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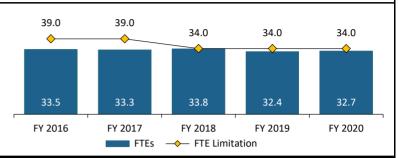
Workforce Summary Document prepared by the State Auditor's Office.

Based on information self-reported by the agency, the following items are noteworthy.

Full-Time Equivalent (FTE) Employees

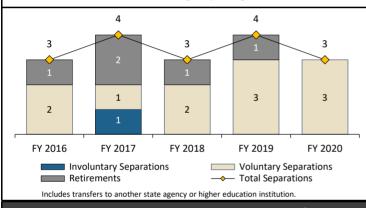
The agency's full-time equivalent (FTE) employee limitation remained in the same in fiscal year 2020 compared with fiscal year 2019. Compared with fiscal year 2016, the agency had a decrease of 0.8 (2.4 percent) in the total number of FTEs.

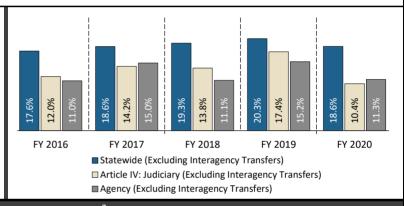
FTEs Below/Above FTE Limitation										
	FY 2016	FY 2016 FY 2017 FY 2018		FY 2019	FY 2020					
FTE Limitation	39.0	39.0	34.0	34.0	34.0					
Number Below or Above Limitation	-5.5	-5.7	-0.2	-1.6	-1.3					
Percent Above or Below Limitation	-14.1%	-14.6%	-0.6%	-4.7%	-3.8%					



Employee Turnover ^a

Excluding interagency transfers, the turnover rate within the agency (11.3 percent) was lower than the statewide turnover rate (18.6 percent) and higher than the turnover rate of Article IV agencies (10.4 percent) during fiscal year 2020. The fiscal year 2020 agency turnover rate including employees who transferred to another state agency or higher education institution was 11.3 percent.





Compensation Information ^a

The average agency salary of \$84,306 in fiscal year 2020 represented an increase of 2.1 percent compared with the average agency salary in fiscal year 2016. In fiscal year 2020, 37.7 percent of employees were paid below the midpoint of the salary range in which they were assigned. Total agency expenditures for salaries and benefits remained the same compared with fiscal year 2016.

	Salary and Benefits Expenditures (in Millions)									
	\$4.3		\$4.3		\$4.3		\$4.3		\$4.3	
	\$0.9		\$0.9		\$0.9		\$0.9		\$0.9	
	\$3.4		\$3.4		\$3.4		\$3.4		\$3.4	
	FY 2016	2016 FY 2017			FY 2018 FY 2019		'	FY 2020		
Salary Expenditures Total (Salary and Benefits) Benefits Expenditures										
	b									

Average Salary Trends										
	FY 2016 FY 2017			F	Y 2018	FY 2019		FY 2020		
Chief Justice	\$ 156,500	\$	156,500	\$	156,500	\$	156,500	\$	187,800	
Agency Average	\$ 82,589	\$	81,962	\$	82,828	\$	84,835	\$	84,306	
Article Average	\$ 73,906	\$	74,776	\$	76,203	\$	77,473	\$	76,201	
Statewide Average	\$ 45,365	\$	46,475	\$	47,506	\$	47,994	\$	49,500	

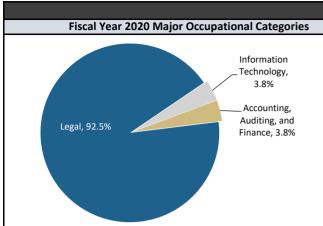
Note: With the exception of the chief justice, the average salary is for classified regular, full-time employees only.

Number of and Total Dollars Spent on Salary Actions

FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2018 FY 2	019 FY 2020		Fisca	Year 2019	Fisc	cal Year 2020	
Salary Ex	penditures	□□□ Ben	efits Expenditures		Actions	Dollars Spent	Actions	Dollars Spent	
→ Total (Sa	lary and Benefits)	Promotions	0	\$ 0	0	\$ 0		
	Salary Ra	nge Distribution	Merits	0	\$ 0	0	\$ 0		
	Employees	Below Midpoint	At or Above Midpoint	One-Time Merits	26	\$ 192,500	21	\$ 21,000	
Salary Schedule A	5.00	0.0%	100.0%	Equity Adjustments	2	\$ 8,167	9	\$ 13,434	
Salary Schedule B	21.50	46.5%	53.5%	Reclassifications	0	\$ 0	13	\$ 0	
Totals	26.50	37.7%	62.3%	Totals	28	\$ 200,667	43	\$ 34,434	
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^a Turnover and salary trends information was taken from the Office of the Comptroller of Public Accounts' Uniform Statewide Payroll/Personnel System and Standardized Payroll/Personnel Reporting System. Unless otherwise indicated, the data reported is for classified regular, full-time and part-time employees. Salary and benefit information was taken from the Office of the Comptroller of Public Accounts' Uniform Statewide Accounting System.

b Includes classified regular, full-time employees only. The total percentage for salary range distribution is not the sum of salary schedules A and B percentages.



Agency Job Classifications

In fiscal year 2020, the employees were classified in the following job titles: Attorney (53.8 percent), Deputy Clerk (18.9 percent), Legal Assistant (7.5 percent), Clerk of the Court (4.7 percent), Accountant (3.8 percent), Chief Deputy Clerk (3.8 percent), Court Law Clerk (3.8 percent), and Network Specialist (3.8 percent).

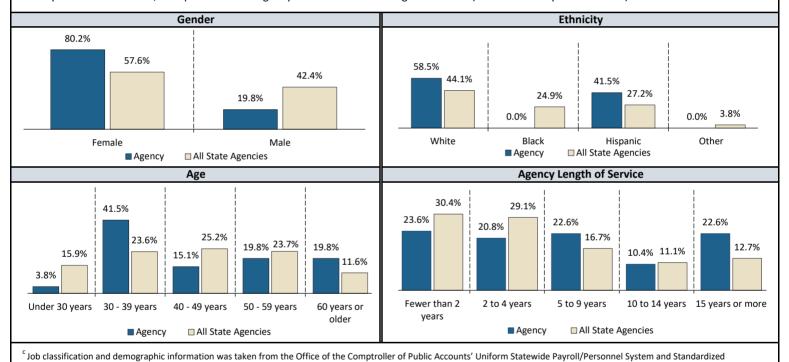
Classification Compliance Audit

During the past two years, this agency was not selected as part of our office's classification compliance audits.

Fiscal Year 2020 Workforce Demographics c

Job Classifications cd

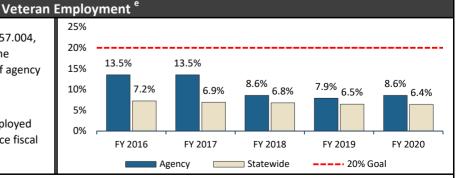
On average, employees at the agency were 46.3 years old and had 8.2 years of agency length of service. Of the agency's employees, 54.7 percent were 40 years old or older, and 44.4 percent had fewer than 5 years of agency length of service. The Employees Retirement System estimates that between fiscal years 2020 and 2024, 31.0 percent of the agency's workforce will be eligible to retire (based on fiscal year 2020 data).



Payroll/Personnel Reporting System. Data includes classified regular, full-time and part-time employees. Demographic data may appear skewed for agencies with fewer than 50 employees.

Effective fiscal year 2016, Texas Government Code, Section 657.004, sets for state agencies a goal of employing veterans in full-time positions equal to at least 20.0 percent of the total number of agency employees.

In fiscal year 2020, the agency's total percent of veterans employed was higher than the statewide average and had increased since fiscal year 2019.



^e Veteran employment information was obtained from the Office of the Comptroller of Public Accounts. Statewide totals include state agencies and higher education institutions.

^d Percentages may not sum exactly due to rounding.