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COMPLAINTS PENDING & RECEIVED

Complaints Pending July 1, 2009	53
Complaints Received	<u>317</u>
TOTAL Complaints Pending and Received.....	<u>370</u>

DISPOSITION OF COMPLAINTS

Dismissed by Disciplinary Counsel after initial review (no jurisdiction).....	168
Dismissed by Disciplinary Counsel after investigation (insufficient evidence)..	66
Dismissed by Investigative Panel	51
Dismissed by Supreme Court.....	<u>0</u>

Total Dismissed..... 285

Letter of Caution without finding of misconduct.....	11
Letter of Caution with finding of minor misconduct.....	14
Deferred Disciplinary Agreement.....	0
Admonition	15
Public Reprimand.....	5
Suspension.....	1
Removal from Office.....	0
Referral to Another Agency.....	0
Closed but not Dismissed.....	1
Closed due to Death	<u>2</u>

Total Not Dismissed..... 49

LESS TOTAL Complaints Concluded **(334)**

TOTAL complaints pending as of June 30, 2010 **36**

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SOURCES OF COMPLAINTS

Litigant.....	243
Relative or friend of litigant or defendant	23
Another judge.....	14
Interested citizen.....	10
Self-Report	7
Government Official	5
Attorney.....	5
Disciplinary counsel	3
Law enforcement officer.....	3
Anonymous.....	3
Employee.....	1

TYPES OF JUDGES AGAINST WHOM COMPLAINTS WERE FILED

Magistrates	118
Circuit Court	69
Family Court	55
Municipal Court	37
Probate Court	19
Masters and Referees	9
Appellate Court.....	8
Judicial Candidate	2

COMMISSION ACTIVITIES

Meetings of investigative panels this fiscal year	4
Meetings of hearing panels this fiscal year	0
Meetings of full commission this fiscal year	1