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	<b>ALL APPEAL TYPES</b>			
	<b>Month</b>	<b>FY To Date</b>	<b>Same Month Prior FY</b>	<b>Prior FY To Date</b>
<b>NEW APPEALS</b>				
TOTAL APPEALS RECEIVED	1032	8270	1278	10498
AVERAGE NUMBER OF APPEALS		918.9		1166
TOTAL APPEALS GRANTED	691	5909	847	6838
<b>FINAL ORDERS</b>	1212	9027	1230	10168
REASSUMED APPEALS	213	1539	250	2217
REASSUMES AS % OF THE TOTAL APPEALS RECEIVED	20.6	18.6	19.6	21.1
DENIED APPEALS	118	1052	137	1348
SETTLEMENTS (OAP)	298	2431	297	2304
DISMISSALS	364	2686	380	2996
PDOs ADOPTED	138	776	104	782
PETITIONS DENIED	49	337	36	324
BOARD DECISIONS AND ORDERS	32	206	26	197
<b>CASELOAD AT END OF MONTH</b>	5711		6319	
<b>TOTAL PDOs ISSUED</b>	205	1401	178	1381
<b>RESULTS OF FINAL ORDERS</b>	881	6436	843	6603
AFFIRMING THE DEPT	565	4143	554	4297
REVERSING THE DEPT	311	2246	286	2234
FURTHER CONSID/ABEY	5	47	3	72
<b>APPEALED TO SUPERIOR COURT</b>	39	323	21	296
<b>JUDGMENTS RETURNED FROM SUPERIOR COURT</b>	45	251	0	230
<b>AVG WEEKS TO COMPLETION</b>	34.3	32.5	30.2	31.0
CONTESTED APPEALS	57.5	56.3	53.8	55.7
SETTLEMENTS AND DISMISSALS	26.6	26.4	24.4	24.9
<b>ANNUALIZED % OF APPEALS PENDING</b>		51.8		45.1

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	<b>INDUSTRIAL INSURANCE APPEALS (EXCLUDES FIRM APPEALS)</b>			
	<b>Month</b>	<b>FY To Date</b>	<b>Same Month Prior FY</b>	<b>Prior FY To Date</b>
<b>NEW APPEALS</b>				
TOTAL APPEALS RECEIVED	983	7983	1240	10064
SELF-INSURED APPEALS	163	1422	190	1810
STATE FUND APPEALS	820	6561	1050	8254
AVERAGE NUMBER OF APPEALS		887.0		1118
SELF-INSURED APPEALS		158		201
STATE FUND APPEALS		729		917
TOTAL APPEALS BY EMPLOYER	115	989	142	1366
SELF-INSURED APPEALS	16	261	35	428
STATE FUND APPEALS	99	728	107	938
TOTAL APPEALS GRANTED	654	5691	819	6535
SELF-INSURED APPEALS	135	1193	134	1298
STATE FUND APPEALS	519	4498	685	5237
<b>FINAL ORDERS</b>	1171	8736	1180	9696
REASSUMED APPEALS	208	1517	246	2204
SELF-INSURED APPEALS	12	113	16	218
STATE FUND APPEALS	196	1404	230	1986
DENIED APPEALS	109	1010	128	1227
SELF-INSURED APPEALS	20	203	26	260
STATE FUND APPEALS	89	807	102	967
SETTLEMENTS (OAP)	285	2336	288	2160
SELF-INSURED APPEALS	47	357	33	334
AFFIRMING THE DEPT	13	68	5	41
REVERSING THE DEPT	34	285	28	293
FURTHER CONSID/ABEY	0	4	0	0
STATE FUND APPEALS	238	1979	255	1826
AFFIRMING THE DEPT	55	563	63	444
REVERSING THE DEPT	183	1409	191	1372
FURTHER CONSID/ABEY	0	7	1	10
DISMISSALS	360	2623	367	2891
SELF-INSURED APPEALS	89	693	71	662
STATE FUND APPEALS	271	1930	296	2229
PDOs ADOPTED	134	737	97	733
SELF-INSURED APPEALS	13	86	12	78
AFFIRMING THE DEPT	4	59	12	62
REVERSING THE DEPT	9	27	0	16
STATE FUND APPEALS	121	651	85	655
AFFIRMING THE DEPT	69	406	56	389
REVERSING THE DEPT	52	245	29	266
PETITIONS DENIED	46	318	31	297
SELF-INSURED APPEALS	20	118	7	110
AFFIRMING THE DEPT	10	55	3	62
REVERSING THE DEPT	10	63	4	48
STATE FUND APPEALS	26	200	24	187
AFFIRMING THE DEPT	24	157	15	132
REVERSING THE DEPT	2	43	9	55
BOARD DECISIONS AND ORDERS	29	195	23	184
SELF-INSURED APPEALS	9	57	8	52
AFFIRMING THE DEPT	6	33	4	33
REVERSING THE DEPT	3	24	4	19
STATE FUND APPEALS	20	138	15	132
AFFIRMING THE DEPT	10	63	4	68
REVERSING THE DEPT	10	75	11	64

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	<b>Month</b>	<b>FY To Date</b>	<b>Same Month Prior FY</b>	<b>Prior FY To Date</b>
<b>CASE LOAD AT END OF MONTH</b>	5413		5983	
SELF-INSURED APPEALS	1290		1396	
STATE FUND APPEALS	4123		4587	
<b>TOTAL PDOs ISSUED</b>	197	1332	171	1282
SELF-INSURED APPEALS	22	275	35	247
STATE FUND APPEALS	175	1057	136	1035
<b>RESULTS OF FINAL ORDERS</b>	854	6209	806	6265
SELF-INSURED APPEALS	178	1311	131	1236
AFFIRMING THE DEPT	122	908	95	860
REVERSING THE DEPT	56	399	36	376
FURTHER CONSID/ABEY	0	4	0	0
STATE FUND APPEALS	676	4898	675	5029
AFFIRMING THE DEPT	429	3119	434	3262
REVERSING THE DEPT	247	1772	240	1757
FURTHER CONSID/ABEY	0	7	1	10
<b>APPEALED TO SUPERIOR COURT</b>	35	302	20	277
SELF-INSURED APPEALS	13	104	7	114
STATE FUND APPEALS	22	198	13	163
<b>JUDGMENTS RETURNED FROM SUPERIOR COURT</b>	39	229	0	217
JUDGMENTS AFFIRMING THE BOARD	29	166	0	152
JUDGMENTS REVERSING THE BOARD	10	63	0	65
<b>AVG WEEKS TO COMPLETION</b>	33.9	32.1	30.0	30.5
SETTLEMENTS AND DISMISSALS	26.2	26.1	24.4	24.4
SELF-INSURED APPEALS	25.6	27.2	27.7	26.3
STATE FUND APPEALS	26.4	25.8	23.8	23.9
CONTESTED CASES	57.6	55.8	54.4	55.7
SELF-INSURED APPEALS	66.9	64.4	62.0	62.7
STATE FUND APPEALS	55.3	53.5	52.7	54.0

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	<b>FIRM APPEALS</b>			
	<b>Month</b>	<b>FY To Date</b>	<b>Same Month Prior FY</b>	<b>Prior FY To Date</b>
<b>NEW APPEALS</b>				
TOTAL APPEALS RECEIVED	13	75	16	217
AVERAGE NUMBER OF APPEALS		8.3		24.1
TOTAL APPEALS GRANTED	7	46	8	109
<b>FINAL ORDERS</b>	15	104	27	225
REASSUMED APPEALS	0	0	0	0
DENIED APPEALS	8	31	8	111
SETTLEMENTS (OAP)	0	6	5	28
AFFIRMING THE DEPT	0	0	0	0
REVERSING THE DEPT	0	6	5	24
FURTHER CONSID/ABEY	0	0	0	4
DISMISSALS	2	38	9	57
PDOs ADOPTED	4	20	3	21
AFFIRMING THE DEPT	4	16	3	20
REVERSING THE DEPT	0	4	0	1
PETITIONS DENIED	1	6	1	2
AFFIRMING THE DEPT	1	5	1	2
REVERSING THE DEPT	0	1	0	0
BOARD DECISIONS AND ORDERS	0	3	1	6
AFFIRMING THE DEPT	0	2	1	3
REVERSING THE DEPT	0	1	0	3
<b>CASE LOAD AT END OF MONTH</b>	59		101	
<b>TOTAL PDOs ISSUED</b>	1	25	2	33
<b>RESULTS OF FINAL ORDERS</b>	7	73	19	114
AFFIRMING THE DEPT	7	61	14	82
REVERSING THE DEPT	0	12	5	28
FURTHER CONSID/ABEY	0	0	0	4
<b>APPEALED TO SUPERIOR COURT</b>	0	5	1	3
<b>JUDGMENTS RETURNED FROM SUPERIOR COURT</b>	0	2	0	2
JUDGMENTS AFFIRMING THE BOARD	0	2	0	2
JUDGMENTS REVERSING THE BOARD	0	0	0	0
<b>AVG WEEKS TO COMPLETION</b>	47.4	42.8	24.8	37.8
SETTLEMENTS AND DISMISSALS	36.9	35.7	21.1	32.6
CONTESTED CASES	51.6	53.4	35.2	53.3

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	<b>WISHA APPEALS</b>			
	<b>Month</b>	<b>FY To Date</b>	<b>Same Month Prior FY</b>	<b>Prior FY To Date</b>
<b>NEW APPEALS</b>				
TOTAL APPEALS RECEIVED	32	169	17	183
AVERAGE NUMBER OF APPEALS		18.8		20.3
TOTAL APPEALS GRANTED	28	160	19	184
<b>FINAL ORDERS</b>	20	147	12	212
REASSUMED APPEALS	0	0	0	0
DENIED APPEALS	0	0	0	0
SETTLEMENTS (OAP)	13	88	4	114
AFFIRMING THE DEPT	1	2	0	4
REVERSING THE DEPT	7	50	2	52
FURTHER CONSID/ABEY	5	36	2	58
DISMISSALS	2	23	2	44
PDOs ADOPTED	0	16	3	25
AFFIRMING THE DEPT	0	11	2	16
REVERSING THE DEPT	0	5	1	9
PETITIONS DENIED	2	12	2	23
AFFIRMING THE DEPT	2	9	0	15
REVERSING THE DEPT	0	3	2	8
BOARD DECISIONS AND ORDERS	3	8	1	6
AFFIRMING THE DEPT	2	4	1	5
REVERSING THE DEPT	1	4	0	1
<b>CASE LOAD AT END OF MONTH</b>	228		227	
<b>TOTAL PDOs ISSUED</b>	6	39	3	59
<b>RESULTS OF FINAL ORDERS</b>	20	147	12	212
AFFIRMING THE DEPT	7	49	5	84
REVERSING THE DEPT	8	62	5	70
FURTHER CONSID/ABEY	5	36	2	58
<b>APPEALED TO SUPERIOR COURT</b>	4	16	0	16
<b>JUDGMENTS RETURNED FROM SUPERIOR COURT</b>	6	20	0	10
JUDGMENTS AFFIRMING THE BOARD	5	17	0	10
JUDGMENTS REVERSING THE BOARD	1	3	0	0
<b>AVG WEEKS TO COMPLETION</b>	46.5	46.0	49.9	42.4
SETTLEMENTS AND DISMISSALS	42.0	35.9	36.0	37.6
CONTESTED CASES	60.0	77.1	63.8	56.5

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	<b>CRIME VICTIM APPEALS</b>			
	<b>Month</b>	<b>FY To Date</b>	<b>Same Month Prior FY</b>	<b>Prior FY To Date</b>
<b>NEW APPEALS</b>				
TOTAL APPEALS RECEIVED	4	43	5	33
AVERAGE NUMBER OF APPEALS		4.8		3.7
TOTAL APPEALS GRANTED	2	12	1	9
<b>FINAL ORDERS</b>	6	40	11	34
REASSUMED APPEALS	5	22	4	13
DENIED APPEALS	1	11	1	10
SETTLEMENTS (OAP)	0	1	0	1
AFFIRMING THE DEPT	0	0	0	0
REVERSING THE DEPT	0	1	0	1
FURTHER CONSID/ABEY	0	0	0	0
DISMISSALS	0	2	2	4
PDOs ADOPTED	0	3	1	3
AFFIRMING THE DEPT	0	3	1	2
REVERSING THE DEPT	0	0	0	1
PETITIONS DENIED	0	1	2	2
AFFIRMING THE DEPT	0	1	2	2
REVERSING THE DEPT	0	0	0	0
BOARD DECISIONS AND ORDERS	0	0	1	1
AFFIRMING THE DEPT	0	0	1	1
REVERSING THE DEPT	0	0	0	0
<b>CASE LOAD AT END OF MONTH</b>	11		8	
<b>TOTAL PDOs ISSUED</b>	1	5	2	7
<b>RESULTS OF FINAL ORDERS</b>	0	7	6	11
AFFIRMING THE DEPT	0	6	6	9
REVERSING THE DEPT	0	1	0	2
FURTHER CONSID/ABEY	0	0	0	0
<b>APPEALED TO SUPERIOR COURT</b>	0	0	0	0
<b>JUDGMENTS RETURNED FROM SUPERIOR COURT</b>	0	0	0	1
JUDGMENTS AFFIRMING THE BOARD	0	0	0	1
JUDGMENTS REVERSING THE BOARD	0	0	0	0
<b>AVG WEEKS TO COMPLETION</b>	0.0	33.4	33.1	36.0
SETTLEMENTS AND DISMISSALS	0.0	23.6	20.1	22.0
CONTESTED CASES	0.0	40.8	39.6	47.6

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	<b>RIGHT TO KNOW APPEALS</b>			
	<b>Month</b>	<b>FY To Date</b>	<b>Same Month Prior FY</b>	<b>Prior FY To Date</b>
<b>NEW APPEALS</b>				
TOTAL APPEALS RECEIVED	0	0	0	1
AVERAGE NUMBER OF APPEALS				0.1
TOTAL APPEALS GRANTED	0	0	0	1
<b>FINAL ORDERS</b>	0	0	0	1
REASSUMED APPEALS	0	0	0	0
DENIED APPEALS	0	0	0	0
SETTLEMENTS (OAP)	0	0	0	1
AFFIRMING THE DEPT	0	0	0	0
REVERSING THE DEPT	0	0	0	1
FURTHER CONSID/ABEY	0	0	0	0
DISMISSALS	0	0	0	0
PDOs ADOPTED	0	0	0	0
AFFIRMING THE DEPT	0	0	0	0
REVERSING THE DEPT	0	0	0	0
PETITIONS DENIED	0	0	0	0
AFFIRMING THE DEPT	0	0	0	0
REVERSING THE DEPT	0	0	0	0
BOARD DECISIONS AND ORDERS	0	0	0	0
AFFIRMING THE DEPT	0	0	0	0
REVERSING THE DEPT	0	0	0	0
<b>CASE LOAD AT END OF MONTH</b>				
<b>TOTAL PDOs ISSUED</b>	0	0	0	0
<b>RESULTS OF FINAL ORDERS</b>	0	0	0	1
AFFIRMING THE DEPT	0	0	0	0
REVERSING THE DEPT	0	0	0	1
FURTHER CONSID/ABEY	0	0	0	0
<b>APPEALED TO SUPERIOR COURT</b>	0	0	0	0
<b>JUDGMENTS RETURNED FROM SUPERIOR COURT</b>	0	0	0	0
JUDGMENTS AFFIRMING THE BOARD	0	0	0	0
JUDGMENTS REVERSING THE BOARD	0	0	0	0
<b>AVG WEEKS TO COMPLETION</b>	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.7
SETTLEMENTS AND DISMISSALS	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.7
CONTESTED CASES	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

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	<b>INTEREST ORDERS</b>			
	<b>Month</b>	<b>FY To Date</b>	<b>Same Month Prior FY</b>	<b>Prior FY To Date</b>
<b>INTEREST ORDERS</b>	96	783	50	788
SETTLEMENTS (OAP)	76	585	33	519
SELF-INSURED APPEALS	1	7	0	6
AFFIRMING THE DEPT	0	0	0	0
REVERSING THE DEPT	1	7	0	6
FURTHER CONSID/ABEY	0	0	0	0
STATE FUND APPEALS	75	578	33	513
AFFIRMING THE DEPT	15	142	2	107
REVERSING THE DEPT	60	436	31	405
FURTHER CONSID/ABEY	0	0	0	1
DISMISSALS	7	32	1	14
SELF-INSURED APPEALS	5	7	0	3
STATE FUND APPEALS	2	25	1	11
PDOs ADOPTED	8	91	9	186
SELF-INSURED APPEALS	0	3	0	3
AFFIRMING THE DEPT	0	0	0	1
REVERSING THE DEPT	0	3	0	2
STATE FUND APPEALS	8	88	9	183
AFFIRMING THE DEPT	1	9	0	29
REVERSING THE DEPT	7	79	9	154
PETITIONS DENIED	3	40	7	40
SELF-INSURED APPEALS	2	12	3	10
AFFIRMING THE DEPT	0	1	0	1
REVERSING THE DEPT	2	11	3	9
STATE FUND APPEALS	1	28	4	30
AFFIRMING THE DEPT	0	6	3	9
REVERSING THE DEPT	1	22	1	21
BOARD DECISIONS AND ORDERS	2	35	0	29
SELF-INSURED APPEALS	0	6	0	8
AFFIRMING THE DEPT	0	1	0	2
REVERSING THE DEPT	0	5	0	6
STATE FUND APPEALS	2	29	0	21
AFFIRMING THE DEPT	0	2	0	2
REVERSING THE DEPT	2	27	0	19



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	<b>ATTORNEY FEE ORDERS</b>			
	<b>Month</b>	<b>FY To Date</b>	<b>Same Month Prior FY</b>	<b>Prior FY To Date</b>
<b>ATTORNEY FEE ORDERS</b>	1	1	0	0
SETTLEMENTS (OAP)	0	0	0	0
SELF-INSURED APPEALS	0	0	0	0
AFFIRMING THE DEPT	0	0	0	0
REVERSING THE DEPT	0	0	0	0
FURTHER CONSID/ABEY	0	0	0	0
STATE FUND APPEALS	0	0	0	0
AFFIRMING THE DEPT	0	0	0	0
REVERSING THE DEPT	0	0	0	0
FURTHER CONSID/ABEY	0	0	0	0
DISMISSALS	0	0	0	0
SELF-INSURED APPEALS	0	0	0	0
STATE FUND APPEALS	0	0	0	0
PDOs ADOPTED	1	1	0	0
SELF-INSURED APPEALS	0	0	0	0
AFFIRMING THE DEPT	0	0	0	0
REVERSING THE DEPT	0	0	0	0
STATE FUND APPEALS	1	1	0	0
AFFIRMING THE DEPT	0	0	0	0
REVERSING THE DEPT	1	1	0	0
PETITIONS DENIED	0	0	0	0
SELF-INSURED APPEALS	0	0	0	0
AFFIRMING THE DEPT	0	0	0	0
REVERSING THE DEPT	0	0	0	0
STATE FUND APPEALS	0	0	0	0
AFFIRMING THE DEPT	0	0	0	0
REVERSING THE DEPT	0	0	0	0
BOARD DECISIONS AND ORDERS	0	0	0	0
SELF-INSURED APPEALS	0	0	0	0
AFFIRMING THE DEPT	0	0	0	0
REVERSING THE DEPT	0	0	0	0
STATE FUND APPEALS	0	0	0	0
AFFIRMING THE DEPT	0	0	0	0
REVERSING THE DEPT	0	0	0	0