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## Tennessee Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges Summary Report Based on Number of Reported Cases January - December 2012

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Juvenile Court: **DeKalb**

Court Number: **21**

Cases Disposed or Adjusted: **170**

Children: **143**

General characteristics of these cases follow:

### Referral Reasons Before Amended Charges:

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|    |        |  |
|----|--------|--|
| 1  | 0.56%  | Criminal Homicide                        |
| 0  | 0.00%  | 1st Degree Murder                        |
| 0  | 0.00%  | 2nd Degree Murder                        |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Aggravated Rape                          |
| 1  | 0.56%  | Rape of a Child                          |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Aggravated Vehicular Homicide            |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Esp. Aggravated Robbery                  |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Esp. Aggravated Kidnapping               |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Aggravated Robbery                       |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Aggravated Kidnapping                    |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Aggravated Child Abuse / Neglect         |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Aggravated Sexual Battery                |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Rape                                     |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Voluntary Manslaughter                   |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Vehicular Homicide                       |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Sexual Abuse of a Child                  |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Other Sexual Offenses                    |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Aggravated Assault                       |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Robbery                                  |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Criminally Negligent Homicide            |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Attempt to Commit a Crime Against Person |
| 21 | 11.73% | Assault                                  |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Reckless Endangerment                    |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Aggravated Arson                         |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Arson                                    |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Aggravated Burglary                      |
| 13 | 7.26%  | Theft of Property                        |
| 3  | 1.68%  | Vandalism                                |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Forgery                                  |



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|    |        |   |
|----|--------|---|
| 0  | 0.00%  | Worthless Checks  |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Illegal Possession / Fraudulent Use of Credit / Debit Cards |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Burglary  |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Unauthorized Use of a Vehicle                               |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Cruelty to Animals  |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Sale of Controlled Substances                               |
| 2  | 1.12%  | Other Drug Offenses   |
| 3  | 1.68%  | Possession of Controlled Substances                         |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Criminal Attempt  |
| 2  | 1.12%  | Carrying Weapons on School Property                         |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Unlawful Carrying / Possession of a Weapon                  |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Evading Arrest  |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Escape  |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Driving Under Influence (DUI)                               |
| 3  | 1.68%  | Possession / Consumption of Alcohol                         |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Resisting Stop, Frisk, Halt, Arrest or Search               |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Aggravated Criminal Trespass                                |
| 1  | 0.56%  | Harassment  |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Failure to Appear   |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Filing a False Police Report                                |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Criminal Impersonation                                      |
| 6  | 3.35%  | Disorderly Conduct  |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Criminal Trespass   |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Public Intoxication   |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Gambling  |
| 44 | 24.58% | Traffic   |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Local Ordinances  |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Violation of Wildlife Regulations                           |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Contempt of Court   |
| 13 | 7.26%  | Violation of Probation                                      |



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|            |                |                                  |
|------------|----------------|----------------------------------|
| 0          | 0.00%          | Violation of Aftercare           |
| 16         | 8.94%          | Unruly Behavior                  |
| 18         | 10.06%         | Truancy                          |
| 7          | 3.91%          | In-State Runaway                 |
| 0          | 0.00%          | Out-of-State Runaway             |
| 15         | 8.38%          | Possession of Tobacco Products   |
| 1          | 0.56%          | Violation of a Valid Court Order |
| 5          | 2.79%          | Violation of Curfew              |
| 4          | 2.23%          | Sexually Abused Child            |
| 0          | 0.00%          | Physically Abused Child          |
| 0          | 0.00%          | Dependency / Neglect             |
| 0          | 0.00%          | Termination of Parental Rights   |
| 0          | 0.00%          | Violation of Pretrial Diversion  |
| 0          | 0.00%          | Violation of Informal Adjustment |
| 0          | 0.00%          | Judicial Review                  |
| 0          | 0.00%          | Administrative Review            |
| 0          | 0.00%          | Foster Care Review               |
| 0          | 0.00%          | Custody                          |
| 0          | 0.00%          | Visitation                       |
| 0          | 0.00%          | Paternity / Legitimation         |
| 0          | 0.00%          | Child Support                    |
| 0          | 0.00%          | Request for Medical Treatment    |
| 0          | 0.00%          | Consent to Marry                 |
| 0          | 0.00%          | Other                            |
| <b>179</b> | <b>100.00%</b> | <b>Total Referrals</b>           |

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### Referral Sources: 1

|            |                |                               |
|------------|----------------|-------------------------------|
| 70         | 39.11%         | Law Enforcement               |
| 10         | 5.59%          | Parents                       |
| 2          | 1.12%          | Relatives                     |
| 0          | 0.00%          | Self                          |
| 64         | 35.75%         | School                        |
| 0          | 0.00%          | CSA                           |
| 6          | 3.35%          | DCS                           |
| 15         | 8.38%          | Other State Department        |
| 0          | 0.00%          | District Attorney's Office    |
| 2          | 1.12%          | Court Staff                   |
| 0          | 0.00%          | Social Agency                 |
| 0          | 0.00%          | Other Court                   |
| 9          | 5.03%          | Victim                        |
| 0          | 0.00%          | Child & Parent                |
| 0          | 0.00%          | Hospital                      |
| 0          | 0.00%          | Unknown                       |
| 1          | 0.56%          | Other                         |
| <b>179</b> | <b>100.00%</b> | <b>Total Referral Sources</b> |

### Age of Child at Referral: 2

|            |                |                          |
|------------|----------------|--------------------------|
| 7          | 4.90%          | Ages 10 and Under        |
| 6          | 4.20%          | Ages 11 through 12       |
| 18         | 12.59%         | Ages 13 through 14       |
| 62         | 43.36%         | Ages 15 through 16       |
| 50         | 34.97%         | Ages 17 through 18       |
| 0          | 0.00%          | Ages 19 and Over         |
| 0          | 0.00%          | Unknown                  |
| <b>143</b> | <b>100.00%</b> | <b>Total Child Count</b> |

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**Sex of Child: 1**

|     |         |                          |
|-----|---------|--------------------------|
| 104 | 72.73%  | Male                     |
| 39  | 27.27%  | Female                   |
| 0   | 0.00%   | Unknown                  |
| 143 | 100.00% | <b>Total Child Count</b> |

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**Race of Child: 1**

|     |         |                          |
|-----|---------|--------------------------|
| 124 | 86.71%  | White                    |
| 5   | 3.50%   | African American         |
| 0   | 0.00%   | Native American          |
| 1   | 0.70%   | Asian                    |
| 2   | 1.40%   | Mixed                    |
| 11  | 7.69%   | Unknown                  |
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**Hispanic Origin: 1**

|     |         |                          |
|-----|---------|--------------------------|
| 11  | 7.69%   | Yes                      |
| 122 | 85.31%  | No                       |
| 10  | 6.99%   | Unknown                  |
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**School Enrollment of Children: 1**

|     |         |                          |
|-----|---------|--------------------------|
| 111 | 77.62%  | Yes                      |
| 3   | 2.10%   | No                       |
| 29  | 20.28%  | Unknown                  |
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### Living Arrangement of Child at Time of Referral: 1

|            |                |                              |
|------------|----------------|------------------------------|
| 24         | 16.78%         | With Both Biological Parents |
| 0          | 0.00%          | With Father and Stepmother   |
| 10         | 6.99%          | With Mother and Stepfather   |
| 50         | 34.97%         | With Mother                  |
| 8          | 5.59%          | With Father                  |
| 14         | 9.79%          | With Relatives               |
| 1          | 0.70%          | With Adoptive Parents        |
| 1          | 0.70%          | With Foster Family           |
| 18         | 12.59%         | In a Group Home              |
| 1          | 0.70%          | In a Residential Center      |
| 0          | 0.00%          | In an Institution            |
| 1          | 0.70%          | Independent                  |
| 15         | 10.49%         | Unknown                      |
| 0          | 0.00%          | Other                        |
| <b>143</b> | <b>100.00%</b> | <b>Total Child Count</b>     |

### Type of Detention: 2

|            |                |                              |
|------------|----------------|------------------------------|
| 0          | 0.00%          | Non-Secure Placement         |
| 10         | 5.88%          | Juvenile Detention Facility  |
| 2          | 1.18%          | Jail - Complete Separation   |
| 0          | 0.00%          | Jail - Partial Separation    |
| 0          | 0.00%          | Jail - No Separation         |
| 0          | 0.00%          | Psychiatric Hospital         |
| 0          | 0.00%          | Unknown                      |
| 157        | 92.35%         | Does Not Apply               |
| 1          | 0.59%          | Other                        |
| <b>170</b> | <b>100.00%</b> | <b>Total Detention Count</b> |

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**Placement After Secure Detention Hearing: 1**

|            |                |                                      |
|------------|----------------|--------------------------------------|
| 7          | 4.12%          | Returned to Prior Living Arrangement |
| 0          | 0.00%          | Juvenile Detention Facility          |
| 0          | 0.00%          | Jail                                 |
| 2          | 1.18%          | Shelter / Group Home                 |
| 0          | 0.00%          | Foster Family Home                   |
| 0          | 0.00%          | Psychiatric Hospital                 |
| 0          | 0.00%          | Unknown                              |
| 158        | 92.94%         | Does Not Apply                       |
| 3          | 1.76%          | Other                                |
| <b>170</b> | <b>100.00%</b> | <b>Total Placement Count</b>         |

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**Intake Actions: 2**

|            |                |                                     |
|------------|----------------|-------------------------------------|
| 110        | 61.45%         | Petition Filed                      |
| 0          | 0.00%          | Motion Filed                        |
| 69         | 38.55%         | Citation Processed                  |
| 0          | 0.00%          | Notification of Paternity Processed |
| 0          | 0.00%          | Scheduling of Judicial Review       |
| 0          | 0.00%          | Scheduling of Administrative Review |
| 0          | 0.00%          | Scheduling of Foster Care Review    |
| 0          | 0.00%          | Unknown                             |
| 0          | 0.00%          | Does Not Apply                      |
| 0          | 0.00%          | Other                               |
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**Last Grade Completed by Child: 1**

|    |        |                       |
|----|--------|-----------------------|
| 0  | 0.00%  | Too Young for School  |
| 1  | 0.70%  | Preschool             |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Kindergarten          |
| 0  | 0.00%  | 1st Grade             |
| 0  | 0.00%  | 2nd Grade             |
| 0  | 0.00%  | 3rd Grade             |
| 1  | 0.70%  | 4th Grade             |
| 1  | 0.70%  | 5th Grade             |
| 1  | 0.70%  | 6th Grade             |
| 1  | 0.70%  | 7th Grade             |
| 9  | 6.29%  | 8th Grade             |
| 13 | 9.09%  | 9th Grade             |
| 13 | 9.09%  | 10th Grade            |
| 12 | 8.39%  | 11th Grade            |
| 0  | 0.00%  | 12th Grade            |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Non-Graded Special Ed |
| 0  | 0.00%  | GED                   |
| 1  | 0.70%  | Graduated             |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Never Attended School |
| 89 | 62.24% | Unknown               |
| 1  | 0.70%  | Other                 |

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|            |                |                          |
|------------|----------------|--------------------------|
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|------------|----------------|--------------------------|

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**Enrolled in Special Education: 1**

|    |        |         |
|----|--------|---------|
| 3  | 2.10%  | Yes     |
| 50 | 34.97% | No      |
| 90 | 62.94% | Unknown |

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**Action Executed By: 1**

|     |         |                           |
|-----|---------|---------------------------|
| 179 | 100.00% | Judge                     |
| 0   | 0.00%   | Magistrate                |
| 0   | 0.00%   | YSO                       |
| 0   | 0.00%   | Other                     |
| 0   | 0.00%   | Unknown                   |
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**Formal / Informal Actions: 1**

|     |         |  |
|-----|---------|--|
| 69  | 38.55%  | Dismissed                                  |
| 0   | 0.00%   | Retired / Nolle Prosequi                   |
| 45  | 25.14%  | Complaint Substantiated Delinquent         |
| 45  | 25.14%  | Complaint Substantiated Status Offender    |
| 0   | 0.00%   | Complaint Substantiated Dependent/Neglect  |
| 0   | 0.00%   | Complaint Substantiated Abused             |
| 0   | 0.00%   | Complaint Substantiated Mentally Ill       |
| 0   | 0.00%   | Informal Adjustment                        |
| 17  | 9.50%   | Pretrial Diversion                         |
| 0   | 0.00%   | Transfer to Adult Court Hearing            |
| 0   | 0.00%   | Charges Cleared by Transfer to Adult Court |
| 0   | 0.00%   | Special Proceeding                         |
| 0   | 0.00%   | Review Concluded                           |
| 0   | 0.00%   | Case Held Open                             |
| 3   | 1.68%   | Other                                      |
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**Case Outcomes:**

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|    |        |  |
|----|--------|--|
| 51 | 13.67% | Case Dismissed                                       |
| 1  | 0.27%  | Case Retired or Nolle Prosequi                       |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Warned / Counseled                                   |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Held Open For Review                                 |
| 13 | 3.49%  | Supervision / Probation to Juvenile Court            |
| 8  | 2.14%  | Probation to Parents                                 |
| 2  | 0.54%  | Referral to Another Entity for Supervision / Service |
| 4  | 1.07%  | Referred for Mental Health Counseling                |
| 6  | 1.61%  | Referred for Alcohol and Drug Counseling             |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Referred to Alternative School                       |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Referred to Private Child Agency                     |
| 20 | 5.36%  | Referred to Defensive Driving School                 |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Referred to Alcohol Safety School                    |
| 35 | 9.38%  | Referred to Juvenile Court Education-Based Program   |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Driver's License Held Informally                     |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Voluntary Placement with DMHMR                       |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Private Mental Health Placement                      |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Private MR Placement                                 |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Placement with City/County Agency/Facility           |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Placement with Relative / Other Individual           |
| 3  | 0.80%  | Fine   |
| 70 | 18.77% | Public Service                                       |
| 6  | 1.61%  | Restitution  |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Runaway Returned                                     |
| 3  | 0.80%  | No Contact Order                                     |
| 1  | 0.27%  | Injunction Other than No Contact Order               |
| 18 | 4.83%  | House Arrest   |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Court Defined Curfew                                 |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Dismissed from Informal Adjustment                   |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Dismissed from Pretrial Diversion                    |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Released from Probation                              |
| 0  | 0.00%  | Transferred to Adult Court                           |
| 0  | 0.00%  | DMHMR Involuntary Commitment                         |



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|------------|----------------|---|
| 1          | 0.27%          | DCS Commitment - Determinate                          |
| 6          | 1.61%          | DCS Commitment - Custody                              |
| 3          | 0.80%          | DCS Commitment - Suspended                            |
| 0          | 0.00%          | DCS Intensive Probation                               |
| 0          | 0.00%          | Other Intensive Probation                             |
| 9          | 2.41%          | DCS Probation   |
| 0          | 0.00%          | Placed Under a Valid Court Order                      |
| 0          | 0.00%          | Supervision by DCS                                    |
| 4          | 1.07%          | Transferred to Another Juvenile Court for Disposition |
| 0          | 0.00%          | Parental Rights Terminated                            |
| 0          | 0.00%          | Parental Rights Not Terminated                        |
| 1          | 0.27%          | Order of Reference to DCS                             |
| 102        | 27.35%         | Court Costs   |
| 0          | 0.00%          | Foster Care Terminated                                |
| 0          | 0.00%          | Foster Care Continued                                 |
| 1          | 0.27%          | Custody Changed                                       |
| 0          | 0.00%          | Custody Unchanged                                     |
| 0          | 0.00%          | Visitation Changed                                    |
| 0          | 0.00%          | Visitation Unchanged                                  |
| 0          | 0.00%          | Voluntary Acknowledgement of Paternity                |
| 0          | 0.00%          | Paternity Determined / Child Legitimated              |
| 0          | 0.00%          | Paternity Not Determined / Child Not Legitimated      |
| 2          | 0.54%          | Child Support Granted                                 |
| 0          | 0.00%          | Child Support Amended                                 |
| 0          | 0.00%          | Child Support Denied                                  |
| 0          | 0.00%          | Child Support Terminated                              |
| 0          | 0.00%          | Request for Medical Treatment Granted                 |
| 0          | 0.00%          | Request for Medical Treatment Denied                  |
| 0          | 0.00%          | Consent to Marry Granted                              |
| 0          | 0.00%          | Consent to Marry Denied                               |
| 3          | 0.80%          | Other   |
| <b>373</b> | <b>100.00%</b> | <b>Total Outcome Count</b>                            |

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