

# Caseloads of the Courts of Washington

## Court Activity, Division II (4) - 2024 Annual Report

	----- Appeals -----			----- Other Reviews -----			
	Criminal	Civil	Total	Personal Restraint	Discretionary Review	Total	All Reviews
FILINGS							
Total Filings	355	415	770	259	162	421	1,191
RESOLUTIONS (5)							
Opinions Published	21	33	54	3	2	5	59
Opinions Unpublished	174	131	305	30	3	33	338
Opinion Terminating Review	195	164	359	33	5	38	397
Dismissed	1	0	1	217	0	217	218
Transferred/Certified	72	79	151	16	0	16	167
Review Not Accepted	0	0	0	5	0	5	5
Other Terminations	1	1	2	21	1	22	24
Order Terminating Review	74	80	154	259	1	260	414
Decided on Merits	2	9	11	0	41	41	52
Dismissed	35	144	179	18	55	73	252
Transferred/Certified	0	0	0	1	0	1	1
Review Not Accepted	0	4	4	0	77	77	81
Other Terminations	4	16	20	0	27	27	47
Ruling Terminating Review	41	173	214	19	200	219	433
Total Resolved	310	417	727	311	206	517	1,244

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(2) Set for Oral Argument counts are influenced by procedural differences among divisions in setting cases. Division III, due to hearings in multiple locations, often delays the setting of cases until there are sufficient numbers to warrant travel, but cases are usually set only six weeks out.

(3) Includes completions for secondary cases, which are those consolidated with a primary case and disposed by mandate/certificate of finality entered in the primary case.

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PENDING AT YEAR END (1)							
Cases Stayed	3	5	8	8	4	12	20
Brief Not Filed	331	207	538	61	28	89	627
Appellant Brief Filed	0	0	0	2	0	2	2
Respondent Brief Filed	147	42	189	49	3	52	241
Set for Commissioners' Calendar	0	13	13	0	19	19	32
Set for Oral Argument (2)	67	47	114	5	1	6	120
Total Awaiting Hearing	548	314	862	125	55	180	1,042
Opinion/Order in Process	27	12	39	6	1	7	46
Total Pending Decision	575	326	901	131	56	187	1,088
MANDATED							
Opinion Terminating Review	187	165	352	43	6	49	401
Order Terminating Review	74	81	155	298	2	300	455
Ruling Terminating Review	41	170	211	18	211	229	440
Other Decision Terminating Review	0	2	2	1	1	2	4
Total Mandated	302	418	720	360	220	580	1,300

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