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# King County Superior Court **Quarterly Statistical Report**

Fourth Quarter 2019

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# **Quarterly Report Summary**

King County Superior Court, Fourth Quarter 2019

### **Highlights**

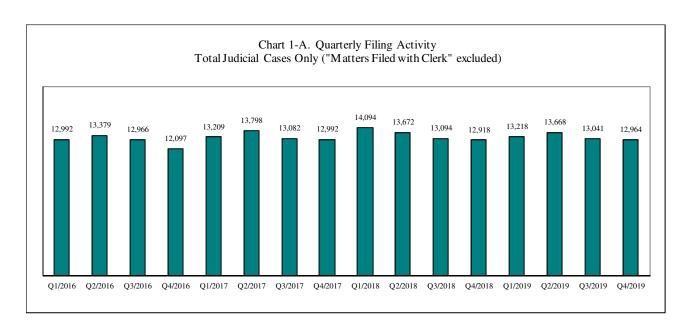
- <u>Criminal Cases</u> -- The criminal filings in the 2019 were higher than that in 2018, with a 10.3% increase. The criminal filings (excluding RALJ) in 2019 were 6,607 cases. MRJC accounted for 39% of the total criminal filings in the court. The resolutions of criminal cases in 2019 were 5,788 cases, lower than the filing volume in the same time period. The pending criminal caseload at the end of 2019 was 3,564 cases (excluding RALJ, but including 305 cases enrolled in the drug diversion court.) Of the 3,564 pending criminal cases, 39% were the MRJC cases.
- <u>Civil and Domestic Cases</u>. Filings in general civil cases (case type 2) in 2019 were lower than that in 2018 (-4.6%). The civil resolutions were almost the same as the filing pace in the same time period. The pending civil caseload were 8,576 cases (including 32 asbestos cases) at the end of 2019. MRJC had 34% of the civil pending caseload at the end of 2019. For domestic cases (case type 3), the filings in the first three quarters of 2019 were also lower than that in 2018 (-4.7%). The resolutions of domestic cases were essentially the same as the filing volume in the same time period. The pending domestic caseload was 4,384 cases at the end of 2019, with 42% being the MRJC cases.
- <u>Probate/Guardianship Cases</u>. The filings of probate cases in 2019 were higher than that in 2018 (+6.6%). The resolutions for probate cases were a slightly lower than the filings in the year. Pending probate caseload was 690 cases at the end of 2019. The guardianship filings in 2019 were significantly lower than that in 2018 (-27.7%). The pending guardianship cases were 235 cases at the end of 2019.
- <u>Adoption/Paternity Cases</u>. Filings of adoption cases in 2019 were higher than that in 2018 (+8.5%). Paternity filings in 2019 remained the same as that in 2018 (+2.7% or +14 cases). The pending caseload at the end of 2019 for adoption and paternity were 184 and 251 cases, respectively.
- <u>ITA Cases</u>. The filings of ITA cases in 2019 were slightly higher than that in 2018 (+1.5%), totaling 4,985 cases. The filing of ITA cases showed a flatter pattern after sharp increases in previous years. The pending ITA caseload at the end of 2019 was 288 cases.
- Juvenile Dependency/Termination (DEP/TER) and At-risk Youth (ARY)/Child-in-Need of Service (CHINS) Cases. In 2019, the dependency filings were the same as that in 2018 (+2.9%), while termination filings showed a significant decrease (-34.6%). Filings in ARY/CHINS/Other in 2019 were also lower than that in 2018 (-29.5%). At the end of 2019, there were 647 dependency cases, 277 termination cases, and 109 ARY/CHINS/Other cases pending resolution.
- **Juvenile Truancy Cases.** The filings of juvenile truancy cases vary significantly from quarter to quarter and year to year. The filings of truancy cases had remained at a low level in recent years. The truancy filings in 2019 were 1,706 cases, showing a decrease from 2018 (-11.4%). There were 2,112 unresolved juvenile truancy cases at the end of 2019.
- <u>Juvenile Offender Cases</u>. The juvenile offender filings in 2019 were 1,121 cases, a decrease from 2018 (-8.8%). The resolution pace for juvenile offender was behind the filing pace in the same time period. At the end of 2019, there were 647 juvenile offender pending cases.
- <u>Criminal and Civil RALJ Cases</u> Filing volume continued to be at a low level and showed an increase in 2019 for
  these two categories. At the end of 2019, the pending criminal RALJ cases remained at 140 cases and there were
  also 51 pending civil RALJ cases.
- <u>Pro Tem Use.</u> In the four quarters of 2019, the daily Pro Tem use by the court was 2.4, 6.3, 3.2, and 4.5 FTEs, respectively.
- Post-resolution Modifications (Table 1-A). In 2019, there were 753 modifications (both parenting plan and relocation modifications).

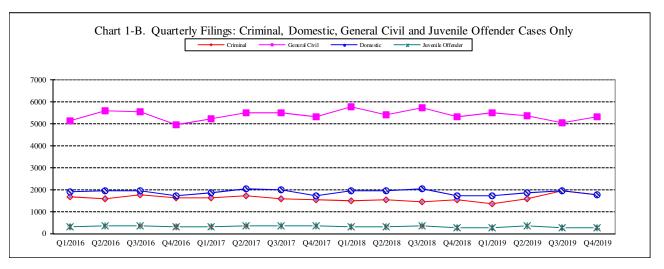
# Table 1. Year-to-Date Filing Activity

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Reporting Category	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	Cases	Percentage	Filing (2)
Total (incl. RALJ) Year-to-Date Filing Annual Filing	51652 51652	51472 51472	53115 53115	53835 53835	52889	-946	1.8%	
Criminal (excl. RALJ) Year-to-Date Filing Annual Filing	6237 6237	6632 6632	6441 6441	5989 5989	6607	+618	+10.3%	12.5%
Civil (excl. Asbestos) Year-to-Date Filing Annual Filing	21181 21181	21181 21181	21497 21497	22157 22157	21178	-979	-4.4%	40.0%
Asbestos Cases (civil) Year-to-Date Filing Annual Filing	36 36	41 41	20 20	60 60	24	-36	-60.0%	0.0%
Domestic Year-to-Date Filing Annual Filing	7559 7559	7512 7512	7597 7597	7640 7640	7280	-360	-4.7%	13.8%
Probate Year-to-Date Filing Annual Filing	6002 6002	6073 6073	6418 6418	6382 6382	6804	+422	+6.6%	12.9%
Guardianship Year-to-Date Filing Annual Filing	969 969	1008 1008	949 949	977 977	706	-271	-27.7%	1.3%
Adoption Year-to-Date Filing Annual Filing	460 460	458 458	546 546	445 445	483	+38	+8.5%	0.9%
Paternity Year-to-Date Filing Annual Filing	650 650	528 528	539 539	512 512	526	+14	+2.7%	1.0%
ITA – Civil Commitment Year-to-Date Filing Annual Filing	4004 4004	4152 4152	4694 4694	4910 4910	4985	+75	+1.5%	9.4%
Juvenile Dependency (DEP) Year-to-Date Filing Annual Filing	848 848	727 727	793 793	787 787	811	+24	+3.0%	1.5%
Juvenile Termination (TER) Year-to-Date Filing Annual Filing	214 214	219 219	304 304	344 344	225	-119	-34.6%	0.4%
Juvenile ARY/CHINS/OTHERS Year-to-Date Filing Annual Filing	217 217	247 247	245 245	293 293	206	-87	-29.7%	0.4%
Juvenile Truancy Year-to-Date Filing Annual Filing	1369 1369	1222 1222	1547 1547	1925 1925	1706	-219	-11.4%	3.2%
Juvenile Offender Year-to-Date Filing Annual Filing	1649 1649	1295 1295	1324 1324	1229 1229	1121	-108	-8.8%	2.1%
Criminal RALJ Year-to-Date Filing Annual Filing	180 180	111 111	136 136	117 117	146	+29	+24.8%	0.3%
Civil RALJ Year-to-Date Filing Annual Filing	57 57	66 66	65 65	68 68	81	+13	+19.1%	0.2%
Matters Filed with Clerk (3) Year-to-Date Filing Annual Filing	9581 9581	8742 8742	10903 10903	9036 9036	10030	+994	+11.0%	

New filings only (based on filing date).
 New filings of each reporting category as percentage of "Year-to-Date Filing".

<sup>(3) &</sup>quot;Matters Filed with Clerk" are not included in the "Total".





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Table 1-A. Post-Resolution Modifications (Domestic and Paternity Cases)

			2017Q1	Τ		2017Q2			2017Q3			2017Q4			Year 2017	1
Location	Case Type	DMOD	DTBA	Total												
KNT	Domestic	172	30	202	218	57	275	170	23	193	171	32	203	731	142	873
	Paternity	9	5	14	9	6	15	19	2	21	13	2	15	50	15	65
KNT Total		181	35	216	227	63	290	189	25	214	184	34	218	781	157	938
SEA	Domestic	151	54	205	170	86	256	176	53	229	166	55	221	663	248	911
	Paternity	9	3	12	16	8	24	15	1	16	11	4	15	51	16	67
SEA Total		160	57	217	186	94	280	191	54	245	177	59	236	714	264	978
KNT/SEA Total		341	92	433	413	157	570	380	79	459	361	93	454	1495	421	1916
			2018Q1	ı		2018Q2			2018Q3			2018Q4			Year 2018	ı
Location	Case Type	DMOD	DTBA	Total												
KNT	Domestic	207	25	232	193	50	243	168	33	201	134	22	156	702	130	832
	Paternity	15	3	18	11	6	17	16	3	19	8	1	9	50	13	63
KNT Total		222	28	250	204	56	260	184	36	220	142	23	165	752	143	895
SEA	Domestic	172	51	223	182	82	264	130	43	173	120	45	165	604	221	825
	Paternity	11	2	13	5	4	9	9	3	12	10	2	12	35	11	46
SEA Total		183	53	236	187	86	273	139	46	185	130	47	177	639	232	871
KNT/SEA Total		405	81	486	391	142	533	323	82	405	272	70	342	1391	375	1766
			2019Q1			2019Q2			2019Q3			2019Q4			Year 2019	
Location	Case Type	Reloc- ation	Parent Mod	Total												
KNT	Domestic	6	66	72	15	53	68	18	64	82	5	60	65	44	243	287
	Paternity		11	11		9	9	1	14	15		15	15	1	49	50
KNT Total		6	77	83	15	62	77	19	78	97	5	75	80	45	292	337
SEA	Domestic	15	80	95	24	78	102	23	78	101	8	70	78	70	306	376
	Paternity	1	13	14		11	11	2	7	9		6	6	3	37	40
SEA Total		16	93	109	24	89	113	25	85	110	8	76	84	73	343	416
KNT/SEA Total		22	170	192	39	151	190	44	163	207	13	151	164	118	635	753

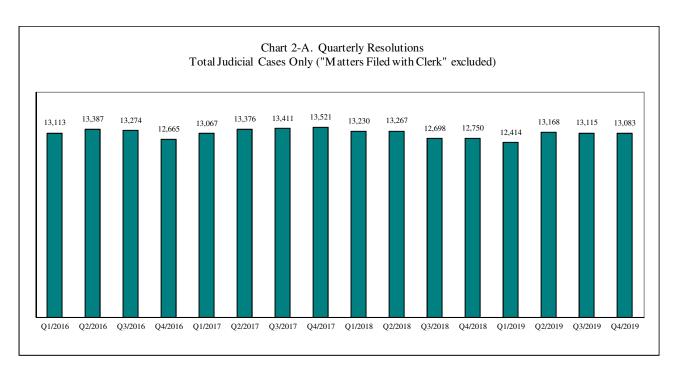
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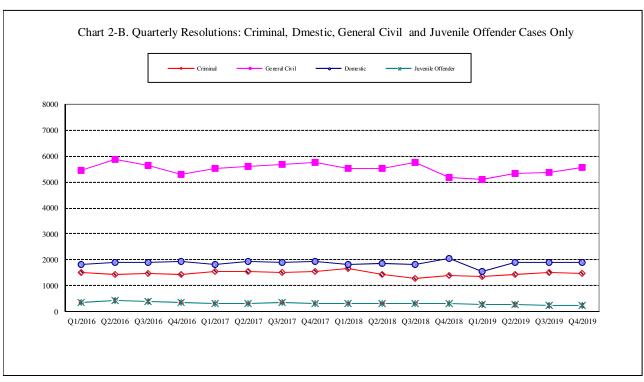
Table 2. Number of Cases Resolved and Resolution Category (%)

Reporting Category	Q1/18	Q2/18	Q3/18	Q4/18	Q1/19	Q2/19	Q3/19	Q4/19
<b>Total Resolutions</b>	12220	120/5	44.00	40==0	10111	42460	4244.	42002
(excl. "Matters Filed with Clerk")	13230	13267	12698	12750	12414	13168	13115	13083
Criminal (excl. RALJ): # Resolved	1654	1438	1281	1397	1373	1439	1519	1457
Resolved by Jury Trial	2.1%	2.7%	3.0%	2.7%	2.6%	3.5%	2.1%	3.6%
Resolved by Non-Jury Trial	1.0%	1.3%	0.3%	0.1%	0.3%	0.5%	0.3%	0.4%
Resolved by Guilty Plea	78.3%	77.0%	78.6%	79.8%	77.9%	78.4%	78.1%	74.0%
Dismissal Others	17.7% 0.9%	18.6% 0.4%	17.7% 0.3%	17.1% 0.2%	18.6% 0.6%	16.7% 0.8%	19.4% 0.2%	21.8% 0.2%
	5516	5523	5745	5181	5089	5340	5381	5552
Civil: # Resolved		0.3%	0.4%	0.4%				
Resolved by Jury Trial Resolved by Non-Jury Trial	0.3% 0.3%	0.3%	0.4%	0.4%	0.3% 0.2%	0.5% 0.3%	0.4% 0.5%	0.3% 0.3%
Summary Judgment	1.7%	1.9%	1.6%	2.5%	1.4%	1.9%	2.2%	1.4%
Default/ Uncontested	32.9%	36.9%	38.4%	33.5%	30.5%	30.4%	29.8%	30.1%
Arbitration	3.0%	3.1%	3.0%	4.1%	3.8%	3.5%	3.3%	3.3%
Settlement/Dismissal	55.7%	55.0%	53.6%	58.0%	63.0%	59.2%	61.7%	60.0%
Closure by Clerk	5.0%	1.6%	2.1%	0.4%	0.0%	3.2%	1.2%	3.7%
Others	1.0%	1.0%	0.6%	0.8%	0.9%	0.9%	0.8%	0.9%
Asbestos Cases (civil): # Resolved	13	37	4	9	4	6	10	7
Resolved by Jury Trial	7.7%	0.0%	50.0%	0.0%	0.0%	16.7%	10.0%	28.6%
Resolved by Non-Jury Trial	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Summary Judgment	7.7%	10.8%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	16.7%	10.0%	0.0%
Default/ Uncontested Arbitration	0.0% 0.0%	0.0% 0.0%	25.0% 0.0%	44.4% 0.0%	50.0% 0.0%	0.0% 0.0%	0.0% 10.0%	0.0% 0.0%
Settlement/Dismissal	84.6%	16.2%	25.0%	55.6%	50.0%	66.7%	70.0%	57.1%
Closure by Clerk	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	14.3%
Others	0.0%	73.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Domestic: # Resolved	1814	1861	1826	2070	1564	1912	1903	1916
Resolved by Trial	3.1%	3.8%	4.9%	2.9%	3.2%	3.2%	2.8%	4.1%
Default/ Uncontested	10.6%	9.6%	10.3%	9.0%	9.3%	8.5%	8.9%	8.4%
Settlement /Dismissal	84.7%	85.1%	83.8%	87.9%	87.0%	87.3%	88.1%	86.3%
Closure by Clerk	0.8%	0.6%	0.7%	0.0%	0.0%	0.4%	0.1%	0.8%
Others	0.8%	1.0%	0.4%	0.2%	0.5%	0.5%	0.1%	0.4%
Probate: # Resolved	1590	1642	1401	1503	1762	1808	1622	1572
Personal Rep. Appointed	78.5%	77.2%	73.3%	73.1%	68.2%	71.8%	68.0%	67.7%
Dismissal	1.4%	1.5%	1.9%	4.5%	6.6%	6.2%	7.0%	7.8%
Closure by Clerk	0.1%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Others	20.1%	21.2%	24.8%	22.4%	25.1%	22.0%	25.0%	24.6%
Guardianship: # Resolved	285	255	227	177	165	178	156	157
Guardian Appointed	54.7%	62.8%	59.0%	75.7%	80.6%	87.1%	86.5%	82.2%
Dismissal	43.2%	36.5%	39.7%	23.2%	18.2%	12.4%	11.5%	16.6%
Closure by Clerk Others	0.0% 2.1%	$0.8\% \\ 0.0\%$	0.0% 1.3%	0.0% 1.1%	0.0% 1.2%	0.0% 0.6%	0.0% 1.9%	0.0% 1.3%
	109	98	101	112	78	131	136	127
Adoption: # Resolved Resolved by Trial	1.8%	0.0%	0.0%	0.9%	0.0%	0.8%	0.0%	0.0%
Uncontested	9.2%	7.1%	5.0%	6.3%	12.8%	2.3%	9.6%	3.1%
Settlement /Dismissal	89.0%	92.9%	94.1%	92.9%	87.2%	96.9%	90.4%	96.1%
Closure by Clerk	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.8%
Others	0.0%	0.0%	1.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Paternity: # Resolved	144	125	132	129	107	146	129	129
Resolved by Trial	0.0%	0.8%	1.5%	0.8%	0.0%	1.4%	2.3%	0.8%
Summary Judgment	50.0%	47.2%	49.2%	47.3%	50.5%	50.7%	45.0%	44.2%
Default/ Uncontested	18.1%	24.8%	15.2%	22.5%	15.0%	19.2%	18.6%	12.4%
Settlement/Dismissal	31.3%	27.2%	32.6%	29.15%	34.6%	28.8%	34.1%	41.9%
Closure by Clerk	0.7%	0.0%	1.5%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Others	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.8%

Table 2 (cont.). Number of Cases Resolved and Resolution Category (%)

Reporting Categ	ory	Q1/18	Q2/18	Q3/18	Q4/18	Q1/19	Q2/19	Q3/19	Q4/19
ITA (civil commitment):	# Resolved	1113	1228	1123	1144	1271	1259	1275	1175
Court Decision to Commit		67.3%	55.0%	58.7%	60.2%	53.5%	52.9%	53.6%	50.2%
Closed by Court		0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Dismissal		10.5%	13.7%	15.9%	17.4%	13.6%	12.8%	15.2%	18.6%
Others		22.2%	31.4%	25.4%	22.4%	32.9%	34.3%	31.2%	31.1%
Juv. Dependency:	# Resolved	183	186	181	145	201	142	190	155
Finding of Dependency		74.3%	83.9%	84.0%	81.4%	82.6%	85.2%	64.7%	39.4%
Dismissal		25.7%	16.1%	15.5%	18.6%	17.4%	14.8%	34.7%	50.6%
Others		0.0%	0.0%	0.6%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.5%	0.0%
Juv. Terminations:	# Resolved	91	72	63	71	58	58	34	37
Finding of Dependency		87.9%	91.7%	81.0%	87.3%	79.3%	84.5%	88.2%	64.9%
Dismissal		12.1%	8.3%	19.0%	12.7%	20.7%	15.5%	11.8%	35.1%
Others		0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
ARY/CHINS/OTHER:	# Resolved	53	60	62	36	43	49	50	41
Approve of Petition		30.2%	45.0%	40.3%	38.9%	67.5%	63.2%	42.0%	39.0%
Dismissal		69.8%	45.0%	59.7%	61.1%	32.5%	36.7%	58.0%	61.0%
Others		0.0%	10.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Juvenile Truancy:	# Resolved	287	380	206	420	386	377	424	445
Approve of Petition		3.8%	3.2%	0.5%	5.2%	7.8%	8.2%	0.2%	0.2%
Dismissal		96.2%	96.8%	99.5%	94.8%	92.2%	91.8%	99.8%	99.8%
Others		0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Juvenile Offender:	# Resolved	317	311	305	320	261	278	250	245
Resolved by Trial (Fact Finding	g)	4.1%	0.6%	1.0%	0.0%	1.5%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Resolved by Guilty Plea		36.0%	31.5%	40.3%	42.2%	41.0%	34.9%	40.8%	39.6%
Dismissal		41.3%	49.5%	42.0%	35.0%	31.0%	41.7%	40.0%	36.9%
Deferred Disposition (DDSP)		14.2%	15.1%	13.4%	15.6%	11.5%	13.7%	14.8%	16.7%
Others (including Deferred Pros		4.4%	3.2%	3.3%	7.2%	14.9%	9.7%	4.4%	4.1%
Criminal RALJ:	# Resolved	41	38	27	21	35	32	26	41
RALJ Decision		68.3%	63.2%	44.4%	81.0%	68.6%	75.0%	65.4%	65.9%
Dismissal		26.8%	34.2%	48.2%	9.5%	28.6%	18.8%	26.9%	19.5%
Others		4.9%	2.6%	7.4%	9.5%	2.9%	6.3%	7.7%	14.6%
Civil RALJ:	# Resolved	20	13	14	15	17	13	10	27
RALJ Decision		55.0%	53.9%	57.1%	40.0%	52.9%	46.2%	30.0%	37.0%
Dismissal		40.0%	38.5%	42.9%	60.0%	47.1%	53.8%	60.0%	46.1%
Others		5.0%	7.7%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	10.0%	14.8%





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Table 3. Age of Resolved Cases King County Superior Court

	Age of Cases at Resolution										
Reporting Category	Q1/18	Q2/18	Q3/18	Q4/18	Q1/19	Q2/19	Q3/19	Q4/19			
Criminal (excl. RALJ)											
Age (days)											
50% Cases Resolved by Day	142	129	129	132	144	127	109	104			
90% Cases Resolved by Day	435	382	370	399	453	454	411	431			
Comparison with Court Standard of											
90% in 4 months	43%	48%	47%	46%	43%	49%	53%	54%			
98% in 6 months	61%	63%	65%	64%	59%	61%	66%	68%			
100% in 9 months	88%	79%	81%	81%	76%	76%	79%	80%			
Civil (1)											
Age (days)											
50% Cases Resolved by Day	41	36	38	46	54	58	62	64			
90% Cases Resolved by Day	372	355	362	363	365	385	406	399			
Comparison with Court Standard of	000	0.1.07	0.1.07	000	202	000	0.664	0.684			
90% in 12 months	88%	91%	91%	89%	89%	88%	86%	86%			
98% in 18 months	96%	98%	97%	97%	99%	97%	95%	94%			
100% in 24 months	99%	99%	99%	99%	100%	100%	99%	98%			
Domestic											
Age (days)											
50% Cases Resolved by Day	168	156	155	139	169	190	157	149			
90% Cases Resolved by Day	386	392	405	379	386	411	435	400			
Comparison with Court Standard of		~=~		<b></b>	~ <b>~</b> ~	<b></b>	<b></b>	=16			
90% in 8 months	66%	65%	64%	67%	65%	62%	67%	71%			
98% in 10 months	76%	74%	73%	77%	76%	74%	75%	79%			
100% in 14 months	92%	92%	91%	92%	92%	90%	89%	92%			
Probate											
Age (days)											
50% Cases Resolved by Day	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
90% Cases Resolved by Day	8	7	11	20	25	25	30	30			
Comparison with Court Standard of											
90% in 8 months	98%	98%	98%	97%	97%	97%	97%	98%			
98% in 18 months	98%	99%	99%	98%	98%	98%	97%	98%			
100% in 36 months	99%	99%	100%	99%	99%	98%	97%	98%			
Guardianship											
Age (days)											
50% Cases Resolved by Day	59	57	64	59	51	54	52	59			
90% Cases Resolved by Day	254	246	231	140	161	133	127	163			
Comparison with Court Standard of	222	00~	0.1.00	0.50	0.50	0.00	000	000			
90% in 8 months	90%	89%	91%	95%	96%	96%	98%	93%			
98% in 18 months	97%	98%	95%	97%	100%	99%	99%	98%			
100% in 36 months	99%	99%	100%	97%	100%	99%	99%	99%			
Adoption											
Age (days)								_			
50% Cases Resolved by Day	52	84	77	54	38	30	38	35			
90% Cases Resolved by Day	397	227	344	207	262	274	227	156			
Comparison with Court Standard of					00-1	o=					
90% in 8 months	83%	92%	87%	90%	89%	87%	92%	95%			
98% in 10 months	87%	95%	89%	93%	92%	92%	95%	98%			
100% in 14 months	91%	97%	91%	97%	96%	99%	97%	99%			
Paternity											
Age (days)											
50% Cases Resolved by Day	152	127	129	140	158	164	131	121			
90% Cases Resolved by Day	289	304	320	298	298	315	297	316			
Comparison with Court Standard of	_					_		_			
90% in 8 months	81%	77%	78%	79%	79%	74%	79%	83%			
98% in 10 months	93%	89%	85%	91%	93%	88%	90%	89%			
100% in 14 months	97%	97%	96%	96%	100%	96%	93%	97%			

# Table 3 (cont.) Age of Resolved Cases

			Age	e of Cases a	at Resolution	on		
Reporting Category	Q1/18	Q2/18	Q3/18	Q4/18	Q1/19	Q2/19	Q3/19	Q4/19
ITA (civil commitment) *								
Age (days)								
50% Cases Resolved by Day	4	5	4	4	6	6	6	7
90% Cases Resolved by Day	21	36	22	20	59	24	22	27
Juvenile Dependency (DEP)								
Age (days)								
50% Cases Resolved by Day	93	122	103	116	128	105	116	211
90% Cases Resolved by Day	227	268	199	360	321	217	292	1056
Comparison with Court Standard of								
90% in 8 months	92%	88%	94%	76%	78%	91%	86%	54%
98% in 10 months	97%	93%	99%	89%	87%	93%	90%	62%
100% in 14 months	100%	99%	100%	91%	93%	94%	94%	73%
Juvenile Termination (TER)								
Age (days)	1.47	0.2	1.57	150	161	171	171	100
50% Cases Resolved by Day 90% Cases Resolved by Day	147 414	83 333	157 501	150 269	161 467	171 329	171 377	190 375
Comparison with Court Standard of	414	333	301	209	407	329	311	3/3
90% in 8 months	69%	84%	67%	86%	64%	72%	74%	63%
98% in 10 months	72%	89%	75%	93%	81%	90%	80%	71%
100% in 14 months	92%	96%	84%	99%	87%	95%	95%	98%
Juv ARY/CHINS/OTHER	3270	7070	0.70	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	0770	70 /0	70 70	7070
Age (days)								
50% Cases Resolved by Day	45	39	63	34	30	30	41	50
90% Cases Resolved by Day	236	220	240	228	119	226	230	238
Comparison with Court Standard of	230	220	210	220	117	220	250	230
90% in 8 months	92%	95%	91%	95%	100%	96%	92%	91%
98% in 10 months	100%	95%	95%	100%	100%	98%	96%	93%
100% in 14 months	100%	100%	97%	100%	100%	100%	98%	95%
Juvenile Truancy*								
Age (days)								
50% Cases Resolved by Day	309	370	305	289	366	378	468	327
90% Cases Resolved by Day	423	703	607	470	544	623	616	700
Juvenile Offender								
Age (days)								
50% Cases Resolved by Day	105	99	116	115	122	116	140	140
90% Cases Resolved by Day	375	358	327	260	285	345	307	385
Comparison with Court Standard of								
90% in 4 months	59%	59%	52%	54%	49%	52%	43%	47%
98% in 6 months	74%	77%	71%	79%	68%	68%	66%	65%
100% in 9 months	86%	86%	86%	91%	88%	84%	84%	84%
Criminal RALJ								
Age (days)	205	272	247	221	264	222	216	202
50% Cases Resolved by Day 90% Cases Resolved by Day	295 539	272 574	247 444	331 519	364 588	233 493	216 500	302 716
• • •	339	314	444	319	300	473	300	/10
Civil RALJ								
Age (days)	100	164	176	162	104	166	167	171
50% Cases Resolved by Day	180 262	164	176 333	162	194 291	166	167	171 324
90% Cases Resolved by Day	202	221	333	386	291	259	210	324

<sup>\*</sup> No standard yet.

Table 4. Active Pending Caseload Statistics

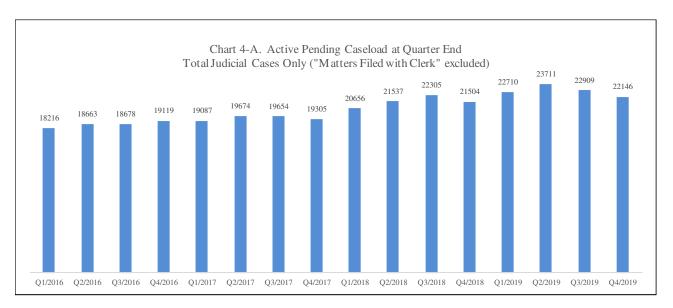
Reporting Category  Total (incl. RALJ)  Previous Pending (+) New Filing (+)								Q4/19
Previous Pending (+)								
	19305	20656	21537	22305	12750	12414	13168	13115
	14094	13672	13094	12918	13218	13666	13041	12964
Resolved (-)	13230	13267	12698	12750	12414	13168	13115	13083
End Pending	20656	21537	22305	21504	22710	23711	22909	22146
Resolution Rate*	0.939	0.970	0.970	0.987	0.939	0.964	1.006	1.009
Criminal (excl. RALJ)								
Previous Pending (+)	3172	3048	3113	3247	3150	3176	3420	3579
New Filing (+)	1505	1512	1460	1508	1362	1575	1928	1742
Resolved (-)	1654	1438	1281	1308	1302	1439	1519	1457
End Pending	3048	3113	3247	3150	3176	3420	3579	3564
Resolution Rate*	1.099	0.951	0.877	0.926	1.008	0.914	0.788	0.836
Civil							2.7.00	
Previous Pending (+)	7167	7761	7991	8333	8206	8772	9095	8138
New Filing (+)	5762	5382	5711	5298	5474	5368	5026	5310
Resolved (-)	5516	5523	5745	5181	5089	5340	5381	5552
End Pending	7761	7991	8333	8206	8772	9095	8138	8544
Resolution Rate*	0.957	1.026	1.006	0.978	0.930	0.995	1.071	1.046
Asbestos Cases (civil) (1)								
Previous Pending (+)	36	53	35	33	37	41	40	34
New Filing (+)	30	17	3	10	6	5	5	8
Resolved (-)	13	37	4	9	4	6	10	7
End Pending	53	35	33	37	41	40	34	32
Resolution Rate*	0.433	2.176	1.333	0.900	0.667	1.200	2.000	0.875
Domestic								
Previous Pending (+)	4366	4547	4683	4886	4381	4529	4478	4516
New Filing (+)	1944	1944	2035	1694	1697	1863	1956	1764
Resolved (-)	1814	1861	1826	2070	1564	1912	1903	1916
End Pending	4547	4683	4886	4381	4529	4478	4516	4384
Resolution Rate*	0.933	0.957	0.897	1.222	0.922	1.026	0.973	1.086
Probate	000	1007	1100	1171	1146	1005	1.476	1545
Previous Pending (+)	909	1027	1102	1161	1146	1235	1476	1545
New Filing (+)	1686	1694	1432	1569	1762	1820	1621	1601
Resolved (-)	1590	1642	1401	1503	1762	1808	1622	1572
End Pending	1027 0.943	1102 0.969	1161 0.978	1146 0.958	1235 1.000	1476 0.993	1545 1.001	690 0.982
Resolution Rate*	0.943	0.909	U.Y/8	0.938	1.000	0.993	1.001	0.982
Guardianship	276	261	200	271	400	500	255	100
Previous Pending (+)	376	361	380	371	409	509	377	429
New Filing (+)	258	257	213 227	246	200	170	189	147
Resolved (-)	285 <b>361</b>	255 <b>380</b>	371	177 <b>409</b>	165 <b>509</b>	178 <b>377</b>	156 <b>429</b>	157 <b>235</b>
End Pending Resolution Rate*	361 1.105	380 0.992	3/1 1.066	0.720	0.825	3// 1.047	0.825	233 1.068
Adoption Adoption	1.103	0.774	1.000	0.720	0.023	1.04/	0.023	1.000
Previous Pending (+)	155	158	170	171	174	197	205	196
New Filing (+)	110	110	102	126	97	139	133	114
Resolved (-)	109	98	101	112	78	131	136	127
End Pending	158	170	171	174	197	205	196	184
Resolution Rate*	0.991	0.891	0.990	0.889	0.804	0.942	1.023	1.114
Paternity								
Previous Pending (+)	245	224	252	256	225	246	242	253
New Filing (+)	120	149	138	102	125	140	137	124
Resolved (-)	144	125	132	129	107	146	129	129
End Pending	224	252	256	225	246	242	253	251
Resolution Rate*	1.200	0.839	0.957	1.265	0.856	1.043	0.942	1.040

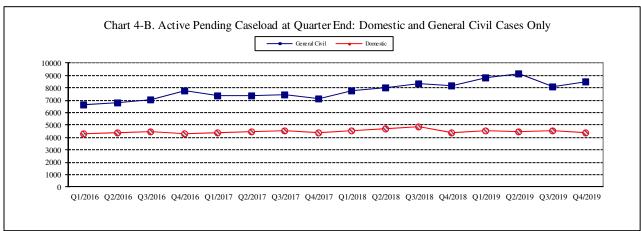
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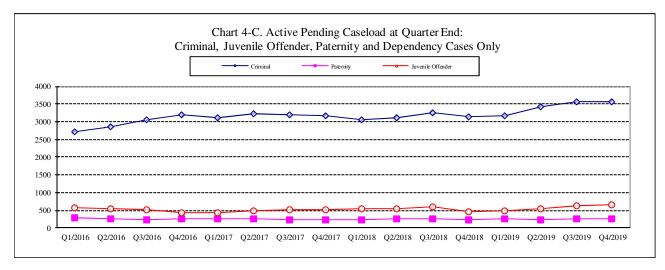
# Table 4 (cont.) Active Pending Caseload Statistics

Reporting Category	Q1/18	Q2/18	Q3/18	Q4/18	Q1/19	Q2/19	Q3/19	Q4/19
ITA (civil commitment)								
Previous Pending (+)	126	186	191	310	283	206	201	246
New Filing (+)	1173	1234	1244	1259	1192	1254	1320	1219
Resolved (-)	1113	1228	1123	1144	1271	1259	1275	1175
End Pending	186	191	310	283	206	201	246	288
Resolution Rate*	0.949	0.995	0.903	0.909	1.066	1.004	0.966	0.964
Juvenile Dependency (DEP)								
Previous Pending (+)	357	392	406	411	434	428	590	587
New Filing (+)	216	195	186	193	199	227	193	192
Resolved (-)	183	186	181	145	201	142	190	155
End Pending	392	406	411	434	428	590	587	647
Resolution Rate*	0.847	0.954	0.973	0.751	1.010	0.626	0.984	0.807
Juvenile Termination (TER)	-	<del>-</del>	<del>-</del>	<del>_</del>	<del>_</del>	<del>-</del>	_	
Previous Pending (+)	196	189	209	231	244	260	241	248
New Filing (+)	85	92	85	82	74	39	45	67
Resolved (-)	91	72	63	71	58	58	34	37
End Pending	189	209	231	244	260	241	248	277
Resolution Rate*	1.071	0.783	0.741	0.866	0.784	1.487	0.756	0.552
Juv ARY/CHINS/OTHERS								
Previous Pending (+)	102	120	130	128	146	152	86	97
New Filing (+)	72	71	58	85	42	63	57	44
Resolved (-)	53	60	62	36	43	49	50	41
End Pending	120	130	128	146	152	86	97	100
Resolution Rate*	0.736	0.845	1.069	0.424	1.024	0.778	0.877	0.932
Juvenile Truancy								
Previous Pending (+)	1421	1899	2172	2017	2041	2313	2556	2244
New Filing (+)	767	651	45	461	659	620	109	318
Resolved (-)	287	380	206	420	386	377	424	445
End Pending	1899	2172	2017	2041	2313	2556	2244	2112
Resolution Rate*	0.374	0.584	4.578	0.911	0.586	0.608	3.890	1.399
Juvenile Offender								
Previous Pending (+)	504	532	554	595	464	479	539	614
New Filing (+)	322	323	335	241	276	333	273	239
Resolved (-)	317	311	305	320	261	278	250	245
End Pending	532	554	595	464	479	539	614	647
Resolution Rate*	0.984	0.963	0.910	1.328	0.946	0.835	0.916	1.025
Criminal RALJ								
Previous Pending (+)	132	124	111	118	126	133	129	136
New Filing (+)	30	25	34	28	42	27	33	44
Resolved (-)	41	38	27	21	35	32	26	41
End Pending	124	111	118	126	133	129	136	140
Resolution Rate*	1.367	1.520	0.794	0.750	0.833	1.185	0.788	0.932
Civil RALJ								
Previous Pending (+)	41	35	38	37	38	34	36	47
New Filing (+)	14	16	13	16	11	23	16	31
Resolved (-)	20	13	14	15	17	13	10	27
End Pending	35	38	37	38	34	36	47	51
Resolution Rate*	1.429	0.813	1.077	0.938	1.545	0.565	0.625	0.871

st A value of "Resolution Rate" less than one indicates the resolution pace is slower than the filing pace.







Note: "General Civil" is specifically defined in this report. The category of "General Civil" does <u>not</u> include the following case types: domestic, probate, guardianship, adoption, paternity, mental illness, juvenile cases (dependency, at-risk youth, child-in-need of service), civil RALJ, and tax filings that don't require judicial resources ("matters filed with clerk"). Please check the Appendix for the cause codes in the "General Civil" category.

# Table 5. Age of Pending Cases

			Age of P	ending Ca	ses and # o	f Cases in 1	Each Age l	nterval	
Reporting	g Category	Q1/18	Q2/18	Q3/18	Q4/18	Q1/19	Q2/19	Q3/19	Q4/19
Criminal (excl. RA	ALJ): # of Cases	3048	3113	3247	3150	3176	3420	3579	3564
Age (days)									
Median (50 perce	entile)	124	114	124	132	135	107	95	105
90 percentile		541	567	573	450	445	418	433	430
# of Cases in Age Inter		002	0.67	0.42	014	1022	1222	1220	1160
0 - 60 days	(0 - 2 months)	892	967	842	814	1023	1232	1330	1169
61 - 120 days 121 - 180 days	(3 - 4 months) (5 - 6 months)	596 505	647 434	757 455	655 483	524 415	592 440	724 390	789 473
181 - 270 days	(7 - 9 months)	407	413	459	439	455	409	409	414
> 270 days	(>9 months)	648	652	734	759	759	747	726	719
Civil:	# of Cases	7761	7991	8333	8206	8772	9095	8138	8544
Age (days)									
Median (50 perce	entile)	121	136	145	143	138	137	158	146
90 percentile	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	481	492	502	405	426	433	418	399
# of Cases in Age Inter	val	-	-			-		-	
0 - 120 days	(0 - 4 months)	3878	3673	3677	3718	3985	4073	3307	3798
121 - 240 days	(5 - 8 months)	1923	2168	790	1903	2186	2318	2290	2166
241 - 360 days	(9 - 12 months)	1121	1215	385	1539	1253	1435	1421	1459
361 - 540 days	(13 - 18 months)	547	636	274	726	926	814	650	767
541 - 720 days	(19 - 24 months)	162	181	113	190	271	301	300	197
> 720 days	( > 24 months)	130	118	86	130	151 <b>41</b>	154 <b>40</b>	170 <b>34</b>	157
	vil) (1) : # of Cases	53	35	33	37	41	40	34	32
Age (days)	4:1-\	0.1	170	251	241	255	206	204	225
Median (50 perce	entile)	81 614	172 705	251 797	341 697	355 669	386 805	304 686	335 707
90 percentile # of Cases in Age Inter	wol	014	703	191	097	009	803	080	707
0 - 120 days	(0 - 4 months)	31	9	7	7	9	5	7	9
121 - 240 days	(5 - 8 months)	9	13	6	5	2	10	2	6
241 - 360 days	(9 - 12 months)	1	4	10	11	10	1	9	5
361 - 540 days	(13 - 18 months)	6	4	5	7	12	16	6	4
541 - 720 days	(19 - 24 months)	5	1	2	4	4	2	7	5
> 720 days	( > 24 months)	1	0	3	3	4	6	3	3
<b>Domestic:</b>	# of Cases	4547	4683	4886	4381	4529	4478	4516	4384
Age (days)									
Median (50 perce	entile)	130	121	125	136	145	118	117	131
90 percentile	,	752	754	752	443	471	474	460	477
# of Cases in Age Inter		2172	2224	2261	2004	2017	2252	2202	2007
0 - 120 days 121 - 240 days	(0 - 4 months) (5 - 8 months)	2172 1145	2324 1112	2361 1298	2004 1152	2017 1188	2252 969	2303 1082	2087 1105
241 - 360 days	(9 - 12 months)	648	625	606	627	618	569	476	569
	(13 - 18 months)	243	264	279	267	342	319	289	243
> 540 days	(> 18 months)	339	358	342	331	364	369	366	380
Probate:	# of Cases	1027	1102	1161	1146	1235	1476	1545	690
Age (days) Median (50 perce	entile)	402	418	465	480	517	517	570	347
90 percentile	mine)	1677	1746	1816	1623	1648	1612	1672	1640
# of Cases in Age Inter	val	10//	1/70	1010	1023	1070	1012	1012	10+0
	(0 - 4 months)	221	185	163	204	202	288	247	220
0 - 120 davs				151	108	146	160	173	83
0 - 120 days 121 - 240 days	(5 - 8 months)	158	180	1.7.1	100	140	100	113	
	(5 - 8 months) (9 - 12 months)	158 92	186 132	171	135	101	131	164	50
121 - 240 days									

# Table 5 (cont.). Age of Pending Cases

		Age of P	ending Cas	ses and # o	f Cases in 1	Each Age I	nterval	
Reporting Category	Q1/18	Q2/18	Q3/18	Q4/18	Q1/19	Q2/19	Q3/19	Q4/19
Guardianship: # of Cases	361	380	371	409	509	377	429	235
Age (days)								
Median (50 percentile)	111	104	124	125	118	177	241	133
90 percentile	633	700	742	612	650	741	797	881
# of Cases in Age Interval								
0 - 120 days (0 - 4 months)	187	199	180	204	255	125	155	115
121 - 240 days (5 - 8 months) 241 - 360 days (9 - 12 months)	68 29	59 40	51 53	58 39	84 43	117 32	57 98	24 25
361 - 540 days (9 - 12 months)	42	40	41	53	57	27	33	19
> 540 days (> 18 months)	35	42	46	55	70	76	86	52
Adoption: # of Cases	158	170	171	174	197	205	196	184
Age (days)								
Median (50 percentile)	135	118	129	136	149	159	198	291
90 percentile	598	650	607	522	612	691	795	887
# of Cases in Age Interval								
0 - 120 days (0 - 4 months)	76	85	82	81	83	87	76	53
121 - 240 days (5 - 8 months) 241 - 360 days (9 - 12 months)	41 19	26 28	30 17	37 9	44 23	41 21	32 30	30 22
241 - 360 days (9 - 12 months) 361 - 540 days (13 - 18 months)	19	28 19	32	31	13	13	30 17	30
> 540 days (> 18 months)	10	12	10	16	34	43	41	49
Paternity: # of Cases	224	252	256	225	246	242	253	251
Age (days)								
Median (50 percentile)	92	89	98	115	102	83	94	105
90 percentile	362	373	416	271	306	270	270	300
# of Cases in Age Interval								
0 - 120 days (0 - 4 months)	135	153	145	117	143	156	158	137
121 - 240 days (5 - 8 months) 241 - 360 days (9 - 12 months)	56 21	62 24	76 18	74 25	61 26	57 11	58 22	69 25
361 - 540 days (13 - 18 months)	10	8	11	6	11	13	9	10
> 540 days (> 18 months)	2	5	6	3	5	5	6	10
ITA (civil commitment): # of Cases	186	191	310	283	206	201	246	288
Age (days)								
Median (50 percentile)	20	13	46	28	13	18	14	20
90 percentile	216	307	339	179	220	307	371	420
# of Cases in Age Interval								
0 - 120 days (0 - 4 months)	166	166	266	211	169	149	188	219
121 - 240 days (5 - 8 months) > 240 days (> 8 months)	12 8	9 16	23 21	57 15	17 20	24 28	10 48	14 55
Juv Dependency (DEP): # of Cases	392	406	411	434	428	590	587	647
Age (days) Median (50 percentile)	114	112	157	139	118	150	194	195
90 percentile	394	478	570	510	571	631	713	784
# of Cases in Age Interval	571	.70	270	210	5/1	0.51	,15	, , , ,
0 - 60  days $(0 - 2  months)$	139	101	109	126	135	139	112	121
61 - 120 days (3 - 4 months)	69	113	74 55	71	85	106	118	95
121 - 180 days (5 - 6 months) 181 - 270 days (7 - 9 months)	61 62	53 44	55 44	64 60	40 37	76 75	48 81	82 99
> 270 days (7 - 9 months)	61	95	129	113	131	194	228	250
Juv Termination (TER): # of Cases	189	209	231	244	260	241	248	277
Age (days)	114	100	126	170	100	260	220	2.40
Median (50 percentile) 90 percentile	114 527	129 514	136 563	170 508	188 555	269 646	329 738	340 809
# of Cases in Age Interval	341	J1 <del>4</del>	303	300	333	040	130	009
0 - 60 days (0 - 2 months)	67	66	61	51	47	28	31	46
61 - 120 days (3 - 4 months)	30	35	42	40	40	23	18	30
121 - 180 days (5 - 6 months)	32	27	43	37	37	33	19	21
181 - 270 days (7 - 9 months) > 270 days (> 9 months)	15 45	35 46	28 57	47 69	45 91	38 119	37 143	15 165
> 210 days (>9 months)	43	40	31	09	91	119	143	103

# Table 5 (cont.). Age of Pending Cases

		Age of P	Pending Ca	ses and # o	f Cases in	Each Age I	nterval	
Reporting Category	Q1/18	Q2/18	Q3/18	Q4/18	Q1/19	Q2/19	Q3/19	Q4/19
ARY/CHINS/OTHER: # of Cases	120	130	128	146	152	86	97	100
Age (days)								
Median (50 percentile)	128	160	222	132	200	174	132	188
90 percentile	587	678	770	543	632	646	719	811
# of Cases in Age Interval	26	2.1	2.4	42	20	22	20	20
0 - 60 days (0 - 2 months) 61 - 120 days (3 - 4 months)	36 20	24	24 14	42	30 14	33	28 19	20
121 - 180 days (5 - 6 months)	20	26 20	7	25 16	28	6 5	7	16 11
181 - 270 days (7 - 9 months)	21	25	31	10	20	6	5	13
> 270 days (> 9 months)	22	35	52	53	60	36	38	40
Juvenile Truancy: # of Cases	1899	2172	2017	2041	2313	2556	2244	2112
Age (days)								
Median (50 percentile)	124	142	223	278	290	194	251	300
90 percentile	713	577	661	615	688	613	706	769
# of Cases in Age Interval								
0 - 60 days (0 - 2 months)	569	411	15	385	446	419	63	240
61 - 120 days (3 - 4 months)	351	484	211	80	416	428	248	70
121 - 180 days (5 - 6 months) 181 - 270 days (7 - 9 months)	240 95	445 344	404 678	21 482	195 31	360 367	342 585	92 425
181 - 270 days (7 - 9 months) > 270 days (> 9 months)	644	488	709	1073	1225	982	1006	1285
Juvenile Offender: # of Cases	532	554	595	464	479	539	614	647
juvenine offender. # of Cases								
Age (days)	0.1	0.5	0.4	116	116	101	110	144
Median (50 percentile)	91	95 522	94	116 300	116	101	110	144 459
90 percentile # of Cases in Age Interval	636	322	486	300	362	355	405	439
0 - 60 days (0 - 2 months)	195	200	189	119	157	163	173	164
61 - 120 days (3 - 4 months)	118	122	168	125	88	138	151	124
121 - 180 days (5 - 6 months)	68	63	78	101	70	75	108	104
181 - 270 days (7 - 9 months)	64	69	53	56	80	55	71	124
> 270 days (> 9 months)	87	100	107	63	84	108	111	131
Criminal RALJ: # of Cases	124	111	118	126	133	129	136	140
Age (days)								
Median (50 percentile)	189	191	192	191	170	178	212	174
90 percentile	947	1038	1130	577	592	683	706	609
# of Cases in Age Interval	10	20	25	21	25	17	25	20
0 - 60 days (0 - 2 months) 61 - 120 days (3 - 4 months)	19 22	20 16	25 17	21 23	25 28	17 21	25 14	30 28
61 - 120 days (3 - 4 months) 121 - 180 days (5 - 6 months)	21	17	17	16	28 16	29	17	15
181 - 270 days (7 - 9 months)	21	21	22	18	23	21	29	16
> 270 days (> 9 months)	41	37	42	48	41	41	51	51
Civil RALJ: # of Cases	35	38	37	38	34	36	47	51
Age (days)								
Median (50 percentile)	124	107	119	109	98	118	108	61
90 percentile	383	474	566	277	289	355	298	239
# of Cases in Age Interval								
0 - 60 days (0 - 2 months)	10	15	8	15	6	8	10	25
61 - 120 days (3 - 4 months)	7	5	11	6	16	10	14	10
121 - 180 days (5 - 6 months)	12	10	9	5	6	8	11	7
181 - 270 days (7 - 9 months) > 270 days (> 9 months)	4 2	4 4	4 5	8 4	2 4	6 4	4 8	5 4
> 210 days (>9 monuns)		4	3	4	4	4	8	4

 $Table\ 6.\ Seattle\ vs.\ Regional\ Justice\ Center\ (KNT):\ Filing,\ Resolution,\ Pending\ Caseload\ (\%)$ 

	Q4	/18	Q1	/19	Q2	2/19	Q3	/19	Q4	/19
	SEA	KNT	SEA	KNT	SEA	KNT	SEA	KNT	SEA	KNT
Filings Total	64%	36%	62%	38%	64%	36%	64%	36%	64%	36%
(excl. filings with clerk)										
Criminal (excl. RALJ)	59%	41%	57%	43%	61%	39%	61%	39%	63%	37%
Civil (excl. RALJ)	53%	47%	52%	48%	56%	44%	55%	45%	55%	45%
Domestic	60%	40%	59%	41%	58%	42%	59%	41%	57%	43%
Probate	75%	25%	72%	28%	74%	26%	70%	30%	71%	29%
Guardianship	61%	39%	66%	34%	58%	42%	64%	36%	67%	33%
Adoption	74%	26%	60%	40%	65%	35%	72%	28%	68%	32%
Paternity	44%	56%	46%	54%	49%	51%	44%	56%	41%	59%
ITA (civil commitment)	100%	0%	100%	0%	100%	0%	100%	0%	100%	0%
Juv. Dependency (DEP)	72%	28%	62%	38%	62%	38%	56%	44%	69%	31%
Juv. Termination (TER)	62%	38%	61%	39%	69%	31%	64%	36%	61%	39%
Juvenile ARY/CHINS/Other	45%	55%	29%	71%	52%	48%	53%	47%	50%	50%
Juvenile Truancy	54%	46%	43%	57%	41%	59%	50%	50%	53%	47%
Juvenile Offender	100%	0%	100%	0%	100%	0%	100%	0%	100%	0%
Criminal RALJ	93%	7%	95%	5%	85%	15%	73%	27%	95%	5%
Civil RALJ	75%	25%	82%	18%	96%	4%	88%	13%	84%	16%
<b>Resolution</b> Total	64%	36%	63%	37%	63%	37%	63%	37%	62%	38%
(excl. filings with clerk)										
Criminal (excl. RALJ)	61%	39%	57%	43%	59%	41%	58%	42%	58%	42%
Civil (excl. RALJ)	54%	46%	53%	47%	54%	46%	54%	46%	53%	47%
Domestic	61%	39%	59%	41%	58%	42%	58%	42%	59%	41%
Probate	74%	26%	71%	29%	75%	25%	71%	29%	71%	29%
Guardianship	64%	36%	70%	30%	61%	39%	61%	39%	69%	31%
Adoption	78%	22%	76%	24%	66%	34%	71%	29%	69%	31%
Paternity	51%	49%	40%	60%	48%	52%	40%	60%	58%	42%
ITA (civil commitment)	100%	0%	100%	0%	100%	0%	100%	0%	100%	0%
Juv. Dependency (DEP)	68%	32%	65%	35%	67%	33%	55%	45%	61%	39%
Juv. Termination (TER)	61%	39%	66%	34%	60%	40%	74%	26%	59%	41%
Juvenile ARY/CHINS/Other	39%	61%	35%	65%	35%	65%	56%	44%	59%	41%
Juvenile Truancy	48%	52%	49%	51%	33%	67%	50%	50%	41%	59%
Juvenile Offender	100%	0%	100%	0%	100%	0%	100%	0%	100%	0%
Criminal RALJ	90%	10%	94%	6%	88%	13%	88%	12%	88%	12%
Civil RALJ	67%	33%	94%	6%	77%	23%	100%	0%	89%	11%
<b>Pending</b> Total	62%	38%	62%	38%	62%	38%	63%	37%	63%	37%
(excl. filings with clerk)										
Criminal (excl. RALJ)	55%	45%	56%	44%	57%	43%	60%	40%	60%	40%
Civil (excl. RALJ)	63%	37%	62%	38%	63%	37%	65%	35%	66%	34%
Domestic	58%	42%	58%	42%	58%	42%	58%	42%	58%	42%
Probate	80%	20%	81%	19%	76%	24%	74%	26%	67%	33%
Guardianship	58%	42%	62%	38%	67%	33%	68%	32%	62%	38%
Adoption	74%	26%	66%	34%	66%	34%	66%	34%	66%	34%
Paternity	40%	60%	43%	57%	43%	57%	45%	55%	37%	63%
ITA (civil commitment)	100%	0%	100%	0%	100%	0%	100%	0%	100%	0%
Juv. Dependency (DEP)	60%	40%	59%	41%	58%	42%	59%	41%	60%	40%
Juv. Termination (TER)	66%	34%	65%	35%	66%	34%	65%	35%	64%	36%
Juvenile ARY/CHINS/Other	52%	48%	51%	49%	57%	43%	54%	46%	50%	50%
Juvenile Truancy	53%	47%	51%	49%	51%	49%	51%	49%	54%	46%
Juvenile Offender	100%	0%	100%	0%	100%	0%	100%	0%	100%	0%
Criminal RALJ	90%	10%	91%	9%	91%	9%	87%	13%	89%	11%
Civil RALJ	84%	16%	74%	26%	83%	17%	83%	17%	82%	18%

Table 7. Quarterly Utilization of Pro Tem Judges/Commissioners (1)

Category	Q3/17	Q4/17	Q1/18	Q2/18	Q3/18	Q4/18	Q1/19	Q2/19	Q3/19	Q4/19
Grand Total	1657	2131	1149	2132	1362	1850	1084	2814	1454	2023
FTE Equivalent (2)	3.7	4.7	2.6	4.7	3.0	4.1	2.4	6.3	3.2	4.5
By Work Type										
Pro Tem Judge	456	307	139	357	164	274	179	498	248	503
Pro Tem Commissioner	1201	1824	1010	1775	1168	1576	905	2316	1206	1520
By Location										
KCCH	864	953	498	822	731	981	434	1602	632	919
MRJC	234	403	164	659	294	403	235	579	411	466
Juvenile	429	553	420	511	161	292	323	462	335	456
ITA	131	222	67	141	176	37	93	171	75	182
Other	0	0	0	0	0	136	0	0	0	0
By Calendar Type										
Criminal	120	74	15	63	24	145	10	133	54	145
Civil	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ex Parte	315	433	141	630	231	411	200	432	322	476
Family Law/Domestic	429	693	414	606	650	782	429	1377	588	661
Dependency	320	367	174	327	107	216	184	336	210	196
Juvenile Offender	104	123	32	123	46	57	124	81	95	230
BECCA	6	63	214	61	8	19	16	45	30	30
ITA	131	222	67	141	176	136	93	171	75	182
Juvenile Drug Court	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Family Treatment Court	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Plea Calendar	167	122	80	145	111	35	26	205	63	81
Status/Non-Compliance	2	9	0	11	0	0	0	0	0	5
Other or Unspecified	65	26	13	26	9	48	3	34	17	18
By Reason										
Vacation Backfill	883	1065	448	738	621	233	121	390	187	345
Medical Backfill	171	281	138	197	137	1431	835	2144	1151	1475
Duty Time	204	200	280	470	320	15	42	63	32	127
Conference Coverage	21	59	14	37	0	134	86	217	84	76
Congestion	380	527	149	264	57	0	0	0	0	0
Vacancy Coverage	0	0	0	426	124	0	0	0	0	0
Other	0	0	120	1	104	37	0	0	0	0

Data for the most current quarter are incomplete at reporting time and will be updated in next quarterly report.

The Pro Tem hours are provided quarterly by the Administrative Services Department of King County Superior Court.

 <sup>(1)</sup> This table is based on the time sheet for compensation
 (2) Judge FTE Equivalent = # of hours / [7.5 hours/day \* 20 days/month \* 3 months] = # of hours/450.

Table 8. Ex Parte and Family Law Hearings and Documents Signed

	Ex Par	te: Hearii	ngs Held	and Docu	ıments S	Signed		
	20:	19Q1	20:	19Q2	20:	19Q3	2019Q4	
	Hearings	Documents Signed	Hearings	Documents Signed	Hearings	Documents Signed	Hearings	Documents Signed
KNT (EXP04/05)								
Civil	143	855	168	1072	163	1148	248	1340
Domestic	367	1355	410	1501	299	1444	459	1465
Probate/Guardianship	227	488	258	502	194	572	271	276
Adoption/Paternity	29	89	50	175	38	123	50	145
Ex Parte Via Clerk (EXP06)		3322		3225		3152		3107
KNT Subtotal	766	6109	886	6475	694	6439	1028	6333
SEA (EXP01/02)								
Civil	300	911	261	948	207	965	326	1182
Domestic	322	1666	390	2052	311	1870	405	1992
Probate/Guardianship	682	1716	653	1474	517	1653	701	1771
Adoption/Paternity	51	200	73	300	46	267	45	247
Ex Parte Via Clerk (EXP07)		6898		7555		6981		7270
SEA Total	1355	11391	1377	12329	1081	11736	1477	12462
KNT/SEA Total	2121	17500	2263	18804	1775	18175	2505	18795

FAMILY LAW: H	earings Held and I	Documents Signed

	20:	19Q1	20	19Q2	20	19Q3	2019Q4	
	Hearings	Documents Signed	Hearings	Documents Signed	Hearings	Documents Signed	Hearings	Documents Signed
KNT (FAM02)								
Civil	564	796	643	859	479	914	670	958
Domestic	512	1181	570	1136	468	1285	622	1185
Adoption/Paternity	69	463	66	426	63	507	84	440
KNT Subtotal	1145	2440	1279	2421	1010	2706	1376	2583
SEA (FAM01)								
Civil	427	648	455	704	452	755	519	768
Domestic	413	1323	447	1364	434	1520	529	1663
Adoption/Paternity	27	521	51	549	51	505	39	606
SEA Total	867	2492	953	2617	937	2780	1087	3037
KNT/SEA Total	2012	4932	2232	5038	1947	5486	2463	5620

# Appendix Glossary and Definition

### **Active Status**

A case is active if it is not on suspense status (see Suspense Status).

### Adoption and paternity Cases (case type 5)

ADP - Adoption

CFI - Confidential Intermediary

CHN - Confidential Change of Name

DIP - Disestablishment of Parentage

MDS - Modification/Support Only

MOD - Modification

MSC - Miscellaneous

OAA - Open Adoption Agreement

PAD - De Facto Parentage

PAG - Pre Birth Establish Parentage Genetic

PAS - Establish Parentage Gestational Surrogacy

PAT - Parentage

PPR - Initial Pre Placement Report

PRC - Parentage Rescission/Challenge

PUR - Parentage (URESA/UIFSA)

REL - Relinquishment

ROB - Relocation Objection

TER - Termination of Parental Rights

### Case

A case is defined as a filing with an assigned case number.

### Civil Cases (case type 2, no RALJ)

ALR - Administrative Law Review

ALRLI - L&I Administrative Law Review

AOD - Assurance of Discontinuance

ASB - Asbestos

ASP - Asbestos Personal Injury

ASW - Asbestos Wrongful Death

BAT - Petition to Appeal/Amend Ballot Title

CAA - Motion to Confirm/Compel Arbitration Award

CFJ - Petition for Order Granting Judgment on Confession of Judgment

CHN - Non Confidential Change of Name

COL - Collection

COM - Commercial

CON - Condemnation

CRP - Certificate of Restoration of Opportunity

CRR - Petition for Certificate of Rehabilitation

DOL - Appeal Licensing Revocation

DSF - Notice of Deposit of Surplus Funds from Trustee's Sale of Real Property

DVP - Domestic Violence

ECP - Enforcement of Canadian Protection Order

EOM - Emancipation of Minor

FOR - Foreclosure

FPO - Foreign Protection Order

FVL - Motion to Show Cause /Frivolous Lien

HAR - Unlawful Harassment

HSI - Application for Health & Safety Inspection

INJ - Injunction

IPL - Complaint for Interpleader

LUP - Land Use Petition

MAL - Other Malpractice

MED - Medical Malpractice

MER - Meretricious Relationships

MHA - Malicious Harassment

MSC - Miscellaneous

MST - Minor Settlement

MWP - Minor Work Permit

NJF - Non Judicial Filing

OSS - Petition to Issue Out of State Subpoena

PBC - Petition for Birth Certificate Change

PBJ - Petition for Justification /Bail Bond Company

PCC - Petition for Civil Commitment

PFA - Property Fairness Act

PIN - Personal Injury

PPT - Petition for Perpetuation of Testimony

PRA - Public Records Act

PRG - Property Damage /Gangs

PRP - Property Damage

PVO - Petition for Vehicle Ownership

QTI - Quiet Title

RCV - Petition to Appoint Receiver

RDR - Relief from Duty to Register

RFR - Restoration of Firearms Rights

RRC - Remove Restricted Covenant

SCA - Small Claims Appeal

SDR - School District /Required Action Plan

SER - Subdivision Election Process Law Review

SPC - Seizure of Property From Commission of a Crime

SPR - Seizure of Property Resulting From a Crime

STK - Stalking Protection

SXP - Sexual Assault Protection

TMV - Tort /Motor Vehicle

TSS - Petition for Approval of Transfer of Structured Settlement

TTO - Tort /Other

UND - Unlawful Detainer

VAP - Vulnerable Adult Protection Order

VEP - Voter Election Process Law Review

VVT - Victims of Motor Vehicle Theft /Civil Action

WDE - Wrongful Death

WHC - Writ of Habeas Corpus

WMW - Miscellaneous Writs

WRM - Writ of Mandamus

WRR - Writ of Restitution

WRV - Writ of Review

XRP - Extreme Risk Protection Order

### Civil Matters Filed with Clerk (case type 2)

ABJ - Abstract of Judgment

FJU - Foreign Judgment

TAX - Tax Warrants

TRJ - Transcript of Judgment

### Civil RALJ Cases (case type 2)

LCA - Lower Court Appeal /Civil

LCI - Lower Court Appeal /Infractions

### Completion

A case is completed if dispositive document is filed with the court following resolution.

### Criminal Cases (case type 1, no RALJ)

Adult criminal cases, excluding appeals from courts of limited jurisdiction. This reporting category includes the following crime categories within SCOMIS case type 1:

Homicide

Sex Crime

Robbery

Assault

Theft/Burglary

Motor Vehicle Theft

Controlled Substance Others

### Criminal RALJ Cases (case type 1)

CRJ - Criminal RALJ

### Domestic Cases (case type 3)

CIR - Committed Intimate Relationship

CUS - Child Custody

DIC - Dissolution w/ Children

DIN - Dissolution no Children

DIS - Dissolution

DPC - Dissolution of Domestic Partnership w/ Children

DPN - Dissolution of Domestic Partnership /No Children

FJU - Out of State Support Registration /Foreign Judgment

INC - Annulment /Inv of Marriage w/ Children

IND - Annulment /Inv of Domestic Partnership w/ Children

INP - Invalidity, Domestic Partnership

INV - Annulment /Invalidity

MDS - Modification/Support Only

MOD - Modification

MSC - Miscellaneous

MWA - Mandatory Wage Assignment

OSC - Out of State Custody

PPS - Parenting Plan / Child Support

PSO - Petition for Entry of KC Support Order

RCV - Relative Child Visitation

RIC - Reciprocal, Resp in County

ROB - Relocation /Objection

ROC - Reciprocal, Resp out of County

RVC - Relative Child Visits

SDC - Legal Separation, Domestic Partnership w/ Children

SEC - Legal Separation w/ Children

SEP - Legal Separation

SPD - Legal Separation, Domestic Partnership /No

Children

TSS - Structured Settlement

### Jury Trial

A hearing is reported as a jury trial if the jury is impaneled.

### Juvenile BECCA Cases (case type 7)

ARY - At Risk Youth

CNS - Child In Need Of Services

DDP - Developmental Disability

DGN - Dependency Guardianship

EFC - Extended Foster Care, Dependency

GFC - Guardianship Foster Children

RPR - Reinstatement of Parental Rights

**RVS** - Relative Visitation

TRU - Truancy

VYG - Vulnerable Youth Guardianship

### Juvenile Dependency Cases (case type 7)

DEP - Dependency

TER - Termination of Parental Rights

### Juvenile Offender Cases (case type 8)

Homicide

Sex Crime

Robbery

Assault

Theft/Burglary

Motor Vehicle Theft Controlled Substance

Others

### Involuntary Treatment Act Cases (case type 6)

Alcoholic Treatment (ALT)

ITA - Adult (MI)

ITA - Family (MIF)

ITA - Juvenile (MIJ)

### Non-Jury Trial

A hearing is reported as a non-jury trial if an opening statement is made, waived, or reserved.

### **Pending Case**

A case is defined as pending if it is unresolved and active (not in suspense).

### Post-disposition Modifications

Petition to modify parenting plan after the resolution of the original case, based on the modification schedule.

### Probate and Guardianship Cases (case type 5)

ABS - Absentee

AOS - Affidavit of Successor

ASE - Affidavit of Small Estate

DSC - Disclaimer

EST - Estate

FNW - Foreign Will

G/E - Guardianship/Estate

GDE - Guardianship of the Estate

GDN - Guardianship

GDP - Guardianship of the Person

LGD - Limited Guardianship

LGE - Limited Guardianship of the Estate

LGP - Limited Guardianship of the Person

MGD - Minor Guardianship

MSC - Miscellaneous

MST - Minor Settlement

NJB - Non Judicial Binding/TEDRA Agreement

NNC - Non Probate Notice to Creditor

POA - Petition for Relief (RCW 11.94) /Power of Attorney

RGR - Registration of Guardianship

RTR - Registration of Trust /Trust Situs

SNT - Special Needs Trust

TDR - Trust/Estate Dispute Resolution

TRS - Trust

WLL - Will Only

### Resolution

A case is resolved if all issues in the complaint are fully adjudicated.

### Suspended Case

A case is placed in suspense status from active status during the reporting period.

## Suspense Status

A case is on suspense status if it is on warrant, appeal, stay, mediation, arbitration ("Deferred Prosecution" is not a suspense status, but is treated as a resolution).

### **Trial**

A hearing set before a judge or jury in which all the issues in the case are meant to be resolved. A trial normally includes opening statements to the court or jury stating what evidence will show, introduction of witnesses and exhibits for direct and cross examination, final arguments to the court or jury in which counsel argue both the evidence and the law, and judgment by the court or jury stating what the facts of the case are and what law applies to the facts. In a jury case, it also includes the selection of the jury. A trial can be held for one or more cases. A single trial may be held to adjudicate more than one case (as defined above).