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|  | **2010** | **2009** | **2008** | **2007** |
| Wardship cases | 2,493 | 2,367 | 2,310 | 2,280 |
| Applications awaiting hearing\* | 68 | 53 | 60 | 261 |
| Miscellaneous applications\*\* |  | 72 | 76 | 339 |
| **Total** |  | **2,492** | **2,446** | **2,880** |

\*number of cases pending with inquiry order signed at 31 December  
\*\*number of miscellaneous letters received during the year

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| **Enduring powers of attorney registered** | | | |
|  | **2010** | **2009** | **2008** |
| Total | 351 | 288 | 241 |

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| **General Solicitor for Minors and Wards of Court** | | | | |
|  | **2010** | **2009** | **2008** | **2007** |
| Wardship cases | 493 | 490 | 473 | 463 |
| Sub cases | 245 | 326 | 367 | 352 |

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| **Reason person admitted to wardship:** | **cases** | | |
|  | **2010** | **2009** | **2008** |
| Acquired brain injury | 53 | 52 | 51 |
| Elderly mental infirm | 163 | 155 | 154 |
| Learning or intellectual disability | 115 | 111 | 108 |
| Minor | 8 | 8 | 11 |
| Pending cases | 7 | 9 | 4 |
| Psychiatric illness | 145 | 153 | 143 |
| Residential abuse | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| **Total:** | **493** | **490** | **473** |

Statistics up to 2011

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| [Archive](http://www.courts.ie/Courts.ie/library3.nsf/pagecurrent/60EFB22B0D8DCC0F80257753004C0B28?opendocument)   |  |  | | --- | --- | | **Wards of court:** | | | Wardship cases | 2,277 | | Applications awaiting hearing\* | 84 | | Declaration orders\*\* | 313 | | Dismissed/discharged | 199 | | Orders signed | 1,405 | | Enduring powers of attorney registered | 440 |   \* number of cases pending with inquiry order signed at 31st December \*\* number of adults and minors taken into wardship   |  |  | | --- | --- | | **General Solicitor for Minors and Wards of Court:** | | | Wardship cases - active | 380 | | Wardship cases - pending | 9 | | Wardship - dismissal | 120 | | Sub cases | 241 |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | **Reason person admitted to wardship** | | | Acquired brain injury | 48 | | Elderly mental infirm | 105 | | Learning or intellectual disability | 114 | | Minor | 3 | | Psychiatric illness | 108 | | Residential abuse | 2 | | Total: | 380 | | http://www.courts.ie/icons/ecblank.gif |

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