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WISCONSIN COURT OF APPEALS MONTHLY STATISTICAL REPORT

JANUARY 2024

This statistical report presents information about the case filings and dispositions of the Wisconsin Court of Appeals during the month of January 2024 which represents the reporting year that began on January 1, 2024.

Opinions and Orders Issued by the Court

The Court of Appeals issued 53 opinions, 51 summary dispositions, and 112 other written decisions in January. Opinions include three-judge and one-judge authored opinions and per curiam opinions. Summary dispositions include opinions issued in the form of a court order after the court has reviewed the briefs and the record and, generally, following a screening and decision conference. Other written decisions include memorandum opinions, which are issued in the form of a court order prior to a screening and decision conference, and miscellaneous orders terminating cases (e.g., voluntary dismissals and stipulations to dismiss). The breakdown by district and type of disposition is as follows:

JANUARY and YTD 2024	Dist. I	Dist. II	Dist. III	Dist. IV	Total
Cases Terminated	41	62	54	59	216
By Opinion -Civil	7	8	4	6	25
By Opinion -Criminal	4	8	12	4	28
By Summ. Disp Civil	3	1	6	4	14
By Summ. Disp Criminal	9	11	11	6	37
By Memo Opinion - Civil	6	8	9	18	41
By Memo Opinion – Criminal	3	12	4	13	32
By Other – Civil	6	7	7	8	28
By Other - Criminal	3	7	1	0	11

Appeals Filed

An appeal asks the Court of Appeals to review the decision of the circuit court. A total of 166 appeals were filed during the month.

JANUARY and YTD 2024	Dist. I	Dist. II	Dist. III	Dist. IV	Total
Cases Filed	35	59	29	43	166
Civil	17	30	17	23	87
Criminal	18	29	12	20	<i>7</i> 9

Appeals Pending

At the end of the month, a total of 1945 cases were pending before the Court of Appeals.

JANUARY 2024		Dist. I	Dist. II	Dist. III	Dist. IV	Total
Cases Pending		485	562	419	479	1945
	Civil	211	242	205	259	917
C	Criminal	274	320	214	220	1028

Petitions for Supervisory Writ

A petition for supervisory writ asks the Court of Appeals to order the circuit court to take a certain action in a case. The Court of Appeals received 13 and disposed of 14 petitions for supervisory writ during the month.

JANUARY 2024	Dist. I	Dist. II	Dist. III	Dist. IV	Total
Supervisory Writs Filed	5	2	4	2	13
Supervisory Writs Terminated	3	5	3	3	14
Granted	0	0	0	0	0
Denied, Dismissed, Other	3	5	3	3	14
Supervisory Writs Pending	7	14	3	4	28

Petitions for Leave to Appeal

A petition for leave to appeal asks the Court of Appeals to invoke its discretionary jurisdiction and accept the appeal of a case in which a final order has not been issued. The Court of Appeals received 21 and disposed of 13 petitions for leave to appeal during the month.

JANUARY 2024	Dist. I	Dist. II	Dist. III	Dist. IV	Total
Petitions for Leave to Appeal Filed	5	10	4	2	21
Petitions Terminated	2	5	2	4	13
Granted	1	1	0	0	2
Denied, Dismissed, Other	1	4	2	4	11
Petitions Pending	4	12	4	2	22

Petitions for Review, Petitions for Bypass, and Certifications to the Supreme Court

In a petition for bypass, a party requests that the Supreme Court take jurisdiction of an appeal or other proceeding pending in the Court of Appeals. In a request for certification, the Court of Appeals asks the Supreme Court to exercise its appellate jurisdiction before the Court of Appeals hears the matter. The Supreme Court received 34 petitions for review of decisions of the Court of Appeals, 1 petitions to bypass the Court of Appeals, and no requests for certification in January.

JANUARY 2024	Dist. I	Dist. II	Dist. III	Dist. IV	Total
Petitions for Review Filed	7	12	10	5	34
Civil	3	4	6	4	17
Criminal	4	8	4	1	17
Petitions for Bypass Filed	0	1	0	0	1
Civil	0	1	0	0	1
Criminal	0	0	O	0	O
Certification Requests Filed	0	0	0	0	0
Civil	0	0	0	0	0
Criminal	0	0	0	0	0