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APPENDIX C

*EXCERPTS, SUPPLEMENTAL AND FINAL REPORT OF THE SPECIAL
COMMITTEE ON THE MONETARY JURISDICTION OF THE APPELLATE
COURTS (January 24, 1958)**

This report of the special committee of the Appellate Practice Committee of the Missouri Bar supplements the progress report filed and discussed at the January, 1957, meeting of the Missouri Bar committees in Jefferson City. A copy of the previous report was sent to all members of the Appellate Practice Committee. It consisted of seven pages plus ten pages of exhibits. The present report should be read in connection with the previous report, which for convenient reference will be referred to as the 1957 report.

The reports of the Judicial Conference of Missouri pertaining to the appellate courts for the five-year period prior to June 15, 1956, were considered and analyzed in the 1957 report. The reports of the Judicial Conference covering the appellate courts for the further period of June 16, 1956, to June 15, 1957, are now available. The one pertaining to cases in the supreme court for this period is reproduced and attached hereto as Exhibit A. A copy of the other, being the consolidated report on the courts of appeals, is attached hereto as Exhibit B. The cases disposed of with written opinion, the average per man and the writs applied for in each of the appellate courts, as shown by these Exhibits A and B, are as follows:

	SUPREME COURT	ST. LOUIS CT. APP.	KANSAS	
			CITY CT. APP.	SPRINGFIELD CT. APP.
Cases disposed of				
with written opinion	308	109	73	62
Average per man	23.7	21.08	14.6	20.6
Writs applied for	170	18	11	7

For ready reference the same information for the preceding five years, taken from the 1957 report, is as follows:

EXHIBIT A

JUDICIAL CONFERENCE OF MISSOURI
REPORT OF CASES IN THE SUPREME COURT
For the period June 16, 1956, to June 15, 1957

1. Cases pending June 16, 1956	319
2. Appeals and other cases filed during period	672
3. Total cases	991
4. Cases disposed of during period:	
(a) With opinion	308
(b) Without opinion	369
5. Total cases disposed of during period	677
6. Cases pending at end of period	314
7. Writs applied for	170
(a) Number issued	18
(b) Number denied	152
8. Motions for rehearing	110
(a) Sustained	1
(b) Overruled	110

* On file, Missouri Bar Association, Jefferson City, Mo.

9. Cases transferred:		
(a) From Division to Court en Banc	12	
(b) On order of Supreme Court from Court of Appeals	5	
10. Other motions	395	
(a) Sustained	47	
(b) Overruled	336	
11. Number of cases pending under submission and dates of submission	49	

EXHIBIT B

CONSOLIDATED REPORT ON COURTS OF APPEALS

June 16, 1956 to June 15, 1957

	<i>St. Louis Court of Appeals</i>	<i>Kansas City Court of Appeals</i>	<i>Springfield Court of Appeals</i>	<i>Totals</i>
1. Cases pending June 16, 1956	183	110	67	360
2. Appeals and other cases filed	245	181	96	522
3. Total	428	291	163	882
4. Disposed of				
With opinion	109	73	62	244
Without opinion	167	88	41	296
5. Total disposed of	276	161	103	540
6. Pending at end of period	152	130	60	342
7. Writs applied for	18	11	7	36
Issued	8	5	6	19
Denied	9	6	1	16
8. Motions for rehearing	42	31	25	98
Sustained	3	1	0	4
Overruled	39	30	22	91
9. Transferred to Supreme Court				
Lack of jurisdiction	5	4	3	12
Certification and on motion	2	7	2	11
10. Other motions	149	73	25	247
Sustained	123	47	15	185
Overruled	24	26	10	60
11. Pending under submission	19	19	3	41