

## MEDIATION STATISTICS

Period: October - December 2003

	Mediator Approved	Mediator Not Approved	Total
Referrals Pending Beginning of Period	0	3	<b>3</b>
Mediation Orders Entered	3	2	<b>5</b>
Mediation Orders Withdrawn	0	0	<b>0</b>
Settled Prior to Mediation Session	0	0	<b>0</b>
Referrals Pending End of Period	1	3	<b>4</b>
Total Cases Mediated (With MRO) <sup>1</sup>	2	2	<b>4</b>
Cases Mediated (No MRO)	6	8	<b>14<sup>2</sup></b>
<b>Total Cases Mediated</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>18</b>
Mediation Reference Orders, by Division	Mediator Approved	Mediator Not Approved	Total
Omaha	1	2	<b>3</b>
Lincoln	2	0	<b>2</b>
North Platte	0	0	<b>0</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>5</b>
Cases Mediated Without MRO, by Division	Mediator Approved	Mediator Not Approved	Total
Omaha	3	6	<b>9</b>
Lincoln	0	1	<b>1</b>
North Platte	3	1	<b>4</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>14</b>

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<sup>1</sup> "MRO" means "Mediation Reference Order."

<sup>2</sup> Some mediations take place without the entry of a mediation reference order. These cases are counted when they are reported by the attorneys to have settled or when there is a final pretrial conference. If a mediated case ends by involuntary dismissal or summary judgment, however, the court is not informed of the fact or results of that mediation. Thus, there could have been more "No-MRO" mediations than appear in this report.

Outcome of Mediated Cases (MRO)	Mediator Approved	Mediator Not Approved	Total
Full Agreement	1	0	1
Partial Agreement	0	1	1
No Agreement	1	1	2
Outcome of Mediated Cases (No MRO)			
Full Agreement	6	5	11
No/Partial Agreement	0	3	3
<b>Total</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>18</b>
Summary of No/Partial Agreement, After Closure	Mediator Approved	Mediator Not Approved	Total
Trial Settings Pending Beginning of Reporting Period	3	16	19 <sup>3</sup>
No or Partial Agreement, This Period (from above)	1	5	6 <sup>4</sup>
Settled	1	1	2
Judgment Entered Without Trial or Settlement	2	1	3
Transfer to Bankruptcy	0	0	0
Trials Held During Reporting Period	0	0	0
Trial Settings Pending at End of Reporting Period	1	19	20

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<sup>3</sup> Of the 19 trial settings that were pending at the beginning of the reporting period, 1 case settled during this period.

<sup>4</sup> Of the 6 cases that were mediated during the 4th quarter of 2003 and had no agreement, 1 case settled later in this period and 5 cases remain pending for trial.