

## APPEALS DIVISION

Article X of the state constitution grants employees the right to appeal certain employment actions to the State Civil Service Commission and empowers the Commission to hear and decide such cases.

The goal of the Civil Service Appeals Division is to provide a prompt, inexpensive system for resolving removal, discipline, rule violation, and discrimination cases that satisfies due process requirements.

### Appeals Data for the Past 5 Fiscal Years

	2008- 2009	2009- 2010	2010- 2011	2011- 2012	2012- 2013	Average over a 5- year period
<b>Total Decisions Rendered</b>	130	122	113	116	201	136
<b>Employee won the appeal</b>	4	8	10	11	13	9
<b>Agency won the appeal</b>	107	104	85	88	183	113
<b>Attorney fees only</b>	12	4	9	10	3	8
<b>Dismissed for non-appearance</b>	7	6	9	7	2	6
<b>Investigations</b>	1	0	0	1	1	1
<b>Applications filed with Commission for a review of Referee decision</b>	29	30	20	23	40	28
<b>Decisions Reversed/Remanded by CSC</b>	1	1	3	2	2	2
<b>Decisions appealed to 1<sup>st</sup> Circuit Court of Appeals</b>	14	12	9	6	13	11
<b>Affirmed by 1<sup>st</sup> Circuit Court</b>	10	4	1	2	4	4
<b>Reversed/Remanded by 1<sup>st</sup> Circuit Court</b>	1	0	0	0	1	0
<b>Settled/Dismissed at 1<sup>st</sup> Circuit Court</b>	3	0	4	3	0	2

*Appeals information can be obtained on the Civil Service website or by calling the Appeals Division at (225) 342-8070.*