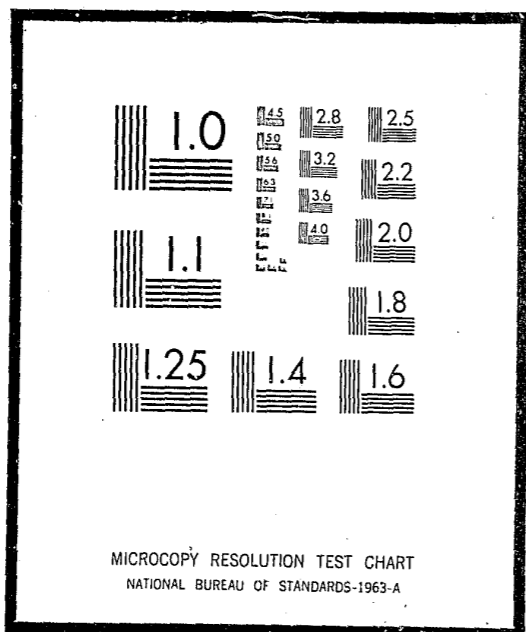


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(KRS 22.050; 22.120)

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December 31, 1974

ANNUAL REPORT FOR 1974 TO THE JUDICIAL CONFERENCE

Organization of the State Judiciary

Kentucky's state judiciary, as structured under the Judicial Article of the 1891 Constitution and by legislation, currently consists of the Court of Appeals, Kentucky's court of last resort, and 120 circuit courts of general jurisdiction which are situated within the 55 circuit court judicial districts served by 86 circuit judges.

Below the circuit courts in jurisdictional rank, and denominated under Kentucky law as inferior courts in terms of jurisdiction and appellate procedures, are the 120 county and quarterly courts, the various police courts, and magistrate courts. These courts comprise the "local judiciary," in that they are supported other than by state appropriation.

The Judicial Conference and the Judicial Council

The Judicial Conference, (KRS Chapter 22), consists of the chief justice and the associate justices of the Court of Appeals, the commissioners of the Court of Appeals and the 86 circuit judges. The Conference meets at least once each year in the discharge of its statutory duties of conducting a continuous study of Kentucky's judicial systems, as well as to take appropriate action on recommendations of the Judicial Council.

The Judicial Council as established by statute in effect constitutes a planning committee for the Judicial Conference. The Council is charged with receiving and considering suggestions for improvement in the administration of justice, simplifying judicial procedure and correcting faults in judicial administration, and reporting to the General Assembly concerning the state of the judiciary. The membership of the Council consists of the chief justice or a justice or commissioner of the Court of Appeals designated by the chief justice, four circuit judges, a circuit court clerk appointed by the chief justice, three members of the Kentucky State Bar Association appointed by the Governor, and

the chairmen of the judiciary committees of the Senate and House. By law the Administrative Director of the Courts is secretary ex officio of the Council and the Conference.

Judicial Work Loads

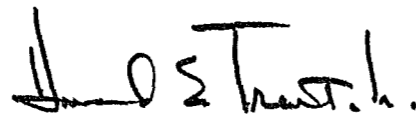
The docket reports for the calendar year 1974 are contained in the following pages. The filings and dispositions for the Court of Appeals are shown, along with the docket reports for each of the 120 circuit courts.

Serious congestion remains in the appellate area despite a doubling of the total number of dispositions on an annual basis by the Court of Appeals between 1961 and 1974.

The 1891 Judicial Article limited the appellate structure to one appellate court. By statute an appeal may be docketed as a matter of right if the amount in controversy involves as much as \$2500, and a motion for appeal may be filed if the amount exceeds \$200.

Since 1891 the total number of circuit judges has nearly tripled. An increasing number of appeals has resulted. The inevitable consequence of these factors has been to produce undesirable backlogs in the appellate processes.

Hopefully, some solution for these problems may be realized by way of amendment of the Judicial Article or through appropriate legislation.



Howard E. Trent, Jr.  
Secretary ex officio, Judicial Council  
Administrative Director of the Courts

## THE COURT OF APPEALS

COURT OF APPEALS  
COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

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COURT OF APPEALS OF KENTUCKY  
CASE-LOAD STATISTICS  
MATTERS DOCKETED, CALENDAR YEARS  
1961 THROUGH 1974

<u>YEAR</u>	<u>APPEALS AND ORIGINAL ACTIONS</u>	<u>MOTIONS FOR APPEAL</u>	<u>ACTIONS FOR IN-JUNCTIVE RELIEF</u>	<u>PETITIONS FOR REHEARING</u>	<u>GRAND TOTALS</u>
1961	551	65	5	145	666
1962	596	64	22	108	790
1963	594	49	10	153	806
1964	743	65	16	144	963
1965	803	77	11	168	1059
1966	804	71	16	146	1037
1967	787	56	19	179	1041
1968	780	50	13	174	1017
1969	903	45	12	175	1135
1970	1086	43	24	158	1311
1971	1063	35	15	122	1235
1972	1104	31	9	128	1267
1973	1116	28	16	147	1307
1974	1090	30	22	190	1332* **

\*In addition to the total of 1332 matters docketed, an additional 96 matters were filed with partial record for final disposition under CR 75.10 for a grand total of 1428.

\*\*Of the appeals docketed in 1974, 22.2% were appeals in criminal cases (296 out of 1332).

COURT OF APPEALS OF KENTUCKY  
DISPOSITION OF CASES  
CALENDAR YEARS 1961-1974

<u>YEAR</u>	<u>TOTAL MATTERS DOCKETED</u>	<u>DISPOSED OF BY OPINION</u>	<u>DISPOSED OF BY ORDER</u>	<u>PETITIONS FOR RE-HEARING HANDLED</u>	<u>GRAND TOTALS</u>
1961	666	441	52	131	624
1962	790	378	58	116	552
1963	806	526	68	143	737
1964	963	617	84	166	867
1965	1059	626	166	147	939
1966	1037	597	127	160	884
1967	1041	639	136	155	930
1968	1017	604	216	161	981
1969	1135	618	240	171	1029
1970	1311	627	379	128	1134
1971	1235	586	393	118	1097
1972	1267	619	353	116	1088
1973	1307	677	466	134	1277
1974	1332	860	323	179	1362

COURT OF APPEALS OF KENTUCKY

INVENTORY OF PENDING MATTERS ON DECEMBER 31, 1974

I. Matters assigned to members of the Court:

Advanced Appeals (including criminal)	38
Regular Appeals	69
Petitions for Rehearing	4
Petitions for Writ of Prohibition	1
Petitions for Writ of Mandamus	1
Disciplinary Actions	<u>4</u>

117

II. Appeals assigned Special Commissioners:

68

III. Non-advanced appeals ready for assignment, by year and month, submitted under RCA 1.270:

January 1973	14	January 1974	33
February "	12	February "	20
March "	13	March "	27
April "	15	April "	21
May "	8	May "	30
June "	27	June "	27
July "	26	July "	26
August "	47	August "	29
September "	26	September "	29
October "	37	October "	24
November "	27	November "	35
December "	<u>16</u>	December "	<u>26</u>

1973 Total	268	1974 Total	327
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595

IV. Advanced Appeals, Original Actions and Motions for Appeals ready for assignment:

86

Advanced Appeals submitted, awaiting reply briefs:

47

V. Matters docketed in Clerk's office awaiting briefing:

Appeals in civil cases (non-advanced)	104
Appeals in criminal cases ("advanced")	9
Advanced appeals in civil cases	51
Motions for Appeal	1
Original Actions	<u>9</u>

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GRAND TOTAL

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THE CIRCUIT COURTS



SUMMARY OF JUDICIAL DISTRICT DOCKETS, BY CIRCUIT (1974)

DISTRICT AND JUDGE(S)	CIRCUIT(S)	POPULATION*	ATTYS.**	CIVIL				CRIMINAL				COURT DAYS	
				PENDING JAN. 1	DOCKETED DURING YEAR	DISPOSED OF DURING YEAR	PENDING DEC. 31	PENDING JAN. 1	DOCKETED DURING YEAR	DISPOSED OF DURING YEAR	PENDING DEC. 31	TOTAL COURT DAYS	SPECIAL JUDGE SITTING
1ST													
Judge Tipton (Woodard C.)	Ballard	8,276	5	280	117	51	346	43	26	12	57	66	0
	Carlisle	5,354	2	164	49	19	194	65	8	7	66	56	0
	Fulton	10,183	13	100	149	150	99	68	51	72	47	151	0
	Hickman	6,264	3	124	89	90	123	34	16	24	26	152	0
	TOTALS	30,077	23	668	404	310	762	210	101	115	196	425	0
2ND													
Judge Eaton - Div. I (C. Warren)	McCracken	58,281	76	2,146	947	874	2,219	235	182	146	271	159	1
Judge Price - Div. II (J. Brandon)													
3RD													
Judge White (Stephen P., Jr.)	Christian	56,224	43	438	775	657	556	90	225	199	116	134	0
	Lyon	5,562	3	88	61	23	126	65	32	37	60	31	0
	Trigg	8,620	6	100	99	100	99	46	20	40	26	20	0
	TOTALS	70,406	52	626	935	780	781	201	277	276	202	185	0
4TH													
Judge Spain (Thomas B.)	Caldwell	13,179	11	85	100	98	87	180	53	40	193	56	1
	Hopkins	38,167	35	2,862	658	454	3,066	270	100	40	330	133	2
	TOTALS	51,346	46	2,947	758	552	3,153	450	153	80	523	189	3
5TH													
Judge Simpson (Faust Y.)	Crittenden	8,493	4	170	107	92	185	48	18	23	43	32	0
	Union	15,882	11	253	196	29	420	21	62	34	49	60	0
	Webster	13,282	8	533	236	281	488	39	15	18	36	41	0
	TOTALS	37,657	23	956	539	402	1,093	108	95	75	128	133	0

\* and \*\* See footnotes p. 20.

SUMMARY OF JUDICIAL DISTRICT DOCKETS, BY CIRCUIT (1974)

DISTRICT AND JUDGE(S)	CIRCUIT(S)	POPULATION	ATTYS.	CIVIL				CRIMINAL				COURT DAYS	
				PENDING JAN. 1	DOCKETED DURING YEAR	DISPOSED OF DURING YEAR	PENDING DEC. 31	PENDING JAN. 1	DOCKETED DURING YEAR	DISPOSED OF DURING YEAR	PENDING DEC. 31	TOTAL COURT DAYS	SPECIAL JUDGE SITTING
6TH													
Judge Griffin - Div. I (Henry M.)	Daviess	79,486	104	1,090	1,329	1,308	1,111	181	306	247	240	508	0
Judge Short - Div. II (Robert M.)													
7TH													
Judge Fuqua (William S.)	Logan	21,793	10	496	314	181	629	247	110	90	267	207	3
	Todd	10,823	6	156	105	92	169	141	36	14	163	78	0
	TOTALS	32,616	16	652	419	273	798	388	146	104	430	285	3
8TH													
Judge Coleman - Div. I (Robert M.)	Warren	57,432	87	654	1,409	1,160	903	287	851	747	391	477	0
Judge Hines - Div. II (Thomas W.)													
9TH													
Judge Holbert - Div. I (J. Howard)	Hardin	78,421	37	2,834	1,184	962	3,056	159	202	267	94	244	7
Judge Hatcher - Div. II (James T.)													
10TH													
Judge Richardson (Charles R.)	Hart	13,980	12	248	209	173	284	37	66	57	46	119	0
	Larue	10,672	8	376	144	125	395	33	25	28	30	34	0
	Nelson	23,477	15	504	213	129	588	59	30	57	32	72	0
	TOTALS	48,129	35	1,128	566	427	1,267	129	121	142	108	225	0
11TH													
Judge Spragens (Robert M.)	Green	10,350	9	129	110	129	110	20	11	17	14	73	0
	Marion	16,714	11	299	163	341	121	15	36	42	9	163	1
	Taylor	17,138	14	286	246	235	297	26	38	43	21	40	2
	Washington	10,728	5	96	101	135	62	16	16	18	14	102	5
	TOTALS	54,930	39	810	620	840	590	77	101	120	58	378	8

SUMMARY OF JUDICIAL DISTRICT DOCKETS, BY CIRCUIT (1974)

DISTRICT AND JUDGE(S)	CIRCUIT(S)	POPULATION	ATTYS.	CIVIL				CRIMINAL				COURT DAYS			
				PENDING JAN. 1	DOCKETED DURING YEAR	DISPOSED OF DURING YEAR	PENDING DEC. 31	PENDING JAN. 1	DOCKETED DURING YEAR	DISPOSED OF DURING YEAR	PENDING DEC. 31	TOTAL COURT DAYS	SPECIAL JUDGE SITTING		
12TH Judge Williamson (George F.)	Henry Oldham Trimble	10,910 14,687 5,349	16 17 2	118	156	153	121	18	37	47	8	58	0		
				196	246	241	201	28	103	98	33	140	6		
				58	70	56	72	14	9	21	2	71	0		
				TOTALS	30,946	35	372	472	450	394	60	149	166	43	269
13TH Judge Cox (Henry C.)	Garrard Jessamine Lincoln	9,457 17,430 16,663	10 10 9	65	99	96	68	13	17	13	17	55	0		
				523	317	132	708	53	56	41	38	63	0		
				453	221	157	517	30	168	30	166	60	2		
				TOTALS	43,550	29	1,041	637	385	1,293	96	241	84	252	178
14TH Judge Smith (Robert Hall)	Bourbon Scott Woodford	18,476 17,948 14,434	15 18 26	526	199	119	606	85	33	38	80	38	0		
				1,158	247	130	1,275	116	93	65	144	38	2		
				620	230	154	696	30	45	35	40	32	0		
				TOTALS	50,858	59	2,304	676	403	2,577	231	171	138	264	108
15TH Judge Ford (James R.)	Carroll Grant Owen	8,523 9,999 7,470	6 10 7	94	159	92	161	24	35	32	27	30	0		
				375	142	70	447	69	28	21	76	26	0		
				221	135	80	276	41	18	8	51	21	1		
				TOTALS	25,992	23	690	436	242	884	134	81	61	154	77
16TH Judge Stubbs - Div. I (M. T.) Judge Dunn - Div. II (William R.) Judge Goodenough - Div. III (Appointed 1/27/75) (Daniel J.) Judge Gilliece - Div. IV (James J.)	Kenton	129,440	158	2,095	1,752	1,581	2,266	213	479	372	320	376	0		

SUMMARY OF JUDICIAL DISTRICT DOCKETS, BY CIRCUIT (1974)

DISTRICT AND JUDGE(S)	CIRCUIT(S)	POPULATION	ATTYS.	CIVIL				CRIMINAL				COURT DAYS	
				PENDING JAN. 1	DOCKETED DURING YEAR	DISPOSED OF DURING YEAR	PENDING DEC. 31	PENDING JAN. 1	DOCKETED DURING YEAR	DISPOSED OF DURING YEAR	PENDING DEC. 31	TOTAL COURT DAYS	SPECIAL JUDGE SITTING
17TH Judge Diskin - Div. I (Appointed 1/27/75) (John) Judge Schnorr - Div. II (Appointed 1/27/75) (Thomas F.)	Campbell	88,561	88	473	941	727	687	144	145	191	98	246	20
18TH Judge Lair (John P.)	Harrison Nicholas Pendleton Robertson	14,158 6,508 9,949 2,163	17 6 4 2	173	211	155	229	37	24	43	18	71	0
				25	55	70	10	11	9	6	14	18	0
				78	111	73	116	9	8	7	10	44	0
				13	23	12	24	2	2	2	2	14	0
TOTALS	32,778	29	289	400	310	379	59	43	58	44	147	0	
19TH Judge Breslin (John A., Jr.)	Bracken Fleming Mason	7,227 11,366 17,273	3 9 16	21	66	45	42	2	3	2	3	17	4
				54	130	108	76	4	16	13	7	32	17
				88	279	251	116	14	19	14	19	77	31
				TOTALS	35,866	28	163	475	404	234	20	38	29
20TH Judge Sammons (Oscar)	Greenup Lewis	33,192 12,355	19 8	1,189	502	300	1,391	66	75	115	26	126	0
				80	135	88	127	14	43	34	23	60	0
				TOTALS	45,547	27	1,269	637	388	1,518	80	118	149
21ST Judge Lane (Caswell P.)	Bath Menifee Montgomery Rowan	9,235 4,050 15,364 17,010	4 1 17 11	111	86	63	134	21	23	34	10	35	0
				94	46	31	109	28	25	30	23	29	0
				384	206	142	448	49	63	49	63	142	2
				244	262	215	291	32	62	61	33	88	0
				TOTALS	45,659	33	833	600	451	982	130	173	174

SUMMARY OF JUDICIAL DISTRICT DOCKETS, BY CIRCUIT (1974)

DISTRICT AND JUDGE(S)	CIRCUIT(S)	POPULATION	ATTYS.	CIVIL				CRIMINAL				COURT DAYS	
				PENDING JAN. 1	DOCKETED DURING YEAR	DISPOSED OF DURING YEAR	PENDING DEC. 31	PENDING JAN. 1	DOCKETED DURING YEAR	DISPOSED OF DURING YEAR	PENDING DEC. 31	TOTAL COURT DAYS	SPECIAL JUDGE SITTING
22ND Judge Park - Div. I (James, Jr.) Judge Meade - Div. II (N. Mitchell)	Fayette	174,323	537	3,121	3,348	3,613	2,856	153	469	475	147	599	3
					Judge Tackett (Charles) Judge Barker (George E.)		- Div. V - Div. VI						
23RD Judge Ashcraft (Earl F.)	Estill Lee Owsley	12,752 6,587 5,023	9 4 2	133 185 96	134 87 57	160 93 104	107 179 49	29 33 17	43 29 43	43 46 32	29 16 28	59 48 21	0 0 0
	TOTALS	24,362	15	414	278	357	335	79	115	121	73	128	0
24TH Judge Sparks (W. D.)	Lawrence Johnson Martin	10,726 17,539 9,377	14 20 10	72 1,371 507	175 393 294	75 238 218	172 1,526 583	18 296 53	54 117 60	29 185 58	43 228 55	39 97 46	2 5 0
	TOTALS	37,642	44	1,950	862	531	2,281	367	231	272	326	182	7
25TH Judge Chenault (James S.)	Clark Madison	24,090 42,730	24 49	573 888	394 559	493 700	474 747	72 200	78 101	60 162	90 139	47 179	1 1
	TOTALS	66,820	73	1,461	953	1,193	1,221	272	179	222	229	226	2
26TH Judge Brock (Appointed 1/10/75) (James C.)	Harlan	37,370	27	562	681	739	504	135	178	180	133	239	31
27TH Judge Helton (Robert H., Jr.)	Knox Laurel	23,689 27,386	18 32	837 1,098	414 436	275 298	976 1,236	133 170	90 120	75 104	148 186	153 101	3 18
	TOTALS	51,075	50	1,935	850	573	2,212	303	210	179	334	254	21

SUMMARY OF JUDICIAL DISTRICT DOCKETS, BY CIRCUIT (1974)

DISTRICT AND JUDGE(S)	CIRCUIT(S)	POPULATION	ATTYS.	CIVIL				CRIMINAL				COURT DAYS	
				PENDING JAN. 1	DOCKETED DURING YEAR	DISPOSED OF DURING YEAR	PENDING DEC. 31	PENDING JAN. 1	DOCKETED DURING YEAR	DISPOSED OF DURING YEAR	PENDING DEC. 31	TOTAL COURT DAYS	SPECIAL JUDGE SITTING
28TH Judge Hail (Lawrence S.)	Pulaski Rockcastle	35,234 12,305	28 5	785 211	384 175	514 156	655 230	227 66	195 131	260 105	162 92	128 82	0 1
	TOTALS	47,539	33	996	559	670	885	293	326	365	254	210	1
29TH Judge Carter (James C., Jr.)	Adair Casey Cumberland Monroe	13,037 12,930 6,850 11,642	9 7 3 7	396 114 107 67	126 169 73 192	135 103 74 45	387 180 106 214	37 107 56 64	69 94 33 112	65 87 31 54	41 114 58 122	57 59 60 42	0 21 0 0
	TOTALS	44,459	26	684	560	357	887	264	308	237	335	218	21
(Pursuant to KRS 24.180 the Jefferson Circuit has a Chancery Branch, a Common Pleas Branch and a Criminal Branch; the docket report for Jefferson therefore reflects a summary for each Branch.)													
30TH Chancery Branch	Jefferson	695,055	1,620	3,807	7,782	6,059	5,530					1536	0
Judge Boyce Martin - Div. I (Appointed 1/10/75) Judge James A. Hubbs - Div. II (Appointed 1/10/75) Judge L. R. Schmid - Div. III Judge Richard A. Revell - Div. IV Judge Alexander G. Booth - Div. V Judge Jack E. Mudd - Div. VI	TOTALS												
Common Pleas Branch	Jefferson			3,362	6,810	6,582	3,590					1759	36
Judge Michael O. McDonald - Div. I Judge Henry Hopson - Div. II (Appointed 1/10/75) Judge E. Skiles Jones - Div. III Judge George B. Ryan - Div. IV Judge Raymond C. Stephenson - Div. V	TOTALS												

SUMMARY OF JUDICIAL DISTRICT DOCKETS, BY CIRCUIT (1974)

DISTRICT AND JUDGE(S)	CIRCUIT(S)	POPULATION	ATTYS.	CIVIL				CRIMINAL				COURT DAYS		SPECIAL JUDGE SITTING		
				PENDING JAN. 1	DOCKETED DURING YEAR	DISPOSED OF DURING YEAR	PENDING DEC. 31	PENDING JAN. 1	DOCKETED DURING YEAR	DISPOSED OF DURING YEAR	PENDING DEC. 31	TOTAL COURT DAYS	JUDGE SITTING			
30TH (continued)	Jefferson (continued)															
Common Pleas Branch (continued)																
Judge J. Paul Keith, Jr. - Div. VI Judge Thomas A. Ballantine, Jr. - Div. VII																
Criminal Branch TOTALS																
Judge S. Rush Nicholson - Div. I Judge John P. Hayes - Div. II Judge George H. Kunzman - Div. III										851	2481*	2,879	854*	697	0	
GRAND TOTALS				7,169	14,592	12,641	9,120	851	2481	2,879	453	3992	36			
* While not shown in matters docketed during 1974, there are included in the matters pending 12/31/74, a total of 401 post-conviction proceedings which are considered part of the pending caseload. Therefore the 453 Grand Total Criminal Pending December 31 is an adjusted total.																
31ST	Judge Conley (Hollie)	Floyd	35,889	38	2,376	844	470	2,750	68	156	158	66	175	6		
32ND Judge Fanning - Div. I (William E.) Judge Sinnette - Div. II (Appointed 1/1/75) (Charles S.)				Boyd	52,376	93	659	787	829	617	74	70	59	85	300	29
33RD Judge Ward (Don A.)				Perry	26,259	30	524	399	599	324	94	111	135	70	258	13
34TH Judge Johnson (J. B., Jr.)				Whitley McCreary	24,145 12,548	24 6	1,200 310	418 154	336 115	1,282 349	268 156	185 181	83 81	370 256	89 65	3 9
TOTALS					36,693	30	1,510	572	451	1,631	424	366	164	626	154	12

SUMMARY OF JUDICIAL DISTRICT DOCKETS, BY CIRCUIT (1974)

DISTRICT AND JUDGE(S)	CIRCUIT(S)	POPULATION	ATTYS.	CIVIL				CRIMINAL				COURT DAYS		SPECIAL JUDGE SITTING		
				PENDING JAN. 1	DOCKETED DURING YEAR	DISPOSED OF DURING YEAR	PENDING DEC. 31	PENDING JAN. 1	DOCKETED DURING YEAR	DISPOSED OF DURING YEAR	PENDING DEC. 31	TOTAL COURT DAYS	JUDGE SITTING			
35TH	Judge Anderson - Div. I (Reed) Judge Venters - Div. II (E. N.)	Pike	61,059	61	1,488	1,391	1,157	1,722	452	156	141	467	610	3		
36TH	Judge Mann (Ben)	Magoffin Knott	10,443 14,698	6 10	404 228	208 218	184 143	428 303	28 28	69 71	68 49	29 50	96 50	1 0		
TOTALS					25,141	16	632	426	327	731	56	140	117	79	146	1
37TH	Judge Walter (Ralph N.)	Carter Elliott Morgan	19,850 5,933 10,019	14 2 6	187 97 86	292 72 118	241 48 83	238 121 121	63 9 38	64 30 52	75 12 54	52 27 36	42 32 21	1 0 0		
TOTALS					35,802	22	370	482	372	480	110	146	141	115	95	1
38TH	Judge Martin (Earl F., Sr.)	Butler Edmonson Hancock Ohio	9,723 8,751 7,080 18,790	6 3 4 11	267 240 82 350	156 142 88 274	240 81 119 364	183 301 51 260	73 53 23 111	34 31 8 39	38 14 15 32	69 70 16 118	39 46 44 88	3 0 0 2		
TOTALS					44,344	24	939	660	804	795	260	112	99	273	217	5
39TH	Judge Graham (J. Douglas)	Breathitt Powell Wolfe	14,221 7,704 5,669	10 8 3	841 366 140	185 180 77	384 61 36	642 485 181	72 30 63	58 68 50	68 38 69	62 60 44	72 48 36	7 0 0		
TOTALS					27,594	21	1,347	442	481	1,308	165	176	175	166	156	7
40TH	Judge Cooper (Kenton J.)	Clinton Russell Wayne	8,174 10,542 14,268	4 9 8	152 199 147	108 142 164	112 160 164	148 181 147	41 152 131	26 69 70	15 111 84	52 110 117	49 73 50	0 3 0		
TOTALS					32,984	21	498	414	436	476	324	165	210	279	172	3

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41ST Judge Bishop (Clay M.)	Clay	18,481	17	315	289	141	463	341	220	365	196	166	0
	Jackson	10,005	3	275	101	51	325	73	78	62	89	56	2
	Leslie	11,623	7	352	178	132	398	137	102	94	145	62	0
	TOTALS	40,109	27	942	568	324	1,186	551	400	521	430	284	2
42ND Judge Lassiter (James M.)	Calloway	27,692	18	891	310	366	835	51	61	68	44	68	1
	Livingston	7,596	5	255	135	75	315	25	29	14	40	29	0
	Marshall	20,381	13	585	253	181	657	59	59	63	55	84	1
	TOTALS	55,669	36	1,731	698	622	1,807	135	149	145	139	181	2
43RD Judge Walden (Cass R.)	Barren	28,677	28	1,353	469	349	1,473	181	133	119	195	180	2
	Metcalfe	8,177	6	476	156	85	547	35	21	38	18	139	0
	TOTALS	36,854	34	1,829	625	434	2,020	216	154	157	213	319	2
44TH Judge Knuckles (William R.)	Bell	31,121	30	229	387	268	348	140	144	65	219	114	5
45TH Judge Iler (Arthur T.)	Muhlenberg	27,537	18	483	353	391	445	31	99	81	49	142	0
	McLean	9,062	4	20	84	53	51	12	14	15	11	30	0
	TOTALS	36,599	22	503	437	444	496	43	113	96	60	172	0
46TH Judge Beard (A. Murray)	Breckinridge	14,789	9	972	164	95	1,041	49	37	32	54	133	21
	Grayson	16,445	9	2,042	286	168	2,160	46	37	37	46	51	18
	Meade	18,796	7	528	161	125	564	36	44	38	42	38	4
	TOTALS	50,030	25	3,542	611	388	3,765	131	118	107	142	222	43

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47TH Judge Hogg (F. Byrd)	Letcher	23,165	13	330	359	348	341	46	85	101	30	143	3
48TH Judge Meigs II - Div. I (Henry) Judge Williams - Div. II (Appointed 9/1/74) (Squire)	Franklin	34,481	154	1,891	688	571	2,008	51	62	80	33	303	2
	Allen	12,598	8	124	188	153	159	75	59	51	83	70	0
49TH Judge Goad (Frank R.)	Simpson	13,054	11	360	268	271	357	68	38	45	61	71	0
	TOTALS	25,652	19	484	456	424	516	143	97	96	144	141	0
	Boyle	21,090	26	235	402	386	251	78	67	101	44	195	5
50TH Judge Pennington (Henry V.)	Mercer	15,960	19	278	288	268	298	26	122	91	57	132	2
	TOTALS	37,050	45	513	690	654	549	104	189	192	101	327	7
	51ST Judge Melton (Carl D.)	Henderson	36,031	41	474	788	756	506	43	145	127	61	228
52ND Judge Boaz (Seth T.)	Graves	30,939	25	1,353	424	329	1,448	86	95	88	93	167	3
53RD Judge Saunders (Harold Y.)	Anderson	9,358	9	87	125	142	70	17	16	19	14	27	0
	Shelby	18,999	28	208	204	229	183	57	38	78	17	196	18
	Spencer	5,488	4	71	66	85	52	5	12	14	3	81	0
	TOTALS	33,845	41	366	395	456	305	79	66	111	34	304	18

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54TH Judge Neace (Appointed 9/1/74) (Samuel)	Boone Gallatin	32,812 4,134	26 5	495 47	585 78	412 57	668 68	50 9	65 14	50 16	65 7	43 20	0 0
TOTALS		36,946	31	542	663	469	736	59	79	66	72	63	0
55TH Judge Sanders (Appointed 9/1/74) (Charles V.)	Bullitt	26,090	12	320	419	285	454	69	126	79	116	61	14
GRAND TOTALS District 1 through District 55		3,219,345	4,383	67724	53444	46601	74567	10232	12290	12101	10421	16575	415

\* Population figures shown are the supplemented 1970 Census figures recognized as a standard for legislative purposes by the Legislative Research Commission.

\*\*The number and location of attorneys are based upon the resident membership list of the Kentucky Bar Association effective March 18, 1975.

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