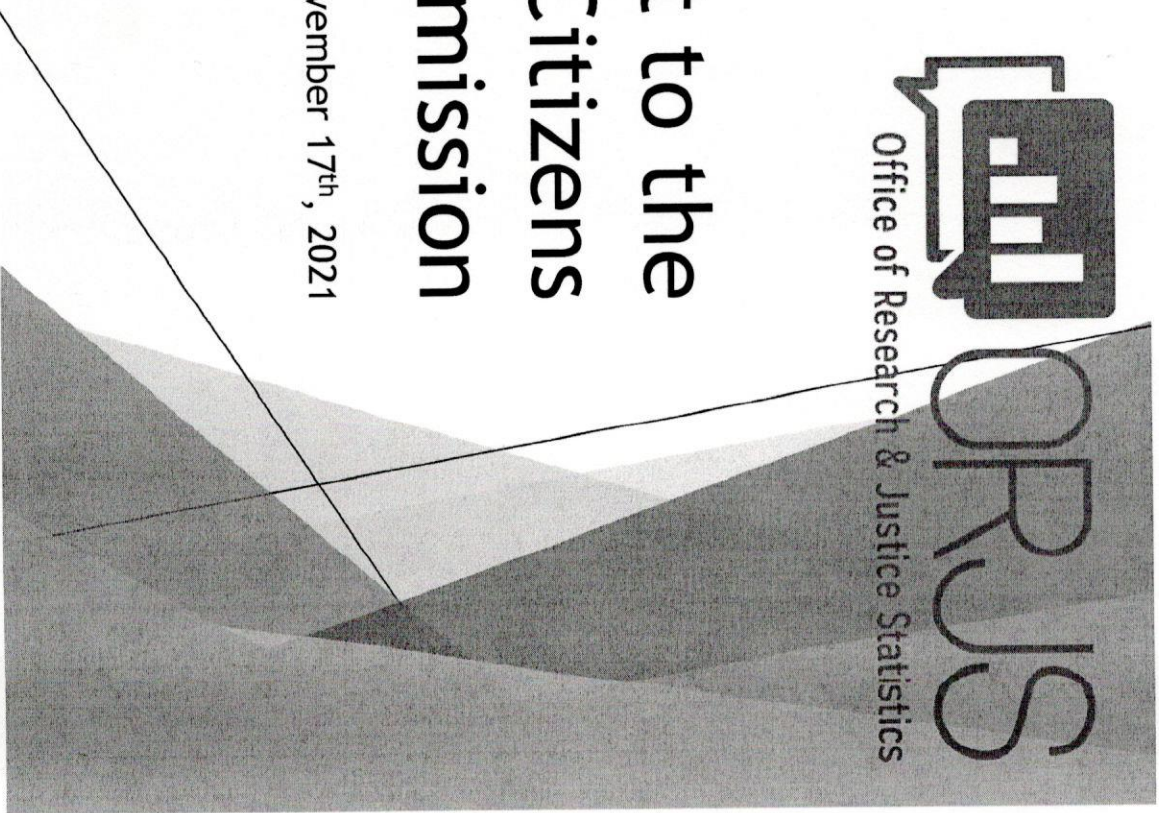


ORJS Report to the Independent Citizens Commission

November 17th, 2021



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- ▶ Mission: Support the Arkansas judiciary, employees, attorneys, and members of the public with relevant and accessible data
- ▶ Help courts monitor and improve data quality
- ▶ Oversight of court data and production of reports to court personnel and respond to requests for data
- ▶ Administer and build reports on the Tableau platform for display, processing and visualization of court information



Cases Filed by Court Level 2017 - 2020

Court	2017	2018	2019	2020
Supreme Court	410	442	310	186
Court of Appeals	1,151	966	962	898
Circuit Courts	186,602	191,584	186,254	158,318
District Courts	1,035,013	1,046,084	1,064,454	781,330

Cases Disposed by Court Level 2017 - 2020

Court	2017	2018	2019	2020
Supreme Court	962	397	355	244
Court of Appeals	1,667	981	902	851
Circuit Courts	165,267	180,939	179,568	134,113
District Courts	--*	--*	857,369	475,654

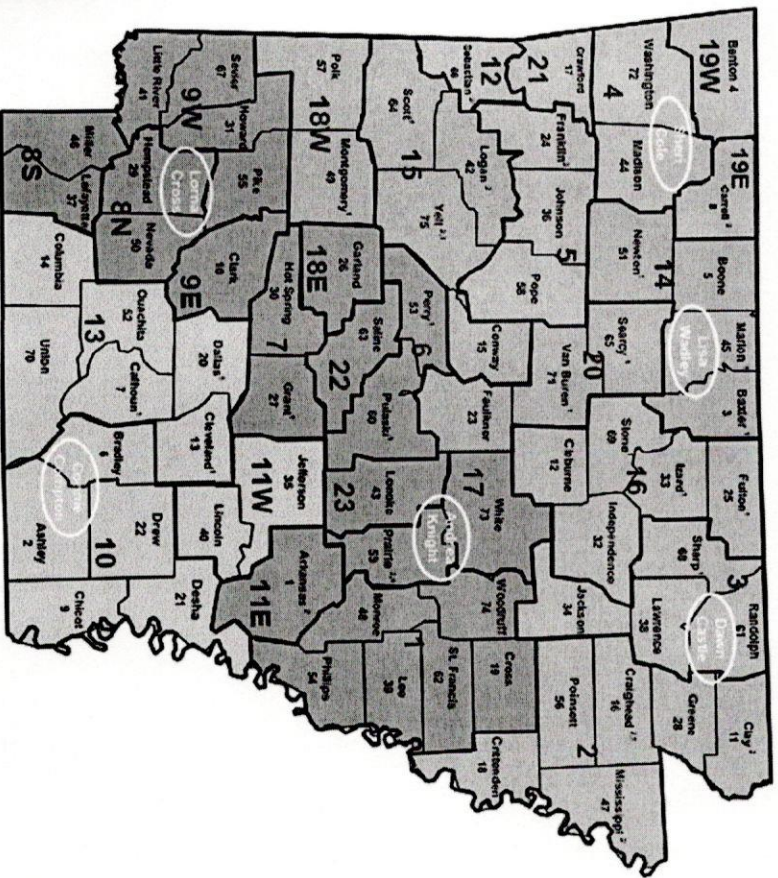
*No consistent method of counting dispositions was available in these years.

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Annual Salary	State Administrative Officials					
	Governor	Lieutenant Gov.	Sec. of State	AG	Treasurer	Auditor
ARKANSAS	\$151,838.00	\$44,674.00	\$96,918.00	\$139,992.00	\$91,543.00	\$91,533.00
Iowa	\$130,000.00	\$103,212.00	\$103,212.00	\$123,669.00	\$103,212.00	\$103,212.00
Louisiana	\$130,000.00	\$115,003.00	\$115,000.00	\$110,740.00	\$110,740.00	\$132,620.00
Missouri	\$133,821.00	\$86,484.00	\$107,746.00	\$116,437.00	\$107,746.00	\$107,746.00
Oklahoma	\$147,000.00	\$114,713.00	\$140,000.00	\$132,825.00	\$114,713.00	\$114,713.00
Tennessee	\$198,780.00	\$72,948.00	\$209,520.00	\$193,488.00	\$209,520.00	

Legislative Compensation / Living Expense Allowances During Sessions, 2020
Mileage

	Annual Salary	cents/mile
ARKANSAS	\$42,428.00	57.5/mile *
Iowa	\$25,000.00	39/mile
	\$22,800.00	
	\$16,800.00	
Louisiana	for Reps	57.5 / mile *
Missouri	\$35,915.00	57.5 / mile *
Oklahoma	\$35,021.00	57.5 / mile *
Tennessee	\$24,316.00	47/mile
		*FSA Rate

Additional Compensation
Other Payments / Benefits

ARKANSAS	Up to \$3,600.00	Committee Chairs, Vice Chairs, Sub-Comm Chairs
	\$5,600.00/y	Pr. Pro Tem
	\$5883.00	yHouse Presiding Officer

Taken from 2020
Book of States

GENERAL ASSEMBLY MEETING DATES
AND EFFECTIVE DATES SINCE 1969

General Assembly	Year	Dates in Session	Effective date without emergency clause/AG Opin. No.
67 th	1969	January 13 – May 8	8/7/69 *
67 th – FES	1970	March 2 – March 7	6/6/70 *
68 th	1971	January 11 – April 19	7/19/71 *
68 th – FES	1972	February 7 – February 16	5/17/72 *
69 th	1973	January 8 – January 14, 1974	7/24/73: #73-120
69 th – FES	1974	June 24 – August 1	10/31/74 *
70 th	1975	January 13 – April 9	7/9/75 **
70 th – Exten	1976	January 12 – January 28	4/28/76: #76-50
70 th – FES	1976	September 8 – September 10	NA
71 st	1977	January 10 – August 14	7/6/77: #77-57
71 st – FES	1977	August 2 – August 5	11/4/77 **
72 nd	1979	January 8 – April 20	7/20/79: #79-88
72 nd – EXT.	1980	January 7 – January 17	(No legislation passed)
72 nd – FES	1980	January 17 – January 24	4/24/80: #80-42
72 nd – SES	1980	April 15 – April 18	NA
73 rd	1981	January 12 – March 18	6/17/81: #81-76
73 rd – FES	1981	November 16 – November 25	2/24/82 **
74 th	1983	January 10 – April 4	7/4/83: #83-74
74 th – FES	1983	October 4 – November 10	2/9/84: #83-228
75 th	1985	January 14 – March 29	6/28/85: #85-108
75 th – FES	1985	June 17 – June 21	9/20/85 **
75 th – SES	1986	April 28 – May 1	7/31/86: #86-337

* Bureau Calculation

** Bureau Calculation, confirmed by Secretary of State

General Assembly	Year	Dates in Session	Effective date without emergency clause/AG Opin. No.
76 th	1987	January 12 – April 20	7/20/87: #87-156
76 th – FES	1987	June 2 – June 5	9/4/87 **
76 th – SES	1987	October 6 – October 9	1/8/88 **
76 th – TES	1988	January 26 – February 5	5/6/88 **
76 th – 4 th ES	1988	July 11 – July 14	10/13/88 **
77 th	1989	January 9 – April 3	7/3/89: #89-078
77 th – FES	1989	June 20 – June 23	9/22/89 **
77 th – SES	1989	July 25 – July 27	10/26/89 **
77 th – TES	1989	October 23 – November 3	2/2/90 **
78 th	1991	January 14 – April 15	7/15/91: #91-119
78 th – FES	1992	February 24 – March 4	6/3/92: #92-114A & #93-025A
78 th – SES	1992	December 14 – December 18	3/19/93: #93-025A
79 th	1993	January 11 – May 14	8/13/93: #93-149A
79 th – FES	1994	February 28 – March 2	6/1/94: #94-076
79 th – SES	1994	August 15 – August 24	11/23/94: #94-273
80 th	1995	January 9 – April 28	7/28/95: #95-119
80 th – FES	1995	October 17 – October 20	1/19/96 *
81 st	1997	January 13 – May 2	8/1/97: #97-144
82 nd	1999	January 11 – April 30	7/30/99: #99-120
82 nd – FES	2000	April 3 – April 7	NA
82 nd – SES	2000	December 13 – 15	NA
83 rd	2001	January 8 – May 14	8/13/01: #2001-138
83 rd – FES	2002	June 10 – June 12	NA
84 th	2003	January 13 – April 16	7/16/03: #2003-119
84 th – FES	2003	May 5 – May 9	NA
84 th – SES	2003	Dec. 8, 2003 – June 9, 2004	6/3/04: #2004-186

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General Assembly	Year	Dates in Session	Effective date without emergency clause/AG Opin. No.
85 th	2005	January 10 – May 13	8/12/05: #2005-110
85 th – FES	2006	April 3 – April 21	7/21/06: #2006-080
86 th	2007	January 8 – May 1	7/31/07: #2007-164
86 th – FES	2008	March 31 – April 2	NA
87 th	2009	January 12 – May 1	7/31/09: #2009-090
87 th – Fiscal	2010	February 8 – March 4	6/3/10: #2010-031
88 th	2011	January 10 – April 27	7/27/11: #2011-056
88 th – Fiscal	2012	February 13 – March 9	6/8/12 *
89 th	2013	January 14 – May 17	8/16/13: #2013-049
89 th – FES	2013	October 17 – October 19	1/18/14 *
89 th – Fiscal	2014	February 10 – March 19	6/18/14 *
89 th – SES	2014	June 30 – July 2	10/1/14: #2014-078
90 th	2015	January 12 – April 22	7/22/15: #2015-044
90 th – FES	2015	May 26 – May 28	8/27/15: #2015-094
90 th – SES	2016	April 6 – April 8	7/8/16 *
90 th – Fiscal	2016	April 13 – May 9	8/8/16 *
90 th – TES	2016	May 19 – May 23	8/22/16 *
91 st	2017	January 9 – May 1	8/1/17: #2017-052
91 st – FES	2017	May 1 – May 3	8/2/17: #2017-061
91 st – Fiscal	2018	February 12 – March 12	6/12/18: #2018-073
91 st – SES	2018	March 13 – March 15	6/14/18: #2018-074
92 nd	2019	January 14 – April 24	7/24/19: #2019-034 7/30/19 (Act 1092)
92 nd – FES	2020	March 26 – March 28	NA
92 nd – Fiscal	2020	April 8 – April 24	NA
93 rd	2021	January 11 – April 28 [†]	7/28/21: #2021-029

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† Under HCR1015 of 2021, the regular session is extended until such time that the Ninety-Third General Assembly is able to complete its work on congressional redistricting.