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Dear Directors:

Pursuant to Chapter 216, Florida Statutes, our Long Range Program Plan (LRPP) for the State Courts System is submitted in the format prescribed in the budget instructions.

The plan has been posted on the Florida Fiscal Portal and the address on our internet website that references the link to the LRPP is: http://flcourts.org/gen\_public/pubs/index.shtml.

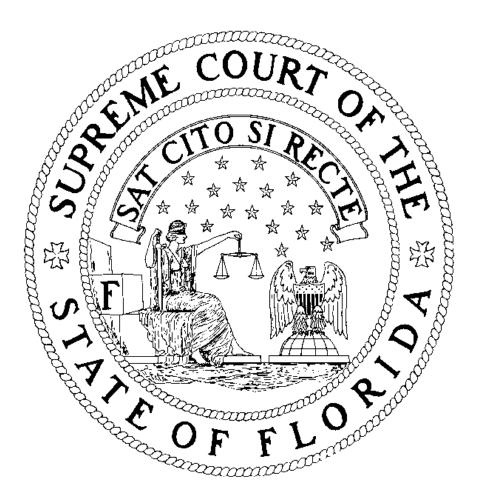
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The posted plan is a true and accurate presentation of our mission, goals, objectives and measures for the Fiscal Year 2013-14 through Fiscal Year 2017-18.

Sincerely, Ricky Polston

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### Judicial Branch State Courts System



## Long-Range Program Plan Fiscal Years 2013-14 through 2017-18

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#### Vision

#### Justice in Florida will be accessible, fair, effective, responsive, and accountable.

*To be accessible*, the Florida justice system will be convenient, understandable, timely, and affordable to everyone.

*To be fair*, it will respect the dignity of every person, regardless of race, class, gender or other characteristic, apply the law appropriately to the circumstances of individual cases, and include judges and court staff that reflect the community's diversity.

*To be effective*, it will uphold the law and apply rules and procedures consistently and in a timely manner, resolve cases with finality, and provide enforceable decisions.

*To be responsive*, it will anticipate and respond to the needs of all members of society, and provide a variety of dispute resolution methods.

*To be accountable*, the Florida justice system will use public resources efficiently and in a way that the public can understand.

#### Mission

To protect rights and liberties, uphold and interpret the law, and provide for the peaceful resolution of disputes.

#### **State Courts System Goals Overview**

The strategic direction delineated in this plan establishes the long-term focus of the judicial branch and outlines strategies to address issues evolving from past events and trends. Some strategies improve upon what has been done in the past and others point the branch in new and different directions. The strategic direction provides context for how the branch will organize, provide services, and fund activities.

The State Courts System's comprehensive goals are organized around five long-range issues that identify significant challenges that must be addressed over the long term in order to move toward fulfilling the vision and mission of the judicial branch. An updated long-range strategic plan for the judicial branch was approved by the Supreme Court on July 1, 2009 and reflects goals and strategies for a plan of action over the next six years.

The long-range plan was developed by the Task Force on Judicial Branch Planning through multiple methods to gather a wide range of perspectives and expertise. The methods allowed for an identification of strengths, weaknesses, threats, and opportunities facing the State Courts System. Methods included surveys of the public, court users, jurors, attorneys, judicial officers, and court staff. Additionally, nine public forums were held in communities across the state as well as a meeting of representatives of justice system partner organizations and focus groups composed of subject matter experts.

The long-range issues are: Issue #1 – Strengthening Governance and Independence; Issue #2 – Improving the Administration of Justice; Issue #3 – Supporting Competence and Quality; Issue #4 – Enhancing Court Access and Services; and Issue #5 – Enhancing Public Trust and Confidence.

The State Courts System long-range strategic plan uses the terms: *issues, goals*, and *strategies* to define its systemic direction. The following sets out descriptions of the long-range *issues* (condensed from the long-range plan) as well as the *goals* (desired future states) and *strategies* (general courses of action to accomplish the goals) associated with each strategic issue.

#### **Issues, Goals, and Strategies**

#### Long-Range Issue #1: Strengthening Governance and Independence

The Constitution of the State of Florida creates the judicial branch along with the legislative and executive branches, and vests the judicial power exclusively in its courts. To fulfill its mission, the judicial branch must strengthen its ability to fully function as a coequal and independent branch of government, to govern itself with coherence and clarity of purpose, to manage and control its internal operations, and to be accountable to the people.

To achieve this in an era of increasing workloads and limited resources, the branch must govern itself effectively and efficiently. The judicial branch must also have the capacity to develop and implement effective and responsive policies, to deploy its resources efficiently, and to provide transparency and accountability in the management of resources.

#### Goal: The judicial branch will be governed in an effective and efficient manner.

Strategies:

- Reform and strengthen the governance and policy development structures of the judicial branch.
- Implement a governance structure with the capacity to consult with affected constituencies and stakeholders and to produce policies that are responsive, coherent, and timely.
- Effectuate a governance structure that can implement policies in an efficient and effective manner.

### *Goal:* The judicial branch will interact effectively with all parts of government on issues related to the justice system.

Strategies:

- Strengthen the capacity to regularly communicate with the legislative and executive branches on issues affecting the justice system.
- Create institutional mechanisms to consult and coordinate activities with justice system partners on issues affecting the justice system.

#### Long-Range Issue #2: Improving the Administration of Justice

The state courts of Florida annually dispose of millions of cases, ranging from simple traffic citations to serious criminal cases and complex civil disputes with multiple parties. These cases are disposed through a range of dispute resolution processes, including diversion, mediation, plea, and adjudication by trial. The resources needed to process cases vary depending on the type of case and the manner of disposition. Increasingly, many litigants choose to represent themselves without counsel, which can pose challenges to the court. In addition, the Constitution of the State of Florida provides for a right of appeal of all final judgments as well as some non-final orders.

The management of such large caseloads and the administration of the resources and personnel necessary to manage the different types of cases is a complex undertaking. This task is increasingly challenged by growing caseloads and decreasing resources. To meet these challenges the courts must constantly find ways to improve the processes used to accomplish their constitutional mission. The judicial branch must remain committed to ongoing improvement in the administration of justice, including effective case processing policies and the efficient management of resources.

#### Goal: Cases will be processed effectively, efficiently, and in a timely manner.

Strategies:

- Develop and implement case management practices to resolve cases in a timely and effective manner.
- Continue to explore and implement effective alternative dispute resolution processes.
- Develop the capacity of the State Courts System to timely monitor key caseload and workload information at the circuit, appellate, and statewide levels.

### Goal: The State Courts System will utilize public resources effectively, efficiently, and in an accountable manner.

Strategies:

• Enhance the capacity of the State Courts System to manage court resources and services in a cost-effective and accountable manner.

- Continue to develop and institutionalize performance and accountability management systems that implement best practices in resource management.
- Improve the institutional capacity of the courts to coordinate activities and services that optimize the resources and effectiveness of justice system partners.
- Assess and modify, when necessary, services provided by Florida courts and functions performed by clerks of court to improve efficiency and effectiveness.
- Augment the capacity of the judicial branch to enforce orders and judgments, including collections of fees and fines, compliance with terms of probation, and adherence to injunctions.

### Goal: The State Courts System will have an adequate statewide information technology system adequate to support effective and efficient case management and management of caseloads and court resources.

Strategies:

- Develop and implement standards that effectuate the equitable statewide deployment of functionally compatible information technology infrastructure within the judicial branch, or;
- Pursue restructuring of information technology funding to enhance statewide equity and functional compatibility.
- Enact policies that coordinate the deployment of compatible information technology infrastructure within the judicial branch.
- Institute policies to build a comprehensive uniform statewide case management information system that integrates the case maintenance systems of the clerks of the circuit courts.
- Expand and integrate information technology systems statewide that support best practices within the courts, including resource management and performance measurement systems.
- Implement uniform statewide State Courts System communication technologies, including electronic filing, electronic access to court records, electronic scheduling, and electronic appearance of attorneys and parties.

• Continue to improve data sharing and data integration with justice system partners.

### Goal: The roles and responsibilities of the state courts and the circuit clerks of court when performing court-related functions will be clearly defined.

Strategies:

- Improve the capacity to review services performed by circuit clerks of court when performing court-related functions.
- Enhance the institutional capacity of the courts to coordinate activities and services with the clerks of court at all levels.

#### Long-Range Issue #3: Supporting Competence and Quality

The delivery of justice is affected by the competence and quality of judicial officers, administrators, and court staff. Law and court procedures are increasingly complex, and those within the judicial system face difficult legal and ethical issues as well as heightened societal expectations. Consequently, advanced levels of training and development are critical to enable those who work within the system to effectively perform the challenging work of the courts and meet demands placed on them. The Florida State Courts System is committed to having a workforce that is highly qualified and dedicated to service.

Ongoing professional development, education, and training, with appropriate emphasis on effective resource management policies and practices and ethical behavior, are essential to ensure a competent and high quality workforce to adequately address court operations, improve interactions with the public, and enhance perceptions of procedural fairness. Court system users reasonably expect the courts to employ effective management techniques, continuous operational improvement, innovative technologies, and superior service levels. The State Courts System will continue to foster working environments and organizational cultures marked by high achievement and work satisfaction while successfully meeting these challenges.

# Goal: Judges and court employees will have the knowledge, skills, and abilities to serve and perform at the highest professional levels.

#### Strategies:

- Improve and expand training and educational opportunities and offerings, adding selflearning resources and electronic/online tools for judges and court employees.
- Foster professional development and growth through programs such as succession planning, mentoring, coaching, job shadowing, on the job learning, and introduction to management and leadership.
- Collaborate with local, state, and national providers to enhance and expand training and development opportunities.
- Provide training on the use of existing and evolving technologies.
- Develop and provide programs to strengthen the management and leadership skills of judges, executive management, and supervisory court employees.

# Goal: All court employees will be of good character and adhere to high standards of professionalism and ethics at all times.

Strategies:

- Develop, adopt, and implement statewide standards of professional and ethical conduct for non-judge court employees.
- Emphasize professionalism and ethical behavior in training and educational programs and materials.
- Support effective procedures for responding to complaints of unethical or unprofessional behavior.

# Goal: The State Courts System will attract, hire, and retain highly qualified and competent employees.

Strategies:

• Improve, expand, and modernize recruitment methods and practices, including the use of new technologies and networks, to attract competent and qualified candidates.

- Increase diversity so that the State Courts System better reflects the demographics of individual communities and aids in enhancing effective interactions with people of different cultures.
- Provide monetary and non-monetary incentives, rewards, and recognition for excellent service and performance.
- Provide career paths and advancement opportunities for non-judge court employees.
- Create a motivating, satisfying, and purposeful work environment and organizational culture that values and engages judges and court employees.
- Advocate for competitive pay and benefits that are comparable to market rates.
- Provide judges and court employees with the information, resources, tools, and technology needed to do their work well.

# Goal: The judicial branch will attract, retain, and support highly qualified judicial candidates.

Strategies:

- Ensure that the most challenging judicial assignments have adequate resources and support.
- Create a motivating, satisfying, and purposeful work environment and organizational culture for judges.
- Advocate for competitive pay and benefits.
- Provide judges with the information, resources, tools, and technology needed to do their work well.
- Support the appropriate consideration of diversity in the selection of judges.

#### Long-Range Issue #4: Enhancing Court Access and Services

Public access to the courts is a cornerstone of our justice system. Article I, section 21 of the Constitution of the State of Florida requires that "the courts shall be open to every person for redress of any injury, and justice shall be administered without sale, denial or delay." Inherent in this mandate is the precept that our courts are neutral bodies that will interpret the law fairly, and will ensure equal treatment of all parties.

However, litigants do face some obstacles in seeking access to the courts. The cost of litigation, communication and language barriers, lack of information, complexity, cultural and attitudinal biases, and physical obstructions can be substantial impediments to accessing the courts. Additionally, the elderly and individuals with developmental disabilities, mental illness, dementia, and visual and hearing disabilities may also experience difficulty with access. Obstacles are particularly difficult for the increasing number of pro se litigants in Florida's courts; they may come to the courts for many reasons, but often have a minimal understanding of the law, little information about court procedures and rules, and limited access to assistance.

#### Goal: Provide meaningful access to Florida's courts for all people.

#### Strategies:

- Advocate for improved accessibility and modernization of court facilities.
- Utilize scheduling practices whenever possible that provide maximum court access to parties in terms of convenient hours and locations.
- Ameliorate the impact of economic barriers to accessing Florida's courts.
- Minimize the effects of physical barriers to Florida's courts.
- Reduce the effect of communication and language barriers to Florida's courts.
- Collaborate with justice system partners, professional associations, and community organizations to enhance access to the justice system.
- Educate judges and court staff about barriers faced by court users trying to access the courts and how those barriers may be addressed or minimized.

#### Goal: Florida's courts will provide the highest quality of services to court users.

Strategies:

- Improve and expand services, assistance, and information provided to self-represented parties.
- Ensure that court information, resources, and services are made available and understandable to everyone.
- Provide consistent levels of core services, information, resources, and assistance in all courts throughout Florida, to include conflict resolution, court reporting, and interpreter/translator services.

- Collaborate with justice system partners to ensure delivery of appropriate services to court users.
- Supply court users with current information on available community and justice partner programs and services.
- Expand the use of existing and emerging technologies to enhance access to information and services.
- Emphasize the use of standardized, simplified rules and practices for all case types.

#### Goal: Florida's courts will treat all people fairly and with respect.

Strategies:

- Ensure that all State Courts System employees understand the importance of providing procedural as well as substantive justice to all parties.
- Emphasize the importance and relevance of interacting effectively with people of different cultures in performing duties and responsibilities in serving Florida's diverse population.
- Enhance training programs for judges on issues of fairness.
- Augment training for court employees on issues of fairness and diversity.

#### Long-Range Issue #5: Enhancing Public Trust and Confidence

Public trust and confidence in the judicial branch is at the core of maintaining a peaceful and democratic society. The judicial branch must consistently strive to maintain and improve the public's trust and confidence by: fulfilling its mission of protecting rights and liberties, upholding and interpreting the law, and providing for the peaceful resolution of disputes; and by achieving its vision of being accessible, fair, effective, responsive, and accountable to all Floridians.

Confusion still exists among the public about the role, purposes, and function of courts and a compelling need remains to better educate and inform the public about the role and accomplishments of the branch. To further fulfill its mission and achieve its vision, the judicial branch must also perform its duties with impartiality, integrity, and honesty.

The State Courts System can also enhance public trust and confidence by maintaining the highest standards of accountability for its use of public resources, adhering to statutory and constitutional mandates, and continuing to improve its overall performance.

### Goal: The State Courts System will be accountable to the public for its use of public resources and overall performance.

Strategies:

- Monitor and evaluate court performance.
- Communicate and inform the public and the executive and legislative branches of government about the State Courts System performance and use of public resources.
- Inform the public and policy makers about judicial branch accomplishments.
- Solicit regular feedback and institutionalize lines of communication with the public, court users of all types, community organizations, and justice system partners to improve judicial branch performance.

### Goal: The public will better understand the purpose and role of the judicial branch.

Strategies:

- Educate and inform the public about the judicial branch as well as constitutional and legal principles.
- Collaborate with the legal community and justice system partners to educate the public about the court system.
- Enhance and expand outreach to all levels of educational institutions and community organizations to improve understanding of, and involvement with, the justice system.
- Promote and improve relations with the media to ensure the accuracy and adequacy of public understanding and perception of the judicial branch.

# Goal: The courts will be fair, impartial, and free from bias, political pressures, and special interests.

Strategies:

• Protect and preserve the ability of judges to decide legal matters according to the constitution, the law, and legal precedent without fear of reprisal.

- Improve communication between the judicial branch and the community.
- Work to prevent bias, and the appearance of bias, in all parts of the judicial branch.

#### **Objectives and Service Outcomes**

**Objective 1:** The Supreme Court will clarify Florida law, ensure that district court decisions throughout the state are consistent, and ensure that court decisions at all levels of the state courts are consistent with rights and liberties. This process will contribute to the development, clarity, and consistency of the law through opinions that provide the public, other courts, and the legal community with a body of law. This jurisprudence will provide a level of stability and predictability that allows Floridians to conduct business and personal affairs in accordance with the law of this state. In the execution of its supervisory responsibilities over the state courts and the practice of law, the Supreme Court will ensure the integrity of a legal system capable of meeting the needs of a vibrant, rapidly growing state. In its attention to the rules of practice and procedure, the Supreme Court will ensure that Florida courts are responsive to the complex needs of Floridians.

**Outcome:** Clearance rate.

Baseline FY 2002-03	FY 2013-14	FY 2014-15	FY 2015-16	FY 2016-17	FY 2017-18
97.5%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

**Objective 2:** The district courts of appeal of Florida will provide the opportunity for thoughtful review of decisions of lower tribunals by multi-judge panels. District courts of appeal will correct harmful errors and ensure that decisions are consistent with our rights and liberties. The process contributes to the development, clarity, and consistency of the law.

**Outcome:** Clearance rate.

Baseline FY 2002-03	FY 2013-14	FY 2014-15	FY 2015-16	FY 2016-17	FY 2017-18
99.3%	99.2%	99.2%	99.2%	99.2%	99.2%

**Objective 3:** Florida trial courts will protect and declare the rights and responsibilities of the people, uphold and interpret the law, and provide a forum for the just and peaceful resolution of legal and factual disputes.

**Outcome:** Clearance rate.

Baseline FY 2002-03	FY 2013-14	FY 2014-15	FY 2015-16	FY 2016-17	FY 2017-18
92.2%	97.6%	97.7%	97.8%	97.8%	97.9%

#### Notes:

Beginning in FY 2004-2005, all county court cases were included with circuit court cases in the calculation of clearance rate for all trial courts. The judicial branch has combined the services titled Circuit Courts and County Courts under Court Operations - Trial Courts, as a result of Revision 7 implementation.

#### **Trends and Conditions Statement**

The State Courts System's Long Range Program Plan provides the strategic direction, organizational framework, and context for the judicial branch budget. The planning process used to develop the plan relies on careful consideration of the actions needed to address the external as well as internal forces and conditions that may impact the court's capabilities in fulfilling the mission. The planning process assesses court issues and priorities, and reviews and justifies activities that will be used to implement priority-based resource allocation decisions.

Florida's state courts serve all of Florida's residents, visitors, businesses, and governmental institutions, either directly or indirectly. A number of external and internal trends contribute to the scope and complexity of challenges facing the courts as they endeavor to fulfill their mission in service to these constituencies.

#### **External Conditions and Forces Impacting Florida Courts**

<u>Economic Conditions</u> - The national recession that began in December 2007, as dated by the National Bureau of Economic Research, continues to impact Florida. While there have been some positive indicators of economic growth in the last year, signs of a full economic recovery continue to be slow and sporadic in Florida and across the nation. The information that follows on the state economy and budget is taken from a July 2012 Florida Office of Economic and Demographic Research presentation.

In 2011, Florida's economic growth remained in positive territory for the second year after declining two years in a row. State Gross Domestic Product (GDP) ranked Florida 37<sup>th</sup> in the nation in real growth with a gain of 0.5 percent. While the state's ranking improved, the growth slowed from a downwardly revised 0.9 percent for 2010. The reported unemployment rate has dropped from 9.9 percent to 8.6 percent from December 2011 to May 2012, a change of 1.3 percent.

The job market will take a long time to recover; approximately 751,800 jobs have been lost since the most recent peak. Florida's prime working-age population (aged 25-54) is forecast to add over 2,600 people per month, further prolonging a job market recovery. It would take the creation of approximately 1 million jobs for the same percentage of the total population to be working as was the case at the peak.

Population growth is the state's primary engine of economic growth, fueling both employment and income growth. Population growth is forecast to remain relatively flat – averaging 0.85 percent between 2011 and 2014. However, growth is expected to recover in the future – averaging 1.1 percent between 2025 and 2030. Nationally, average annual growth will be about 0.9 percent. The future will be different than the past; Florida's long-term growth rate between 1970 and 1995 was over 3 percent. Florida is on track to break the 20 million mark during 2016, becoming the third most populous state sometime before then – surpassing New York. Florida's older population (age 60 and older) will account for most of Florida's population growth, representing 55.2 percent of the gains.

Florida growth rates are gradually returning to more typical levels. But, drags are more persistent than past events. Overall, the national economy is still in recovery. The European debt crisis, tight U.S. credit restrictions, and national automatic spending cuts, will continue to have a significant bearing on the national and state economic outlook.

<u>Language Access</u> - Federal guidance requiring foreign language interpreter services to be provided to all limited English proficient (LEP) individuals participating in state court proceedings and court-managed activities may require redirection of state courts system resources to ensure these services are provided in accordance with federal requirements.

U.S. Department of Justice Assistant Attorney General Thomas E. Perez in August 2010 issued guidance for state courts regarding the foreign language interpretation and translation requirements of Title VI and the Safe Streets Act. That guidance explained that courts receiving federal financial assistance are required to provide meaningful access to all civil, criminal or administrative hearings at no charge to LEP individuals whose presence or participation is

appropriate to the court proceedings, and should also provide meaningful access to court programs or activities outside the courtroom, including language services for communication between LEP individuals and court-appointed or court managed service providers. The guidance recognized that due to funding limitations state courts may need to phase in compliance with federal requirements.

<u>American with Disabilities Act</u> - Although the Americans with Disabilities Act was enacted more than 20 years ago, significant changes in federal and state disability rights laws, regulations, and rules have been adopted in the past few years, and the United States Department of Justice and other federal agencies have stepped up enforcement of the Act and related provisions. Consequently, the need and demand for the courts to provide reasonable accommodations to persons with disabilities – whether they are judges, court employees, or court participants – are increasing.

Situations implicating the ADA arise frequently in the Florida state court system, and those numbers are expected to increase for the following reasons. First, when Congress passed the ADA Amendments Act in 2008, it made clear that the amendments were intended to extend the protections of the law to more individuals. Second, according to the U.S. Census Bureau approximately 18 percent of the United States population has a disability of some sort and 12 percent have a severe disability. Third, because age impacts the rate of disability, we can expect the number of Floridians with disabilities to increase. Fourth, elderly and disabled inmates make up an ever increasing share of the prison population, and many inmates interact with the courts on a regular basis throughout the length of their incarceration. Fifth, more and more persons are representing themselves in trial and appellate proceedings, and pro se litigants with disabilities pose unique and challenging situations. These and other legal, social, and demographic factors impact court compliance with the ADA.

<u>Foreclosures</u> - The most salient feature of the economic downturn has been the frequency of home foreclosures, which are seen as both a contributor and a result of the poor economy. For the first six months of 2012, Florida foreclosure activity increased 23 percent from the year prior. Florida also had the 2<sup>nd</sup> highest number of foreclosure filings and the 5<sup>th</sup> highest foreclosure rate

during that same period according to Realty Trac. Slightly less than half of all residential loans in Florida were for homes that were underwater. Also, according to a July 2012 Realty Trac report, there were 25,534 foreclosure properties in Florida, or 1 in every 352 housing units. Florida's troubled housing sector continues to face foreclosure challenges and it is unclear when a sustained recovery will take hold. In Florida there were 186,630 foreclosure filings in fiscal year 2011-12. The dramatic increase in foreclosure filings in recent years has created a backlog in civil cases and has necessitated additional resources to alleviate the strain on Florida's state courts. The 2012-13 State Courts System budget includes \$4 million to help address the formidable foreclosure backlog. However, the "shadow inventory", or those homes with delinquent mortgages, housing units that stand vacant, and those homes with underwater mortgages continue to be a concern and may add to the foreclosure backlog.

<u>Criminal Justice Reform</u> - A national public policy conversation is under way on the subject of "criminal justice reform." Although the dialogue encompasses many components, it focuses principally on alternatives to the traditional model of incarceration for certain lower-risk offenders. Faced with rising costs related to the construction, maintenance, and operation of state-funded prisons and locally funded jails, a number of states have enacted or are exploring policies that promote supervision within the community through electronic monitoring or other means, encourage creation of treatment programs designed to address substance abuse or mental health problems, require provision of services to prisoners to reduce recidivism upon reentry into society, and authorize flexible sentencing options for lower-risk offenders. Although Florida has adopted prescriptive sentencing policies (e.g., mandatory-minimum sentences), the state also has participated in the effort to create sentencing alternatives. Florida, for example, is a leader in the drug-court movement, with the nation's first drug court being established in Miami in 1989.

Criminal justice policy reform is among the issues being explored by the Florida Government Efficiency Task Force, which, under the State Constitution, is to meet every four years to develop recommendations for improving government operations and reducing costs. A subcommittee of the task force has recommended that the state investigate implementation of a web-based risk and needs assessment tool to be used by judges at sentencing. Another recommendation from the subcommittee is for criminal justice stakeholders to develop legislative recommendations for providing judges with increased flexibility in sentencing. Although much of the reform attention nationally is focused on sentencing issues and alternatives to incarceration, the conversation also is addressing the adjudicatory process. Specifically, the U.S. Department of Justice in 2010 launched an "Access to Justice Initiative" to increase access to counsel and legal assistance and to improve justice delivery systems for individuals who cannot afford lawyers. The National Institute of Justice is sponsoring social science research with the goal of identifying problems indigent criminal defendants encounter in securing legal representation and resources, assessing options to address the problems, and sharing evidence-based recommendations with stakeholders.

#### **Internal Conditions Affecting Florida Courts Capabilities**

<u>State Court System Budget</u> – During the 2012 legislative session, the legislature addressed the budget instability arising out of the State Court Revenue Trust Fund's reliance on volatile mortgage foreclosure filing fees. Because of its size, the general revenue fund can better withstand the variable nature of the these filing fees, so, in the end, lawmakers decided to direct the preponderance of mortgage foreclosure filing fees from the court's State Courts Revenue Trust Fund to the General Revenue Fund and then to use the General Revenue Fund as the primary funding source for the courts (for fiscal year 2012-13, the courts will be 74 percent general revenue funded and 26 percent trust funded). Their aim is to provide greater equilibrium for the courts in the coming fiscal year and to avoid the cash-flow problems that have existed the last two years.

<u>Equality and Access</u> – Access to civil justice for low-income and disadvantaged people is a critical challenge for the legal system, especially in these difficult economic times. The Legal Services Corporation (LSC) is the largest single funder of civil legal services programs for poor people in the United States. Due largely to the state of our national economy, the population eligible for LSC-funded legal services has grown dramatically in recent years. At the same time, LSC's federal funding declined from \$420 million in fiscal year 2010, to \$404 million in fiscal year 2011, to \$348 million in fiscal year 2012, a reduction of \$72 million or 17%. In inflation-adjusted dollars, LSC's current fiscal year appropriation is an all-time low for LSC funding. The

numbers of self-represented litigants have increased significantly during the past decade. In most states the majority of family law matters now include at least one unrepresented party. Some laypersons are able to prepare court documents and present their positions effectively in court, but many others are not. Their lack of knowledge of the law and its rules imposes burdens on the judges and court staff. In Florida, pro se assistance has been primarily directed toward family law matters. The Appellate Section of The Florida Bar has developed a pro se manual, as well. However, no funding has been available to support pro se assistance for small claims, probate/summary administration, and other types of civil cases where the demand is high. The courts continue to seek low-tech, low-cost solutions to advance the self-help issue in Florida

<u>Governance</u> – In February 2012, the Supreme Court issued *In Re: Implementation of Judicial Branch Governance Study Group Recommendations—Amendments to The Florida Rules of Judicial Administration*. Among the amendments adopted by the court are those that address the supreme court's authority to establish policy for the entire judicial branch; clarify and strengthen the leadership role of the chief justice and allow for needed continuity in leadership; clarify and strengthen the leadership role of the chief judges of the DCAs and trial courts; call for regular opportunities for communication between the chief justice and chief judges to discuss and provide feedback for the implementation of policies and practices with statewide impact; uniformly charter, and clarify the roles and responsibilities of, the county, circuit, and DCA judicial conferences; and reconstitute the Judicial Management Council to serve as a focused advisory body to assist the chief justice and the supreme court in identifying trends, potential crisis situations, and strategies for addressing them.

Although the rule changes became effective immediately in February, the Supreme Court gave interested parties 60 days from the date of the opinion to file comments. The court received numerous comments and held oral argument on September 5th. These amendments, the opinion emphasizes, "are intended to strengthen the governance and policy development structures of the Florida judicial branch, improve the effective and efficient management of the branch, and enhance communication within the branch."

Technology – For many years the Florida Courts Technology Commission, and a predecessor Trial Courts Technology Committee, have addressed a myriad of issues related to the improvement of technology in the courts system, ranging from the access to court records to statewide standards for the development of systems. The Commission continues to devote considerable time and effort to governance of court technology, including implementation of statewide e-filing. The electronic transmission and storage of court records offers a quantitative leap forward in terms of both speed and cost. The E-Portal is a statewide access point for electronic access and transmission of court records to and from the Florida courts. All filers of court records, whether lawyers or non-lawyers, will use the E-Portal for secure electronic access to all courts. Electronic filing commenced through the statewide E-Portal on January 1, 2011. As of April 30, 2012, more than 65,000 cases and 89,000 documents had been filed through the statewide E-Portal. As the number of counties connecting to the E-Portal increases, the Florida Courts E-Filing Authority will continue to work in close coordination with the Florida Courts Technology Commission to ensure that the statewide E-Portal is developed in accordance with court system standards and rules.

As electronic filing is implemented, judges will need to have the ability to view and process electronic records effectively and efficiently. A judicial viewer is needed to facilitate the use of electronic documents shared between the courts and clerks allowing for increased courtroom efficiency by eliminating paper based interaction between court and clerk personnel. The courts and clerks are working together under the oversight of the Florida Courts Technology Commission and the Supreme Court to develop implementation plans for making judicial viewers available throughout the state.

The Trial Court Integrated Management System Project (TIMS) is being developed to provide an automated solution to address certain major needs of the trial courts and to advance the goals and strategies of the Long-Range Strategic Plan of the Florida Judicial Branch. The project addresses the automation of two major trial court functions: 1) case processing and 2) performance monitoring. The project also addresses six sub-functions under case processing: 1) case intake, 2) document management, 3) case management, 4) case scheduling, 5) court proceedings, and 6) resource management. Over the years, there have been a significant number

of research projects, reports, and other documentation pertaining to the need for automation in the trial courts. However, it has been very difficult for the State Courts System to develop technology platforms that transcend counties or circuits and/or provide uniform information throughout the state. Full implementation of TIMS will be incremental and may take several years.

The software solution eFACTS (Electronic Florida Appellate Courts Technology Solution) is being developed to provide a consolidated, collaborative, electronic document management and workflow solution for the Florida appellate courts using Microsoft SharePoint. The solution functionality includes case management, electronic document management, voting and other electronic workflows, secured remote access, integration with the statewide portal, capture of documents, document full text search capability, and support for automated redaction. The second phase includes conversion of the current case management databases into the new platform, as well as conversion of existing reports and online dockets; oral argument and court conference calendars, assignment tracking and ticklers; and expansion of document templates for orders and other out bound documents. Modifications to eFACTS will continue, as needed, to support electronic filing, electronic records, and automated redaction.

# Judicial Branch State Courts System

Performance Measures and Standards LRPP Exhibit II

Department: STATE COURTS SYSTEM	Department No: 22
Program: Supreme Court	Code: 22010000
Service/Budget Entity: Court Operations – Supreme Court	Code: 22010100

#### Note: Approved primary service outcomes must be listed first.

Approved Performance Measures for FY 2012-13 (Words)	Approved <b>Prior</b> Year Standard <b>FY 2011-12</b> (Numbers)	Prior Year Actual FY 2011-12 (Numbers)	Approved Standards for FY 2012-13 (Numbers)	Requested FY 2013-14 Standard (Numbers)
Clearance rate (all case types)	Indeterminate	86.3%	100.0%	100.0%
Number of cases disposed (all case types)	Indeterminate	2,333	2,509	2,333
Percent of initial death penalty appeal cases disposed within 2 years of filing	Indeterminate	12.5%	16.7%	12.5%
Percent of initial death penalty appeal cases disposed within 365 days of conference/oral argument date	Indeterminate	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Clearance rate for initial death penalty appeals	Indeterminate	94.1%	100.0%	100.0%
Number of initial death penalty appeal cases disposed	Indeterminate	16	12	16
Percent of post-conviction death penalty cases disposed within 365 days of filing	Indeterminate	49.4%	32.2%	49.4%
Clearance rate for post-conviction death penalty cases	Indeterminate	90.8%	100.0%	100.0%
Number of post-conviction death penalty cases disposed	Indeterminate	89	59	89
Percent of other mandatory review jurisdiction cases disposed within 365 days of filing	Indeterminate	86.2%	91.7%	86.2%
Clearance rate for other mandatory review jurisdiction cases	Indeterminate	98.5%	100.0%	100.0%
Number of other mandatory review jurisdiction cases disposed	Indeterminate	65	60	65

Approved Performance Measures for FY 2012-13 (Words) Percent of discretionary review jurisdiction cases disposed	Approved <b>Prior</b> Year Standard <b>FY 2011-12</b> (Numbers)	Prior Year Actual FY 2011-12 (Numbers)	Approved Standards for FY 2012-13 (Numbers)	Requested FY 2013-14 Standard (Numbers)
within 365 days of filing	Indeterminate	87.7%	92.1%	87.7%
Clearance rate for discretionary review jurisdiction cases	Indeterminate	77.8%	100.0%	100.0%
Number of discretionary review jurisdiction cases disposed	Indeterminate	900	948	900
Percent of non-death penalty original writ petition cases disposed within 365 days of filing	Indeterminate	99.3%	99.7%	99.3%
Clearance rate for non-death penalty original writ petition cases	Indeterminate	85.9%	100.0%	100.0%
Number of non-death penalty original writ petition cases disposed	Indeterminate	723	889	723
Percent of Florida Bar cases disposed within 365 days of filing	Indeterminate	86.3%	85.7%	86.3%
Clearance rate for Florida Bar cases	Indeterminate	107.1%	100.0%	100.0%
Number of Florida Bar cases disposed	Indeterminate	409	414	409
Percent of other original jurisdiction cases disposed within 365 days of filing	Indeterminate	87.8%	92.1%	87.8%
Clearance rate for other original jurisdiction cases	Indeterminate	92.9%	100.0%	100.0%
Number of other original jurisdiction cases disposed	Indeterminate	131	127	131
Number of cases supported	Indeterminate	3,808	3,540	3,808
Number of cases maintained	Indeterminate	3,808	3,540	3,808
Square footage secured	196,710	196,710	196,710	196,710
Square footage maintained	196,710	196,710	196,710	196,710

Notes:

1. Statistics may fluctuate significantly from year to year due to many factors. The severity of the fluctuations is greater in the case types with low volume.

2. The "Clearance Rate" is a calculation of the number of cases disposed divided by the number of cases filed in the same year. The clearance rate has a reasonable ease

of calculation, is a useful measure of the responsiveness of a court to the demand for services, and is nationally recognized as a measure of court performance.

3. Columns labeled as "Approved" standards provide the final legislatively approved figures for the budget year identified.

4. The "Requested FY 2013-14" column corresponds to the official Judicial Branch Legislative Budget Request for FY 2013-14 and does not represent a goal for the court. It is simply an estimate of the amount of activity expected to occur during FY 2013-14. In addition, the clearance rates for "Requested FY 2013-14" are set to 100.0%.

5. Substantial delay is caused in initial death penalty appeals by difficulties in getting transcripts prepared due to lack of resources at the trial court level.

6. Florida Bar cases are referred to a referee for findings of fact and recommendations on legal issues. Pending case time includes the time the matter is pending before the referee.

Department: STATE COURTS SYSTEM	Department No: 22

Program: Supreme Court	Code: 22010000
Service/Budget Entity: Executive Direction and Support Services	Code: 22010200

#### Note: Approved primary service outcomes must be listed first.

Approved Performance Measures for FY 2012-13 (Words)	Approved <b>Prior</b> Year Standard <b>FY 2011-12</b> (Numbers)	Prior Year Actual FY 2011-12 (Numbers)	Approved Standards for FY 2012-13 (Numbers)	Requested FY 2013-14 Standard (Numbers)
Percent of administrative costs compared to total state courts system costs Percent of administrative positions compared to total state courts system	Indeterminate Indeterminate	2.8% 4.3%	2.5% 2.3%	<u>2.8%</u> 4.1%
positions Number of judicial and court staff education contact hours	Indeterminate	68,275	77,084	
Number of professionals certified	Indeterminate	3,170	3,505	71,356 3,208
Number of cases analyzed	Indeterminate	43,299	41,464	42,714
Number of analyses conducted	Indeterminate	15,774	11,574	16,250

Notes:

1. Statistics may fluctuate significantly from year to year due to many factors. The severity of the fluctuations is greater in the case types with low volume.

2. Columns labeled as "Approved" standards provide the final legislatively approved figures for the budget year identified.

3. The "Requested FY 2013-14" column corresponds to the official Judicial Branch Legislative Budget Request for FY 2013-14 and does not represent a goal for the court. It is simply an estimate of the amount of activity expected to occur during FY 2013-14.

Department: STATE COURTS SYSTEM	Department No: 22

Program: District Courts of Appeal	Code: 22010000
Service/Budget Entity: Appellate Courts	Code: 22100600

#### Note: Approved primary service outcomes must be listed first.

	Approved <b>Prior</b> Year Standard	<b>Prior</b> Year Actual	<b>Approved</b> Standards for	Requested FY 2013-14
Approved Performance Measures for FY 2012-13	FY 2011-12	FY 2011-12	FY 2012-13	Standard
(Words)	(Numbers)	(Numbers)	(Numbers)	(Numbers)
Clearance rate (all case types)	Indeterminate	98.6%	98.6%	99.2%
Number of cases disposed (all case types)	Indeterminate	26,447	26,100	26,447
Median number of days from filing criminal appeals to disposition	Indeterminate	247	244	247
Median number of days from filing of criminal petitions to disposition	Indeterminate	43	45	43
Clearance rate for criminal appeals and petitions	Indeterminate	93.5%	99.9%	97.3%
Percent of criminal appeals and petitions cases disposed within 180 days of oral argument or conference	Indeterminate	98.2%	98.1%	98.4%
Median number of days from filing of non-criminal appeals to disposition	Indeterminate	226	214	226
Median number of days from filing of non-criminal petitions to disposition	Indeterminate	70	65	70
Clearance rate for non-criminal appeals and petitions	Indeterminate	106.7%	96.7%	102.2%
Percent of non-criminal appeals and petitions cases disposed within 180 days of oral argument or conference	Indeterminate	96.3%	96.6%	96.7%
Number of records maintained	Indeterminate	44,349	43,331	44,349
Number of employees administered	Indeterminate	413.5	413.5	414.5
Square footage secured	1,334,712	1,334,712	1,334,712	1,334,712
Square footage maintained	1,334,712	1,334,712	1,334,712	1,334,712

Notes:

1. Statistics may fluctuate significantly from year to year due to many factors. The severity of the fluctuations is greater in the case types with low volume.

2. The "Clearance Rate" is a calculation of the number of cases disposed divided by the number of cases filed in the same year. The clearance rate has a reasonable ease of calculation, is a useful measure of the responsiveness of a court to the demand for services, and is nationally recognized as a measure of court performance.

3. Columns labeled as "Approved" standards provide the final legislatively approved figures for the budget year identified.

4. The clearance rates requested for FY 2013-14 are based upon the average clearance rates for FY 2010-11 and FY 2011-12. The median number of days from filing of criminal appeals to disposition increased from 192 in FY 2005-06 to 247 in FY 2011-12 primarily due to the lack of district court resources (i.e., staff attorneys and central legal staff) available to support the judges in disposing of post conviction appeals.

5. The "Requested FY 2013-14" column corresponds to the official Judicial Branch Legislative Budget Request for FY 2013-14 and does not represent a goal for the court. It is simply an estimate of the amount of activity expected to occur during FY 2013-14.

Department: STATE COURTS SYSTEM	Department No: 22	
Program: Trial Courts	Code: 22300000	
Service/Budget Entity: Court Operations – Trial Courts	Code: 22300100	

#### Note: Approved primary service outcomes must be listed first.

	Approved			
	Prior Year	Prior Year	Approved	Requested
	Standard	Actual	Standards for	FY 2013-14
Approved Performance Measures for FY 2012-13	FY 2011-12	FY 2011-12	FY 2012-13	Standard
(Words)	(Numbers)	(Numbers)	(Numbers)	(Numbers)
Clearance rate (all case types)	Indeterminate	99.0%	96.5%	100.2%
Number of cases disposed (all case types)	Indeterminate	3,687,064	3,588,141	3,549,910
Clearance rate for circuit – criminal	Indeterminate	95.8%	100.0%	100.0%
Number of circuit – criminal cases disposed	Indeterminate	180,543	212,674	192,028
Clearance rate for circuit – general civil	Indeterminate	101.3%	81.9%	131.2%
Number of circuit – general civil cases disposed	Indeterminate	308,132	143,337	258,889
Clearance rate for circuit – domestic relations	Indeterminate	99.2%	100.0%	100.0%
Number of circuit – domestic relations cases disposed	Indeterminate	262,460	279,635	258,192
Clearance rate for circuit – probate and guardianship	Indeterminate	96.4%	100.0%	100.0%
Number of circuit – probate and guardianship cases disposed	Indeterminate	97,856	100,667	98,762
Clearance rate for circuit – juvenile delinquency	Indeterminate	110.4%	100.0%	100.0%
Number of circuit – juvenile delinquency cases disposed	Indeterminate	52,913	59,519	53,558
Clearance rate for circuit – juvenile dependency	Indeterminate	91.5%	100.0%	100.0%
Number of circuit – juvenile dependency cases disposed	Indeterminate	8,859	14,802	9,322
Number of employees administered	Indeterminate	3,274	3,712	3,479
Number of jurors who serve	NA	NA	NA	NA
Percent of administrative costs compared to total trial court costs	Indeterminate	6.5%	5.9%	6.0%
Number of hours reported or recorded (court reporting)	Indeterminate	563,296	626,709	592,968
Number of evaluations completed (competency and other)	Indeterminate	16,757	15,890	16,824
Number of interpreting events	Indeterminate	367,959	444,013	553,043
Number of family sessions mediated	Indeterminate	24,340	24,861	25,175
Number of county court sessions mediated	Indeterminate	33,969	35,691	34,105
Number of magistrate hearings docketed	Indeterminate	TBD	TBD	TBD
Number of child support hearing officer hearings docketed	Indeterminate	159,182	187,120	169,204
Number of traffic infraction hearing officer hearings docketed	Indeterminate	TBD	TBD	TBD

Approved Performance Measures for FY 2012-13 (Words)	Approved <b>Prior</b> Year Standard <b>FY 2011-12</b> (Numbers)	<b>Prior</b> Year Actual <b>FY 2011-12</b> (Numbers)	Approved Standards for FY 2012-13 (Numbers)	Requested FY 2013-14 Standard (Numbers)
Clearance rate for county – criminal	Indeterminate	93.7%	95.6%	95.4%
Number of county – criminal cases disposed	Indeterminate	741,094	899,380	807,853
Clearance rate for county – civil	Indeterminate	97.1%	95.2%	96.4%
Number of county – civil cases disposed	Indeterminate	463,608	448,638	453,258
Clearance rate for county – civil traffic	Indeterminate	102.1%	97.7%	97.7%
Number of county – civil traffic cases disposed	Indeterminate	1,571,599	1,429,489	1,417,048

Notes:

1. Requesting the Approved Performance Measure, "Number of jurors who serve," is removed from Court Operations – Trial Courts. The budget related to this measure has been moved to the Clerks of Court.

2. Statistics may fluctuate significantly from year to year due to many factors. The severity of the fluctuations is greater in the case types with low volume.

3. The "Clearance Rate" is a calculation of the number of cases disposed divided by the number of cases filed in the same year. The clearance rate has a reasonable ease of calculation, is a useful measure of the responsiveness of a court to the demand for services, and is nationally recognized as a measure of court performance.

4. It is often impossible for county courts to reach a "Clearance Rate" of 100.0% due to factors such as defendants failing to appear, civil proceeding participants not following through after filings, etc.

5. At this point in time, all data are not available for trial court activity in FY 2011-12. Therefore, the "Prior Year Actual FY 2011-12" statistics are estimates based on the most available data.

6. Columns labeled as "Approved" standards provide the final legislatively approved figures for the budget year identified.

7. The "Requested FY 2013-14" column corresponds to the official Judicial Branch Legislative Budget Request for FY 2013-14 and does not represent a goal for the court. It is simply an estimate of the amount of activity expected to occur during FY 2013-14.

Department: STATE COURT SYSTEM	Department No: 22	
Program: Judicial Qualifications Commission	Code: 22350000	
Service/Budget Entity: Judicial Qualifications Commission Operations	Code: 22350100	

#### Note: Approved primary service outcomes must be listed first.

Approved Performance Measures for FY 2012-13 (Words)	Approved <b>Prior</b> Year Standard <b>FY 2011-12</b> (Numbers)	Prior Year Actual FY 2011-12 (Numbers)	Approved Standards for FY 2012-13 (Numbers)	<b>Requested</b> <b>FY 2013-14</b> Standard (Numbers)
Clearance rate	100.0%	98.7%	100.0%	100.0%
Number of complaints disposed	648	589	617	587

Notes:

1. Statistics may fluctuate significantly from year to year due to many factors. The severity of the fluctuations is greater in the case types with low volume.

2. The "Clearance Rate" is a calculation of the number of cases disposed divided by the number of cases filed in the same year. The clearance rate has a reasonable ease of calculation, is a useful measure of the responsiveness of a court to the demand for services, and is nationally recognized as a measure of court performance.

3. Columns labeled as "Approved" standards provide the final legislatively approved figures for the budget year identified.

4. The "Requested FY 2013-14" column corresponds to the official Judicial Branch Legislative Budget Request for FY 2013-14 and does not represent a goal. It is simply an estimate of the amount of activity expected to occur during FY 2013-14.

5. The "Requested FY 2013-14" clearance rate is set at 100.0%.

# Judicial Branch State Courts System

Assessment of Performance for Approved Performance Measures LRPP Exhibit III

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT					
Department: State Courts System Program: Supreme Court Service/Budget Entity: Court Operations – Supreme Court Measure: Clearance rate (all case types)					
Action:    Performance Assessment of Outcome Measure    Performance Assessment of Output Measure    Adjustment of GAA Performance Standards					
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference		
Indeterminate	86.3%	NA	NA		
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.					
External Factors (check all that apply):					
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable    Office of Policy and Budget – July 2012					

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT					
Department: State Courts System Program: Supreme Court Service/Budget Entity: Court Operations – Supreme Court Measure: Number of cases disposed (all case types)					
Performance Ass	sessment of <u>Outcome</u> sessment of <u>Output</u> N AA Performance Star	leasure 🗌 Dele	ision of Measure etion of Measure		
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference		
Indeterminate	2,333	NA	NA		
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.					
External Factors (check all that apply):  Technological Problems    Resources Unavailable  Natural Disaster    Legal/Legislative Change  Natural Disaster    Target Population Change  Other (Identify)    This Program/Service Cannot Fix The Problem    Current Laws Are Working Against The Agency Mission    Explanation:    Not Applicable					
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable					

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT				
Department: State Courts System Program: Supreme Court Service/Budget Entity: Court Operations – Supreme Court Measure: Percent of initial death penalty appeal cases disposed within 2 years of filing				
Performance Ass	sessment of <u>Outcome</u> sessment of <u>Output</u> M AA Performance Star	leasure 🗌 Dele	ision of Measure etion of Measure	
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference	
Indeterminate	12.5%	NA	NA	
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.				
External Factors (check all that apply):  Technological Problems    Resources Unavailable  Technological Problems    Legal/Legislative Change  Natural Disaster    Target Population Change  Other (Identify)    This Program/Service Cannot Fix The Problem    Current Laws Are Working Against The Agency Mission    Explanation:    Not Applicable				
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable				

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT				
Department:  State Courts System    Program:  Supreme Court    Service/Budget Entity:  Court Operations – Supreme Court    Measure:  Percent of initial death penalty appeal cases disposed within 365    days of conference/oral argument date    Action:    Performance Assessment of Outcome Measure    Performance Assessment of Output Measure    Deletion of Measure    Adjustment of GAA Performance Standards				
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference	
Indeterminate	100.0%	NA	NA	
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.				
External Factors (check all that apply):				
Not Applicable    Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable				

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT					
Department: State Courts System Program: Supreme Court Service/Budget Entity: Court Operations – Supreme Court Measure: Clearance rate for initial death penalty appeals					
Performance Ass	sessment of <u>Outcome</u> sessment of <u>Output</u> N AA Performance Star	leasure 🗌 Dele	ision of Measure ation of Measure		
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference		
Indeterminate	94.1%	NA	NA		
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.					
External Factors (check all that apply):    Resources Unavailable  Technological Problems    Legal/Legislative Change  Natural Disaster    Target Population Change  Other (Identify)    This Program/Service Cannot Fix The Problem    Current Laws Are Working Against The Agency Mission    Explanation:    Not Applicable					
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable    Office of Policy and Budget – July 2012					

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT					
Department: State Courts System Program: Supreme Court Service/Budget Entity: Court Operations – Supreme Court Measure: Number of initial death penalty appeal cases disposed					
Performance Ass	sessment of <u>Outcome</u> sessment of <u>Output</u> N AA Performance Star	leasure 🗌 Dele	ision of Measure ation of Measure		
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference		
Indeterminate	16	NA	NA		
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.					
External Factors (check all that apply):    Resources Unavailable  Technological Problems    Legal/Legislative Change  Natural Disaster    Target Population Change  Other (Identify)    This Program/Service Cannot Fix The Problem    Current Laws Are Working Against The Agency Mission    Explanation:    Not Applicable					
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable    Office of Policy and Budget – July 2012					

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT				
Department:  State Courts System    Program:  Supreme Court    Service/Budget Entity:  Court Operations – Supreme Court    Measure:  Percent of postconviction death penalty cases disposed within    365 days of filing    Action:    Performance Assessment of Outcome Measure    Performance Assessment of Output Measure    Deletion of Measure				
Approved Standard	A Performance Star Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference	
Indeterminate	49.4%	NA	NA	
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.				
External Factors (check all that apply):				
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable				

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT					
Department: State Courts System Program: Supreme Court Service/Budget Entity: Court Operations – Supreme Court Measure: Clearance rate for postconviction death penalty cases					
Performance Ass	sessment of <u>Outcome</u> sessment of <u>Output</u> N AA Performance Star	leasure 🗍 Dele	ision of Measure ation of Measure		
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference		
Indeterminate	90.8%	NA	NA		
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.					
External Factors (check all that apply):    Resources Unavailable  Technological Problems    Legal/Legislative Change  Natural Disaster    Target Population Change  Other (Identify)    This Program/Service Cannot Fix The Problem    Current Laws Are Working Against The Agency Mission    Explanation:    Not Applicable					
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable    Office of Policy and Budget – July 2012					

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT					
Department: State Courts System Program: Supreme Court Service/Budget Entity: Court Operations – Supreme Court Measure: Number of postconviction death penalty cases disposed					
Performance Ass	sessment of <u>Outcome</u> sessment of <u>Output</u> N AA Performance Star	leasure 🗌 Dele	ision of Measure ation of Measure		
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference		
Indeterminate	89	NA	NA		
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.					
External Factors (check all that apply):    Resources Unavailable  Technological Problems    Legal/Legislative Change  Natural Disaster    Target Population Change  Other (Identify)    This Program/Service Cannot Fix The Problem    Current Laws Are Working Against The Agency Mission    Explanation:    Not Applicable					
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable    Office of Policy and Budget – July 2012					

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT				
Department: State Courts System Program: Supreme Court Service/Budget Entity: Court Operations – Supreme Court Measure: Percent of other mandatory review jurisdiction cases disposed within 365 days of filing				
Performance Ass	sessment of <u>Outcome</u> sessment of <u>Output</u> N AA Performance Star	leasure 🗌 Dele	ision of Measure ation of Measure	
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference	
Indeterminate	86.2%	NA	NA	
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.				
External Factors (check all that apply):  Technological Problems    Resources Unavailable  Natural Disaster    Legal/Legislative Change  Natural Disaster    Target Population Change  Other (Identify)    This Program/Service Cannot Fix The Problem    Current Laws Are Working Against The Agency Mission    Explanation:    Not Applicable				
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable				

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT					
Department: State Courts System Program: Supreme Court Service/Budget Entity: Court Operations – Supreme Court Measure: Clearance rate for other mandatory review jurisdiction cases					
Performance Ass	sessment of <u>Outcome</u> sessment of <u>Output</u> N AA Performance Star	leasure 🗌 Dele	ision of Measure etion of Measure		
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference		
Indeterminate	98.5%	NA	NA		
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.					
External Factors (check all that apply):    Resources Unavailable  Technological Problems    Legal/Legislative Change  Natural Disaster    Target Population Change  Other (Identify)    This Program/Service Cannot Fix The Problem    Current Laws Are Working Against The Agency Mission    Explanation:    Not Applicable					
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable					

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT					
Department: State Courts System Program: Supreme Court Service/Budget Entity: Court Operations – Supreme Court Measure: Number of other mandatory review jurisdiction cases disposed					
Performance Ass	sessment of <u>Outcome</u> sessment of <u>Output</u> N AA Performance Star	leasure 🗌 Dele	ision of Measure ation of Measure		
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference		
Indeterminate	65	NA	NA		
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.					
External Factors (check all that apply):    Resources Unavailable  Technological Problems    Legal/Legislative Change  Natural Disaster    Target Population Change  Other (Identify)    This Program/Service Cannot Fix The Problem    Current Laws Are Working Against The Agency Mission    Explanation:    Not Applicable					
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable					

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT				
Department:  State Courts System    Program:  Supreme Court    Service/Budget Entity:  Court Operations – Supreme Court    Measure:  Percent of discretionary review jurisdiction cases disposed with    365 days of filing    Action:    Performance Assessment of Outcome Measure    Performance Assessment of Output Measure    Deletion of Measure    Adjustment of GAA Performance Standards				
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference	
Indeterminate	87.7%	NA	NA	
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.				
External Factors (check all that apply):				
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable				

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT				
Department: State Courts System Program: Supreme Court Service/Budget Entity: Court Operations – Supreme Court Measure: Clearance rate for discretionary review jurisdiction cases				
Performance Ass	sessment of <u>Outcome</u> sessment of <u>Output</u> N AA Performance Star	leasure 🗌 Dele	ision of Measure etion of Measure	
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference	
Indeterminate	77.8%	NA	NA	
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.				
External Factors (check all that apply):    Resources Unavailable  Technological Problems    Legal/Legislative Change  Natural Disaster    Target Population Change  Other (Identify)    This Program/Service Cannot Fix The Problem    Current Laws Are Working Against The Agency Mission    Explanation:    Not Applicable				
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable    Office of Policy and Budget – July 2012				

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT					
Department: State Courts System Program: Supreme Court Service/Budget Entity: Court Operations – Supreme Court Measure: Number of discretionary review jurisdiction cases disposed					
Performance Ass	essment of <u>Outcome</u> essment of <u>Output</u> N A Performance Star	leasure 🗌 Dele	ision of Measure ation of Measure		
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference		
Indeterminate	900	NA	NA		
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.					
External Factors (check all that apply):    Resources Unavailable  Technological Problems    Legal/Legislative Change  Natural Disaster    Target Population Change  Other (Identify)    This Program/Service Cannot Fix The Problem  Other (Identify)    Current Laws Are Working Against The Agency Mission  Explanation:    Not Applicable  Not Applicable					
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable					

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT				
Department:  State Courts System    Program:  Supreme Court    Service/Budget Entity:  Court Operations – Supreme Court    Measure:  Percent of non-death penalty original writ petition cases    disposed within 365 days of filing    Action:    Performance Assessment of Outcome Measure    Performance Assessment of Output Measure    Deletion of Measure    Adjustment of GAA Performance Standards				
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference	
Indeterminate	99.3%	NA	NA	
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.				
External Factors (check all that apply):    Resources Unavailable  Technological Problems    Legal/Legislative Change  Natural Disaster    Target Population Change  Other (Identify)    This Program/Service Cannot Fix The Problem    Current Laws Are Working Against The Agency Mission    Explanation:    Not Applicable				
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable				

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT					
Department: State Courts System Program: Supreme Court Service/Budget Entity: Court Operations – Supreme Court Measure: Clearance rate for non-death penalty original writ petition cases					
Performance Ass	sessment of <u>Outcome</u> sessment of <u>Output</u> N AA Performance Star	leasure 🔲 Dele	ision of Measure ation of Measure		
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference		
Indeterminate	85.9%	NA	NA		
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.					
External Factors (check all that apply):    Resources Unavailable  Technological Problems    Legal/Legislative Change  Natural Disaster    Target Population Change  Other (Identify)    This Program/Service Cannot Fix The Problem    Current Laws Are Working Against The Agency Mission    Explanation:    Not Applicable					
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable					

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT				
Department: State Courts System Program: Supreme Court Service/Budget Entity: Court Operations – Supreme Court Measure: Number of non-death penalty original writ petition cases disposed				
Performance Ass	sessment of <u>Outcome</u> sessment of <u>Output</u> M AA Performance Star	leasure 🗍 Dele	ision of Measure ation of Measure	
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference	
Indeterminate	723	NA	NA	
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.				
External Factors (check all that apply):  Technological Problems    Resources Unavailable  Natural Disaster    Legal/Legislative Change  Natural Disaster    Target Population Change  Other (Identify)    This Program/Service Cannot Fix The Problem    Current Laws Are Working Against The Agency Mission    Explanation:    Not Applicable				
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable				

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT					
Department: State Courts System Program: Supreme Court Service/Budget Entity: Court Operations – Supreme Court Measure: Percent of Florida Bar cases disposed within 365 days of filing					
Performance Ass	sessment of <u>Outcome</u> sessment of <u>Output</u> N AA Performance Star	leasure 🗌 Dele	ision of Measure etion of Measure		
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference		
Indeterminate	86.3%	NA	NA		
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.					
External Factors (check all that apply):    Resources Unavailable  Technological Problems    Legal/Legislative Change  Natural Disaster    Target Population Change  Other (Identify)    This Program/Service Cannot Fix The Problem    Current Laws Are Working Against The Agency Mission    Explanation:    Not Applicable					
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable					

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT				
Department: State Courts System Program: Supreme Court Service/Budget Entity: Court Operations – Supreme Court Measure: Clearance rate for Florida Bar cases				
Performance Ass	sessment of <u>Outcome</u> sessment of <u>Output</u> N AA Performance Star	leasure 🗌 Dele	ision of Measure ation of Measure	
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference	
Indeterminate	107.1%	NA	NA	
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.				
External Factors (check all that apply):  Technological Problems    Resources Unavailable  Natural Disaster    Legal/Legislative Change  Natural Disaster    Target Population Change  Other (Identify)    This Program/Service Cannot Fix The Problem    Current Laws Are Working Against The Agency Mission    Explanation:    Not Applicable				
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable    Office of Policy and Budget – July 2012				

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT				
Department: State Courts System Program: Supreme Court Service/Budget Entity: Court Operations – Supreme Court Measure: Number of Florida Bar cases disposed				
Performance Ass	sessment of <u>Outcome</u> sessment of <u>Output</u> N AA Performance Star	leasure 🗌 Dele	ision of Measure ation of Measure	
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference	
Indeterminate	409	NA	NA	
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.				
External Factors (check all that apply):    Resources Unavailable  Technological Problems    Legal/Legislative Change  Natural Disaster    Target Population Change  Other (Identify)    This Program/Service Cannot Fix The Problem    Current Laws Are Working Against The Agency Mission    Explanation:    Not Applicable				
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable    Office of Policy and Budget – July 2012				

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LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT					
Department: State Courts System Program: Supreme Court Service/Budget Entity: Court Operations – Supreme Court Measure: Percent of other original jurisdiction cases disposed within 365 days of filing					
Performance Ass	sessment of <u>Outcome</u> sessment of <u>Output</u> M AA Performance Star	leasure 🗌 Dele	ision of Measure ation of Measure		
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference		
Indeterminate	87.8%	NA	NA		
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.					
External Factors (check all that apply):    Resources Unavailable  Technological Problems    Legal/Legislative Change  Natural Disaster    Target Population Change  Other (Identify)    This Program/Service Cannot Fix The Problem    Current Laws Are Working Against The Agency Mission    Explanation:    Not Applicable					
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable    Office of Policy and Budget – July 2012					

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LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT				
Department: State Courts System Program: Supreme Court Service/Budget Entity: Court Operations – Supreme Court Measure: Clearance rate for other original jurisdiction cases				
Performance Ass	sessment of <u>Outcome</u> sessment of <u>Output</u> N AA Performance Star	leasure 🗌 Dele	ision of Measure ation of Measure	
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference	
Indeterminate	92.9%	NA	NA	
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.				
External Factors (check all that apply):    Resources Unavailable  Technological Problems    Legal/Legislative Change  Natural Disaster    Target Population Change  Other (Identify)    This Program/Service Cannot Fix The Problem    Current Laws Are Working Against The Agency Mission    Explanation:    Not Applicable				
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable    Office of Policy and Budget – July 2012				

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT				
Department: State Courts System Program: Supreme Court Service/Budget Entity: Court Operations – Supreme Court Measure: Number of other original jurisdiction cases disposed				
Performance Ass	sessment of <u>Outcome</u> sessment of <u>Output</u> N AA Performance Star	leasure 🔲 Dele	ision of Measure etion of Measure	
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference	
Indeterminate	131	NA	NA	
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.				
External Factors (check all that apply):    Resources Unavailable  Technological Problems    Legal/Legislative Change  Natural Disaster    Target Population Change  Other (Identify)    This Program/Service Cannot Fix The Problem    Current Laws Are Working Against The Agency Mission    Explanation:    Not Applicable				
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable    Office of Policy and Budget – July 2012				

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT				
Department: State Courts System Program: Supreme Court Service/Budget Entity: Court Operations – Supreme Court Measure: Number of cases supported				
Performance Ass	sessment of <u>Outcome</u> sessment of <u>Output</u> N A Performance Star	leasure 🗌 Dele	ision of Measure etion of Measure	
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference	
Indeterminate	3,808	NA	NA	
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.				
External Factors (check all that apply):  Technological Problems    Resources Unavailable  Natural Disaster    Legal/Legislative Change  Natural Disaster    Target Population Change  Other (Identify)    This Program/Service Cannot Fix The Problem    Current Laws Are Working Against The Agency Mission    Explanation:    Not Applicable				
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable    Office of Policy and Budget – July 2012				

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT				
Department: State Courts System Program: Supreme Court Service/Budget Entity: Court Operations – Supreme Court Measure: Number of records maintained				
Performance Ass	sessment of <u>Outcome</u> sessment of <u>Output</u> N A Performance Star	leasure 🗌 Dele	ision of Measure etion of Measure	
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference	
Indeterminate	3,808	NA	NA	
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.				
External Factors (check all that apply):				
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable    Office of Policy and Budget – July 2012				

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT					
Department: State Courts System Program: Supreme Court Service/Budget Entity: Executive Direction and Support Services Measure: Percent of administrative costs compared to total state courts system costs Action:					
Performance Ass	sessment of <u>Outcome</u> sessment of <u>Output</u> M AA Performance Star	leasure 🗌 Dele	ision of Measure etion of Measure		
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference		
Indeterminate	2.8%	NA	NA		
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.					
External Factors (check all that apply):  Technological Problems    Resources Unavailable  Natural Disaster    Legal/Legislative Change  Natural Disaster    Target Population Change  Other (Identify)    This Program/Service Cannot Fix The Problem    Current Laws Are Working Against The Agency Mission    Explanation:    Not Applicable					
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable					

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT				
Department:  State Courts System    Program:  Supreme Court    Service/Budget Entity:  Executive Direction and Support Services    Measure:  Percent of administrative positions compared to total state    courts system positions  Courts system positions    Action:  Performance Assessment of Outcome Measure  Revision of Measure    Performance Assessment of Output Measure  Deletion of Measure    Adjustment of GAA Performance Standards  Deletion of Measure				
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference	
Indeterminate	4.3%	NA	NA	
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.				
External Factors (check all that apply):    Resources Unavailable  Technological Problems    Legal/Legislative Change  Natural Disaster    Target Population Change  Other (Identify)    This Program/Service Cannot Fix The Problem    Current Laws Are Working Against The Agency Mission    Explanation:    Not Applicable				
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable    Office of Policy and Budget – July 2012				

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LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT					
Department: State Courts System Program: Supreme Court Service/Budget Entity: Executive Direction and Support Services Measure: Number of judicial and court staff education contact hours					
Performance Ass	sessment of <u>Outcome</u> sessment of <u>Output</u> N AA Performance Star	leasure 🗌 Dele	ision of Measure etion of Measure		
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference		
Indeterminate	68,275	NA	NA		
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.					
External Factors (check all that apply):    Resources Unavailable  Technological Problems    Legal/Legislative Change  Natural Disaster    Target Population Change  Other (Identify)    This Program/Service Cannot Fix The Problem    Current Laws Are Working Against The Agency Mission    Explanation:    Not Applicable					
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable    Office of Policy and Budget – July 2012					

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT				
Department: State Courts System Program: Supreme Court Service/Budget Entity: Executive Direction and Support Services Measure: Number of professionals certified				
Performance Ass	sessment of <u>Outcome</u> sessment of <u>Output</u> N AA Performance Star	leasure 🗌 Dele	ision of Measure etion of Measure	
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference	
Indeterminate	3,170	NA	NA	
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.				
External Factors (check all that apply):    Resources Unavailable  Technological Problems    Legal/Legislative Change  Natural Disaster    Target Population Change  Other (Identify)    This Program/Service Cannot Fix The Problem    Current Laws Are Working Against The Agency Mission    Explanation:    Not Applicable				
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable    Office of Policy and Budget – July 2012				

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LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT					
Department: State Courts System Program: Supreme Court Service/Budget Entity: Executive Direction and Support Services Measure: Number of cases analyzed					
Performance Ass	sessment of <u>Outcome</u> sessment of <u>Output</u> N AA Performance Star	leasure 🗌 Dele	ision of Measure ation of Measure		
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference		
Indeterminate	43,299	NA	NA		
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.					
External Factors (check all that apply):					
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable    Office of Policy and Budget – July 2012					

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT					
Department: State Courts System Program: Supreme Court Service/Budget Entity: Executive Direction and Support Services Measure: Number of analyses conducted					
Performance Ass	sessment of <u>Outcome</u> sessment of <u>Output</u> N AA Performance Star	leasure 🗌 Dele	ision of Measure ation of Measure		
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference		
Indeterminate	15,774	NA	NA		
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.					
External Factors (check all that apply):    Resources Unavailable  Technological Problems    Legal/Legislative Change  Natural Disaster    Target Population Change  Other (Identify)    This Program/Service Cannot Fix The Problem    Current Laws Are Working Against The Agency Mission    Explanation:    Not Applicable					
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable    Office of Policy and Budget – July 2012					

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT					
Department: State Courts System Program: District Courts of Appeal Service/Budget Entity: Appellate Courts Measure: Clearance rate (all case types)					
Performance Ass	sessment of <u>Outcome</u> sessment of <u>Output</u> N A Performance Star	leasure 🗌 Dele	ision of Measure ation of Measure		
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference		
Indeterminate	98.6%	NA	NA		
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.					
External Factors (check all that apply):    Resources Unavailable  Technological Problems    Legal/Legislative Change  Natural Disaster    Target Population Change  Other (Identify)    This Program/Service Cannot Fix The Problem    Current Laws Are Working Against The Agency Mission    Explanation:    Not Applicable					
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable					

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT					
Department: State Courts System Program: District Courts of Appeal Service/Budget Entity: Appellate Courts Measure: Number of cases disposed (all case types)					
Performance Ass	sessment of <u>Outcome</u> sessment of <u>Output</u> N AA Performance Star	leasure 🗍 Dele	ision of Measure etion of Measure		
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference		
Indeterminate	26,447	NA	NA		
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.					
External Factors (check all that apply):					
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable					

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT					
Department: State Courts System Program: District Courts of Appeal Service/Budget Entity: Appellate Courts Measure: Median number of days from filing criminal appeals to disposition					
Performance Ass	sessment of <u>Outcome</u> sessment of <u>Output</u> N A Performance Star	leasure 🗌 Dele	ision of Measure ation of Measure		
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference		
Indeterminate	247	NA	NA		
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.					
External Factors (check all that apply):					
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable					

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT				
Department: State Courts System Program: District Courts of Appeal Service/Budget Entity: Appellate Courts Measure: Median number of days from filing of criminal petitions to disposition Action:				
Performance Ass	sessment of <u>Outcome</u> sessment of <u>Output</u> M AA Performance Star	leasure 🗌 Dele	ision of Measure ation of Measure	
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference	
Indeterminate	43	NA	NA	
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.				
External Factors (check all that apply):				
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable    Office of Policy and Budget – July 2012				

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LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT					
Department: State Courts System Program: District Courts of Appeal Service/Budget Entity: Appellate Courts Measure: Clearance rate for criminal appeals and petitions					
Performance Ass	sessment of <u>Outcome</u> sessment of <u>Output</u> N A Performance Star	leasure 🗌 Dele	ision of Measure ation of Measure		
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference		
Indeterminate	93.5%	NA	NA		
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.					
External Factors (check all that apply):					
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable					

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT				
Department:  State Courts System    Program:  District Courts of Appeal    Service/Budget Entity:  Appellate Courts    Measure:  Percent of criminal appeals and petitions cases disposed within    180 days of oral argument or conference    Action:    Performance Assessment of Outcome Measure    Performance Assessment of Output Measure    Deletion of Measure    Adjustment of GAA Performance Standards				
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference	
Indeterminate	98.2%	NA	NA	
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.				
External Factors (check all that apply):    Resources Unavailable  Technological Problems    Legal/Legislative Change  Natural Disaster    Target Population Change  Other (Identify)    This Program/Service Cannot Fix The Problem    Current Laws Are Working Against The Agency Mission    Explanation:    Not Applicable				
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable    Office of Policy and Budget – July 2012				

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LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT				
Department: State Courts System Program: District Courts of Appeal Service/Budget Entity: Appellate Courts Measure: Median number of days from filing of non-criminal appeals to disposition Action:				
Performance Ass	sessment of <u>Outcome</u> sessment of <u>Output</u> M AA Performance Star	leasure 🗌 Dele	ision of Measure ation of Measure	
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference	
Indeterminate	226	NA	NA	
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.				
External Factors (check all that apply):    Resources Unavailable  Technological Problems    Legal/Legislative Change  Natural Disaster    Target Population Change  Other (Identify)    This Program/Service Cannot Fix The Problem    Current Laws Are Working Against The Agency Mission    Explanation:    Not Applicable				
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable    Office of Policy and Budget – July 2012				

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LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT				
Department:  State Courts System    Program:  District Courts of Appeal    Service/Budget Entity:  Appellate Courts    Measure:  Median number of days from filing of non-criminal petitions to disposition    Action:  Performance Assessment of Outcome Measure    Performance Assessment of Output Measure  Deletion of Measure    Adjustment of GAA Performance Standards  Deletion of Measure				
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference	
Indeterminate	70	NA	NA	
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.				
External Factors (check all that apply):				
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable				

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT					
Department: State Courts System Program: District Courts of Appeal Service/Budget Entity: Appellate Courts Measure: Clearance rate for non-criminal appeals and petitions					
Performance Ass	sessment of <u>Outcome</u> sessment of <u>Output</u> N AA Performance Star	leasure 🗌 Dele	ision of Measure ation of Measure		
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference		
Indeterminate	106.7%	NA	NA		
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.					
External Factors (check all that apply):  Technological Problems    Resources Unavailable  Natural Disaster    Legal/Legislative Change  Natural Disaster    Target Population Change  Other (Identify)    This Program/Service Cannot Fix The Problem    Current Laws Are Working Against The Agency Mission    Explanation:    Not Applicable					
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable					

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT				
Department:  State Courts System    Program:  District Courts of Appeal    Service/Budget Entity:  Appellate Courts    Measure:  Percent of non-criminal appeals and petitions cases disposed    within 180 days of oral argument or conference    Action:    Performance Assessment of Outcome Measure    Performance Assessment of Output Measure    Deletion of Measure    Adjustment of GAA Performance Standards				
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference	
Indeterminate	96.3%	NA	NA	
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.				
External Factors (check all that apply):    Resources Unavailable  Technological Problems    Legal/Legislative Change  Natural Disaster    Target Population Change  Other (Identify)    This Program/Service Cannot Fix The Problem    Current Laws Are Working Against The Agency Mission    Explanation:    Not Applicable				
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable    Office of Policy and Budget – July 2012				

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LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT				
Department: State Courts System Program: District Courts of Appeal Service/Budget Entity: Appellate Courts Measure: Number of records maintained				
Performance Ass	sessment of <u>Outcome</u> sessment of <u>Output</u> N AA Performance Star	leasure 🗌 Dele	ision of Measure ation of Measure	
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference	
Indeterminate	44,349	NA	NA	
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.				
External Factors (check all that apply):  Technological Problems    Resources Unavailable  Technological Problems    Legal/Legislative Change  Natural Disaster    Target Population Change  Other (Identify)    This Program/Service Cannot Fix The Problem    Current Laws Are Working Against The Agency Mission    Explanation:    Not Applicable				
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable    Office of Policy and Budget – July 2012				

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT				
Department: State Courts System Program: District Courts of Appeal Service/Budget Entity: Appellate Courts Measure: Number of employees administered				
Performance Ass	sessment of <u>Outcome</u> sessment of <u>Output</u> N A Performance Star	leasure 🗌 Dele	ision of Measure ation of Measure	
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference	
Indeterminate	413.5	NA	NA	
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.				
External Factors (check all that apply):    Resources Unavailable  Technological Problems    Legal/Legislative Change  Natural Disaster    Target Population Change  Other (Identify)    This Program/Service Cannot Fix The Problem    Current Laws Are Working Against The Agency Mission    Explanation:    Not Applicable				
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable				

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT					
Department: State Courts System Program: Trial Courts Service/Budget Entity: Court Operations – Trial Courts Measure: Clearance rate (all case types)					
Performance Ass	sessment of <u>Outcome</u> sessment of <u>Output</u> N AA Performance Star	leasure 🗌 Dele	ision of Measure ation of Measure		
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference		
Indeterminate	99.0%	NA	NA		
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.					
External Factors (check all that apply):    Resources Unavailable  Technological Problems    Legal/Legislative Change  Natural Disaster    Target Population Change  Other (Identify)    This Program/Service Cannot Fix The Problem    Current Laws Are Working Against The Agency Mission    Explanation:    Not Applicable					
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable    Office of Policy and Budget – July 2012					

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT					
Department: State Courts System Program: Trial Courts Service/Budget Entity: Court Operations – Trial Courts Measure: Number of cases disposed (all case types)					
Performance Ass	sessment of <u>Outcome</u> sessment of <u>Output</u> N AA Performance Star	leasure 🗌 Dele	ision of Measure etion of Measure		
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference		
Indeterminate	3,687,064	NA	NA		
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.					
External Factors (check all that apply):    Resources Unavailable  Technological Problems    Legal/Legislative Change  Natural Disaster    Target Population Change  Other (Identify)    This Program/Service Cannot Fix The Problem    Current Laws Are Working Against The Agency Mission    Explanation:    Not Applicable					
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable    Office of Policy and Budget – July 2012					

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT					
Department: State Courts System Program: Trial Courts Service/Budget Entity: Court Operations – Trial Courts Measure: Clearance rate for Circuit - criminal					
Performance Ass	sessment of <u>Outcome</u> sessment of <u>Output</u> N AA Performance Star	leasure 🗌 Dele	ision of Measure etion of Measure		
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference		
Indeterminate	95.8%	NA	NA		
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.					
External Factors (check all that apply):  Technological Problems    Resources Unavailable  Natural Disaster    Legal/Legislative Change  Natural Disaster    Target Population Change  Other (Identify)    This Program/Service Cannot Fix The Problem    Current Laws Are Working Against The Agency Mission    Explanation:    Not Applicable					
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable    Office of Policy and Budget – July 2012					

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT					
Department: State Courts System Program: Trial Courts Service/Budget Entity: Court Operations – Trial Courts Measure: Number of Circuit – criminal cases disposed					
Performance Ass	sessment of <u>Outcome</u> sessment of <u>Output</u> N A Performance Star	leasure 🗌 Dele	ision of Measure ation of Measure		
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference		
Indeterminate	180,543	NA	NA		
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.					
External Factors (check all that apply):					
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable    Office of Policy and Budget – July 2012					

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT				
Department: State Courts System Program: Trial Courts Service/Budget Entity: Court Operations – Trial Courts Measure: Clearance rate for Circuit – general civil				
Performance Ass	sessment of <u>Outcome</u> sessment of <u>Output</u> M AA Performance Star	leasure 🔲 Dele	ision of Measure etion of Measure	
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference	
Indeterminate	101.3%	NA	NA	
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.				
External Factors (check all that apply):  Technological Problems    Resources Unavailable  Natural Disaster    Legal/Legislative Change  Natural Disaster    Target Population Change  Other (Identify)    This Program/Service Cannot Fix The Problem    Current Laws Are Working Against The Agency Mission    Explanation:    Not Applicable				
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable    Office of Policy and Budget – July 2012				

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LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT					
Department: State Courts System Program: Trial Courts Service/Budget Entity: Court Operations – Trial Courts Measure: Number of Circuit – general civil cases disposed					
Performance Ass	sessment of <u>Outcome</u> sessment of <u>Output</u> N A Performance Star	leasure 🔲 Dele	ision of Measure ation of Measure		
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference		
Indeterminate	308,132	NA	NA		
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.					
External Factors (check all that apply):    Resources Unavailable  Technological Problems    Legal/Legislative Change  Natural Disaster    Target Population Change  Other (Identify)    This Program/Service Cannot Fix The Problem    Current Laws Are Working Against The Agency Mission    Explanation:    Not Applicable					
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable					

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT					
Department: State Courts System Program: Trial Courts Service/Budget Entity: Court Operations – Trial Courts Measure: Clearance rate for Circuit – domestic relations					
Performance Ass	sessment of <u>Outcome</u> sessment of <u>Output</u> N AA Performance Star	leasure 🗌 Dele	ision of Measure ation of Measure		
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference		
Indeterminate	99.2%	NA	NA		
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.					
External Factors (check all that apply):    Resources Unavailable  Technological Problems    Legal/Legislative Change  Natural Disaster    Target Population Change  Other (Identify)    This Program/Service Cannot Fix The Problem    Current Laws Are Working Against The Agency Mission    Explanation:    Not Applicable					
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable    Office of Policy and Budget – July 2012					

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT					
Department: State Courts System Program: Trial Courts Service/Budget Entity: Court Operations – Trial Courts Measure: Number of Circuit – domestic relations cases disposed					
Performance Ass	sessment of <u>Outcome</u> sessment of <u>Output</u> N AA Performance Star	leasure 🗌 Dele	ision of Measure etion of Measure		
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference		
Indeterminate	262,460	NA	NA		
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.					
External Factors (check all that apply):    Resources Unavailable  Technological Problems    Legal/Legislative Change  Natural Disaster    Target Population Change  Other (Identify)    This Program/Service Cannot Fix The Problem    Current Laws Are Working Against The Agency Mission    Explanation:    Not Applicable					
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable    Office of Policy and Budget – July 2012					

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT					
Department: State Courts System Program: Trial Courts Service/Budget Entity: Court Operations – Trial Courts Measure: Clearance rate for Circuit – probate and guardianship					
Performance Ass	sessment of <u>Outcome</u> sessment of <u>Output</u> N AA Performance Star	leasure 🗌 Dele	ision of Measure etion of Measure		
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference		
Indeterminate	96.4%	NA	NA		
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.					
External Factors (check all that apply):    Resources Unavailable  Technological Problems    Legal/Legislative Change  Natural Disaster    Target Population Change  Other (Identify)    This Program/Service Cannot Fix The Problem    Current Laws Are Working Against The Agency Mission    Explanation:    Not Applicable					
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable    Office of Policy and Budget – July 2012					

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT					
Department: State Courts System Program: Trial Courts Service/Budget Entity: Court Operations – Trial Courts Measure: Number of Circuit – probate and guardianship cases disposed					
Performance Ass	sessment of <u>Outcome</u> sessment of <u>Output</u> N AA Performance Star	leasure 🗌 Dele	ision of Measure etion of Measure		
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference		
Indeterminate	97,856	NA	NA		
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.					
External Factors (check all that apply):    Resources Unavailable  Technological Problems    Legal/Legislative Change  Natural Disaster    Target Population Change  Other (Identify)    This Program/Service Cannot Fix The Problem    Current Laws Are Working Against The Agency Mission    Explanation:    Not Applicable					
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable    Office of Policy and Budget – July 2012					

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT					
Department: State Courts System Program: Trial Courts Service/Budget Entity: Court Operations – Trial Courts Measure: Clearance rate for Circuit – juvenile delinquency					
Performance Ass	sessment of <u>Outcome</u> sessment of <u>Output</u> N A Performance Star	leasure 🔲 Dele	ision of Measure ation of Measure		
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference		
Indeterminate	110.4%	NA	NA		
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.					
External Factors (check all that apply):    Resources Unavailable  Technological Problems    Legal/Legislative Change  Natural Disaster    Target Population Change  Other (Identify)    This Program/Service Cannot Fix The Problem    Current Laws Are Working Against The Agency Mission    Explanation:    Not Applicable					
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable					

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT					
Department: State Courts System Program: Trial Courts Service/Budget Entity: Court Operations – Trial Courts Measure: Number of Circuit – juvenile delinquency cases disposed					
Performance Ass	sessment of <u>Outcome</u> sessment of <u>Output</u> N AA Performance Star	leasure 🗌 Dele	ision of Measure etion of Measure		
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference		
Indeterminate	52,913	NA	NA		
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.					
External Factors (check all that apply):  Technological Problems    Resources Unavailable  Natural Disaster    Legal/Legislative Change  Natural Disaster    Target Population Change  Other (Identify)    This Program/Service Cannot Fix The Problem    Current Laws Are Working Against The Agency Mission    Explanation:    Not Applicable					
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable    Office of Policy and Budget – July 2012					

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT					
Department: State Courts System Program: Trial Courts Service/Budget Entity: Court Operations – Trial Courts Measure: Clearance rate for Circuit – juvenile dependency					
Performance Ass	sessment of <u>Outcome</u> sessment of <u>Output</u> N A Performance Star	leasure 🔲 Dele	ision of Measure ation of Measure		
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference		
Indeterminate	91.5%	NA	NA		
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.					
External Factors (check all that apply):    Resources Unavailable  Technological Problems    Legal/Legislative Change  Natural Disaster    Target Population Change  Other (Identify)    This Program/Service Cannot Fix The Problem    Current Laws Are Working Against The Agency Mission    Explanation:    Not Applicable					
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable					

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT					
Department: State Courts System Program: Trial Courts Service/Budget Entity: Court Operations – Trial Courts Measure: Number of Circuit – juvenile dependency cases disposed					
Performance Ass	sessment of <u>Outcome</u> sessment of <u>Output</u> N AA Performance Star	leasure 🗌 Dele	ision of Measure etion of Measure		
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference		
Indeterminate	8,859	NA	NA		
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.					
External Factors (check all that apply):    Resources Unavailable  Technological Problems    Legal/Legislative Change  Natural Disaster    Target Population Change  Other (Identify)    This Program/Service Cannot Fix The Problem    Current Laws Are Working Against The Agency Mission    Explanation:    Not Applicable					
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable    Office of Policy and Budget – July 2012					

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT					
Department: State Courts System Program: Trial Courts Service/Budget Entity: Court Operations – Trial Courts Measure: Number of employees administered					
Performance Ass	sessment of <u>Outcome</u> sessment of <u>Output</u> N AA Performance Star	leasure 🗌 Dele	ision of Measure ation of Measure		
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference		
Indeterminate	3,274	NA	NA		
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.					
External Factors (check all that apply):    Resources Unavailable  Technological Problems    Legal/Legislative Change  Natural Disaster    Target Population Change  Other (Identify)    This Program/Service Cannot Fix The Problem    Current Laws Are Working Against The Agency Mission    Explanation:    Not Applicable					
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable    Office of Policy and Budget – July 2012					

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT				
Department: State Courts System Program: Trial Courts Service/Budget Entity: Court Operations – Trial Courts Measure: Percent of administrative costs compared to total trial court costs				
Performance Ass	sessment of <u>Outcome</u> sessment of <u>Output</u> M AA Performance Star	leasure 🗍 Dele	ision of Measure ation of Measure	
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference	
Indeterminate	6.5%	NA	NA	
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.				
External Factors (check all that apply):    Resources Unavailable  Technological Problems    Legal/Legislative Change  Natural Disaster    Target Population Change  Other (Identify)    This Program/Service Cannot Fix The Problem    Current Laws Are Working Against The Agency Mission    Explanation:    Not Applicable				
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable				

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT					
Department: State Courts System Program: Trial Courts Service/Budget Entity: Court Operations – Trial Courts Measure: Number of hours reported or recorded (court reporting)					
Performance Ass	sessment of <u>Outcome</u> sessment of <u>Output</u> N AA Performance Star	leasure 🗌 Dele	ision of Measure etion of Measure		
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference		
Indeterminate	563,296	NA	NA		
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.					
External Factors (check all that apply):    Resources Unavailable  Technological Problems    Legal/Legislative Change  Natural Disaster    Target Population Change  Other (Identify)    This Program/Service Cannot Fix The Problem    Current Laws Are Working Against The Agency Mission    Explanation:    Not Applicable					
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable    Office of Policy and Budget – July 2012					

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT					
Department: State Courts System Program: Trial Courts Service/Budget Entity: Court Operations – Trial Courts Measure: Number of evaluations completed (competency and other)					
Performance Ass	sessment of <u>Outcome</u> sessment of <u>Output</u> N AA Performance Star	leasure 🗍 Dele	ision of Measure ation of Measure		
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference		
Indeterminate	16,757	NA	NA		
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.					
External Factors (check all that apply):  Technological Problems    Resources Unavailable  Natural Disaster    Legal/Legislative Change  Natural Disaster    Target Population Change  Other (Identify)    This Program/Service Cannot Fix The Problem    Current Laws Are Working Against The Agency Mission    Explanation:    Not Applicable					
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable    Office of Policy and Budget – July 2012					

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT				
Department: State Courts System Program: Trial Courts Service/Budget Entity: Court Operations – Trial Courts Measure: Number of interpreting events				
Performance Ass	sessment of <u>Outcome</u> sessment of <u>Output</u> N AA Performance Star	leasure 🗌 Dele	ision of Measure ation of Measure	
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference	
Indeterminate	367,959	NA	NA	
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.				
External Factors (check all that apply):				
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable    Office of Policy and Budget – July 2012				

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT				
Department: State Courts System Program: Trial Courts Service/Budget Entity: Court Operations – Trial Courts Measure: Number of family sessions mediated				
Performance Ass	sessment of <u>Outcome</u> sessment of <u>Output</u> M AA Performance Star	leasure 🗌 Dele	ision of Measure ation of Measure	
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference	
Indeterminate	24,340	NA	NA	
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.				
External Factors (check all that apply):  Technological Problems    Resources Unavailable  Technological Problems    Legal/Legislative Change  Natural Disaster    Target Population Change  Other (Identify)    This Program/Service Cannot Fix The Problem    Current Laws Are Working Against The Agency Mission    Explanation:    Not Applicable				
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable    Office of Policy and Budget – July 2012				

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT				
Department: State Courts System Program: Trial Courts Service/Budget Entity: Court Operations – Trial Courts Measure: Number of county court sessions mediated				
Performance Ass	sessment of <u>Outcome</u> sessment of <u>Output</u> N AA Performance Star	leasure 🗌 Dele	ision of Measure ation of Measure	
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference	
Indeterminate	33,969	NA	NA	
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.				
External Factors (check all that apply):  Technological Problems    Resources Unavailable  Natural Disaster    Legal/Legislative Change  Natural Disaster    Target Population Change  Other (Identify)    This Program/Service Cannot Fix The Problem    Current Laws Are Working Against The Agency Mission    Explanation:    Not Applicable				
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable    Office of Policy and Budget – July 2012				

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT					
Department: State Courts System Program: Trial Courts Service/Budget Entity: Court Operations – Trial Courts Measure: Number of child support hearing officer hearings docketed					
Performance Ass	sessment of <u>Outcome</u> sessment of <u>Output</u> N AA Performance Star	leasure 🗌 Dele	ision of Measure etion of Measure		
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference		
Indeterminate	159,182	NA	NA		
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.					
External Factors (check all that apply):					
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable					

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT				
Department: State Courts System Program: Trial Courts Service/Budget Entity: Court Operations – Trial Courts Measure: Clearance rate for County - criminal				
Performance Ass	sessment of <u>Outcome</u> sessment of <u>Output</u> N AA Performance Star	leasure 🗌 Dele	ision of Measure etion of Measure	
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference	
Indeterminate	93.7%	NA	NA	
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.				
External Factors (check all that apply):				
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable    Office of Policy and Budget – July 2012				

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LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT				
Department: State Courts System Program: Trial Courts Service/Budget Entity: Court Operations – Trial Courts Measure: Number of County – criminal cases disposed				
Performance Ass	sessment of <u>Outcome</u> sessment of <u>Output</u> N A Performance Star	leasure 🗌 Dele	ision of Measure ation of Measure	
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference	
Indeterminate	741,094	NA	NA	
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.				
External Factors (check all that apply):  Technological Problems    Resources Unavailable  Technological Problems    Legal/Legislative Change  Natural Disaster    Target Population Change  Other (Identify)    This Program/Service Cannot Fix The Problem    Current Laws Are Working Against The Agency Mission    Explanation:    Not Applicable				
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable    Office of Policy and Budget – July 2012				

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT				
Department: State Courts System Program: Trial Courts Service/Budget Entity: Court Operations – Trial Courts Measure: Clearance rate for County - civil				
Performance Ass	sessment of <u>Outcome</u> sessment of <u>Output</u> N AA Performance Star	leasure 🗌 Dele	ision of Measure etion of Measure	
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference	
Indeterminate	97.1%	NA	NA	
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.				
External Factors (check all that apply):  Technological Problems    Resources Unavailable  Natural Disaster    Legal/Legislative Change  Natural Disaster    Target Population Change  Other (Identify)    This Program/Service Cannot Fix The Problem    Current Laws Are Working Against The Agency Mission    Explanation:    Not Applicable				
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable    Office of Policy and Budget – July 2012				

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT					
Department: State Courts System Program: Trial Courts Service/Budget Entity: Court Operations – Trial Courts Measure: Number of County – civil cases disposed					
Performance Ass	sessment of <u>Outcome</u> sessment of <u>Output</u> N AA Performance Star	leasure 🗍 Dele	ision of Measure etion of Measure		
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference		
Indeterminate	463,608	NA	NA		
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.					
External Factors (check all that apply):  Technological Problems    Resources Unavailable  Technological Problems    Legal/Legislative Change  Natural Disaster    Target Population Change  Other (Identify)    This Program/Service Cannot Fix The Problem    Current Laws Are Working Against The Agency Mission    Explanation:    Not Applicable					
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable    Office of Policy and Budget – July 2012					

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT				
Department: State Courts System Program: Trial Courts Service/Budget Entity: Court Operations – Trial Courts Measure: Clearance rate for County – civil traffic				
Performance Ass	sessment of <u>Outcome</u> sessment of <u>Output</u> N AA Performance Star	leasure 🗌 Dele	ision of Measure ation of Measure	
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference	
Indeterminate	102.1%	NA	NA	
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.				
External Factors (check all that apply):				
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable				

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT				
Department: State Courts System Program: Trial Courts Service/Budget Entity: Court Operations – Trial Courts Measure: Number of County – civil traffic cases disposed				
Performance Ass	sessment of <u>Outcome</u> sessment of <u>Output</u> N AA Performance Star	leasure 🗌 Dele	ision of Measure etion of Measure	
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference	
Indeterminate	1,571,599	NA	NA	
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  Due to the continued impact of budget cuts, the approved standard could not be predicted.				
External Factors (check all that apply):				
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable				

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT					
Department: State Courts System Program: Judicial Qualifications Commission Service/Budget Entity: Judicial Qualifications Commission Operations Measure: Clearance rate					
Performance A	ssessment of <u>Outcom</u> ssessment of <u>Output</u> SAA Performance Sta	Measure 🗌 Del	vision of Measure etion of Measure		
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference		
100.0%	98.7%	-1.3%	-1.3%		
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  The approved standard was projected using the most accurate historical data available at that time. This standard did not represent a goal for the Commission. It was simply an estimate of the amount of activity expected to occur that year.					
External Factors (check all that apply):    Resources Unavailable  Technological Problems    Legal/Legislative Change  Natural Disaster    Target Population Change  Other (Identify)    This Program/Service Cannot Fix The Problem    Current Laws Are Working Against The Agency Mission    Explanation:    Not Applicable					
Not Applicable    Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable					

LRPP Exhibit III: PERFORMANCE MEASURE ASSESSMENT							
Department: State Courts System Program: Judicial Qualifications Commission Service/Budget Entity: Judicial Qualifications Commission Operations Measure: Number of complaints disposed							
Action:    □ Performance Assessment of Outcome Measure    □ Performance Assessment of Output Measure    □ Adjustment of GAA Performance Standards							
Approved Standard	Actual Performance Results	Difference (Over/Under)	Percentage Difference				
648	589	-59	-9.1%				
Factors Accounting for the Difference:    Internal Factors (check all that apply):    Personnel Factors  Staff Capacity    Competing Priorities  Level of Training    Previous Estimate Incorrect  Other (Identify)    Explanation:  The approved standard was projected using the most accurate historical data available at that time. This standard did not represent a goal for the Commission. It was simply an estimate of the amount of activity expected to occur that year.							
External Factors (check all that apply):  Technological Problems    Resources Unavailable  Natural Disaster    Legal/Legislative Change  Natural Disaster    Target Population Change  Other (Identify)    This Program/Service Cannot Fix The Problem    Current Laws Are Working Against The Agency Mission    Explanation:    Not Applicable							
Management Efforts to Address Differences/Problems (check all that apply):    Training  Technology    Personnel  Other (Identify)    Recommendations:  Not Applicable							

# Judicial Branch State Courts System

Associated Activities Contributing to Performance Measures LRPP Exhibit V

LRPP Exhibit V: Identification of Associated Activity Contributing to Performance Measures					
Measure Number	Approved Performance Measures for FY 2012-13 (Words)	Associated Activities Title			
1	Number of cases supported	SUPREME COURT LIBRARY			
2	Number of records maintained	COURT RECORDS AND CASE FLOW MANAGEMENT			
3	Number of square feet secured	SECURITY			
4	Number of square feet maintained	FACILITIES MAINTENANCE AND MANAGEMENT			
5	Number of cases disposed (all case types)	JUDICIAL PROCESSING OF CASES			
6	Number of contact hours	JUDICIAL AND COURT STAFF EDUCATION			
7	Number of professionals certified	PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATIONS			
8	Number of analyses conducted	COURT SERVICES			
9	Number of cases analyzed	CASE PROCESS ANALYSIS AND IMPROVEMENT			
10	Number of complaints disposed	DISPOSITION OF COMPLAINTS AGAINST THE JUDICIARY			

# Judicial Branch State Courts System

Agency-Level Unit Cost Summary LRPP Exhibit VI

FISCAL YEAR 2011-12			
OPERATING		FIXED CAPITAL OUTLAY	
		459,179,015	0
		99,428,583	0
		558,607,598	0
Number of Units	(1) Unit Cost	(2) Expenditur es (Allocated)	(3) FCO
			0
3,808	153.41	584,193	
48,157	111.13	5,351,737	
1,531,422	0.90	1,384,743	
1,531,422	3.11	4,768,130	
3,715,844	72.21	268,337,245	
68,275	39.81	2,718,223	
3,170	238.28	755,357	
15,774	119.69	1,887,958	
43,299	126.96	5,497,178	
589	1,055.97	621,966	
	Number of Units 3,808 48,157 1,531,422 1,531,422 3,715,844 68,275 3,170 15,774 43,299	Number of Units    (1) Unit Cost      3,808    153.41      48,157    111.13      1,531,422    0.90      1,531,422    3.11      3,715,844    72.21      68,275    39.81      3,170    238.28      15,774    119.69      43,299    126.96	OPERATING      459,179,015      99,428,583      99,428,583      558,607,598      Number of Units    (1) Unit Cost    (2) Expenditur es (Allocated)      3,808    153.41    584,193      48,157    111.13    5,351,737      1,531,422    0.90    1,384,743      1,531,422    3.11    4,768,130      3,715,844    72.21    268,337,245      68,275    39.81    2,718,223      3,170    238.28    755,357      15,774    119.69    1,887,958      43,299    126.96    5,497,178

TOTAL	291,906,730
SECTION III: RECONCILIATION TO BUDGET	
PASS THROUGHS	
TRANSFER - STATE AGENCIES	
AID TO LOCAL GOVERNMENTS	138,240
PAYMENT OF PENSIONS, BENEFITS AND CLAIMS	
OTHER	111,971,379
REVERSIONS	32,891,313
TOTAL BUDGET FOR AGENCY (Total Activities + Pass Throughs + Reversions) - Should equal Section I above. (4)	436,907,662
SCHEDULE XI/EXHIBIT VI: AGENCY-LEVEL UNIT COST SUMM	ARY

(1) Some activity unit costs may be overstated due to the allocation of double budgeted items.

(2) Expenditures associated with Executive Direction, Administrative Support and Information Technology have been allocated based on (3) Information for FCO depicts amounts for current year appropriations only. Additional information and systems are needed to develop

(4) Final Budget for Agency and Total Budget for Agency may not equal due to rounding. In addition, Section I Final Budget for Agency includes a non-recurring appropriation received from General Revenue in the FY 2012-13 General Appropriations Act, Section 50 in the amount of \$121,700,000 to cover the Fiscal Year 2011-2012 trust fund deficits in the State Courts Revenue Trust Fund.

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# **GLOSSARY OF TERMS**

### **Circuit Court**

The circuit courts of Florida protect and declare the rights and responsibilities of the people, uphold and interpret the law, and provide a forum for the just and peaceful resolution of legal and factual disputes. Circuit courts have general trial jurisdiction over matters not assigned by statute to the county courts and also hear appeals from county court cases. The jurisdiction of circuit courts includes original jurisdiction over civil disputes involving more than \$15,000; controversies involving the estates of decedent, minors, and persons adjudicated to be incapacitated; cases relating to juveniles; criminal prosecutions for felons; tax disputes; actions to determine the title and boundaries of real property; and suits for declaratory judgments. There are 20 circuit courts.

#### **County Court**

The county courts of Florida protect and declare the rights and responsibilities of the people, uphold and interpret the law, and provide a forum for the just and peaceful resolution of legal and factual disputes. The jurisdiction of the county courts extends to civil disputes involving \$15,000 or less. The majority of non-jury trials in Florida take place before one judge sitting as a judge of the county court. Most of the court's time is involved with traffic offenses, less serious criminal matters (misdemeanors), and relatively small monetary disputes. There are 67 county courts.

## Florida District Court of Appeal

The District Courts of Appeal of Florida provide the opportunity for thoughtful review of decisions of lower tribunals by multi-judge panels. District Courts of Appeal correct harmful errors and ensure that decisions are consistent with rights and liberties. The process contributes to the development, clarity, and consistency of the law. There are five district courts of appeal.

## Florida Supreme Court

The Supreme Court is the court of last resort in Florida. The Court clarifies Florida law, ensures that district court decisions throughout the state are consistent, and ensures that court decisions at all levels of the state courts are consistent with rights and liberties.

### **Judicial Qualifications Commission**

The Judicial Qualifications Commission investigates and prosecutes Florida judges who are charged with misconduct or with having a mental or physical disability which seriously interferes with the performance of judicial duties and, when appropriate, recommends disciplinary action to the Supreme Court of Florida.

#### **Office of the State Courts Administrator**

The purpose of the Office of the State Courts Administrator is to assist the chief justice in the administrative supervision of Florida's appellate and trial courts and to support the chief judges in their role as managers of their respective courts by providing professional expertise and guidance to promote effective, efficient, and accountable court services for Florida's judicial branch.