## ANNUAL REPORT 2024





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#### **INSURER SOLVENCY & ACCREDITATION**

The mission of the Kansas Department of Insurance is to regulate, educate and advocate. The Department carries this out through several key facets including the financial examination process, whereby domestic insurers are verified to have enough capital on hand to remain solvent to pay claims.

The Department must ensure the solvency of all insurance companies that transact business in the state of Kansas in order to protect consumers. The Department routinely conducts financial examinations of all domestic insurers every three to five years.

During 2024, the Department completed a total of ten full-scope financial examinations on domestic insurers. The results of these examinations are publicly available, and posted on the Department's website:

https://insurance.ks.gov/otherservices/financial-exams.php.

The Kansas Department of Insurance is accredited by the National Association of Insurance Commissioners (NAIC), an interstate association comprised of the insurance regulators from the fifty states, five territories and the District of Columbia. To achieve this accreditation, regulators must meet stringent national standards that demonstrate effective insurance company financial solvency regulation.

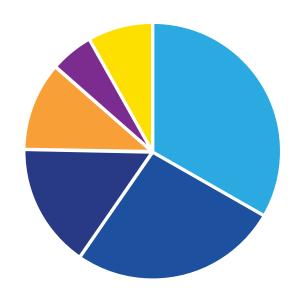
The Department views accreditation by the NAIC as a commitment to consumers to institute the highest standards in financial regulation of the insurance industry in Kansas. The accreditation review is repeated every five years to affirm that the Kansas Department of Insurance continues to meet all requirements. The Department was re-accredited in December 2022 by the NAIC.

#### VIEW OUR OTHER PUBLICATIONS



https://insurance.ks.gov/department/publications.php

#### 2024 OVERVIEW



# Consumer Complaints by Line

Accident/Health: 1332

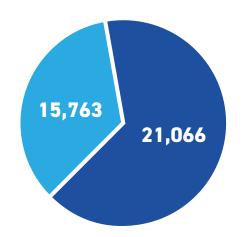
Auto: 1060 Home: 708

Life/Annuities: 347

**Other: 213** 

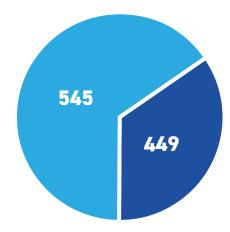
Long-Term Care: 76





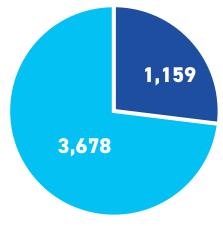
Number of Calls Total: 36,829

Licensing: 15,763 Consumers: 21,066



Number of Chats Total: 994

Licensing: 545 Consumers: 449



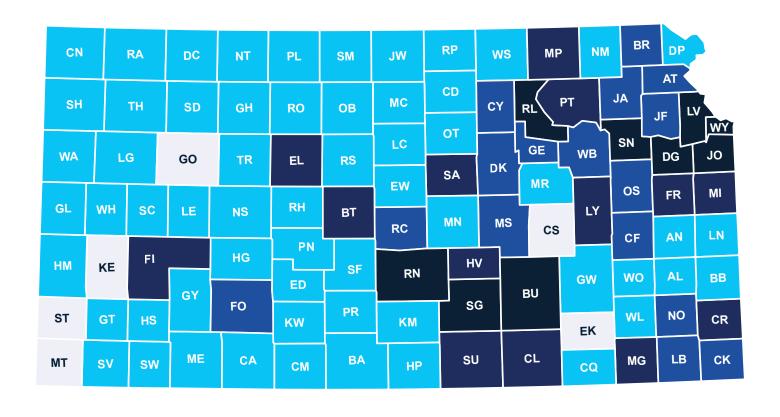
Consumer Interactions Totals: 4,837

Complaints: 3,678 Inquiries: 1,159

INTRODUCTION

## 2024 NUMBER OF COMPLAINTS BY COUNTY

Kansas consumer complaints regarding annuities, auto, health, life, property or business policies.





## 2024 MONEY RECOVERED BY COUNTY

Allen	\$8,776.00	Finney	\$174,128.86	Logan	\$0.00	Rooks	\$61.80
Anderson	\$0.00	Ford	\$53,061.58	Lyon	\$5,146.27	Rush	\$27,276.28
Atchison	\$58,184.00	Franklin	\$45,047.10	Marion	\$84.93	Russell	\$3,447.05
Barber	\$0.00	Geary	\$16,446.59	Marshall	\$390,148.05	Saline	\$207,851.35
Barton	\$131,331.63	Gove	\$0.00	McPherson	\$147,717.48	Scott	\$490,005.57
Bourbon	\$398.00	Graham	\$0.00	Meade	\$5,720.87	Sedgwick	\$1,490,565.11
Brown	\$7,652.00	Grant	\$0.00	Miami	\$68,143.65	Seward	\$3,799.73
Butler	\$137,441.85	Gray	\$0.00	Mitchell	\$0.00	Shawnee	\$1,624,948.81
Chase	\$0.00	Greeley	\$0.00	Montgomery	\$17,440.45	Sheridan	\$0.00
Chautauqua	\$1,678.00	Greenwood	\$117,625.00	Morris	\$63,191.88	Sherman	\$0.00
Cherokee	\$20,126.67	Hamilton	\$49,415.87	Morton	\$0.00	Smith	\$41,575.49
Cheyenne	\$0.00	Harper	\$0.00	Nemaha	\$0.00	Stafford	\$36,182.62
Clark	\$0.00	Harvey	\$47,694.69	Neosho	\$430,999.13	Stanton	\$0.00
Clay	\$4,043.35	Haskell	\$0.00	Ness	\$100,924.10	Stevens	\$8,362.41
Cloud	\$12,901.02	Hodgeman	\$0.00	Norton	\$0.00	Sumner	\$107,158.44
Coffey	\$68,564.02	Jackson	\$15,917.98	Osage	\$17,178.91	Thomas	\$0.00
Comanche	\$0.00	Jefferson	\$63,663.60	Osborne	\$0.00	Trego	\$2,014.73
Cowley	\$40,038.71	Jewell	\$0.00	Ottawa	\$230,048.87	Wabaunsee	\$9,262.55
Crawford	\$19,482.55	Johnson	\$1,746,504.04	Pawnee	\$10,525.11	Wallace	\$0.00
Decatur	\$0.00	Kearny	\$0.00	Phillips	\$35,078.39	Washington	\$0.00
Dickinson	\$22,164.93	Kingman	\$57,952.99	Pottawatomie	\$727,285.58	Wichita	\$0.00
Doniphan	\$0.00	Kiowa	\$0.00	Pratt	\$3,230.13	Wilson	\$17,197.66
Douglas	\$281,339.81	Labette	\$9,500.00	Rawlins	\$0.00	Woodson	\$16,352.09
Edwards	\$135.12	Lane	\$6,271.32	Reno	\$259,374.32	Wyandotte	\$499,741.01
Elk	\$0.00	Leavenworth	\$172,212.28	Republic	\$5,380.88	N/A	\$977,821.53
Ellis	\$197,602.52	Lincoln	\$0.00	Rice	\$66,948.34	Total	\$11,864,392.2
Ellsworth	\$0.00	Linn	\$0.00	Riley	\$128,898.02		

## FINANCIAL INFORMATION - FY 2024

Fiscal Year 2024: July 1, 2023 to June 30, 2024

TO THE STATE GENERAL FUND:	
Taxes	\$220,679,531
License Business (Securities)	\$100,000
Fines & Penalties	\$195,382
Total to State General Fund:	\$220,974,913
TO SPECIAL FUNDS:	
Insurance Company Examination Fund	\$243,928
Securities Act Fee Fund	\$9,338,473
Investor Education	\$458,479
Insurance Department Service Regulation Fund	\$15,265,411
Captive Insurance Regulation & Supervision Fund	\$10,000
Pharmacy Benefit Manager Registration Fund	\$122,500
Professional Employer Organization Registration Fund	\$134,500
Workers Compensation Fund	\$1,247,678
Firefighter Relief Fund	\$19,855,016
TRANSFERS OUT:	
Securities Act Fee Fund	(\$200,000)
Insurance Department Service Regulation Fund	(\$175,000)
Firefighter Relief Fund	(\$19,615,915)
Total to Special Funds:	\$26,685,071
INSURANCE DEPARTMENT NET DEPOSITS FISCAL YEAR 2024	\$247,659,983
FIRE MARSHAL TAXES REMITTED TO OTHER STATE AGENCIES	\$12,077,765
HMO PRIVILEDGE FEE	\$263,211,113

<sup>\*</sup>Collected for other state agencies (Fire Marshal, EMS, and KU) in accordance with K.S.A. 75-1514. Amount not included in net deposit totals.

## **SERVICES PROVIDED DURING 2024**

#### Licenses Issued: Insurance

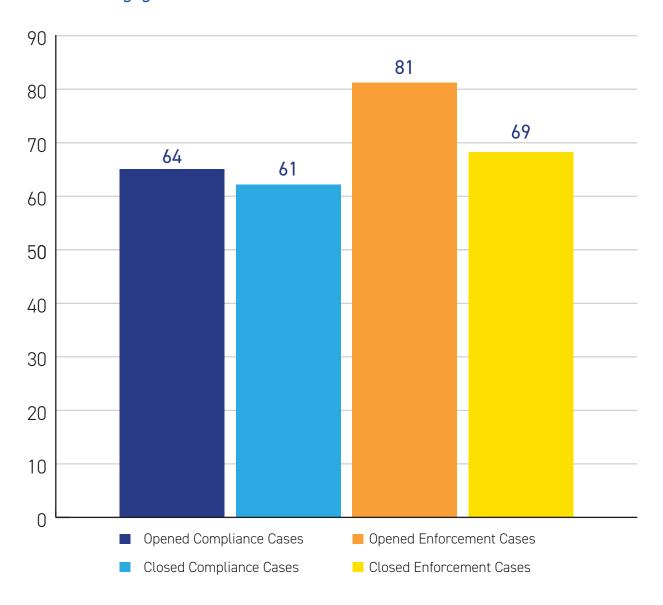
#### Registrations Issued: Securities

AGENTS	
New Resident Agent Licenses Issued	2,185
Resident Agent Licenses Renewed	7,421
Total Resident Agents	22,001
New Non-Resident Agent Licenses Renewed	35,010
Non-Resident Agent Licenses Renewed	40,019
Total Non-Resident Agents	181,524
Total Licensed Agents	203,525
AGENCIES	
New Resident Agencies Licenses Issued	166
Resident Agency Licenses Renewed	836
Total Resident Agencies	2,125
New Non-Resident Agencies Licenses Issued	2,303
Non-Resident Agency Licenses Renewed	4,366
Total Non-Resident Agencies	11,605
Total Licensed Agencies	13,730
PHARMACY BENEFIT MANAGERS	
Total Pharmacy Benefit Managers	44
THIRD PARTY ADMINISTRATORS	
Kansas Resident Third Party Administrators	33
Non-Resident Third Party Administrators	333
Self-Funded Third Party Administrators	53
Total Third Party Administrators	416

INVESTMENT ADVISER REPRESENTATIVES	
New Investment Adviser Representative Registrations Issued	1,396
Total Investment Adviser Representatives	6,717
BROKER-DEALER AGENTS	
New Broker-Dealer Agent Registrations Issued	35,176
Total Broker Agents	164,585
Total Dual Registered Securities Individuals	4,516
Total Registered Securities Individuals	166,786
STATE REGISTERED INVESTMENT ADVISER FIRMS	
New Investment Adviser Firm Registrations Issued	28
Total Investment Adviser Firms Registered	225
BROKER-DEALER FIRMS	
New Broker-Dealer Firm Registrations Approved	66
Total Broker-Dealer Firms Registered	1,394
NOTICE FILED INVESTMENT ADVISER FIRMS	
New Notice Filed Investment Adviser Firms Reviewed	142
Total Notice Filed Investment Adviser Firms	1,356
PENALTIES, FINES & RESTITUTION ORDERED:	
Fines Ordered	\$305,411.76
Restitution Ordered	\$256,089.70

#### **COMPLIANCE & ENFORCEMENT CASES OF 2024**

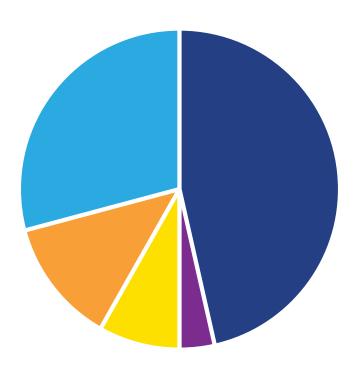
**Compliance:** Civilian staff conducting compliance examinations of registered firms and individuals. **Enforcement:** Law enforcement officers conducting investigations into unregistered individuals engaged in securities.



## **INVESTMENT FRAUD & ANTI-FRAUD**

Investment Fraud Cases Investigated





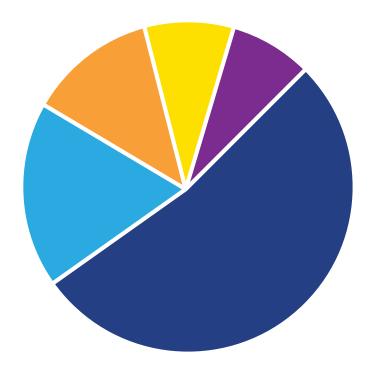
**CRYPTOCURRENCY & DIGITAL ASSETS: 43%** 

**HIGH - RISK STOCKS & SIMILAR EQUITIES: 33%** 

**PROMISSORY NOTES: 10%** 

SELF-DIRECTED IRAS & OTHER THIRD - PARTY CUSTODIANS: 9%

**OTHER: 5%** 



**AUTO & HOME: 64%** 

**HEALTH & LIFE: 18%** 

**AGENT & COMMERCIAL: 9%** 

**DISABILITY & WORKERS COMP: 5%** 

**OTHER: 5%** 



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