Commission on Judicial Disabilities and Tenure FY2023

Agency Commission on Judicial Disabilities and Tenure

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Mission The mission of the Commission on Judicial Disabilities and Tenure (CJDT) is to maintain public confidence in an independent, impartial, fair, and qualified judiciary, and to enforce the high standards of conduct judges must adhere to both on and off the bench.

Strategic Objectives

Objective Number	Strategic Objective
1	Review and Investigate Judicial Misconduct Complaints
2	Conduct Reappointment Evaluations of Eligible Associate Judges of the D.C. Courts
3	Conduct Performance and Fitness Reviews of Retiring and Senior Judges
4	Conduct Involuntary Retirement Proceedings

Key Performance Indicators (KPIs)

Measure	Directionality	FY 2020 Actual	FY 2021 Actual	FY 2022 Target	FY2022 Actual	FY 2023 Target
1 - Review and Investigate Judicial Misconduct Comp	olaints (3 Measure	records)				
Percent of complaints leading to misconduct investigations	Neutral	43%	33%	38%	38%	38%
Percent of complaints resolved within 60 days	Up is Better	33%	33%	40%	21%	40%
Percent of complaints resolved within 30 days	Up is Better	57%	51%	50%	79%	50%
2 - Conduct Reappointment Evaluations of Eligible A	ssociate Judges of	the D.C. Co	urts (1 Meas	sure)		
Percent of reappointment evaluation reports submitted before 60 days of term expiration	Up is Better	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
3 - Conduct Performance and Fitness Reviews of Ret	iring and Senior Ju	dges (1 Mea	sure)			
Percent of fitness and performance reviews submitted within 180 days of judge's request	Up is Better	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%

Operations

Operations Title	Operations Description	Type of Operations
1 - Review and Investigate	e Judicial Misconduct Complaints (2 Activity records)	
Commission Administration And Support	Review complaints arising during monthly meetings.	Daily Service
Commission Administration And Support	Misconduct investigations.	Daily Service
2 - Conduct Reappointme	ent Evaluations of Eligible Associate Judges of the D.C. Courts (4 Activity records)	
Commission Administration And Support	Interview attorneys in the public and private sectors who have appeared before the judge.	Daily Service
Commission Administration And Support	Interview Court personnel who have worked with the judge.	Daily Service
Commission Administration And Support	Interview the Chief Judge of the judge's Court.	Daily Service
Commission Administration And Support	Solicit comments concerning a judge's qualifications from the legal community and the general public.	Daily Service

Operations Title	Operations Description	Type of Operations
3 - Conduct Performance	and Fitness Reviews of Retiring and Senior Judges (4 Activity records)	
Commission Administration And Support	Interview attorneys in the public and private sectors who have appeared before the senior judge.	Daily Service
Commission Administration And Support	Interview Court personnel who have worked with the senior judge.	Daily Service
Commission Administration And Support	Interview the Chief Judge of the judge's Court.	Daily Service
Commission Administration And Support	Solicit comments concerning a senior judge's qualifications to continue judicial service from the legal community and the general public.	Daily Service
4 - Conduct Involuntary R	Retirement Proceedings (4 Activity records)	
Commission Administration And Support	Receive information concerning a judge's health/disability and commences an investigation.	Daily Service
Commission Administration And Support	Determine if an involuntary retirement hearing is warranted.	Daily Service
Commission Administration And Support	Make findings of fact and a determination regarding the judge's health.	Daily Service
Commission Administration And Support	File Orders of Involuntary Retirement.	Daily Service

Workload Measures (WMs)

Measure	FY 2020 Actual	FY 2021 Actual	FY2022 Actual			
1 - Commission Administration And Support (1 Measure)						
Number of complaints received	70	60	70			
2 - Commission Administration And Support (1 Measure)						
Number of reappointment evaluations	3	2	0			
3 - Commission Administration And Support (1 Measure)						
Number of fitness and performance reviews	11	7	15			
4 - Commission Administration And Support (1 Measure)						
Number of involuntary retirements handled	0	1	0			