT TRANSCRIPT GRANTED
05	095	SUPERSEDEAS DENIED
05	096	TRIAL COURT WITHDRAWAL/GRANTED
05	097	LOWER COURT CLERK TRANSMIT DEPOSITIONS
05	098	MFR WITHDRAWN
05	099	JUDGMENT/OPINION VACATED
05	100	REQUEST/SUP.COURT APPOINT JUDGE
05	101	BILL OF COSTS
05	102	SUPERIOR COURT DESIGNATION OF JUDGE
05	103	CA ORDER DESIGNATION
05	104	RECALLED REMITTITUR
05	105	RECEIVED REMITTITUR
05	106	CORRECTED REMITTITUR MAILED
05	107	RECALL REMITTITUR/DENIED/DISMISSED
05	108	MOTION TO STAY REMITTITUR/DENIED
05	109	MOTION FOR APPEAL BOND/DENIED
05	110	COMPEL TRANSMISSION ENTIRE RECORD/DENIED
05	111	SUBMIT PRELIMINARY BRIEFS BEFORE ARGUMENT
05	112	SUBSTITUTED ORDER/NUNC PRO TUNC
05	113	COURT WITHOUT AUTHORITY TO APPOINT COUNSEL
05	114	TO ARGUE GRANTED/EE
05	115	I/A MFR/GRANT
05	116	I/A MFR/DENIED
05	117	D/A MFR/GRANT
05	118	D/A MFR DENIED
05	119	WITHDRAWN SEE MOTION DOCKET #112
05	120	ASSESSMENT OF PENALTY GRANTED
05	121	CHECK OUT ORDER AGAINST TRIAL COURT/DENIED
05	122	MOTION TO EXPEDITE REMITTITUR/GRANTED
05	123	MOTION TO CANCEL EXTENSION/DENIED
05	124	MOTION ADDRESSES MATTERS IN TRIAL COURT/DENIED
05	125	MOTION TO INTERVENE/GRANTED
05	126	FILE BRIEF ADDRESSING ISSUE
05	127	LOWER COURT CLERK TRANSMIT EXHIBITS
05	128	TO EXPEDITE/DENIED
05	129	EE FILE RESPONSE TO SAID MOTION
05	130	MOTION TO DISMISS/ADVISEMENT PENDING ORAL ARG
05	131	RECORDS WILL BE REVISED TO REFLECT WITHDRAWAL
05	132	NT FILE BRIEF (7) DAYS FROM SUPP. RECORD RECVD
05	133	NT FILE EE IN COMPLIANCE WITH CITED AUTHORITY
05	134	STAY OF ORAL ARGUMENT AND JUDGMENT/DENIED
05	135	NT BRIEF DEEMED TIMELY FILED/ACCEPTED
05	136	LEAVE FILE AMENDED ENUMERATIONS ERROR/DENIED
05	137	MOTION TO STAY REMITTITUR/GRANTED
05	138	REVISED REMITTITUR MAILED

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05	139	WITHDRAWING ISSUE
05	140	EE MOTION TO RESTRICT SUPP BRIEFS/DENIED
05	141	ORDER DENYING SUPERSEDEAS BOND IS AFFIRMED
05	142	MOTION TO STAY REMITTITUR/DISMISSED
05	143	CERTIFIED QUESTION
05	144	MOTION FOR EMERGENCY SUPERSEDEAS/DISMISSED
05	145	TRIAL COURT AUTHORIZED TO ACCEPT SUPERSEDEAS
05	146	TRIAL COURT TO CERTIFY WHAT TRANSPIRED
05	147	MOTION FOR APPEAL BOND/DISMISSED
05	148	TO TRANSMIT TRANSCRIPT DENIED
05	149	MOTION APPOINT COUNSEL TRANSFERRED TRIAL COURT
05	150	LOWER COURT CLERK TRANSMIT SEALED RECORDS
05	151	TRIAL COURT CLERK SEND COPY OF RECORD
05	152	PARTIES PERMITTED TO FILE ADDITIONAL BRIEFS
05	153	MOTION FOR RECONSIDERATION IS MOOT
05	154	MOTION/SUPERSEDEAS BOND DENIED
05	155	MOTION FOR CONTINUANCE/DENIED
05	156	MOTION FOR FRIVOLOUS APPEAL/DENIED
05	157	NT/FILE SEPARATE ENUMERATION OF ERRORS
05	158	SUBSTITUTED/REVISED ORDER
05	159	ORAL ARGUMENT GRANTED ON CONDITIONS
05	160	CONTEMPT/ORDERED PAY FINE/LICENSE SUSPENDED
05	161	RECORD PREMATURE/RECORD RETURNED
05	162	CLERK SERVE COPIES OF EE/BRIEF TO APPELLEE
05	163	TO EXCEED 30/50 PAGES/GRANT/AMICUS CURIAE
05	164	NT/FILE EE AND CORRESPONDING BRIEF
05	165	WITHDRAWAL DENIED/PRO SE/REPRESENTED COUNSEL
05	166	TRIAL COURT AUTHORIZED CONSIDER CONSENT ORDER
05	167	SUBSTITUTE PARTY/DENIED
05	168	TRIAL COURT TO SEND PHYSICAL EVIDENCE/DENIED
05	169	CANNOT TRANSPORT INCARCERATED
05	170	CLERICAL ERROR CORRECTION
05	171	BENCH PERMISSION TO FILE SUPP BRIEF/NT
05	172	BENCH PERMISSION TO FILE SUPP BRIEF/EE
05	173	REINSTATEMENT GRANTED
05	174	PERMISSION TO FILE SUPP BRIEF NT
05	175	PERMISSION TO FILE SUPP BRIEF/EE
05	176	BRIEFS WILL BE ADOPTED
05	177	EXT TO FILE REPLY/SUPP BRIEF/NT/GRANTED
05	178	CONSOLIDATED FOR ORAL ARGUMENT PURPOSES ONLY
05	179	AMEND STATEMENT OF FACTS ALLOWED
05	180	PERMISSION TO FILE SUPPLEMENTAL BRIEF/GRANTED
05	181	JUDGEMENT VACATED/APPEAL WITHDRAWN
05	182	MOTION MOOT
05	183	TO VACATE COURTS ORDER/DENIED

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05	184	NT FILE SEPARATE ENUMERATION OF ERROR
05	185	EXT TO FILE REPLY/SUPP BRIEFF EE/GRANTED
05	186	TO FILE AMICUS CURIAE BRIEF/GRANTED
05	187	SUGGESTION OF DEATH/SUBSTITUTED PARTY
05	188	IN WILFUL CONTEMPT/ORDERED TO PAY FINE
05	189	NT MOTION FOR LEAVE/REMAND/CERTIFICATE/DENIED
05	190	REMAND/RECORD RETURNED
05	191	ORDER ON CONTEMPT
05	192	HOLD APPEAL PENDING INVESTIGATION/DENIED
05	193	TO APPEAR PRO HAC VICE/GRANTED
05	194	SUPPLEMENT RECORD
05	195	NT TO CAUSE ANY NECESSARY TRANSCRIPT FILED
05	196	UNDER ADVISEMENT
05	197	MOTION GRANTED
05	198	NT FILE RESPONSE TO MOTION
05	199	AMENDED ORDER
05	200	EXT/NT/DENIED
05	201	EXT/NT/GRANT/1 DAY
05	202	EXT/NT/GRANT/2 DAYS
05	203	EXT/NT/GRANT/3 DAYS
05	204	EXT/NT/GRANT/4 DAYS
05	205	EXT/NT/GRANT/5 DAYS
05	206	EXT/NT/GRANT/6 DAYS
05	207	EXT/NT/GRANT/7 DAYS
05	208	EXT/NT/GRANT/8 DAYS
05	209	EXT/NT/GRANT/9 DAYS
05	210	EXT/NT/GRANT/10 DAYS
05	211	EXT/NT/GRANT/11 DAYS
05	212	EXT/NT/GRANT/12 DAYS
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05	214	EXT/NT/GRANT/14 DAYS
05	215	EXT/NT/GRANT/15 DAYS
05	216	EXT/NT/GRANT/16 DAYS
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05	218	EXT/NT/GRANT/18 DAYS
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05	221	EXT/NT/GRANT/21 DAYS
05	222	EXT/NT/GRANT/22 DAYS
05	223	EXT/NT/GRANT/23 DAYS
05	224	EXT/NT/GRANT/24 DAYS
05	225	EXT/NT/GRANT/25 DAYS
05	226	EXT/NT/GRANT/26 DAYS
05	227	EXT/NT/GRANT/27 DAYS
05	228	EXT/NT/GRANT/28 DAYS

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05	229	EXT/NT/GRANT/29 DAYS
05	230	EXT/NT/GRANT/30 DAYS
05	231	EXT/NT/GRANT/31 DAYS
05	232	EXT/NT/GRANT/32 DAYS
05	233	EXT/NT/GRANT/33 DAYS
05	234	EXT/NT/GRANT/34 DAYS
05	235	EXT/NT/GRANT/35 DAYS
05	236	MOTION TO ALLOW OUT OF TIME BRIEF/GRANTED
05	237	DENIED/MOTION FOR ISSUANCE OF ARREST WARRANTS
05	238	GRANTED/RECORD MAY BE SUPPLEMENTED
05	239	SUPP LETTER CITE
05	240	TO WITHDRAW/DISMISS PARTY GRANTED
05	241	MOTION TO DISMISS/DEFERRED
05	242	PARTIES ADDRESS JURISDICTION OF THIS COURT
05	243	EXT GRANTED TO AMEND AND SUPPLEMENT BRIEF
05	244	MOTION FOR FREE COPIES OF RECORD/DENIED
05	245	CA CLERK TRANSMIT COPY OF TRANSCRIPT TO PROSE
05	246	MOTION TO RESTYLE CASE/DENIED
05	247	TO DISMISS BRIEF/DENIED
05	248	TRIAL COURT DETERMINE SUPERSEDEAS BOND AMOUNT
05	249	NT NOTIFY COURT/ELECTION OF COUNSEL OR PRO SE
05	250	MOTION TO STRIKE AMICUS CURIAE BRIEF/DENIED
05	251	SPECIAL SETTING OF ORAL ARGUMENT/S
05	252	DENIED EXTENSION TO FILE TRANSCRIPT
05	253	PARTIAL WITHDRAWAL/GRANTED
05	254	MOTION TO STAY/DISMISSED
05	255	SUPPLEMENTAL BRIEF NT/DENIED
05	256	MOTION TO SUPPLEMENT RECORD/DENIED
05	257	NT MOTION TO ORDER TAKING DEPOSITIONS/DENIED
05	258	TO STRIKE ATTORNEY
05	259	NT MOTION IMPOSITION OF LIEN ON EE/DENIED
05	260	SUPPLEMENTAL BRIEF EE/DENIED
05	261	EXT/NT/GRANT/61 DAYS
05	262	RETURNED ORIGINAL DEPOSITIONS TO TRIAL COURT
05	263	TO USE INITIALS DENIED
05	264	EXT GRANTED TO FILE SEPARATE ENUMERATIONS
05	265	PERMISSION TO FILE SUPP BRIEF AC
05	266	SUPP BRIEF NT 5 DAYS/GRANT
05	267	SUPP BRIEF NT 10 DAYS
05	268	SUPP BRIEF EE 5 DAYS/GRANT
05	269	SUPP BRIEF EE 10 DAYS/GRANT
05	270	MOTION FOR COSTS DISMISSED
05	271	COMPLY WITH COURTS ORDER
05	272	EE ORDERED TO FILE AMENDED BREIFS
05	273	ADDED TO CALENDAR/COURT WANTS ARGUMENT

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05	274	EXT GRANTED TO FILE AMENDED BRIEF/NT
05	275	EXT GRANTED TO FILE AMENDED BRIEF/EE
05	276	COURT RESERVES ISSUE OF JURISDICTION
05	277	RESPOND TO MOTION TO STAY
05	278	MOTION TO STAY/GRANTED
05	279	TO DISPENSE WITH ORAL ARGUMENT DENIED
05	280	OPINION TO BE REPORTED
05	281	BRIEFS RETURNED/COSTS DUE
05	282	TO TRANSFER/DENIED
05	283	BRIEFS ACCEPTED AS FILED
05	284	SUPREME COURT RECALLED REMITTITUR
05	285	BENCH REQUEST EXT TO FILE EE BRIEF
05	286	SUBSTITUTE PARTY GRANTED
05	287	STAY DISCOVERY GRANTED
05	288	ENUMERATIONS ACCEPTED AS FILED
05	289	LETTER
05	290	TO STRIKE GRANTED
05	291	EXTENSION GRANTED TO FILE TRANSCRIPT
05	292	TO STRIKE BRIEF DENIED
05	293	RECONSIDER MOTION TO SUPPLEMENT RECORD/DENIED
05	294	PREPARATION OF TRANSCRIPT NO COST TO NT DENIED
05	295	MOTION HELD IN ABEYANCE
05	296	CLERK TRANSMITT VIDEOTAPES
05	297	LETTER CITE
05	298	TO DISQUALIFY JUDGE DENIED
05	299	TO TRANSMITT OUR RECORD TO S.C. GRANTED
05	300	EXT/EE/DENIED
05	301	EXT/EE/GRANT/1 DAY
05	302	EXT/EE/GRANT/2 DAYS
05	303	EXT/EE/GRANT/3 DAYS
05	304	EXT/EE/GRANT/4 DAYS
05	305	EXT/EE/GRANT/5 DAYS
05	306	EXT/EE/GRANT/6 DAYS
05	307	EXT/EE/GRANT/7 DAYS
05	308	EXT/EE/GRANT/8 DAYS
05	309	EXT/EE/GRANT/9 DAYS
05	310	EXT/EE/GRANT/10 DAYS
05	311	EXT/EE/GRANT/11 DAYS
05	312	EXT/EE/GRANT/12 DAYS
05	313	EXT/EE/GRANT/13 DAYS
05	314	EXT/EE/GRANT/14 DAYS
05	315	EXT/EE/GRANT/15 DAYS
05	316	EXT/EE/GRANT/16 DAYS
05	317	EXT/EE/GRANT/17 DAYS
05	318	EXT/EE/GRANT/18 DAYS

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05	319	EXT/EE/GRANT/19 DAYS
05	320	EXT/EE/GRANT/20 DAYS
05	321	EXT/EE/GRANT/21 DAYS
05	322	EXT/EE/GRANT/22 DAYS
05	323	EXT/EE/GRANT/23 DAYS
05	324	EXT/EE/GRANT/24 DAYS
05	325	EXT/EE/GRANT/25 DAYS
05	326	EXT/EE/GRANT/26 DAYS
05	327	EXT/EE/GRANT/27 DAYS
05	328	EXT/EE/GRANT/28 DAYS
05	329	EXT/EE/GRANT/29 DAYS
05	330	EXT/EE/GRANT/30 DAYS
05	331	EXT/EE/GRANT/31 DAYS
05	332	EXT/EE/GRANT/32 DAYS
05	333	EXT/EE/GRANT/33 DAYS
05	334	EXT/EE/GRANT/34 DAYS
05	335	EXT/EE/GRANT/35 DAYS
05	336	EXT/EE/GRANT/36 DAYS
05	337	EXT/EE/GRANT/37 DAYS
05	338	2ND MOTION FOR RECONSIDERATION DENIED.
05	339	AMEND BRIEF/GRANT
05	340	TO RECUSE GRANTED
05	341	EXT/EE/GRANT 41 DAYS
05	342	PERMISSION GRANTED FOR COURT REPORTER
05	343	RECONSIDER MOTION TO RECUSE DISMISSED
05	344	TO DISQUALIFY COUNSEL/DENIED
05	345	MOTION TO VACATE REMITTITUR/DENIED
05	350	MFR/DISMISSED
05	351	TO REMAND/DENIED
05	400	MOTION TO WITHDRAW/GRANTED
05	401	MOTION TO DISMISS/GRANTED
05	402	MOTION TO TRANSFER TO SUPREME COURT/GRANTED
05	403	MOTION TO REMAND/GRANTED
05	404	DISMISSED
05	405	TRANSFERRED TO SUPREME COURT
05	406	REMANDED
05	407	CERT ABANDONED
05	408	SHOW CAUSE/SUBJECTED TO IMPOSITION OF PENALTY
05	409	SHOW CAUSE/CONTEMPT PURSUANT TO RULE 14(a)
05	410	MOTION TO STRIKE/DENIED/DISMISSED
05	411	MOTION DISCLOSURE CAMPAIGN FUNDS/DISMISSED
05	412	TO SEAL RECORD/DENIED
05	413	S.C. PICKED UP CERT/REINSTATED
05	414	MOTION TO TRANSFER/DENIED
05	415	NOTICE OF INTENT WITHDRAWN

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05	416	EXT GRANTED TO FILE NOTICE OF INTENT
05	417	TO DISMISS/WITHDRAW PARTIES APPEAL/DENIED
05	418	MOTION WITHDRAW APPEAL/VACATE OPINION/DENIED
05	419	EXT GRANTED (CHECK FILE)
05	500	NT/EXT. GRANTED UNTIL MARCH 2, 1989
05	501	LETTER GRANTING WITHDRAWAL
05	502	TO PROCEED IN FORMA PAUPERIS/GRANTED
05	503	EE/EXT/GRANT/102 DAYS
05	504	ATTY/NT/LICENSE SUSPENDED FOR SIX MONTHS
05	507	M/F/R OTHER PARTY
05	529	MOTION TO RETURN ORIGINAL EXHIBITS/GRANTED
05	560	MOTION TO STRIKE/DISMISSED
05	561	EMERGENCY MOTION FOR RESTRAINING ORDER/DENIED
05	562	RETURN DEPOSITION TO TRIAL COURT/GRANTED
05	563	MOTION TO TRANSFER TO SC/DENIED
05	564	MOTION TO LIMIT NT BRIEFING & ARGMT/DENIED
05	565	&&&& FLAG TO 98 &&&&&
05	566	RECAST IDENTICAL MOTION FOR REHEARING
05	570	NO ACTION REQUIRED
05	571	TO COMPEL/DENIED
05	572	ORDER TO FILE PROPER DISMISSAL
05	593	REQUEST FOR SECOND M.F.R. DENIED.
05	597	TO AMEND BRIEF/DENIED
05	598	EXTENSION DENIED
05	599	D/A MFR/GRANTED
05	600	SUBSTITUTE PAGES(S) ON MFR
05	601	MFR/DISMISSED/UNTIMELY
05	602	JUDGMENT VACATED/CASE REINSTATED
05	603	VACATED AND REWRITTEN ON MFR
05	604	NEW PAGE/S
05	605	ASSESSMENT OF PENALTIES DENIED.
05	606	SUBSTITUTE NEW OPINION
05	607	REWRITTEN ON RECONSIDERATION
05	608	RECONSIDERATION DENIED/NEW PGS.1 & 2
05	609	SUBSTITUTE PAGE/S
05	610	NEW PP. 15,16
05	611	REHEARING DENIED/NEW PG 1
05	612	NEW PAGE 1
05	613	SEE "ON MOTION FOR RECONSIDERATION"
05	614	REHEARING DENIED/NEW PGS 7 THROUGH 14
05	615	SUB. NEW PG. 10
05	616	NEW PGS. 12 THROUGH 16
05	617	SEE SPECIAL CONCURRENCE
05	618	VACATED/CORRECTED ORDER
05	619	SEE ON MOTION FOR REHEARING

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05	620	NEW PAGES 2 AND 3
05	621	NEW PG. 1
05	622	NEW PAGE 5.
05	625	JUDGMENT VACATED ON MFR/APPLICATION DISMISSED
05	630	NEW P. 6
05	633	JUDGMENT VACATED ON MFR/APPLICATION DENIED
05	640	"SEE ON MOTION FOR REHEARING"
05	642	REWRITTEN ON REHEARING
05	646	NEW PAGE 4
05	647	VACATED & TRANSFERRED TO SUPREME COURT
05	649	TERM EXTENDED
05	650	SUB. NEW PAGE 5.
05	651	CORRECTED RECONSIDERATION DENIED ORDER
05	655	SUB NEW PG 9
05	657	NEW PGS. 5 & 6
05	673	SUB. NEW PGS. 3, 4, AND 5.
05	678	SUB. NEW PGS. 2 AND 3.
05	679	DISMISSED/REMANDED W/DIRECTION
05	705	REHEARING DENIED/NEW PGS. 10 & 11.
05	713	2ND M/F/R DISALLOWED
05	714	REHEARING DISMISSED
05	720	MOTION FOR REHEARING GRANTED
05	728	SUB. NEW PGS. 2 AND 3.
05	729	SUB. NEW PGS. 3 AND 4.
05	732	SUB. NEW PAGE 7.
05	733	SUB. NEW PG. 3.
05	735	SUB. NEW PG. 8.
05	740	RECONSIDERATION DENIED/CASE REINSTATED
05	741	EXTENSION TO FILE NOTICE OF APPEAL GRANTED
05	800	ADMINISTRATIVE STAY ON REMITTITUR/RELEASED
05	801	SUBSTITUTE ORDER
05	802	EXHIBITS RETURNED TO TRIAL COURT
05	803	STAY REMITTITUR/NO ORDER REQUIRED
05	804	ALL PLEADINGS TYPE WRITTEN
05	864	EXT/EE/SUPPLEMENTAL 14 DAYS
05	901	WITHDRAWAL OF MFR
05	902	CROSS-APPEAL DISMISSED/NO AUTHORITY
05	903	APPELLEE'S RESPONSE DENIED
05	908	VACATED
05	920	CORRECTING CLERICAL ERROR
05	921	RECONSIDERATION GRANTED/CASE REINSTATED
05	999	OVERRIDE -- MUST BE UPDATED

TABLE CLASSIFICATION: COURTS

07	001	SUPERIOR COURT
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07	002	State Court
07	004	MUNICIPAL COURT
07	005	Traffic Court
07	006	Probate Court
07	007	Civil Court
07	008	City Court
07	009	Juvenile Court
07	999	OVERRIDE -- MUST BE UPDATED

TABLE CLASSIFICATION: COUNTY NAMES

08	001	APPLING
08	002	ATKINSON
08	003	BACON
08	004	BAKER
08	005	BALDWIN
08	006	BANKS
08	007	BARROW
08	008	BARTOW
08	009	BEN HILL
08	010	BERRIEN
08	011	BIBB
08	012	BLECKLEY
08	013	BRANTLEY
08	014	BROOKS
08	015	BRYAN
08	016	BULLOCH
08	017	BURKE
08	018	BUTTS
08	019	CALHOUN
08	020	CAMDEN
08	021	CANDLER
08	022	CARROLL
08	023	CAT00SA
08	024	Charlton
08	025	Chatham
08	026	Chattahoochee
08	027	Chattooga
08	028	Cherokee
08	029	Clarke
08	030	Clay
08	031	Clayton
08	032	Clinch
08	033	Cobb
08	034	Coffee
08	035	Colquitt

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08	036	Columbia
08	037	Cook
08	038	Coweta
08	039	Crawford
08	040	Crisp
08	041	Dade
08	042	Dawson
08	043	Decatur
08	044	DeKalb
08	045	Dodge
08	046	Dooley
08	047	Dougherty
08	048	Douglas
08	049	Early
08	050	Echols
08	051	Effingham
08	052	Elbert
08	053	Emanuel
08	054	Evans
08	055	Fannin
08	056	Fayette
08	057	Floyd
08	058	Forsyth
08	059	Franklin
08	060	Fulton
08	061	Gilmer
08	062	Glascok
08	063	Glynn
08	064	Gordon
08	065	Grady
08	066	Greene
08	067	Gwinnett
08	068	Habersham
08	069	Hall
08	070	Hancock
08	071	Haralson
08	072	Harris
08	073	Hart
08	074	Heard
08	075	Henry
08	076	Houston
08	077	Irwin
08	078	Jackson
08	079	Jasper
08	080	Jeff Davis

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08	081	Jefferson
08	082	Jenkins
08	083	Johnson
08	084	Jones
08	085	Lamar
08	086	Lanier
08	087	Laurens
08	088	Lee
08	089	Liberty
08	090	Lincoln
08	091	Long
08	092	Lowndes
08	093	Lumpkin
08	094	Macon
08	095	Madison
08	096	Marion
08	097	McDuffie
08	098	MCINTOSH
08	099	MERIWETHER
08	100	MILLER
08	101	MITCHELL
08	102	MONROE
08	103	MONTGOMERY
08	104	MORGAN
08	105	MURRAY
08	106	MUSCOGEE
08	107	NEWTON
08	108	OCONEE
08	109	OGLETHORPE
08	110	PAULDING
08	111	PEACH
08	112	PICKENS
08	113	PIERCE
08	114	PIKE
08	115	POLK
08	116	PULASKI
08	117	PUTNAM
08	118	QUITMAN
08	119	RABUN
08	120	RANDOLPH
08	121	RICHMOND
08	122	ROCKDALE
08	123	SCHLEY
08	124	SCREVEN
08	125	SEMINOLE

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08	126	SPALDING
08	127	STEPHENS
08	128	STEWART
08	129	SUMTER
08	130	TALBOT
08	131	TALIAFERRO
08	132	TATTNALL
08	133	TAYLOR
08	134	TELFAIR
08	135	TERRELL
08	136	THOMAS
08	137	TIFT
08	138	TOOMBS
08	139	TOWNS
08	140	TREUTLEN
08	141	TROUP
08	142	TURNER
08	143	TWIGGS
08	144	UNION
08	145	UPSON
08	146	WALKER
08	147	WALTON
08	148	WARE
08	149	WARREN
08	150	WASHINGTON
08	151	WAYNE
08	152	WEBSTER
08	153	WHEELER
08	154	WHITE
08	155	WHITFIELD
08	156	WILCOX
08	157	WILKES
08	158	WILKINSON
08	159	WORTH
08	176	BRIEFS WILL BE ADOPTED
08	199	AMENDED ORDER
08	200	ZONING
08	237	OPEN MEETINGS ACT
08	294	
08	626	JUDGMENT VACATED ON MFR/APPLICATION DENIED
08	691	
08	723	M/F/R CONTEMPT

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July 7, 1994

Brian J. Ostrom, Ph.D.
Director, Court Statistics Project
National Center for State Courts
Research Division
300 Newport Avenue (23185)
P. O. Box 8798
Williamsburg, Virginia 23187-8798

Dear Dr. Ostrom:

Thank you for your letter of June 29, 1994 regarding your Court Statistics Project for appellate court data. Enclosed please find the completed questionnaire sent to us under cover of your letter of that date.

Should you have any questions regarding the matter, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,



William L. Martin, III
Clerk and Court Administrator
Court of Appeals of Georgia

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June 29, 1994

Sally T. Hillsman
Vice President

Ms. Victoria McLaughlin, Clerk
Court of Appeals
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Atlanta, GA 30334

Dear Ms. McLaughlin:

The Court Statistics Project (CSP) of the National Center for State Courts seeks your help in expanding the scope and analysis of appellate court data for the *State Court Caseload Statistics: Annual Report* series. For the upcoming *1993 Report*, project staff would like to provide an analysis of the **Manner of Case Disposition** in appellate courts.

You may recall that last year you completed a survey circulated by the CSP designed to gather information on the ways in which appeals are disposed of in appellate courts. The results were eye-opening in that CSP staff really came to appreciate the differences that exist in terminology and the detail of disposition reporting at the appellate level. At the same time, we heard from many of your fellow appellate court clerks that the systematic collection of accurate, comparable information on the way appeals are disposed will give appellate courts much needed information for assessing their workload. Therefore, the CSP wants to continue the task of compiling data on the manner of disposition in appellate courts and is asking for your assistance in bringing this together for cases disposed during 1993.

Please complete the enclosed survey on manner of disposition for your court. We have tried to keep the survey brief and focused on the key aspects of disposition reporting.

If you can provide requested information, it will greatly improve the clarity and comparability of data across appellate courts. If this information is not available, please let us know. If after reviewing this survey you have

June 29, 1994

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any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact Steven Hairston or me at (804) 253-2000.

We would greatly appreciate if you could return the survey results by July 15, 1994 to:

Brian J. Ostrom, Director
Court Statistics Project
National Center for State Courts
300 Newport Ave.
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Williamsburg, Virginia 23187-8798

Thank you for the time and effort that you and your staff contribute to the work of the Court Statistics Project. It is the goal of project staff as well as the COSCA Court Statistics Advisory Committee to generate a more complete and useful compilation of appellate court statistics from across the country.

Sincerely,



Brian J. Ostrom, Ph.D.
Director, Court Statistics Project

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Enclosure

NATIONAL CENTER FOR STATE COURTS
COURT STATISTICS PROJECT
MANNER OF CASE DISPOSITION
INTERMEDIATE APPELLATE COURTS

Manner of Disposition

The purpose of this survey is to clarify the various ways in which intermediate appellate courts dispose of cases.

The NCSC distinguishes between three broad categories of dispositions: (1) cases disposed of through a decision, (2) predecision dispositions (cases disposed of without a decision on the merits), and (3) cases transferred from one appellate court to another and other types of decisions not covered in the first two categories.

1. Decision Dispositions

The three types of dispositions by a decision are described in detail below:

i. Full Opinion: An expression of the reasons why a certain decision was reached in a case. Some courts call these "majority opinions" or "written opinions". The full opinion typically (1) sets forth the facts and procedural history of the case, (2) displays the full reasoning of the court and elaborates on the reasons for the decision, and (3) carries the name of an individual judge as the author. Full opinions are typically published and may be cited as precedent.

ii. Memorandum Decision: A short form of opinion. Some courts call them "memorandum opinions" or "judgment orders" are also used. The essential characteristics of the memorandum decision are that it is (1) not necessarily signed by a single author, (2) it is addressed to the parties, not the public at large, and (3) it is usually short. Memorandum decisions have no precedential value and are usually unpublished.

iii. Summary Disposition: A very short method for announcing the disposition--most often less than one page and in some instances only a few lines. Some appellate courts call these "per curiam affirmances", "summary orders", or "judgment without opinion". This manner of decision (typically only a few words or a short paragraph) provides no statement as to the issues in the case and no rationale for the court's decision.

a. Does your court keep a count of the number of cases disposed of by decision?

Yes No

If yes, please fill in the following table:

NCSC Terminology	Your Court's Terminology	Number of Cases Disposed in 1993
Full Opinion	OPINIONS	* 2207
Memorandum Decision	ORDER	* 513
Summary Disposition	Rule 36 - affirmed without opinion Rule 37 - unpublished opinions	* 1 we do not keep stats. on Rule 37.

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2. Predecision dispositions.

The two types of predecision disposition are described in detail below:

i. **Dismissed:** appeals that were terminated before decision by the court for failure by one of the parties to comply with court rules such as failing to file a brief. **Voluntarily withdrawn:** appeals that were removed from the court by the party seeking relief before a decision. **Settled:** appeals settled by the parties involved before a decision.

ii. **Discretionary petitions denied:** discretionary petitions that are *not* granted (sometimes called petitions for review not accepted, leave to appeal not accepted or simply petitions denied).

a. Does your court keep a count of the number of cases disposed without a decision?

Yes No

If yes, please fill in the following table:

NCSC Terminology	Your Court's Terminology	Number of Cases Disposed in 1993
Dismissed/Voluntarily Withdrawn/Settled/	WITHDRAWN/ DISMISSED	504
Discretionary Petitions Denied	DISCRETIONARY APPLICATIONS	296

3. Cases disposed by "other".

Other is a residual category to include those outcomes that cannot be classified in the other categories outlined above (for example, cases that have been consolidated, or transferred to another court).

a. Does your court track the number of cases disposed of by "other" type of decision?

Yes No

If yes, please fill in the following table:

NCSC Terminology	Your Court's Terminology	Number of Cases Disposed in 1993
Other	TRANSFERRED TO SUPREME COURT	*61

*DIRECT APPEALS ONLY,

4. What was the total number of cases disposed by your court in 1993?

*3650

*DIRECT APPEALS & ALL APPLICATIONS

5. Does the sum of *decision dispositions*, *predecision dispositions*, and cases disposed by "other" equal the total number of cases disposed of by the court in 1993, reported above.

Yes No

If no, please explain:

interlocutory APPLICATION, APPEAL Moot,
DISMISSED/MOTION FOR PENALTIES DENIED

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June 7, 1994

Honorable Jack P. Turner
Turner, Turner & Turner, P.C.
Attorneys at Law
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Atlanta, Georgia 30326-1125

Dear Jack:

Belatedly I am sending you the letter we had discussed during our meeting in Judge Pope's office on April 25, 1994. At that time we had discussed some of the internal operating procedures of the Court of Appeals such as a single judge on the panel being able to grant an application and a single judge on motion for reconsideration causing a case to go whole court.

Additionally, we had discussed the appropriations for the judicial branch of government. You seemed very interested in the funding or dearth of funding for the judiciary of this State. I have enclosed a copy of the Georgia Courts Journal Vol. 21 No. 3, February 1994. On page six of that enclosure you will find a breakdown of the State's Judicial Budget. As you can see, the annual Judicial Budget runs about .7% of the total State Budget. One item that you cannot discern from the budget printed on page six is the fact that in the superior courts' operation a portion of the \$46,000,000 goes to the district attorneys of this State. Approximately 40% of the budget of the superior courts goes for personnel services for the district attorneys, assistant district attorneys, district attorneys' secretaries and district attorneys' investigators.

When you remove this funding for what is essentially an executive branch agency from the superior courts' budget, the superior courts' budget drops considerably as does the entire judicial budget.

Again, it was a pleasure to meet with you on the 25th. I shall look forward to our future conversations and I appreciate your interest and concern about problems that effect, not only the Court of Appeals, but the entire judiciary of this state.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "W. L. Martin, III". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the typed name.

William L. Martin, III
Clerk and Court Administrator
Court of Appeals of Georgia

WLM, III/sc
Enclosure



Court of Appeals

Memorandum

To: Judge Johnson
From: Sheila Collins *sc*
Subject: Case Load Status Report
Date: May 16, 1994

At the close of the docket for the July, 1993 call (on May 15, 1993) there were approximately 191 cases docketed per judge. A total of 1715 cases to date.

At the close of the docket for the July, 1994 call (on May 16, 1994) there were approximately 210 cases docketed per judge. A total of 1886 cases to date.

CASE# DATE PT STATUS STYLE

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240525	MR. CHRISTOPHER C. EDWARDS CRAMER, WEAVER & EDWARDS			
A88I4143	111888	EE	J	N'TNL SURETY CORP. V. O'DELL
A91A0386	111490	NT	R	STONICA V. STATE FARM FIRE
A91D0327	100291	EE	J	DUNN v. CARLISLE
A92A0527	120991	EE	R	CARLISLE V. DUNN
A92D0292	082192	EE	J	CARLISLE V. DUNN
A92I0428	111092	NT	J	EVANS v. THE STATE
A93A0586	120392	OT	R	THE STATE V. ADAMS ET AL
A93I0360	102293	EE	J	ALLSTATE INSURANCE v. MATHIS
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Court of Appeals

Memorandum

To: Judge Johnson
From: Sheila Collins *sc*
Subject: Case Load Status Report
Date: April 15, 1994

At the close of the docket for the June, 1993 calendar call, on April 15, 1993, there were approximately 168 cases docketed per judge. A total of 1511 cases to date.

At the close of the docket for the June, 1994 calendar call, on April 15, 1994, there were approximately 184 cases docketed per judge. A total of 1656 cases to date.

EMERGENCY MOTIONS REPORT

At the last Banc Meeting there was an inquiry made regarding the number of Emergency Motions that were filed in this Court. Below is list of the Emergency Motions filed in 1993 and a list of those motions filed through March 16, 1994. There is an Emergency Motions Docket kept in the Clerk's Office in which these motions are logged in. If you wish to inspect the docket, it is kept in the office of Gail Arceneaux.

DATE	CASE NO.	CLASS	STYLE
1/15/93	158	Supersedeas	Jameson V. State
2/1/93	159	Supersedeas	Williams V. State
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3/22/93	161	Mandamus	Kelley V. Smith
4/15/93	162	Motion to Stay	Longino et al v. O'Rourke
4/20/93	163	Supersedeas	In Re: Mary A. Stearns
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9/9/93	166	Mandamus	Brocklebank V. R. Johnson, Sheriff
10/1/93	167	Motion for New Trial	Moclaire v. State
10/14/93	168	Supersedeas	Caring Hands v. Ga. D.H.R.
11/19/93	169	Supersedeas	Caring Hands v. Ga. D.H.R.
12/23/93	170	Supersedeas	State v. Demetrios
1/26/94	171	Ext. of Time	Singer Group V. CJP Entp.
1/27/94	172	Mandamus	White v. Vaughn
1/27/94	173	Supersedeas	Adams v. Judge Wm. F. Todd
1/27/94	174	Mandamus	Lamunyon V. James
2/2/94	175	Mandamus	Hull v. Honsted. Warden
2/17/94	1176	Mandamus	Hice v. St.Bd. of Pardons & Paroles



Court of Appeals

Memorandum

To: Judge Johnson
From: Sheila Collins *sc*
Subject: Case Load Status Report
Date: March 15, 1994

At the close of the docket for the May, 1993 calendar call, (on March 15, 1993) there were 144 cases docketed per judge for a total of 1296 cases for the year..

At the close of the docket for the May, 1994 calendar call, (on March 15, 1994) there were 158 cases docketed per judge for a total of 1417 cases for the year.



Court of Appeals

4/2

FROM: Judge Beasley

TO : Bill Smith

Please glance at this and see
 last 2 paragraphs. Do we have
 something we can send to
 Judge Eagles? I know we're
 beyond Feb., but they'll be
 working on this for some time.
 Our situation should be of
 great interest to them, due to
 our deadlines and caseloads!

Thank you.

Chair
Sidney S. Eagles, Jr.
 Judge
 North Carolina Court of Appeals
 Raleigh, North Carolina

5 days. While these goals are said
 their adoption will present serious
 on's appellate courts.

he AJC executive committee, AJC
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 chief judge of the California Court
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 of Chief Judges, serve on COSJA
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anure to meet the new standards. To the contrary, it is
 my hope that courts might use them to convince legis-
 latures that additional staff and resources are needed for
 an effective response to burgeoning appellate caseloads.

COSJA's decision was also motivated, I believe, by
 knowledge that time standards have been enforced with
 generally good results in the trial courts. The NCSC data
 report that in San Diego, for example, the median num-
 ber of days from indictment to disposition in the trial
 court is 74 days. Yet for criminal appeals generated in

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~~but it rejected the notion that courts should adopt their
 own standards. It also replaced the 280-day standard
 with incremental percentage time standards that are
 much more stringent than those contained in the alter-
 native proposal: For intermediate appellate courts, 75
 percent of appeals should have record preparation com-
 pleted within 28 days, briefing within 98 days, and de-
 cision making within 161 days (287 day total); 95 per-
 cent of appeals should be decided within 365 days. For
 courts of last resort, COSJA decided that 50 percent of
 all appeals should be completed within 287 days, and~~

DTB: Sid. Come to St. Louis Sem.

SPECIAL

National Conference of
Special Court Judges

THE FUTURE OF JUSTICE

In 1992, the Supreme Judicial Court of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts issued the comprehension report of its Futures Commission, *Reinventing Justice: 2022*. The report was dramatic, revealing, alluring, and illuminated with a sense of urgency.

At the outset, the commission posited two scenarios for the future of our justice system:

1. The year is 2022. Imagine that government is largely moribund, debt-ridden, bureaucratically Byzantine, impotent. The economy, overwhelmed by public and private debt, has collapsed. To an even greater extent than in 1992, society looks to the courts for help in solving its overwhelming problems, but resources for the courts, indeed for government generally, are in desperately short supply. Principles of triage govern. Only the most heinous criminal matters are heard by the courts, and civil cases have long been the province of expensive private dispute resolution providers. There is little paying business for lawyers, and the bar is substantially smaller than 30 years earlier. Technology, instead of helping to improve personal lives and make business and government more efficient, is now used mainly to monitor and control the "underclass."

Frightening?

2. Imagine, instead, a future in which government serves society, the economy is well-balanced, social justice is a reality, and the courts enjoy resources adequate to their mission. New ways of thinking about disputes, new models of public and private management, and new technologies to implement those models all flourish. The justice system is committed to true problem solving (rather than to the processing of cases), electronics-assisted "courts without walls," community dispute resolution centers, and a respected and highly professional justice workforce.

At first blush, scenario 1 may seem a bit melodramatic. However, without the intervention of judges and justice professionals, and without careful judicial inventory, reflection, nurturing, and guidance, scenario 1 is the more likely.

The National Conference of Special Court Judges is composed of judges sitting on courts of first resort. Usually these judges feel the impact, the tension, and the stressors of the system first and in disproportionate severity to other courts. Courts of special jurisdiction are where the range of human drama is played out, day in and day out, before diverse groups of judges all across



Chair
Bernice B. Donald
Judge
U.S. Bankruptcy Court
Western District of Tennessee
Memphis, Tennessee

the nation. And while these judges sit in vastly different courts, there are greater areas of common interests and activities that bind them together than there are differences that separate. Special court judges hear matters in chancery, juvenile court, and family court, and hear domestic violence issues, criminal matters, immigration issues, federal crime and civil matters, bankruptcy cases, traffic matters, and military issues. These judges hear conflict, turmoil, pain, and suffering distilled to their core—and each presides over an expectant population hoping and looking for just resolutions.

Individuals who appear before the courts expect them to resolve their conflicts. They expect the courts to provide a safe environment and a safe world in which their children can grow. They expect the courts to ease financial tensions so they may have an enhanced quality of life. And finally, they expect the courts to provide and ensure order and tranquility.

While presiding in these courts, judges constantly are grappling with meeting the justice needs and expectations of society. In the process, courts feel the tension, and their solutions are often illusive and evasive!

Through organizations, judges must work with others concerned about the future of our justice system for realistic, pragmatic, and enduring solutions to these problems. It is doubtful that individual judges sitting in isolation in jurisdictions across the country can solve these problems. Indeed, viewed in isolated conditions, these problems may seem overwhelming, catastrophic, and oppressing.

However, through a professional network and professional development, even where resources are scarce, meaningful discourse can occur in an environment where prospective solutions can evolve. That the environment in which we work is less than ideal cannot provide a basis for retreating from the challenge that has been laid at our feet—providing justice for all. More than ever before, judges must work through professional organizations such as the National Conference of Special Court Judges, the JAD, the American Bar Association, and other entities to pool their talents and to share ideas to provide a meaningful blueprint for change in our justice system.

If we don't do this, then we may find ourselves presiding over the nightmare in the Massachusetts Futures Committee report:

It is 2022. Society is impoverished. Conflicts focus on competition for basic resources: food, fuel, and housing. Justice norms, processes, and objectives broke down as socially cooperative behavior declined. Knowledge is increasingly high-tech, and
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who serve as the College's State Alumni Liaisons. These NJC alumni represent the College at in-state functions and encourage enrollments by contacting their colleagues. Where appropriate, these alumni leaders present the case for adequate funding of national training courses to state officials. Plans to form a national alumni association to advise NJC in both its academic and development efforts are under consideration.

While technically not volunteers, the NJC staff of approximately 40 full-time and 10 part-time people are known to everyone who attends the College for going beyond the call of duty in their devotion to judicial education. Without fail, the participant evaluations of staff helpfulness are replete with "outstanding," "always

courteous and helpful," and "superb."

Both volunteers and staff can take justifiable pride that 1993 brought the second highest annual attendance in the College's history and that 1994 is starting very strongly. Cost of attendance at NJC in 1994 has remained the same for the fourth straight year. The tuition and conference fee, which includes the daily lunches, graduation dinner, breaks, and other items, remains at \$825 for a one-week course, and consecutive weeks are at a reduced tuition. Room and board at the refurbished University Inn (formerly College Inn) remains at \$199 per week.

For information about 1994 courses and scholarships, call 800-25-JUDGE. ■■

Appellate

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that same community, the median number of days from notice of appeal to disposition is 411 days. Surely judges laboring in the trenches must question the fairness of a system that imposes time standards on them and not on the courts reviewing their work. We risk serious damage to our credibility as court leaders when we fail to acknowledge that what's good for the goose is good for the gander.

One may argue that it is idealistic to believe appellate courts will strive to meet the ABA standards when those standards are so stringent and far removed from reality. I think the COSJA members would tell you, however, that it is just as unrealistic to believe courts will achieve substantial reduction in delay without a standard to guide them. It is fine to say that engaging in the process is the important thing, but the public deserves more. It is for the public's benefit, and not the judges' benefit, after all,

that these particular standards are designed. Section 3.5 of the Appellate Standards, as they are now proposed, may need some refinement, but the public rightfully should expect more than a *laissez faire* approach to the problem.

Anderson: COSJA wisely has recognized that not all appeals are identical. Some result from lengthy, complex trials, while others may result from summary adjudication. Criminal, civil, and juvenile appeals vary considerably from one another, and even within those categories there is great variation. And some cases will be abandoned, while others will require a rehearing.

The flexible standard now proposed by COSJA, which measures a court's efficiency in processing its entire caseload (instead of any single appeal), is a significant improvement over the present 280-day standard. However, the days allotted should be attainable, and I suspect that these standards are *not* attainable in the vast majority of jurisdictions. COSJA tacitly recognized this by providing that "courts unable to achieve these standards within the foreseeable future because of backlog, volume, and insufficient resources should develop in-

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terim standards that will enable them to do so within a fixed period.”

I fault COSJA for its indifference to actual empirical data. Ironically, a decade ago when the first time standards were being developed, the Time Standards Committee of the AJC labored intensely to uncover such data, but most courts did not record or monitor time on appeal and little data was available. Largely as a result of that committee’s work, more courts and states have developed procedures for compiling time data, although there is still no national depository.

The NCSC’s study of felony appeals from 19 metropolitan communities was made available to COSJA; unfortunately, neither that study nor any other data furnished to COSJA was considered. So again, time standards are being created in a vacuum, without any reference to actual practice. COSJA’s rejection of reality is illustrated by its selection of the 75 percent figure, which according to the committee should represent that portion of an intermediate appellate court’s workload that is “routine.” Absolutely no data suggests this conclusion, which was reached because one commissioner opined that “80 percent of problems generally come from 20 percent of the workload.” The 75 percent figure was a compromise. No attempt was made to determine just how many courts are meeting or can meet these standards. Thus, COSJA hasn’t a clue concerning which courts or how many courts will be branded substandard if its proposals become ABA policy.

Of even greater concern is COSJA’s rejection of the alternative proposal’s concept concerning the proper role of the ABA *vis-à-vis* time standards—that the ABA should call upon appellate courts to engage in the process of developing their own time standards tailored to their own jurisdictions, organization, and caseloads, and that this should be done after due consideration of the suggested ABA model by accepting it where appropriate and modifying it where inappropriate.

Just as all appeals are not identical, all appellate courts are not identical. COSJA now recognizes a difference between the court of last resort (COLR) and the intermediate appellate court (IAC), but still clings to the fallacy that all courts within those two categories are similar enough to be governed by a universal time standard. Such is simply not the fact, at least with IACs. Some are deflection courts (Hawaii, Idaho, and Iowa); some are specialty courts (Alabama, Arizona, California, Florida, Illinois, Louisiana, New Jersey, Ohio, Pennsylvania, and Washington); and others enjoy statewide jurisdiction but sit in specified locations (Missouri, Oklahoma, and Wisconsin). Certainly decisional panels are not uniform.

The alternative proposal recognizes these differences and encourages each court to engage in the process of developing standards for itself. It is *this process* which is to be encouraged, for it is this exercise that exposes areas of delay, spurs consensus concerning what is acceptable and what is not, and facilitates the discovery of solutions to eliminate delay. Appellate judges have lived with an ABA universal standard now for five years, and how many courts or states have adopted it without mod-

ification or qualification? None! Yet, many states are modifying the standards to fit their special needs (Alabama, Idaho, Louisiana, Virginia, and Wisconsin).

The ABA should encourage this process, which I predict will continue despite COSJA’s pronouncements. It is, after all, consistent with the experiences of the five pilot IACs selected by the Lawyers Conference Task Force on Reduction of Litigation Cost and Delay to monitor the 280-day time standard: “By examining the aggregate of time required to complete the events, *the court* can establish a time guideline that can be monitored. Whether it establishes a time frame for all cases of that type, tailors a schedule for individual cases, or adopts the 280-day standard for routine litigation, the concept remains the same. The guideline must meet the goal of eliminating time other than that “reasonably required for . . . court events” (Novak, *Delay on Appeal* (1990), at 81 (emphasis added)).

The *National Law Journal* recognized this truth when it editorialized on the subject: “And any effort to reduce delay really should be tailored to individual courts—as recommended in an alternative proposal endorsed by two appellate judicial groups, the Council of Chief Judges of Courts of Appeal and the ABA Appellate Judges Conference” (November 15, 1993). Public comment to the discussion draft overwhelmingly supported the alternative proposal. It is time for the ABA to heed that advice to get practical and to determine just what purpose its standards serve. In my view, the standards should be realistic enough to catch the interest and imagination of appellate judges everywhere. If they are, we can expect a decade of dramatic reduction in time on appeal.

Eagles: Consideration in Kansas City of the proposed revision to the Standards Relating to Appellate Courts should be a matter of great interest to the appellate judges of America. While ABA standards sometimes are denigrated as being merely aspirational—merely goals for well-funded and realistically staffed court systems—I suggest that in today’s public climate these particular standards are not to be taken lightly. In an atmosphere of dissatisfaction with government in general and great concern about crime, law enforcement, and the administration of justice, any ABA standards ought to ensure that the public’s expectations are realistic and consistent with available funding and staffing. The potential for negative impact is especially acute for underfunded judges who face reelection or performance evaluation in the wake of the delay reduction standards.

I am grateful to Chief Judge Anderson and Justice Neuman for sharing their observations on the COSJA’s work. The opinions, comments, and suggestions of our AJC members will enrich the discussion. I would appreciate your sharing any statistics you may have concerning case-processing times in your court.

I invite you to communicate your thoughts on this issue to me and to members of the AJC Executive Committee before the 1994 Midyear Meeting. We need the input of our members as we consider this important issue.

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Court of Appeals

Memorandum

To: Judge Johnson
From: Sheila Collins *SC*
Subject: Case Load Status Report
Date: February 15, 1994

At the close of the docket for the April, 1993 call (on February 15, 1993,) there were 122 cases docketed per Judge. A total of 1095 cases for the year to date.

At the close of the docket for the April 1994 call (on February 15, 1994) there were 129 cases docketed per Judge. A total of 1158 cases for the year to date.

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February 2, 1994

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Dear Mr. Turner:

In response to your request of December 23, 1993 to Victoria McLaughlin regarding the number of applications for discretionary review in domestic relations or family law matters, please be advised that the summary of dispositions for discretionary applications filed in domestic/family law matters for 1993 totaled 79. This total includes 22 granted, 45 denied and 12 dismissed.

Not all matters dealing with domestic and/or family law issues are decided by discretionary appeal. Some matters come up on direct appeal, such as termination of parental rights. The following summary totals are for domestic/family law matters disposed of in 1993 by direct appeal. The total is 71, the breakdown is as follows:

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Total Reversed	7
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Total Withdrawn	4
Total Dismissed	19
Total Vacated and Remanded	1
Total Reversed and Remanded	2
Total Transferred to the Supreme Court	8
Total Vacated with Directions	1

I hope this is the information that you are requesting. I apologize for the delay in getting it to you and I hope that this will be of benefit to you.

Sincerely,



William L. Martin, III
Clerk and Court Administrator
Court of Appeals of Georgia

WLM, III/sc

31 January 1994

To: Bill Martin

Ref: Discretionary Applications filed in Domestic/Family Law Matters.

The following is a summary of dispositions of the above referenced applications for calendar year 93.

Total granted	22
Total denied	45
Total dismissed	12

I should be communicated to Mr. Turner that all matters dealing with these issues are not required to file a Discretionary Application and come up on direct appeals(i.e. Termination of Parental Rights). The following summary totals are domestic/family law matters disposed of in 1993 by direct appeal.

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Statistical data requested in paragraph two is not available.

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Memorandum

To: Bud Tirey
From: *Bill Martin*
Subject: Statistical Data
Date: January 27, 1994

Attached please find a copy of a letter that was addressed to Victoria McLaughlin from Jack Turner requesting certain statistical information from the Court. At the Court's Banc meeting on Tuesday, the Court authorized the release of this information.

If you have the capabilities to provide this information in summary or report form, I would appreciate you providing me with this information. I think we had briefly talked about this once several days ago. If you have any questions, please let me know.

Bill

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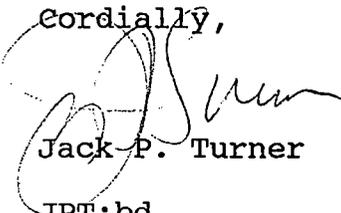
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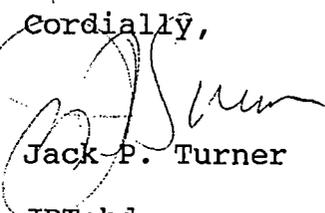
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January 31, 1994

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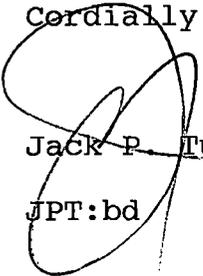
Dear Mr. Martin:

Congratulations on your appointment as Clerk and Court Administrator of the Court of Appeals of Georgia.

Thank you for your letter of January 27, 1994. I look forward to receiving the requested data for publication in the State Bar of Georgia Family Law Section Newsletter.

With kindest personal regards, I am

Cordially,


Jack P. Turner

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CASE TYPE FILINGS REPORT TO CY 1992 - CY 1993
COURT OF APPEALS OF GEORGIA

<u>CIVIL CASE TYPE FILINGS</u>	<u>1992</u>	<u>1993</u>
Torts	509	538
Dispossessories	50	50
Banking & Corporations	11	8
Trusts & Estates	30	18
Contracts	500	411
Real Property	67	81
Domestic & Juvenile	65	96
Special Proceedings & Independent Motions	345	276
Worker's Compensation	46	39
Eminent Domain	31	46
Administrative	16	38
Garnishment	1	9
Taxes	14	15
Motions to Set Aside	28	38
Arbitration	3	12
Motion to Dismiss	<u>25</u>	<u>25</u>
	164	222
Total	1508	1547
 <u>CRIMINAL CASE TYPE FILINGS:</u>		
Felonies	783	823
VGCSA	257	236
Robbery/Armed Robbery	203	127
Child Molestation/Child Cruelty	82	92
Aggravated Assault	74	87
Burglary	66	52
Rape/Statutory Rape	46	50
Sodomy/Aggravated Sodomy/Incest	8	16
Kidnapping	12	12
Voluntary Manslaughter	20	11
Poss./Firearms by Convicted Felon	<u>4</u>	<u>10</u>
Total	671	693
Misdemeanors		
DUI	76	76
Speeding and Other Traffic	21	10
Obstruction of Officer	<u>9</u>	<u>10</u>
Total	106	96
Motions & Proceedings	109	100
Motions to Suppress/Limine	43	41
Motion To Dismiss/Quash/ Double Jeopardy/Acquit/ Plea in Bar/Abatement	<u>25</u>	<u>30</u>
	68	71

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Misdemeanors	146	141	
Motions & Proceedings	<u>109</u>	<u>100</u>	
	2546	2611 1064	✓
 <u>DISCRETIONARY APPLICATIONS</u>	 426	 482	 ✓
 <u>INTERLOCUTORY APPLICATIONS</u>	 427	 438	 ✓
 <u>TOTAL CASE FILINGS</u>	 4907	 5078 3531	 ✓



Court of Appeals

Memorandum

To: Bud Tirey
From: *Bill Martin*
Subject: Statistical Data
Date: January 27, 1994

Attached please find a copy of a letter that was addressed to Victoria McLaughlin from Jack Turner requesting certain statistical information from the Court. At the Court's Banc meeting on Tuesday, the Court authorized the release of this information.

If you have the capabilities to provide this information in summary or report form, I would appreciate you providing me with this information. I think we had briefly talked about this once several days ago. If you have any questions, please let me know.

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December 23, 1993

The Honorable Victoria McLaughlin
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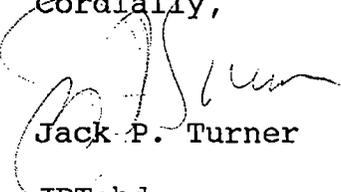
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If records are available, would you provide me with other family law cases that for one reason or another, went up on direct appeal without being dismissed for failure to file an application for discretionary review?

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Cordially,


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WILLIAM L. MARTIN, III
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January 27, 1994

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Dear Mr. Turner:

Thank you for your letter of December 23, 1993 to Victoria McLaughlin. As you may or may not know, Ms. McLaughlin is the Operations Manager for JAMS working with Judge Jack Etheridge. I became Clerk and Court Administrator of this Court January 1, 1994.

I apologize in my delay in responding to your request of December 23rd. It is my understanding that our data processing department can produce a report in summary form of most of the information you have requested. I requested data processing to generate that report and when I receive it I shall forward it on to you.

If you have any questions about this matter, please feel free to contact me.

With best regards, I remain

Yours very truly,



William L. Martin, III
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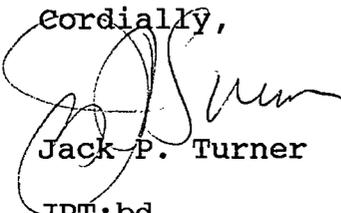
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Court of Appeals

Memorandum

To: Judge Johnson
From: Sheila Collins *sc*
Subject: Case Load Status Report
Date: January 18, 1944

As of the close of the docket for the March, 1993 call (on January 15, 1993) there were approximately 97 cases docketed per judge. Total of 873 cases.

As of the close of the docket for the March 1994 call (on January 14, 1994, there were approximately 101 cases docketed per judge. Total of 907 cases.

cc: Bill Martin

(CRIMINAL & CIVIL)

START MM-YY: 01-93

ENDING MM-YY: 12-93

TOTALS	CODE	JUDGMENT DESCRIPTION
1561	(02001)	Affirmed
332	(02002)	Reversed
75	(02003)	AFFIRMED IN PART/REVERSED IN PART
176	(02004)	WITHDRAWN
5	(02005)	Remanded with Direction
339	(02006)	DISMISSED
20	(02007)	Reversed & Remanded with Direction
18	(02008)	Vacated & Remanded with Direction
27	(02009)	REMANDED
0	(02010)	Aff'd-Part/Reversed-Part/Vacated/Remanded
5	(02011)	Aff'd-Part/Vacated-Part/Remanded w/Direction
2	(02012)	Affirmed-Part/Reversed-Part w/Direction
11	(02013)	Affirmed with Direction
11	(02014)	Reversed with Direction
0	(02015)	Appeal Dismissed Rule 27A, & Rule 14
0	(02016)	Affirmed on Count 1/Reversed on Count 2
0	(02017)	Appeal Dismissed/ Case Remanded
3	(02018)	VACATED AND CASE REMANDED.
13	(02019)	Affirmed & Remanded w/Direction
1	(02020)	Affirmed in Accordance to Rule 36
18	(02021)	Reversed & Remanded
3	(02022)	Dismissed & Remanded

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TOTALS	CODE	JUDGMENT DESCRIPTION
69	(02023)	TRANSFERRED TO SUPREME COURT
0	(02024)	TRANSFERRED TO SUPERIOR COURT
0	(02025)	VACATED & TRANSFERRED TO SUPERIOR COURT
0	(02026)	AFF'D-PART/REV'D PART/REMANDED W/AMENDMENT
1	(02027)	AFF'D PART/DISMISSED IN PART
1	(02028)	AFFIRMED ON CONDITION
0	(02029)	AFF'D/SANCTIONS DENIED.
0	(02030)	REVERSED IN PART
2	(02031)	VACATED WITH DIRECTION
5	(02032)	AFF'D PART/REV'D PART/REMANDED W/DIRECTION
0	(02033)	REV'D IN PART; VACATED AND REMANDED IN PART
2	(02034)	AFF'D/SENTENCE VAC/REMANDED
0	(02035)	VACATED AND REINSTATED ON MFR
3	(02036)	REVERSED IN PART/DISMISSED IN PART
6	(02037)	VACATED IN PART/AFFIRMED IN PART
1	(02038)	AFF'D IN PART & REVERSED & REMANDED IN PART
1	(02039)	APPEAL DISMISSED IN PART/JUDGMENT AFF'D
2	(02040)	AFF. IN PART/REV. IN PART & REMANDED.
0	(02041)	REV. & REM. FOR PROCEEDINGS CNSTNT W/OPINION
1	(02042)	AFFIRMED WITH DAMAGES
0	(02050)	AFF W/DIR. THAT PNTVE DMGS & ATT FEE BE STRIC
0	(02051)	REVERSED AND ORDER VACATED

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TOTALS	CODE	JUDGMENT DESCRIPTION
4	(02052)	DISMISSED/MOTION FOR PENALTIES DENIED.
1	(02053)	EXP.GRANTED/SUP.BOND-AFF'D
2	(02054)	AFF'D IN PART/REMANDED W/DIRECTION
2	(02099)	Affirmed and remanded
141	(02100)	INTERLOCUTORY APPLICATION GRANTED
247	(02101)	INTERLOCUTORY APPLICATION DENIED
48	(02102)	INTERLOCUTORY APPLICATION DISMISSED
0	(02103)	E/A DISMISSED OCGA S 9-11-56 (h)
1	(02104)	E/A TRANSFERRED TO SUPREME COURT
0	(02105)	E/A MFR/DENIED
0	(02106)	E/A MFR/GRANT
0	(02107)	E/A WITHDRAWN
1	(02108)	CHANGED TO DISCRETIONARY
128	(02200)	DISCRETIONARY APPLICATION GRANTED
296	(02201)	DISCRETIONARY APPLICATION DENIED
52	(02202)	DISCRETIONARY APPLICATION DISMISSED
0	(02203)	D/A DISMISSED OCGA S 5-6-35 (d)
0	(02204)	D/A TRANSFERRED TO SUPREME COURT
0	(02205)	D/A MFR/DENIED
1	(02206)	D/A MFR/GRANT
1	(02207)	D/A WITHDRAWN
4	(02208)	CHANGED TO INTERLOCUTORY

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TOTALS	CODE	JUDGMENT DESCRIPTION
0	(02209)	I/A REMANDED TO SUPERIOR COURT
0	(02210)	REASSIGNED
0	(02211)	RECORD RETURNED
0	(02212)	AFF'D/SENTENCE REV'D/REM'D FOR RESENTENCING
0	(02213)	CERT WITHDRAWN
0	(02214)	WRIT VACATED
0	(02215)	USSC/VACATED AND REMANDED
12	(02216)	CASE REINSTATED
18	(02217)	CASE PENDING AFTER SUPREME COURT
19	(02218)	REMANDED/APPEAL PREMATURE
0	(02219)	SUPREME COURT JUDGMENT VACATED
1	(02220)	PREMATURE/RECORD RETURNED
3	(02300)	VACATED
2	(02301)	REVERSED AND REMANDED
1	(02303)	APPEAL MOOT
0	(02304)	CONVICTION AFFD/SENTENCE VAC IN PART.
1	(02305)	VACATED/MOTION TO DISMISSED DENIED.
0	(02500)	VACATED AND REMANDED BY THE UNITED STATES SC
0	(02501)	JUDGMENT VACATED/APPEAL WITHDRAWN
0	(026)	
0	(02600)	PENDING IN USSC
1	(02601)	VACATED IN PART

DATE: 01/04/94

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DATE: 06/13/94

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TOTALS CODE JUDGMENT DESCRIPTION
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TOTAL DECISIONS THIS PERIOD 2729

* TOTAL OPINION: 2213 AVERAGE OPINION PER JUDGE = 245.8

* TOTAL ORDER: 516 AVERAGE ORDER PER JUDGE = 57.3

* DIRECT APPEALS ONLY

CERTIORARI: NOI = 0785 APPLICATION = 0627 GRANTED = 0097 DENIED = 0688

REHEARING: TOTAL FILED = 1162 GRANTED = 0031 DENIED = 1131