

Small Claims

July 1, 2018 to June 30, 2019

FY19	Pending, Start of Period	Added ¹	Reopened	Transferred		Disposed ¹	Pending, End of Period
				In	Out		
Ansonia Milford	474	3,821	65	11	59	3,940	372
Bridgeport	2,817	6,934	91	29	17	8,404	1,450
Danbury	569	2,963	56	2	7	3,084	499
Hartford	3,506	10,518	325	22	20	12,887	1,464
Litchfield	773	2,229	62	15	6	2,602	471
Meriden	1,004	2,834	88	2	2	3,672	254
Middlesex	361	1,957	33	5	8	2,089	259
New Britain	675	4,743	63	20	15	4,992	494
New Haven	1,240	4,533	93	19	13	5,154	718
New London	1,265	3,938	174	14	3	4,817	571
Stamford	807	2,741	48	15	6	2,808	797
Tolland	273	2,845	48	4	17	2,939	214
Waterbury	826	4,317	63	16	11	4,677	534
Windham	537	2,214	28	2	1	2,486	294
Total	15,127	56,587	1,237	176	185	64,551	8,391

¹The Judicial Branch recently moved the Small Claims cases and related data to the Civil/Family Efile database. As a result, approximately 17,000 cases were assigned new docket numbers. From a system perspective, those 17,000 pending transferred cases look like newly added cases with a writ entry date within FY19. The cases are not newly added cases, as they were transferred cases initiated in a prior time frame. As consequence of this move, the added column depicts 56,587 added cases during FY19 of which approximately 17,000 cases were transferred cases from the old database and approximately 39,000 cases were newly added cases. The move also impacted disposed cases, as many of the cases were moved from centralized small claims to create financial and/or wage executions. During the process of creating a new case to generate an execution, a disposition date was entered during FY19.