

Boards and Commissions Survey Report

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Survey Questions Asked

- **1.** What year was your **group -- meaning, board or commission** -- established?
- **2.** Was the group formed by state statute, the governor, the judicial branch, or other?
- **3.** Describe the public purposes fulfilled by the group
- **4.** Is your group required to comply with any national certification requirements?
- **5.** Does your group oversee any individuals or entities that must comply with any national certification requirements? If yes, please describe
- **6.** How does your group meet the needs of its constituency base?
- **7.** If you feel your group meets the needs of its constituency base, how can this be verified?
- **8.** List groups or individuals (including contact information) that can verify that your group addresses your constituency's needs.
- **9.** What specific recommendations has your group provided or implemented during the past year that have resulted in a benefit or cost savings:
 - a. To your organization? Describe the resulting benefits or cost savings.
 - b. To your constituency? Describe the resulting benefits or cost savings.
- **10.** Should your group be repealed? Please explain.
- **11.** How many members does your group include?
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Survey Questions Asked - Continued

- **12.** How many of your group's members are State Employees?
- **13.** On average, how many group members attended each group meeting last year?
 - *Please provide the average number of attendees for 2010*
- **14.** How many group members are eligible for per diem compensation?
- **15.** How many group members accept *per diem* compensation?
- **16.** What is the total amount of *per diem* payments and expense reimbursements paid to group members annually?
- **17.** Estimate the total cost to operate your group for one year (include *per diem* payments, expense reimbursements, supply costs, staff costs, etc.)
- **18.** Estimate the total amount of hours that staff members spend supporting your group each year.
- **19.** Is your group required by federal statute? If "Yes" please provide citation.
- **20.** How many times did your group meet during the last year? (2010)'
- **21.** What subcommittees, if any, does your group have?
- **22.** What subcommittees are required by statute?
- **23.** Has your group adopted, or does your group use any bylaws, policies, or operating protocols independent of state statute?

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Response overview

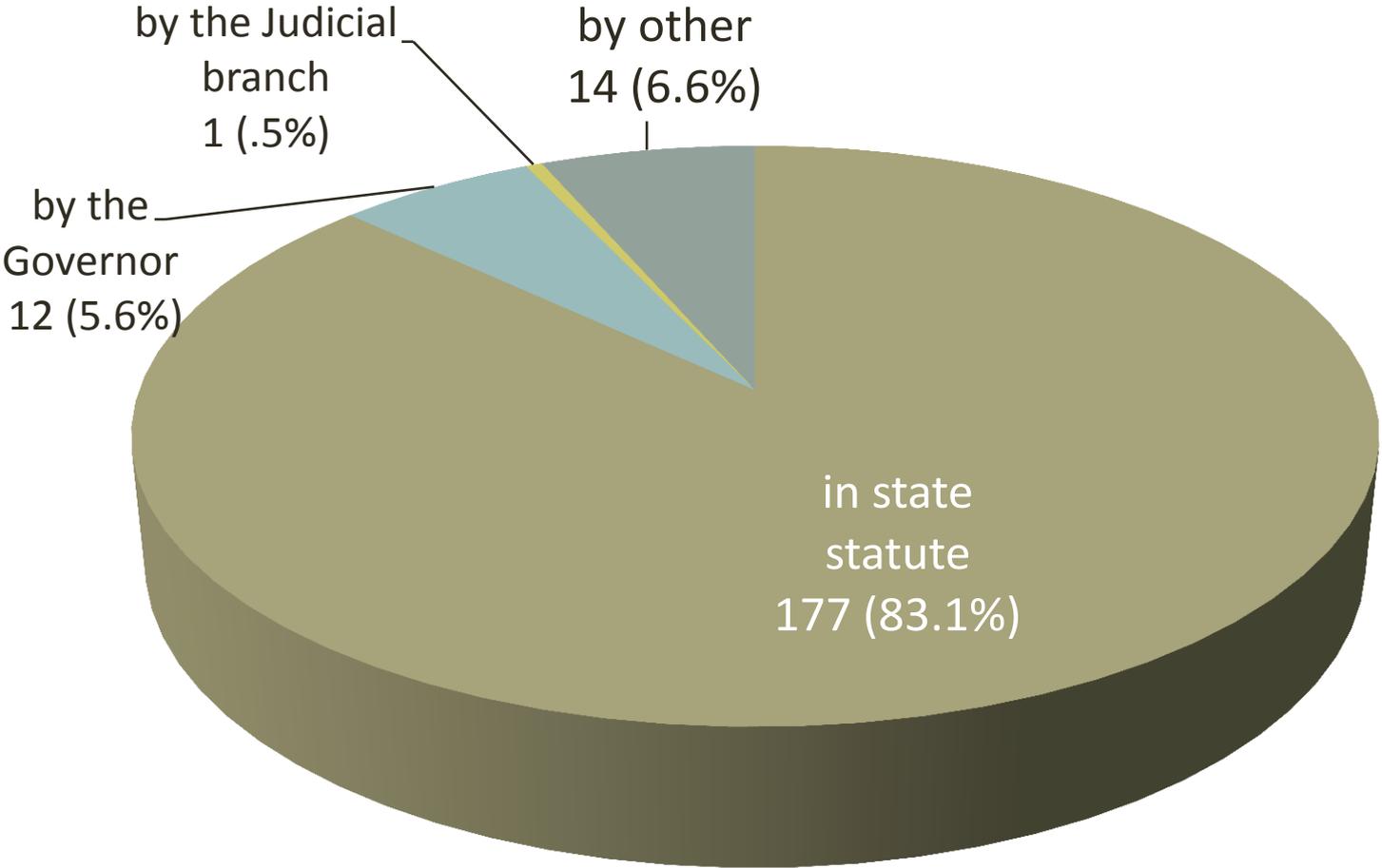
- 370 invited to participate
- 213 responded
- *(data reflects 204 – courts w/multiple districts submitted one report)*

57.57 % response rate

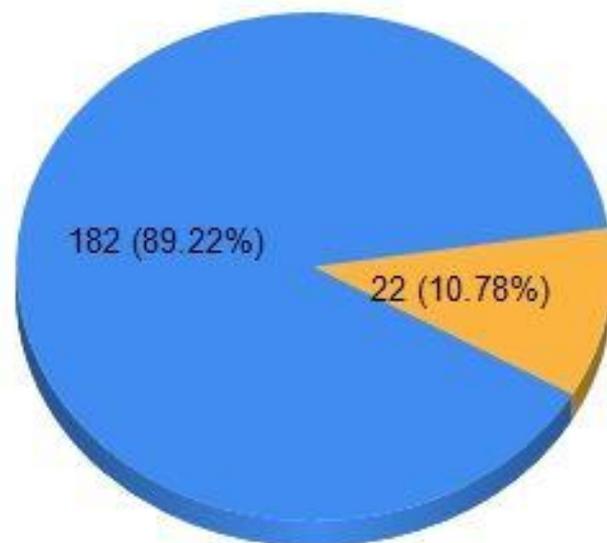
Summary of Responses

	How many members does your group include?	How many of your group's members are State Employees?	How many times did your group meet during the last year?	On average, how many group members attended each group meeting last year?	How many group members are eligible for per diem compensation?	How many group members accept per diem compensation?	What is the total amount of per diem payments and expense reimbursements paid to group members annually?	Estimate the total cost to operate your group for one year (include per diem payments, expense reimbursements, supply costs, staff costs, etc.)	Estimate the total amount of hours that staff members spend supporting your group each year
Total:	2224	532	1283	1675	1233	638	\$1,287,524.25	\$37,379,289.49	357564
Average:	11.1	2.7	5.4	8.9	6.2	3.2	\$6,437.62	\$186,896.45	1787.82

This Group was formed:

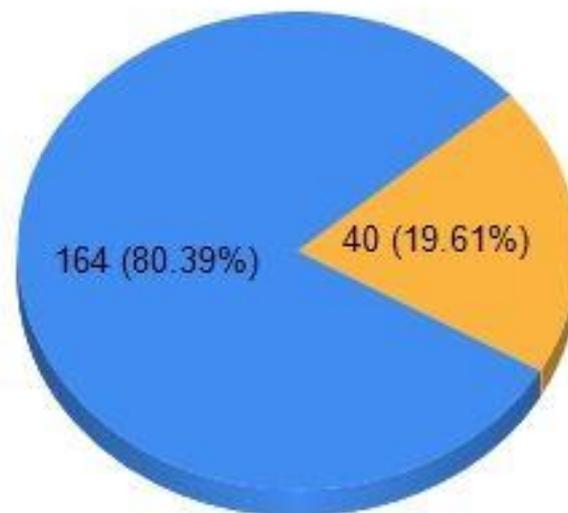


Is your group required to comply with any national certification requirements?



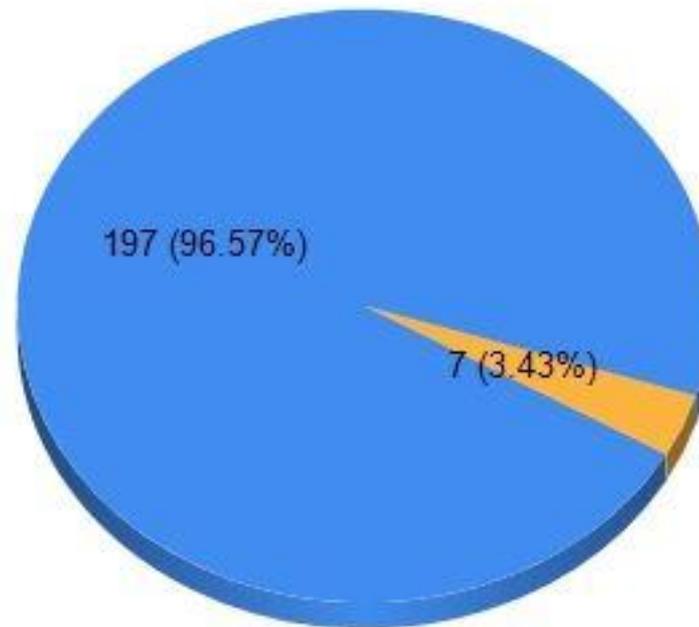
■ No ■ Yes

Does your group oversee any individuals or entities that must comply with any national certification requirements?



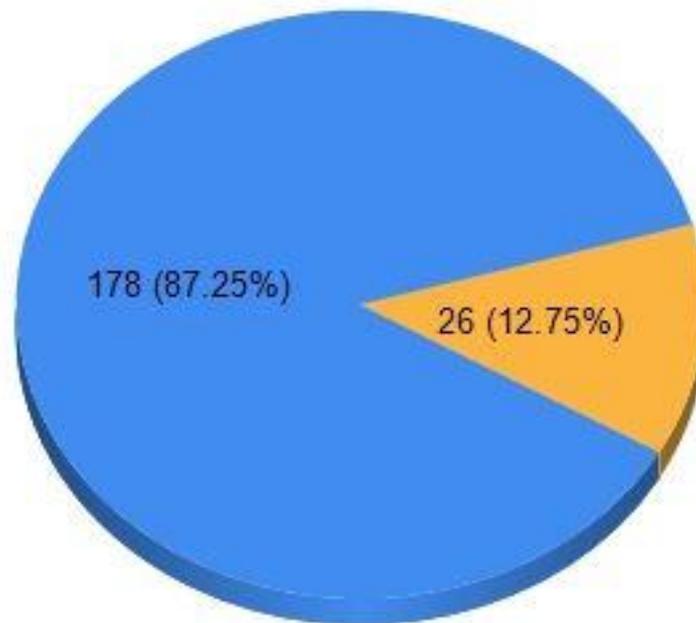
No **Yes**

Should your group be repealed?



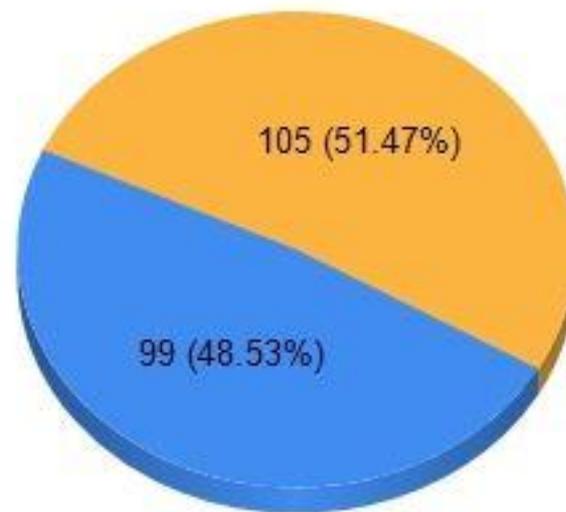
■ No ■ Yes

Is your group required by federal statute?



■ No ■ Yes

Has your group adopted, or does your group use any bylaws, policies, or operating protocols independent of state statute?



No **Yes**

Options:

- Continue survey
- Open a bill file to repeal statutorily created boards and commissions that agree they should be repealed
- Discontinue survey

Questions?

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