

TYPES OF CONDUCT RESULTING IN DISCIPLINE IN 2022

The types of conduct are listed in order of prevalence. The numbers indicate the number of times each type of conduct resulted in discipline. A single act of misconduct was counted once and assigned to the category most descriptive of the misconduct. If multiple types of misconduct were involved in a single case, each different type of conduct was counted and assigned to the appropriate category. However, if the same type of conduct occurred on multiple occasions in a single case, it was counted only once.

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MISCONDUCT	NUMBER OF ACTS
Demeanor/Decorum	7
Bias or Appearance of Bias Not Directed Toward a Particular Class (includes embroilment, prejudgment, favoritism)	5
Decisional Delay, False Salary Affidavits	4
Failure to Ensure Rights	4
Improper Political Activities	4
Abuse of Contempt/Sanctions	3
Disqualification/Disclosure/Post-Disqualification Conduct	3
Ex Parte Communications	3
Off-bench Abuse of Office/Misuse of Court Information	3
Bias or Appearance of Bias Toward a Particular Class	2
On-bench Abuse of Authority in Performance of Judicial Duties	2
Administrative Malfeasance (includes conflicts between judges, failure to supervise staff, delay in responding to complaints about commissioners)	1
Alcohol or Drug Related Criminal Conduct	1
Miscellaneous Off-bench Conduct	1