## 201 - Supreme Court of Texas

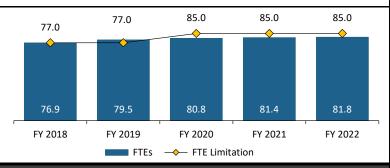
Workforce Summary Document prepared by the State Auditor's Office.

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

#### Full-Time Equivalent (FTE) Employees

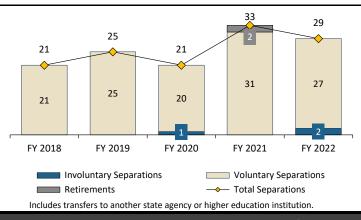
The agency's full-time equivalent (FTE) employee limitation remained the same in fiscal year 2022 when compared with fiscal year 2021. Compared with fiscal year 2018, the agency had an increase of 4.9 (6.4 percent) in the total number of FTEs.

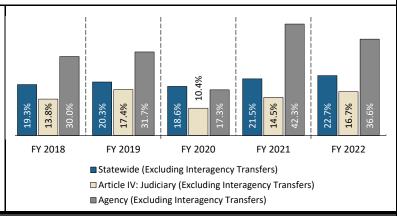
| FTEs Below/Above FTE Limitation      |         |         |         |         |         |  |  |  |  |
|--------------------------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|--|--|--|--|
|                                      | FY 2018 | FY 2019 | FY 2020 | FY 2021 | FY 2022 |  |  |  |  |
| FTE Limitation                       | 77.0    | 77.0    | 85.0    | 85.0    | 85.0    |  |  |  |  |
| Number Below or<br>Above Limitation  | -0.1    | +2.5    | -4.2    | -3.6    | -3.2    |  |  |  |  |
| Percent Above or<br>Below Limitation | -0.1%   | +3.2%   | -4.9%   | -4.2%   | -3.8%   |  |  |  |  |



# Employee Turnover ab

Excluding interagency transfers, the turnover rate within the agency (36.6 percent) was higher than the statewide turnover rate (22.7 percent) and higher than the turnover rate of Article IV agencies (16.7 percent) during fiscal year 2022. The fiscal year 2022 agency turnover rate including employees who transferred to another state agency or higher education institution was 37.9 percent.





### Compensation Information <sup>a</sup>

The average agency salary of \$76,386 in fiscal year 2022 represented an increase of 7.8 percent compared with the average agency salary in fiscal year 2018. In fiscal year 2022, 29.1 percent of employees were paid below the midpoint of the salary range to which they were assigned. Total agency expenditures for salaries and benefits were higher compared with fiscal year 2018.

| Salary and Benefits Expenditures (in Millions) |  |         |         |         |         |  |  |  |  |  |
|--|--|---------|---------|---------|---------|--|--|--|--|--|
|  | \$8.1  | \$8.8   | \$9.1   | \$9.7   | \$9.8   |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | \$6.4  | \$7.0   | \$7.2   | \$7.8   | \$7.8   |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | FY 2018  | FY 2019 | FY 2020 | FY 2021 | FY 2022 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Salary Expenditures  —— Total (Salary and Benefits)  Benefits Expenditures |         |         |         |         |  |  |  |  |  |

| Average Salary Trends |            |    |         |           |         |         |         |         |         |  |
|-----------------------|------------|----|---------|-----------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|--|
|                       | FY 2018 F  |    | Y 2019  | 9 FY 2020 |         | FY 2021 |         | FY 2022 |         |  |
| Chief Justice         | \$ 170,500 | \$ | 170,500 | \$        | 204,600 | \$      | 204,600 | \$      | 204,600 |  |
| Agency Average        | \$ 70,850  | \$ | 71,493  | \$        | 74,871  | \$      | 74,994  | \$      | 76,386  |  |
| Article Average       | \$ 76,203  | \$ | 77,473  | \$        | 76,201  | \$      | 76,813  | \$      | 78,147  |  |
| Statewide Average     | \$ 47,506  | \$ | 47,994  | \$        | 49,500  | \$      | 50,590  | \$      | 53,525  |  |

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

| FY 2018 I                              | -Y 2019 F  | Y 2020 FY 20   | 21 FY 2022           | Number of Salary Actions |         |         |    |    |    |  |  |  |
|--|------------|----------------|----------------------|--------------------------|---------|---------|----|----|----|--|--|--|
| Salary Exp                             |            | FY 2018        | FY 2019              | FY 2020                  | FY 2021 | FY 2022 |    |    |    |  |  |  |
| → Total (Sala                          | Promotions | 6              | 0                    | 7                        | 0       | 11      |    |    |    |  |  |  |
| Salary Range Distribution <sup>c</sup> |            |                | Merits               | 3                        | 0       | 70      | 4  | 3  |    |  |  |  |
|  | Employees  | Below Midpoint | At or Above Midpoint | One-Time Merits          | 3       | 45      | 2  | 48 | 35 |  |  |  |
| Salary Schedule A                      | 7.00       | 82.1%          | 17.9%                | Equity Adjustments       | 0       | 0       | 0  | 0  | 0  |  |  |  |
| Salary Schedule B                      | 69.50      | 23.7%          | 76.3%                | Reclassifications        | 0       | 0       | 0  | 0  | 9  |  |  |  |
| Totals                                 | 76.50      | 29.1%          | 70.9%                | Totals                   | 12      | 45      | 79 | 52 | 58 |  |  |  |

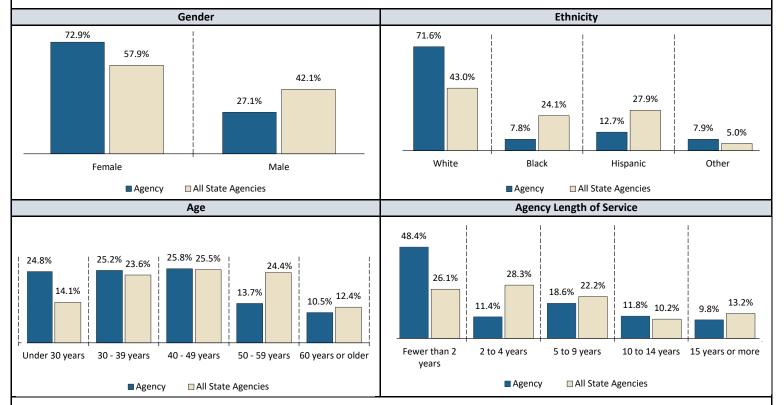
<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup> Turnover and salary trends information was taken from the Office of the Comptroller of Public Accounts' Uniform Statewide Payroll/Personnel System and Standardized Payroll/Personnel Reporting System. Unless otherwise indicated, the data reported is for classified regular, full-time and part-time employees. Salary and benefit information was taken from the Office of the Comptroller of Public Accounts' Uniform Statewide Accounting System.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>b</sup> This agency's turnover rate includes law clerks that serve one-year terms.

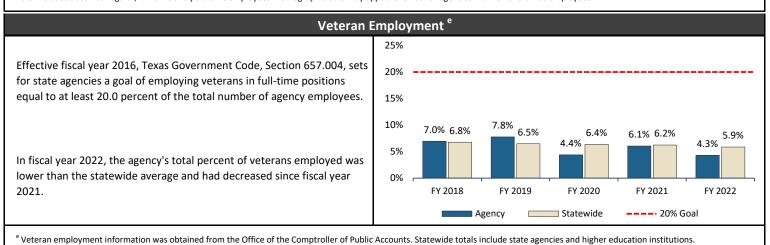
c Includes classified regular, full-time employees only. The total percentage for salary range distribution is not the sum of salary schedules A and B percentages.

### Fiscal Year 2022 Workforce Demographics d

On average, employees at the agency were 41.8 years old and had 5.5 years of agency length of service. Of the agency's employees, 50.0 percent were 40 years old or older, and 59.8 percent had fewer than 5 years of agency length of service. The Employees Retirement System estimates that between fiscal years 2022 and 2026, 10.0 percent of the agency's workforce will be eligible to retire (based on fiscal year 2022 data).



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