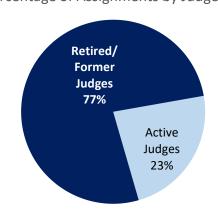
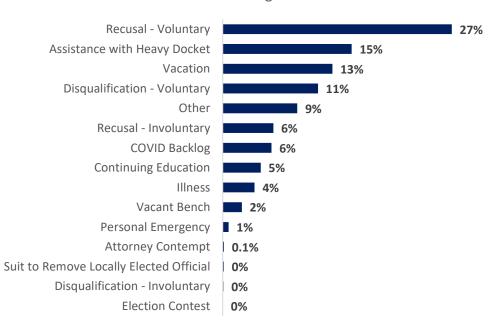
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8,449 assignments were made.

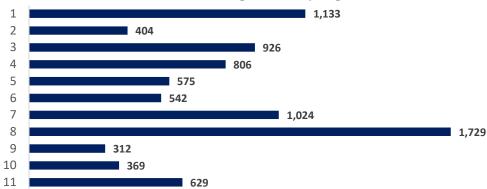




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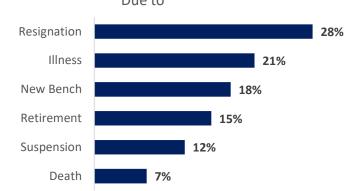


Number of Assignments by Region



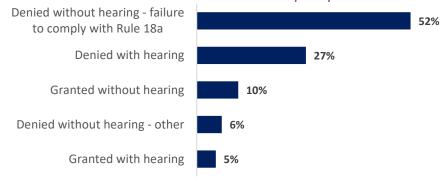
1,199 days were served to fill a vacant bench.

Percentage of Days Spent Serving on Vacant Bench Due to

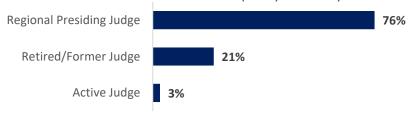


621 motions to recuse or disqualify were disposed.





Motions to Recuse or Disqualify Heard by



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Reasons for Assignments and Number of Judges Assigned				
Reason for Assignment by Presiding Judge within the Region	Active Judges - Number of Assignments	<u>Sr/Fmr/Ret Judges -</u> Number of Assignments	Total Number of Assignments	
Assistance with Heavy Docket	42	1,263	1,305	
Vacation	12	1,098	1,110	
Illness	2	320	322	
Recusal - Voluntary	871	1,447	2,318	
Recusal - Involuntary	53	459	512	
Disqualification - Voluntary	844	120	964	
Disqualification - Involuntary	3	5	8	
Continuing Education	0	384	384	
Personal Emergency	0	60	60	
COVID Backlog	77	416	493	
Election Contest	2	1	3	
Attorney Contempt	4	8	12	
Suit to Remove Locally Elected Official	9	2	11	
Vacant Bench	17	176	193	
Other	32	722	754	
Totals	1,968	6,481	8,449	
Assignment to Another Region	3	100	103	
Assigned by the Chief Justice to the Region	2	145	147	

Number of Attorney Fee Voucher Appeals	23

Motions to Recuse/Disqualify			
Type of Judge Hearing Motion	No. of Motions		
Regional Presiding Judge	487		
Active Judge	16		
Senior, Former, Retired Judge	134		
Disposition	No. of Motions		
Granted with hearing	29		
Granted without hearing	63		
Denied with hearing	166		
Denied without hearing - failure to comply with Rule 18a	325		
Denied without hearing - other	38		

Vacant Benches				
Reason for Vacancy	Number of Days Judge Assigned to Sit			
Death	81			
Illness*	248			
New Bench	211			
Resignation	338			
Retirement	181			
Suspension	140			

^{*}More than 2 weeks absence

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		Rule 12 Appeals			Appeals from Judicial Branch Certification Commission			
		Ruling:			Ruling:			
ľ						Violation	Violation	
						Occurred,	Occurred,	Violation
	Appointments		Granted in	Granted in	No	Penalty	Penalty	Did Not
	for PIU Cases	Denied	Whole	Part	Jurisdiction	Upheld	Reduced	Occur
ľ	0	9	0	2	9	0	0	0