

# STATE BAR MANDATORY FEE ARBITRATION PROGRAM STATISTICS

## OCTOBER 1, 2013

INTAKE ACTIVITY	Through SEP. 30, 2013	Through SEP. 30, 2012	At year end <b>2012</b>
Fee Arbitration Requests	63	58	74
Requests with Jurisdiction Challenges or Removal Requests	8	16	20
Enforcement Requests	40	53	64
Phone Intake	3192	4733	5978

ENFORCEMENT ACTIVITY	Through SEP. 30, 2013	Through SEP. 30, 2012	At year end <b>2012</b>
Payment Plan	11	15	18
Orders Filed Assessing Administrative Penalties	12	17	20
Ex Parte App. To Enroll Inactive/Default	0	0	0
Prepare Motion	6	30	33
Motions Filed To Enroll Attorney Inactive	5	7	9
Attorney Placed on Inactive Status	4	2	4

OPEN ARBITRATION CASES CURRENT DISPOSITION	Month of SEP. 2013	Month of SEP. 2012	At year end <b>2012</b>
Jurisdiction Challenges & Removal Requests	2	0	1
Fee Waiver/Filing Fee Due	0	0	0
Request Received/Not Served	3	7	7
Request Served/Reply Due	7	10	11
Ready to Assign	14	10	6
Assigned/No Hearing Set	4	9	12
Notice of Hearing Date Served	5	6	5
Findings & Award Due	16	7	9
Total Cases Currently Open	51	49	51

Closed Status (Arbitration cases, all years)	Through SEP. 30, 2013	Through SEP. 30, 2012	Year end <b>2012</b>
Findings & Award Served	31	24	32
Cases Closed With No Award	30	26	33
Total Cases Closed	61	50	65
Cases Currently in Abeyance	0	4	3

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## INTAKE ACTIVITY 2013

	JAN.	FEB.	MAR.	APR.	MAY	JUN.	JUL.	AUG.	SEP.	OCT.	NOV.	DEC.	YTD	Year End 2012
Fee Arbitration Requests	4	8	7	13	6	8	4	10	3				63	74
Requests with Jurisdiction Challenges or Removal Requests	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	3	0				8	20
Enforcement Requests	4	6	3	8	4	4	5	5	1				40	64
Phone Intake	345	390	435	343	394	322	385	363	317				3192	5978

## ENFORCEMENT ACTIVITY (All cases, all years)

	JAN.	FEB.	MAR.	APR.	MAY	JUN.	JUL.	AUG.	SEP.	OCT.	NOV.	DEC.	YTD	Year End 2012
Orders Filed Assessing Administrative Penalties	0	0	3	2	1	0	0	0	6				12	20
Motions Filed To Enroll Attorney Inactive	2	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0				5	9
Attorney Placed on Inactive Status	0	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	0				4	4
Prepare Motion	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	1	2				6	33
Impose Penalty	1	0	3	1	1	0	1	0	0				7	17
ExParte App. Inactive/Default	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0	0
Attorney on Payment Plan	0	3	1	2	0	1	0	3	1				11	18
Cases Abated	0	1	0	0	0	0	6	0	1				8	7
Cases Paid and Closed	0	3	1	3	3	6	3	3	5				27	49
Cases Closed: Other	3	0	2	1	0	7	3	1	1				18	50

## ARBITRATION CASES: CLOSED STATUS (All Cases, all years)

	JAN.	FEB.	MAR.	APR.	MAY	JUN.	JUL.	AUG.	SEP.	OCT.	NOV.	DEC.	YTD	Year End 2012
Findings & Award Served	1	7	3	3	1	0	1	8	7				31	32
Cases Closed, No Award	1	3	3	3	8	4	2	2	4				30	33
Total Cases Closed	2	10	6	6	9	4	3	10	11				61	65

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## ARBITRATION CASE STATUS REPORT (All Cases, all years)

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	Year End 2013	Year End 2012
Case Forwarded to PA for Jurisdiction Decision	2	1	0	0	3	0	1	0	2					1
Fee Waiver/Filing Fee Due	1	3	2	7	2	1	2	1	0					0
Request Received/Not Served	3	5	3	7	7	8	2	7	3					7
Request Served/Reply Due	7	9	12	12	8	9	7	9	7					11
Ready to Assign	14	14	16	15	11	12	12	11	14					6
Assigned/No Hearing Set	4	4	7	9	12	14	11	10	4					12
Notice of Hearing Date Served	14	4	3	3	5	6	9	9	5					5
Findings & Award Due	8	11	6	4	6	8	14	11	16					9
Total Cases Currently Open	53	51	49	57	54	58	58	58	51					51
Cases Currently in Abeyance	3	3	2	1	1	1	1	1	0					3

## Mandatory Fee Arbitration Requests Filed By Local Bar Programs\*

	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013
1 <sup>st</sup> Quarter	400	418	379	365	266
2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarter	392	409	373	454	323
3 <sup>rd</sup> Quarter	395	449	341	368	
4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter	362	392	392	457	
Total	1549	1668	1485	1516	

\* This number is based on the number of reimbursement requests from local bars. The State Bar pays to participating local bar programs a flat \$50 fee per MFA case assigned to a mediator or arbitrator.