

**U.S. Court of Appeals Summary -- 12 -Month Period Ending March 31, 2020**

|  |                          | DC   | 1ST                             | 2ND   | 3RD   | 4TH   | 5TH   | 6TH   | 7TH   | 8TH   | 9TH   | 10TH   | 11TH   |       |       |
|--|--------------------------|--|---------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|--------|-------|-------|
| <b>A</b>                                     | <b>F</b>                 | <b>Total</b>   | 950                             | 1,368 | 4,811 | 3,639 | 4,907 | 6,972 | 4,424 | 2,571 | 2,830 | 10,419 | 1,788  | 5,579 |       |
|  |                          | <b>Prisoner</b>  | 93                              | 179   | 697   | 894   | 1,571 | 1,770 | 1,251 | 819   | 823   | 2,388  | 470    | 1,433 |       |
|  |                          | <b>Other</b>   | 497                             | 676   | 2,721 | 1,874 | 1,742 | 2,411 | 1,840 | 1,170 | 1,034 | 3,898  | 781    | 2,445 |       |
|  |                          | <b>Criminal</b>  | 78                              | 416   | 619   | 471   | 1,380 | 2,147 | 1,116 | 484   | 872   | 1,150  | 400    | 1,292 |       |
|  |                          | <b>Administrative</b>                                  | 282                             | 97    | 774   | 400   | 214   | 644   | 217   | 98    | 101   | 2,983  | 137    | 409   |       |
|  |                          | <b>Percent Change in Total Filings Current Year</b>    | <b>Over Last Year</b>           | -6.9  | 10.4  | 22.2  | 25.1  | 10.4  | -4.3  | 8.1   | -4.6  | 0.8    | 2.0    | 1.2   | 0.4   |
|  |                          |  | <b>Over 2015</b>                | -16.5 | -6.0  | -3.7  | -8.5  | 5.7   | -9.2  | -3.9  | -11.9 | -1.9   | -12.5  | -8.1  | -8.4  |
| <b>Overall Caseload Statistics</b>           | <b>T</b>                 | <b>Total</b>   | 1,080                           | 1,330 | 4,251 | 3,713 | 4,314 | 6,822 | 4,200 | 2,649 | 2,873 | 10,319 | 1,805  | 5,701 |       |
|  |                          | <b>Consolidations &amp; Cross Appeals <sup>2</sup></b> | 228                             | 50    | 221   | 650   | 196   | 542   | 214   | 117   | 112   | 379    | 24     | 172   |       |
|  |                          | <b>Procedural</b>                                      | 375                             | 309   | 1,679 | 923   | 1,305 | 2,467 | 1,203 | 1,098 | 654   | 3,432  | 558    | 2,248 |       |
|  |                          | <b>On The Merits</b>                                   | <b>Total</b>                    | 477   | 971   | 2,351 | 2,140 | 2,813 | 3,813 | 2,783 | 1,434 | 2,107  | 6,508  | 1,223 | 3,281 |
|  |                          |  | <b>Prisoner</b>                 | 29    | 217   | 370   | 595   | 823   | 757   | 821   | 375   | 604    | 1,534  | 347   | 943   |
|  |                          |  | <b>Other</b>                    | 298   | 463   | 1,167 | 1,052 | 1,067 | 1,307 | 1,140 | 752   | 782    | 2,604  | 544   | 1,366 |
|  |                          |  | <b>Criminal</b>                 | 43    | 240   | 444   | 300   | 796   | 1,553 | 672   | 253   | 639    | 771    | 263   | 794   |
|  |                          |  | <b>Administrative</b>           | 107   | 51    | 370   | 193   | 127   | 196   | 150   | 54    | 82     | 1,599  | 69    | 178   |
|  |                          |  | <b>Percent by Active Judges</b> | 81.4  | 79.3  | 59.8  | 80.0  | 84.3  | 79.2  | 63.6  | 85.5  | 86.6   | 59.4   | 81.3  | 78.5  |
|  |                          |  | <b>Pending Appeals</b>          | 1,110 | 1,453 | 4,253 | 2,400 | 3,109 | 4,685 | 2,779 | 1,655 | 1,815  | 11,224 | 1,213 | 3,318 |
| <b>Actions per Active Judge <sup>1</sup></b> |                          | <b>Termination on the Merits</b>                       | 207                             | 478   | 357   | 488   | 507   | 601   | 318   | 342   | 525   | 473    | 253    | 584   |       |
|  |                          | <b>Procedural Terminations</b>                         | 19                              | 3     | 87    | 45    | 54    | 80    | 41    | 52    | 63    | 69     | 38     | 105   |       |
|  | <b>Written Decisions</b> | <b>Total</b>   | 38                              | 153   | 201   | 128   | 157   | 184   | 112   | 113   | 166   | 146    | 83     | 208   |       |
|  |                          | <b>Signed</b>  | 12                              | 26    | 197   | 98    | 37    | 25    | 43    | 38    | 37    | 11     | 59     | 15    |       |
|  |                          | <b>Unsigned</b>  | 27                              | 121   | 3     | 22    | 120   | 158   | 69    | 74    | 48    | 136    | 23     | 188   |       |
| <b>Without Comment</b>                       |                          | -  | 6                               | -     | 8     | -     | 1     | -     | -     | 81    | -     | -      | 5      |       |       |

<sup>1</sup> Includes only judges active during the entire 12-month period.

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|---|---|--|-----------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|-------|-----|
| <b>Number of Judgeships/<br/>Number of Panels</b>         |   | 11 / 3.7   | 6 / 2.0         | 13 / 4.3 | 14 / 4.7 | 15 / 5.0 | 17 / 5.7 | 16 / 5.3 | 11 / 3.7 | 11 / 3.7 | 29 / 9.7 | 12 / 4.0 | 12 / 4.0 |       |     |
| <b>Number of Sitting<br/>Senior Judges</b>                |   | 6  | 4               | 13       | 9        | 4        | 9        | 13       | 3        | 5        | 20       | 7        | 9        |       |     |
| <b>Number of Vacant<br/>Judgeship Months <sup>2</sup></b> |   | 5.1  | 0.0             | 12.2     | 12.0     | 0.0      | 12.0     | 12.0     | 0.0      | 0.0      | 25.5     | 0.0      | 0.0      |       |     |
| <b>Actions<br/>per<br/>Panel <sup>1</sup></b>             | <b>A<br/>p<br/>p<br/>e<br/>a<br/>l<br/>s</b>      | <b>Total</b>   | 259             | 684      | 1,110    | 780      | 981      | 1,230    | 830      | 701      | 772      | 1,078    | 447      | 1,395 |     |
|   |   | <b>Prisoner</b>  | 25              | 90       | 161      | 192      | 314      | 312      | 235      | 223      | 224      | 247      | 118      | 358   |     |
|   |   | <b>All Other Civil</b>   | 136             | 338      | 628      | 402      | 348      | 425      | 345      | 319      | 282      | 403      | 195      | 611   |     |
|   |   | <b>Criminal</b>  | 21              | 208      | 143      | 101      | 276      | 379      | 209      | 132      | 238      | 119      | 100      | 323   |     |
|   |   | <b>Administrative</b>  | 77              | 49       | 179      | 86       | 43       | 114      | 41       | 27       | 28       | 309      | 34       | 102   |     |
|   | <b>A<br/>p<br/>p<br/>e<br/>a<br/>l<br/>s</b>      | <b>Total</b>   | 295             | 665      | 981      | 796      | 863      | 1,204    | 788      | 722      | 784      | 1,067    | 451      | 1,425 |     |
|   |   | <b>Consolidations<br/>&amp; Cross Appeals <sup>3</sup></b>             | 62              | 25       | 51       | 139      | 39       | 96       | 40       | 32       | 31       | 39       | 6        | 43    |     |
|   |   | <b>Procedural</b>  | 102             | 155      | 387      | 198      | 261      | 435      | 226      | 299      | 178      | 355      | 140      | 562   |     |
|   |   | <b>O<br/>n<br/>T<br/>h<br/>e<br/>M<br/>e<br/>r<br/>i<br/>t<br/>s</b>   | <b>Total</b>    | 130      | 486      | 543      | 459      | 563      | 673      | 522      | 391      | 575      | 673      | 306   | 820 |
|   |   |  | <b>Prisoner</b> | 8        | 109      | 85       | 128      | 165      | 134      | 154      | 102      | 165      | 159      | 87    | 236 |
|   |   |  | <b>Other</b>    | 81       | 232      | 269      | 225      | 213      | 231      | 214      | 205      | 213      | 269      | 136   | 342 |
|   |   |  | <b>Criminal</b> | 12       | 120      | 102      | 64       | 159      | 274      | 126      | 69       | 174      | 80       | 66    | 199 |
|   |   | <b>Administrative</b>  | 29              | 26       | 85       | 41       | 25       | 35       | 28       | 15       | 22       | 165      | 17       | 45    |     |
|   | <b>Pending Appeals</b>                            |  | 303             | 727      | 981      | 514      | 622      | 827      | 521      | 451      | 495      | 1,161    | 303      | 830   |     |
|   | <b>Median<br/>Time</b>                            | <b>Median Time From<br/>Filing Notice of Appeal<br/>to Disposition</b> | 11.0            | 13.1     | 12.0     | 9.5      | 5.8      | 9.2      | 7.9      | 8.8      | 7.5      | 11.5     | 9.6      | 7.6   |     |
| <b>Other<br/>Caseload<br/>per<br/>Judgeship</b>           | <b>Applications for<br/>Interlocutory Appeals</b> | -  | 2               | 2        | 2        | 2        | 1        | 2        | 2        | 1        | 4        | 1        | 2        |       |     |
|   | <b>Petitions for Rehearing</b>                    | 26   | 38              | 27       | 75       | 67       | 34       | 43       | 24       | 89       | 56       | 30       | 64       |       |     |

<sup>1</sup> See "Explanation of the Judicial Caseload Profiles."

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