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**TABLE DC-7
DISTRICT COURT**

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE CASES FILED AND TERMINATED

Fiscal Years 2009 through 2011

	FY 2009		FY 2010		FY 2011	
	Filed ¹	Terminated ²	Filed ¹	Terminated ²	Filed ¹	Terminated ²
District 1	4,258	4,134	4,265	4,136	4,292	4,177
Baltimore City	4,258	4,134	4,265	4,136	4,292	4,177
District 2	1,125	1,036	1,022	970	967	904
Dorchester	164	154	191	179	157	142
Somerset	126	125	88	83	105	98
Wicomico	623	553	514	476	475	440
Worcester	212	204	229	232	230	224
District 3	1,170	1,099	1,275	1,198	1,188	1,090
Caroline	205	186	226	200	197	171
Cecil	564	523	607	562	585	533
Kent	35	33	60	60	41	39
Queen Anne's	187	178	232	226	216	202
Talbot	179	179	150	150	149	145

	FY 2009		FY 2010		FY 2011	
	Filed ¹	Terminated ²	Filed ¹	Terminated ²	Filed ¹	Terminated ²
District 4	1,498	1,433	1,580	1,490	1,501	1,394
Calvert	380	348	350	334	349	324
Charles	661	634	716	658	738	685
St. Mary's	457	451	514	498	414	385
District 5	5,236	4,905	5,141	4,740	5,068	4,706
Prince George's	5,236	4,905	5,141	4,740	5,068	4,706
District 6	2,029	1,892	2,034	1,899	2,044	1,792
Montgomery	2,029	1,892	2,034	1,899	2,044	1,792

	FY 2009		FY 2010		FY 2011	
	Filed ¹	Terminated ²	Filed ¹	Terminated ²	Filed ¹	Terminated ²
District 7	1,979	1,819	2,185	2,044	2,064	1,938
Anne Arundel	1,979	1,819	2,185	2,044	2,064	1,938
District 8	3,667	3,568	3,476	3,409	3,555	3,461
Baltimore	3,667	3,568	3,476	3,409	3,555	3,461
District 9	769	730	798	752	764	705
Harford	769	730	798	752	764	705

	FY 2009		FY 2010		FY 2011	
	Filed ¹	Terminated ²	Filed ¹	Terminated ²	Filed ¹	Terminated ²
District 10	902	833	995	931	932	867
Carroll	300	283	349	333	318	293
Howard	602	550	646	598	614	574
District 11	1,877	1,808	1,724	1,645	1,759	1,692
Frederick	784	740	709	667	679	649
Washington	1,093	1,068	1,015	978	1,080	1,043
District 12	544	538	596	579	560	548
Allegany	385	381	431	411	405	394
Garrett	159	157	165	168	155	154

	FY 2009		FY 2010		FY 2011	
	Filed ¹	Terminated ²	Filed ¹	Terminated ²	Filed ¹	Terminated ²
Slate Totals	25,054	23,795	25,091	23,793	24,694	23,274

¹ Filings include child abuse, domestic violence, and vulnerable adult cases filed.

² Terminations represent the total number of final protective orders granted, denied and dismissed, temporary orders denied and dismissed, and interim orders denied.

TABLE DC-8
DISTRICT COURT

PEACE ORDER CASES FILED AND TERMINATED

Fiscal Years 2009 through 2011

	FY 2009		FY 2010		FY 2011	
	Filed	Terminated ¹	Filed	Terminated ¹	Filed	Terminated ¹
District 1	2,748	2,766	3,020	2,979	3,302	3,292
Baltimore City	2,748	2,766	3,020	2,979	3,302	3,292
District 2	685	663	696	696	704	687
Dorchester	93	92	105	107	105	103
Somerset	83	85	84	79	60	59
Wicomico	348	335	349	343	373	363
Worcester	161	151	158	167	166	162
District 3	777	768	785	785	669	669
Caroline	151	145	163	169	117	118
Cecil	316	313	324	317	268	271
Kent	45	45	29	28	59	57
Queen Anne's	121	122	124	126	125	123
Talbot	144	143	145	145	100	100

	FY 2009		FY 2010		FY 2011	
	Filed	Terminated ¹	Filed	Terminated ¹	Filed	Terminated ¹
District 4	1,222	1,214	1,315	1,303	1,226	1,229
Calvert	333	332	291	287	281	279
Charles	593	587	654	646	642	648
St. Mary's	296	295	370	370	303	302
District 5	3,871	3,792	4,287	4,237	4,182	4,201
Prince George's	3,871	3,792	4,287	4,237	4,182	4,201
District 6	2,142	2,104	2,274	2,239	2,160	2,126
Montgomery	2,142	2,104	2,274	2,239	2,160	2,126

	FY 2009		FY 2010		FY 2011	
	Filed	Terminated ¹	Filed	Terminated ¹	Filed	Terminated ¹
District 7	1,465	1,456	1,712	1,698	1,630	1,627
Anne Arundel	1,465	1,456	1,712	1,698	1,630	1,627
District 8	2,362	2,340	2,256	2,233	2,260	2,252
Baltimore	2,362	2,340	2,256	2,233	2,260	2,252
District 9	609	608	578	568	532	544
Harford	609	608	578	568	532	544

	FY 2009		FY 2010		FY 2011	
	Filed	Terminated ¹	Filed	Terminated ¹	Filed	Terminated ¹
District 10	862	844	981	981	813	817
Carroll	412	403	450	450	447	448
Howard	450	441	531	531	366	369
District 11	1,212	1,204	1,327	1,311	1,243	1,236
Frederick	570	569	626	620	514	507
Washington	642	635	701	691	729	729
District 12	325	323	395	390	315	318
Allegany	200	201	242	235	225	228
Garrett	125	122	153	155	90	90

	FY 2009		FY 2010		FY 2011	
	Filed	Terminated ¹	Filed	Terminated ¹	Filed	Terminated ¹
State Totals	18,280	18,082	19,626	19,420	19,036	18,998

¹Peace Order Cases Terminated equal the number of interim orders denied, plus temporary orders denied and dismissed, plus final peace orders granted, denied and dismissed.

TABLE DC-9
DISTRICT COURT

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE DISPOSITIONS

Fiscal Year 2011

	Cases Filed	Transfers to Circuit Court	Interim Orders Granted	Temporary Orders Granted	Temporary Orders Reissued	Protective Orders Granted	Appeals
District 1	4,292	93	2,230	2,461	1,907	948	19
Baltimore City	4,292	93	2,230	2,461	1,907	948	19
District 2	967	41	297	685	120	338	12
Dorchester	157	14	92	102	12	46	2
Somerset	105	4	22	72	4	40	1
Wicomico	475	19	126	351	88	157	8
Worcester	230	4	57	160	16	95	1
District 3	1,188	82	372	706	143	341	18
Caroline	197	23	72	118	24	63	5
Cecil	585	43	194	348	78	144	8
Kent	41	1	12	26	3	16	0
Queen Anne's	216	13	44	122	28	64	4
Talbot	149	2	50	92	10	54	1
District 4	1,501	86	852	887	195	489	12
Calvert	349	20	178	195	36	122	6
Charles	738	48	465	430	76	226	6
St. Mary's	414	18	209	262	83	141	0
District 5	5,068	315	2,322	3,168	1,234	1,322	62
Prince George's	5,068	315	2,322	3,168	1,234	1,322	62
District 6	2,044	12	787	1,225	376	831	41
Montgomery	2,044	12	787	1,225	376	831	41
District 7	2,064	89	830	1,339	391	694	29
Anne Arundel	2,064	89	830	1,339	391	694	29
District 8	3,555	28	1,257	2,035	729	853	51
Baltimore	3,555	28	1,257	2,035	729	853	51
District 9	764	52	397	490	104	272	8
Harford	764	52	397	490	104	272	8
District 10	932	55	439	612	141	331	12
Carroll	318	18	154	208	31	129	7
Howard	614	37	285	404	110	202	5
District 11	1,759	48	747	1,050	199	556	16
Frederick	679	24	283	382	71	190	8
Washington	1,080	24	464	668	128	366	8
District 12	660	2	268	341	50	158	8
Allegany	405	2	185	253	36	116	6
Garrett	155	0	83	88	14	40	2
State Totals	24,694	903	10,798	14,999	5,589	7,131	288

TABLE DC-10
DISTRICT COURT

PEACE ORDER DISPOSITIONS

Fiscal Year 2011

	Cases Filed	Interim Orders Granted	Temporary Orders Granted	Peace Orders Granted	Appeals
District 1	3,302	1,673	2,830	920	9
Baltimore City	3,302	1,673	2,830	920	9
District 2	704	113	617	268	2
Dorchester	105	40	80	58	0
Somerset	60	6	50	29	0
Wicomico	373	48	345	125	1
Worcester	166	19	142	56	1
District 3	669	146	522	270	3
Caroline	117	29	96	56	0
Cecil	268	75	187	83	1
Kent	59	12	44	15	0
Queen Anne's	125	10	120	56	1
Talbot	100	20	75	60	1
District 4	1,226	524	985	531	6
Calvert	281	87	218	96	0
Charles	642	327	516	284	5
St. Mary's	303	110	251	151	1
District 5	4,182	1,491	3,615	1,125	24
Prince George's	4,182	1,491	3,615	1,125	24
District 6	2,160	664	1,640	989	20
Montgomery	2,160	664	1,640	989	20
District 7	1,630	499	1,358	605	7
Anne Arundel	1,630	499	1,358	605	7
District 8	2,260	585	1,896	688	16
Baltimore	2,260	585	1,896	688	16
District 9	532	221	432	295	2
Harford	532	221	432	295	2
District 10	813	224	666	297	3
Carroll	447	105	387	178	2
Howard	366	119	279	119	1
District 11	1,243	361	1,075	503	5
Frederick	514	130	410	188	4
Washington	729	231	665	315	1
District 12	315	121	207	125	0
Allegany	225	75	169	97	0
Garrett	90	46	38	28	0
State Totals	19,036	6,622	15,843	6,616	97

**TABLE CC-5
CIRCUIT COURTS**

**Domestic Violence Protective Order Dispositions
Fiscal Year 2011**

	Temporary Protective Orders Disposed ¹			Final Protective Orders Disposed ¹		
	Orders Granted	Orders Denied/Dismissed ²	Orders Rescinded	Orders Granted	Orders Denied/Dismissed ²	Orders Rescinded
First Circuit	109	60	0	67	87	2
Dorchester	31	8	0	22	24	1
Somerset	27	5	0	12	17	0
Wicomico	45	40	0	28	40	0
Worcester	6	7	0	5	6	1

	Temporary Protective Orders Disposed ¹			Final Protective Orders Disposed ¹		
	Orders Granted	Orders Denied/Dismissed ²	Orders Rescinded	Orders Granted	Orders Denied/Dismissed ²	Orders Rescinded
Second Circuit	115	25	5	87	115	9
Caroline	38	6	3	28	41	2
Cecil	41	4	0	36	52	3
Kent	18	8	0	11	7	3
Queen Anne's	9	7	2	6	12	0
Talbot	9	0	0	6	3	1

	Temporary Protective Orders Disposed ¹			Final Protective Orders Disposed ¹		
	Orders Granted	Orders Denied/Dismissed ²	Orders Rescinded	Orders Granted	Orders Denied/Dismissed ²	Orders Rescinded
Third Circuit	313	137	6	177	270	12
Baltimore	221	111	4	137	164	6
Harford	92	26	2	40	106	6

	Temporary Protective Orders Disposed ¹			Final Protective Orders Disposed ¹		
	Orders Granted	Orders Denied/Dismissed ²	Orders Rescinded	Orders Granted	Orders Denied/Dismissed ²	Orders Rescinded
Fourth Circuit	15	4	0	19	24	2
Allegany	14	4	0	8	8	1
Garrett	0	0	0	0	0	0
Washington	1	0	0	11	16	1

Domestic Violence Protective Order Dispositions--Continued
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	Temporary Protective Orders Disposed ¹			Final Protective Orders Disposed ¹		
	Orders Granted	Orders Denied/Dismissed ²	Orders Rescinded	Orders Granted	Orders Denied/Dismissed ²	Orders Rescinded
Fifth Circuit	386	89	2	245	329	19
Anne Arundel	157	54	2	112	174	10
Carroll	177	22	0	103	113	8
Howard	52	13	0	30	42	1

	Temporary Protective Orders Disposed ¹			Final Protective Orders Disposed ¹		
	Orders Granted	Orders Denied/Dismissed ²	Orders Rescinded	Orders Granted	Orders Denied/Dismissed ²	Orders Rescinded
Sixth Circuit	495	45	0	343	440	2
Frederick	112	27	0	62	72	2
Montgomery	383	18	0	281	368	0

	Temporary Protective Orders Disposed ¹			Final Protective Orders Disposed ¹		
	Orders Granted	Orders Denied/Dismissed ²	Orders Rescinded	Orders Granted	Orders Denied/Dismissed ²	Orders Rescinded
Seventh Circuit	700	231	6	508	720	25
Calvert	64	26	1	39	43	3
Charles	126	27	4	94	93	6
Prince George's	403	155	1	324	543	16
St. Mary's	107	23	0	51	41	0

	Temporary Protective Orders Disposed ¹			Final Protective Orders Disposed ¹		
	Orders Granted	Orders Denied/Dismissed ²	Orders Rescinded	Orders Granted	Orders Denied/Dismissed ²	Orders Rescinded
Eighth Circuit	155	25	0	124	117	4
Baltimore City	155	25	0	124	117	4

	Temporary Protective Orders Disposed ¹			Final Protective Orders Disposed ¹		
	Orders Granted	Orders Denied/Dismissed ²	Orders Rescinded	Orders Granted	Orders Denied/Dismissed ²	Orders Rescinded
STATE TOTALS	2,288	616	19	1,570	2,102	75

¹Temporary and Final Protective Orders Dispositions represent the **first dispositive action** (i.e., granted, denied, dismissed, etc.) on petitions at each stage (Temporary and Final). Totals do not include dispositions on modified, reissued, or extended orders. A single case may have more than one dispositive event occur at the Temporary and/or Final protective order stages, but only the first dispositive event at each stage is recorded in this table.

²Temporary and Final Protective Orders Denied/Dismissed may also include orders withdrawn.