

The Superior Court  
Fiscal Year 2002 \*

CIVIL STATISTICS

Civil Caseload Analysis

| County                | Cases<br>Pending<br>as of<br>7/1/2001 | Cases<br>Entered<br>FY'02 | Cases<br>Disposed<br>FY'02 | Cases<br>Pending<br>as of<br>7/1/2002 | Change<br>in<br>Pending | Dispos<br>/<br>Entries |
|-----------------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|
| BARNSTABLE            | 1,280                                 | 786                       | 908                        | 1,158                                 | -122                    | 116%                   |
| BERKSHIRE             | 557                                   | 452                       | 472                        | 537                                   | -20                     | 104%                   |
| BRISTOL               | 2,087                                 | 1,602                     | 1,655                      | 2,034                                 | -53                     | 103%                   |
| DUKES                 | 134                                   | 69                        | 95                         | 108                                   | -26                     | 138%                   |
| ESSEX                 | 3,748                                 | 2,549                     | 2,437                      | 3,860                                 | 112                     | 96%                    |
| FRANKLIN              | 159                                   | 133                       | 148                        | 144                                   | -15                     | 111%                   |
| HAMPDEN               | 2,156                                 | 1,294                     | 1,501                      | 1,949                                 | -207                    | 116%                   |
| HAMPSHIRE             | 411                                   | 282                       | 292                        | 401                                   | -10                     | 104%                   |
| MIDDLESEX             | 8,664                                 | 5,555                     | 6,136                      | 8,083                                 | -581                    | 110%                   |
| NANTUCKET             | 110                                   | 49                        | 37                         | 122                                   | 12                      | 76%                    |
| NORFOLK               | 3,430                                 | 2,130                     | 2,503                      | 3,057                                 | -373                    | 118%                   |
| PLYMOUTH              | 2,717                                 | 1,540                     | 1,816                      | 2,441                                 | -276                    | 118%                   |
| SUFFOLK               | 8,521                                 | 5,861                     | 5,653                      | 8,729                                 | 208                     | 96%                    |
| WORCESTER             | 4,925                                 | 2,739                     | 2,587                      | 5,077                                 | 152                     | 94%                    |
| <b>Superior Court</b> | <b>38,899</b>                         | <b>25,041</b>             | <b>26,240</b>              | <b>37,700</b>                         | <b>-1,199</b>           | <b>105%</b>            |