

## Court Statistics: Fiscal Years 2023 through Present

<b><u>PROCEEDINGS</u></b>	<b>FY23</b>	<b>FY24</b>
<b>Total Petitions Received</b>	<b>460</b>	<b>417</b>
<b><u>PETITIONS BY PLAN TYPE*</u></b>		
Plan Type 1 - Self Insured	54	50
Plan Type 2 - Private Insurance	241	258
Plan Type 3 - Montana State Fund	165	113
Plan Type 4 - Subsequent Injury Fund	0	0
Plan Type 5 - Uninsured Employers Fund	1	1
Plan Type 6 - ICCU	0	0
Plan Type 7 - DLI	3	2
<b>Total Petitions by Plan Type</b>	<b>464</b>	<b>424</b>
<b><u>JURISDICTION OF CASES</u></b>	<b>FY23</b>	<b>FY24</b>
Appeals from DLI	0	1
Original Jurisdiction	460	416
<b>Total Jurisdiction of Cases</b>	<b>460</b>	<b>417</b>
<b><u>SETTLEMENT CONFERENCES HELD</u></b>		
SC1 - Settled	0	0
SC2 - No Settlement	0	0
Still working on resolution	0	0
<b>Total Settlement Conferences Held</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b><u>TRIALS and HEARINGS HELD</u></b>		
Regular Type (Trial)	0	1
Bench Ruling (during oral argument or conference call, includes partial bench ruling and bench ruling with a written order)	1	6
Attendance at Deposition	0	0
Oral Argument or Conference w/Court Reporter	7	8
Evidentiary Hearing or Hearing Other Than Trial	9	5
<b>Total Trials &amp; Hearings Held</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>20</b>
Conference Calls w/o Court Reporter	1	1
<b><u>DECISIONS ISSUED</u></b>		
Bench Rulings ( <u>w/o</u> written decision)	0	1
Decisions (FFCL, Order on Remand, Declaratory Judgments, Summary Judgment)	1	7
Miscellaneous Judgments	451	395

Orders on Appeal (from DLI)	3	2
Substantive Orders (Interlocutory, Discovery, Show Cause, New Trial or Reconsideration, Contested Dismissal)	6	30
Attorney Fee Orders	2	0
Orders on Costs	1	0
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>464</b>	<b>435</b>
Petitions Dismissed <u>by Agreement</u>	7	6
<b>Totals Decisions Issued</b>	<b>471</b>	<b>441</b>
<b><u>APPEALS</u></b>	<b>FY23</b>	<b>FY24</b>
Notice of Appeal to WCC (From DLI):	3	2
Notice of Appeal to Supreme Court	3	2
<b><u>FULL &amp; FINAL COMPROMISE SETTLEMENTS</u></b>		
Plan Type 1 - Self-Insured	0	1
Plan Type 2 - Private Insurers	0	4
Plan Type 3 - Montana State Fund	3	3
Plan Type 4 - Subsequent Injury Fund	0	0
Plan Type 5 - Uninsured Employers Fund	0	0
<b>FFCS Totals</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>8</b>

\* The Workers' Compensation Act provides for three separate Plan Types, i.e., Self-Insureds, Private Insurers, and the State Compensation Insurance Fund. The court breaks down its Plan Types further for statistical purposes, i.e., Self-Insureds, Private Insurers, Montana State Fund (State Compensation Insurance Fund), Subsequent Injury Fund, Uninsured Employers' Fund, ICCU (Independent Contractor Compensation Unit), and DLI (Department of Labor & Industry). \*\* Petitions with more than one Plan Type account for higher totals.