



Nebraska Judicial Branch
Annual Caseload Report

Supreme Court and Court of Appeals



Fiscal Year 2019

July 1, 2018 to

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This Annual Caseload Report contains caseload statistics for Nebraska's appellate level courts: The Nebraska Supreme Court and the Nebraska Court of Appeals.

Statistics are compiled through extracts from the SSCALES automated case management system. Providing court statistics ensures transparency to the public and assists administration in ensuring efficient court practices.

Reports are available for all levels of state appellate and trial courts at www.supremecourt.ne.gov > Administration > Publications and Reports.

Mission of the Nebraska Administrative Office of the Courts:

Under the direction of the Nebraska Supreme Court, the Administrative Office of the Courts' mission is to ensure the public has equal access to justice, using leadership, education, technology, and administrative services to implement consistent, efficient, and effective court practices.



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Honorable Lindsey Miller-Lerman

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Honorable Stephanie F. Stacy

Honorable Jeffrey J. Funke

Honorable Jonathan J. Papik

Honorable John R. Freudenberg

Supreme Court Caseload			
	FY 2017	FY 2018	FY 2019
New Cases Docketed	77	67	56
Petitions to Bypass Filed	45	48	42
Petitions to Bypass Granted	27	30	30
Petitions to Bypass Denied	17	19	20
Cases Transferred from court of Appeals	151	182	184
Petitions for Further Review Filed	258	235	238
Petitions for Further Review Granted	12	14	15
Petitions for Further Review Denied	243	177	218
Cases Disposed by Opinion	227	270	222
Cases Disposed Without Opinion	57	33	55
Total Cases Disposed	284	303	277

Nebraska Court of Appeals

Nebraska Court of Appeals Judges

Chief Judge Frankie J. Moore

Honorable David K. Arterburn

Honorable Riko Bishop

Honorable Michael W. Pirtle

Honorable Lawrence E. Welch, Jr.

Honorable Francie C. Riedmann

Appeals Court Caseload			
	FY 2017	FY 2018	
New Cases Docketed	1,174	1,226	1,133
Transferred to Supreme Court	151	182	184
Petitions to Bypass Granted	27	30	24
Cases Disposed by Opinion	376	407	434
Total Cases Disposed	942	962	978