

COCHISE COUNTY

Legal Stats & Trends

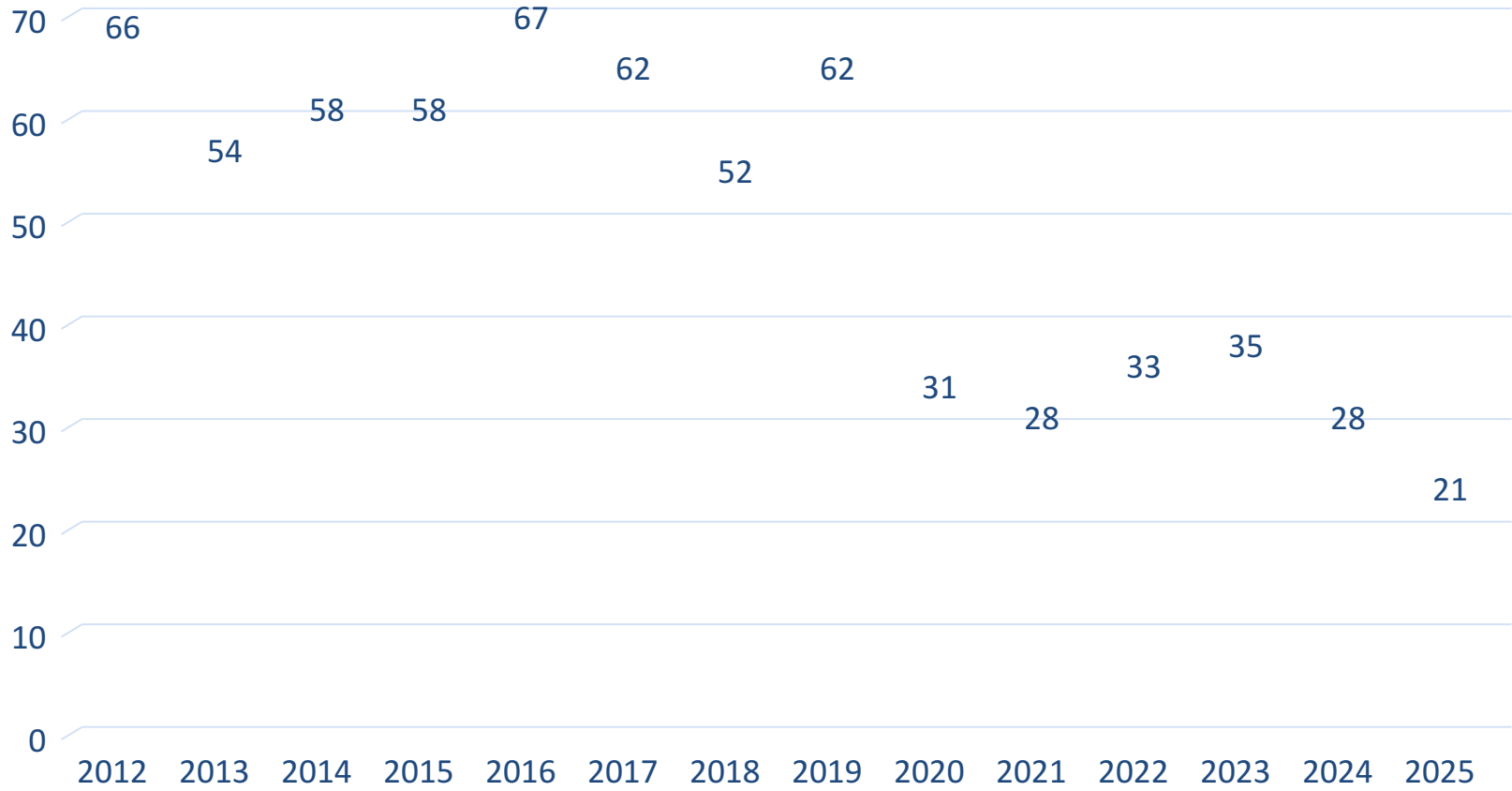
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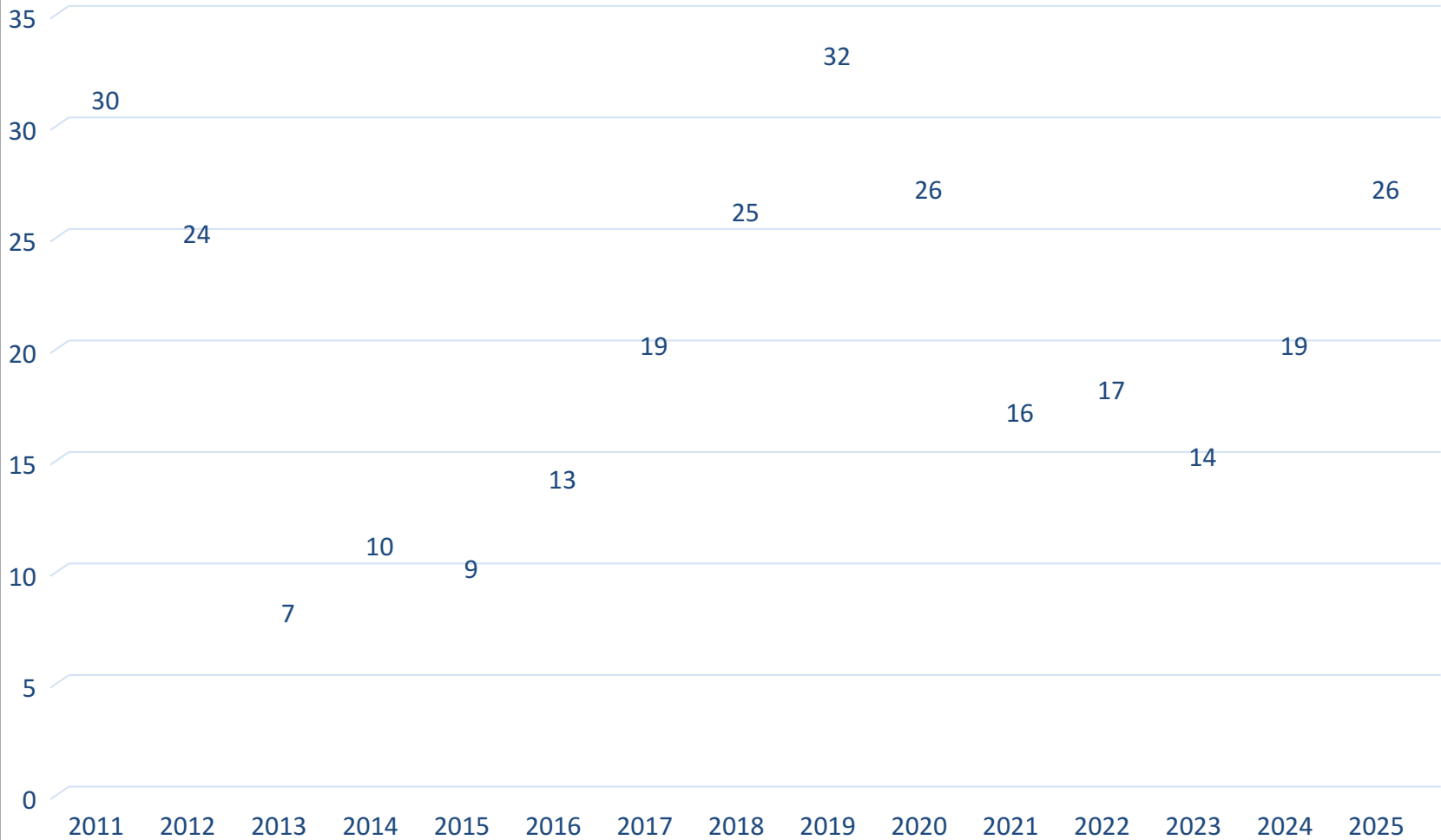


Public Programs...Personal Service

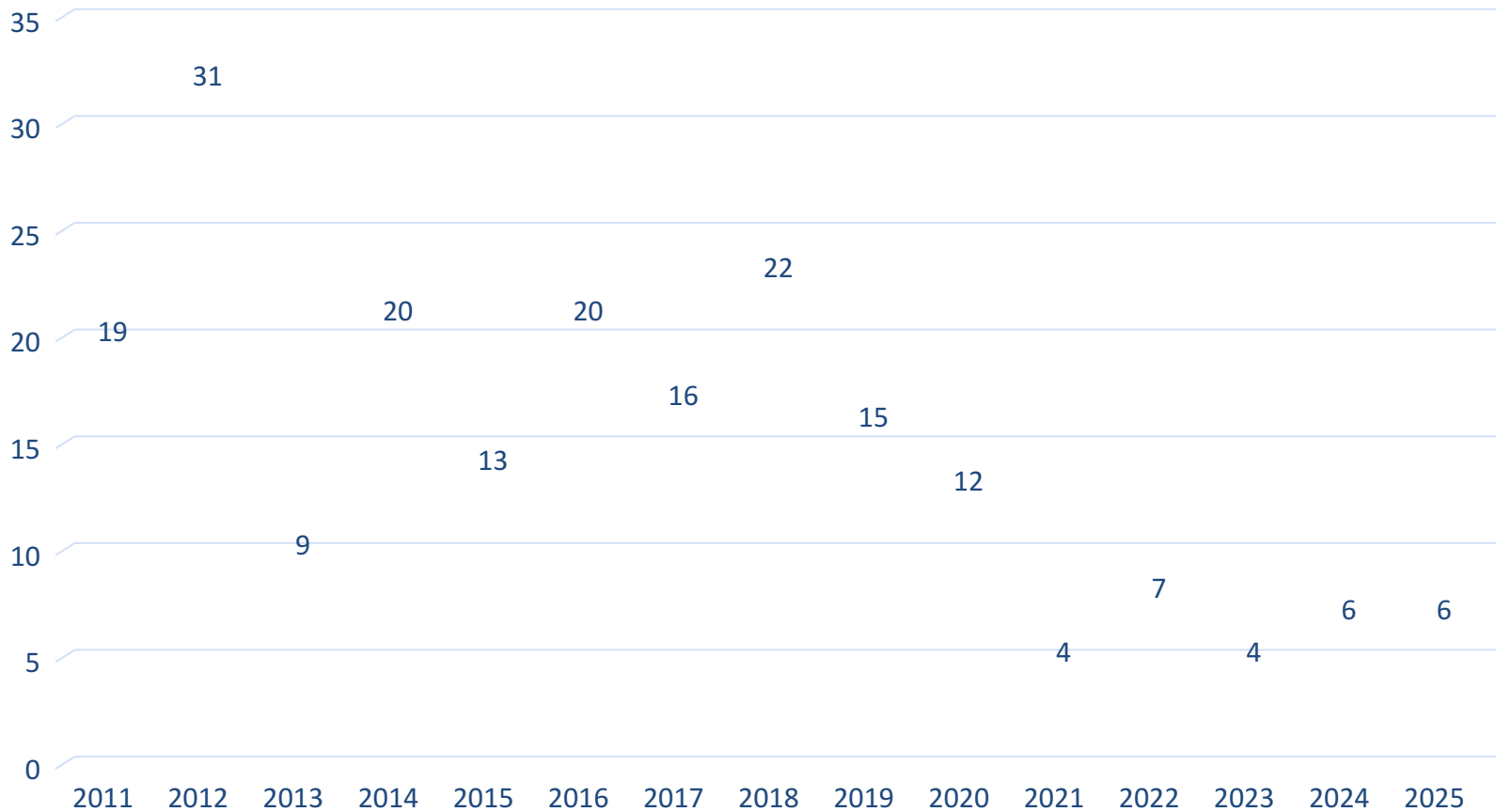
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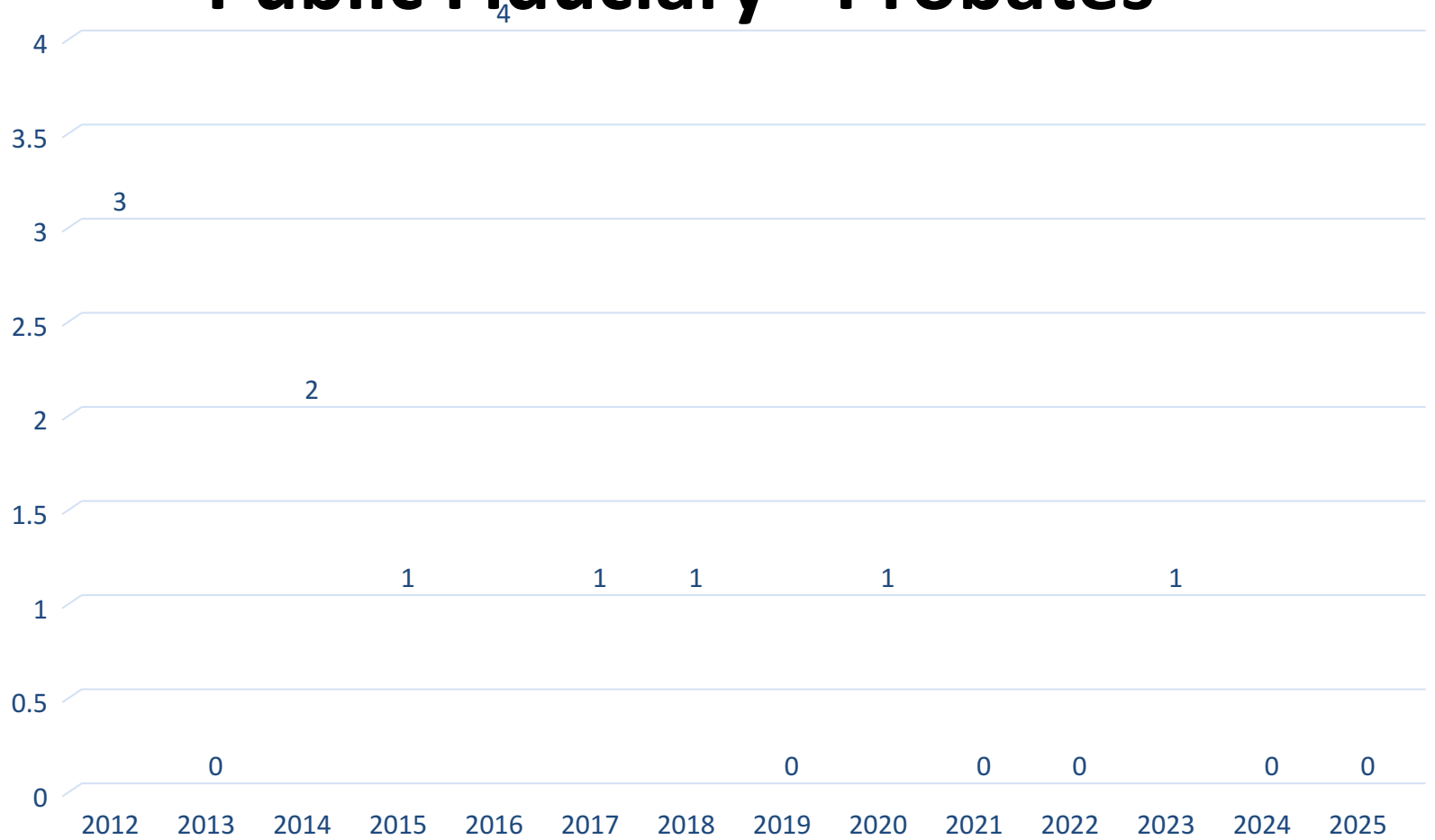
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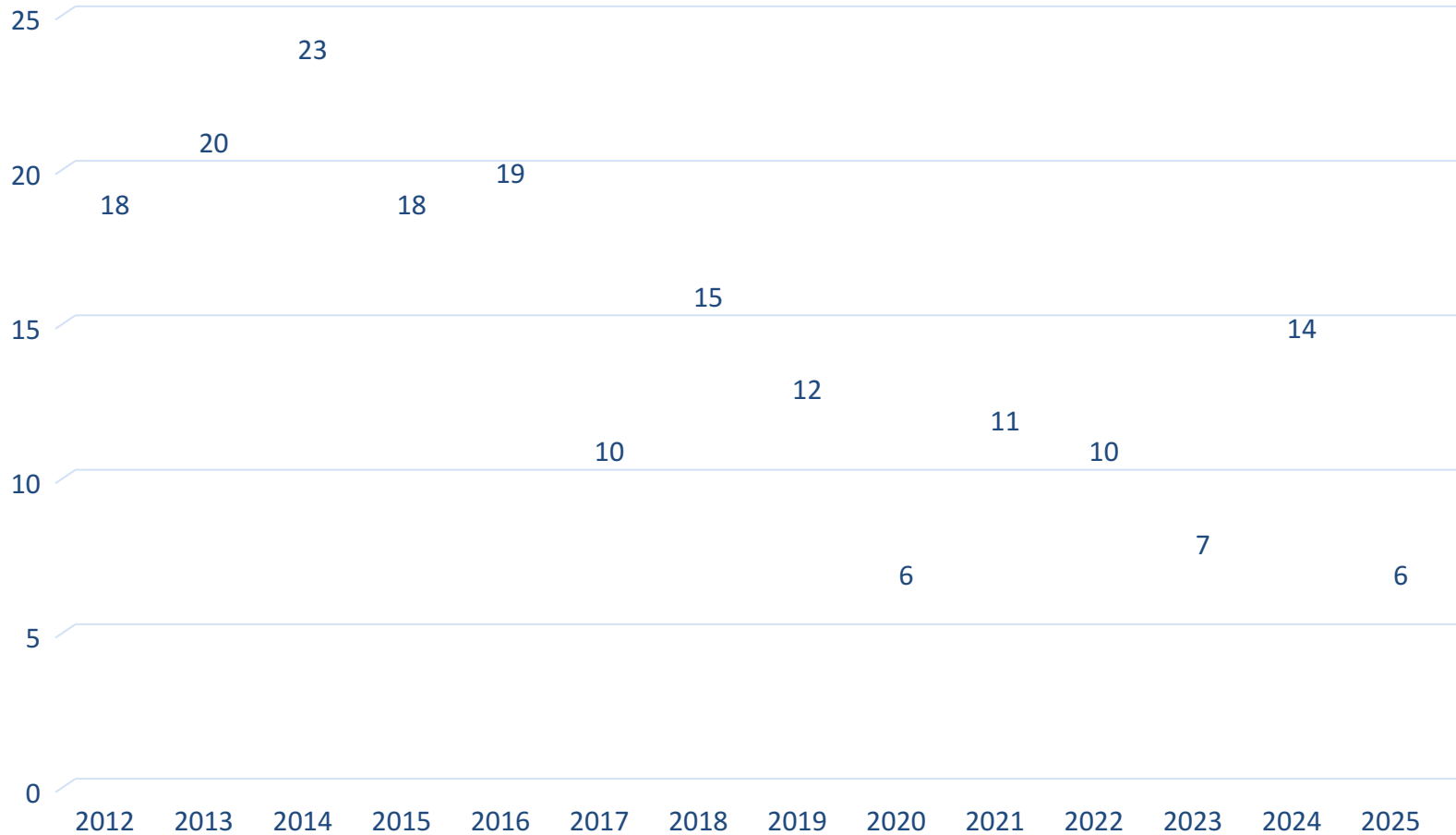
Public Fiduciary – Court Appointments (Guardian and/or Conservator)



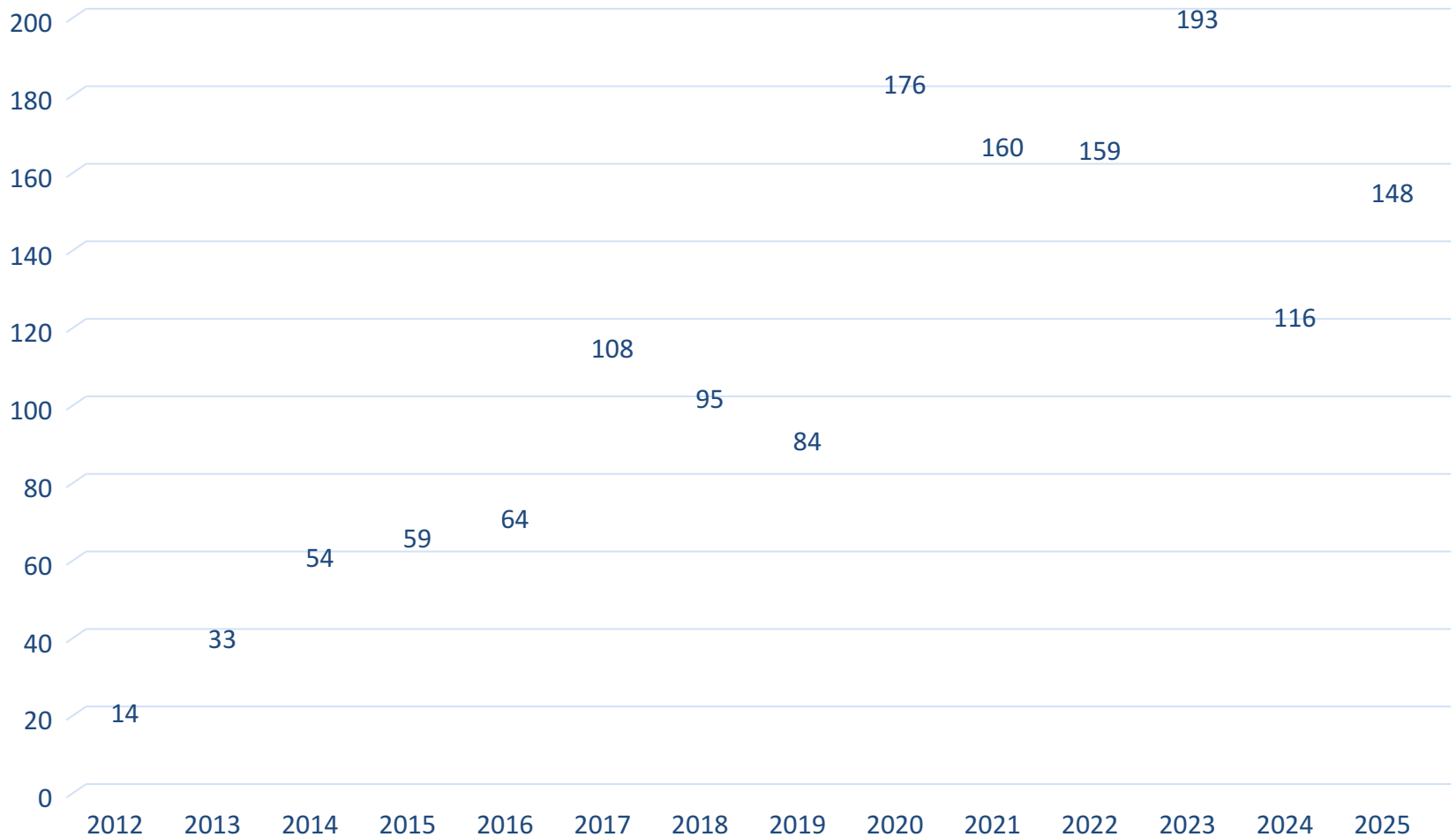
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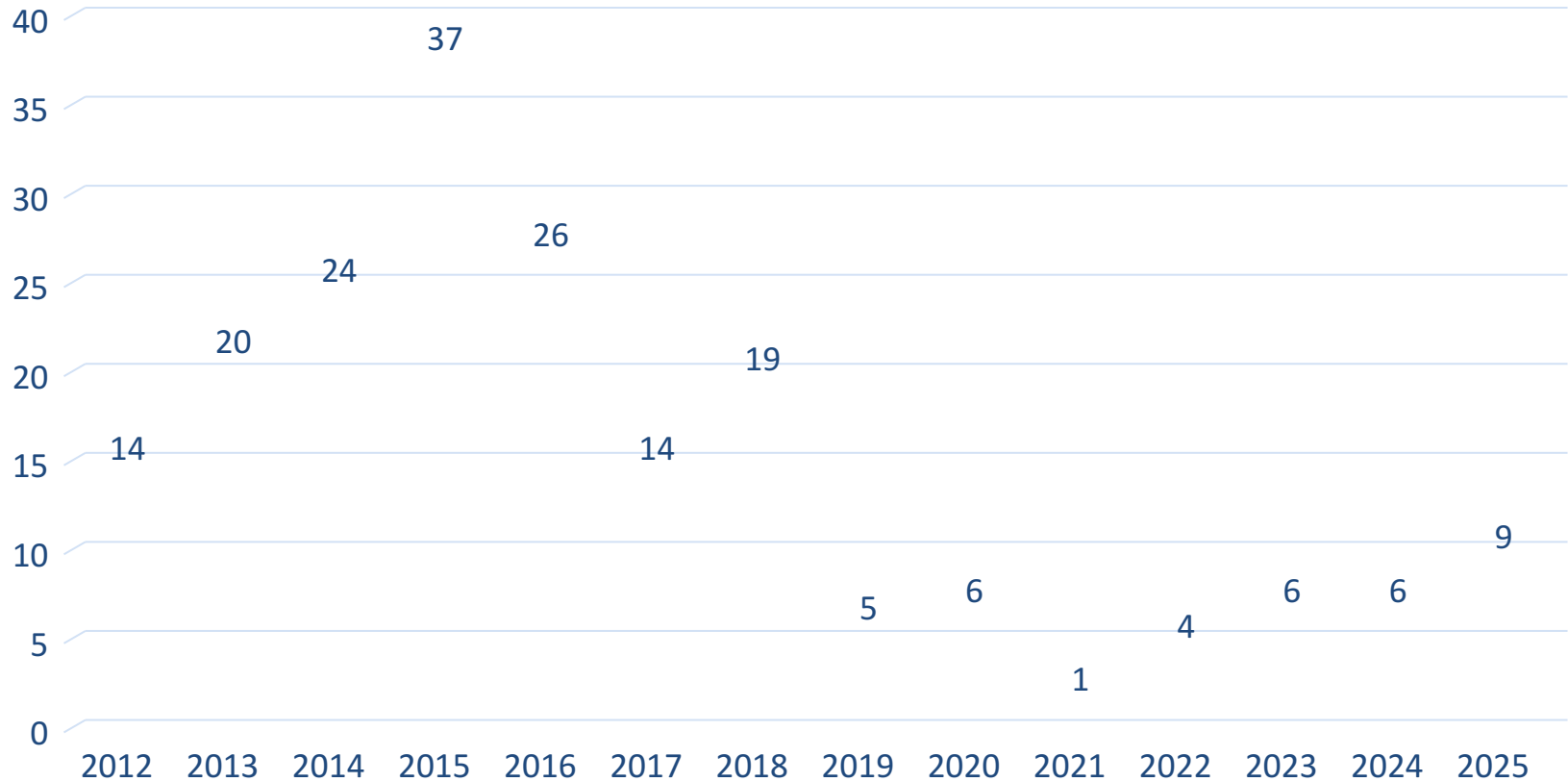
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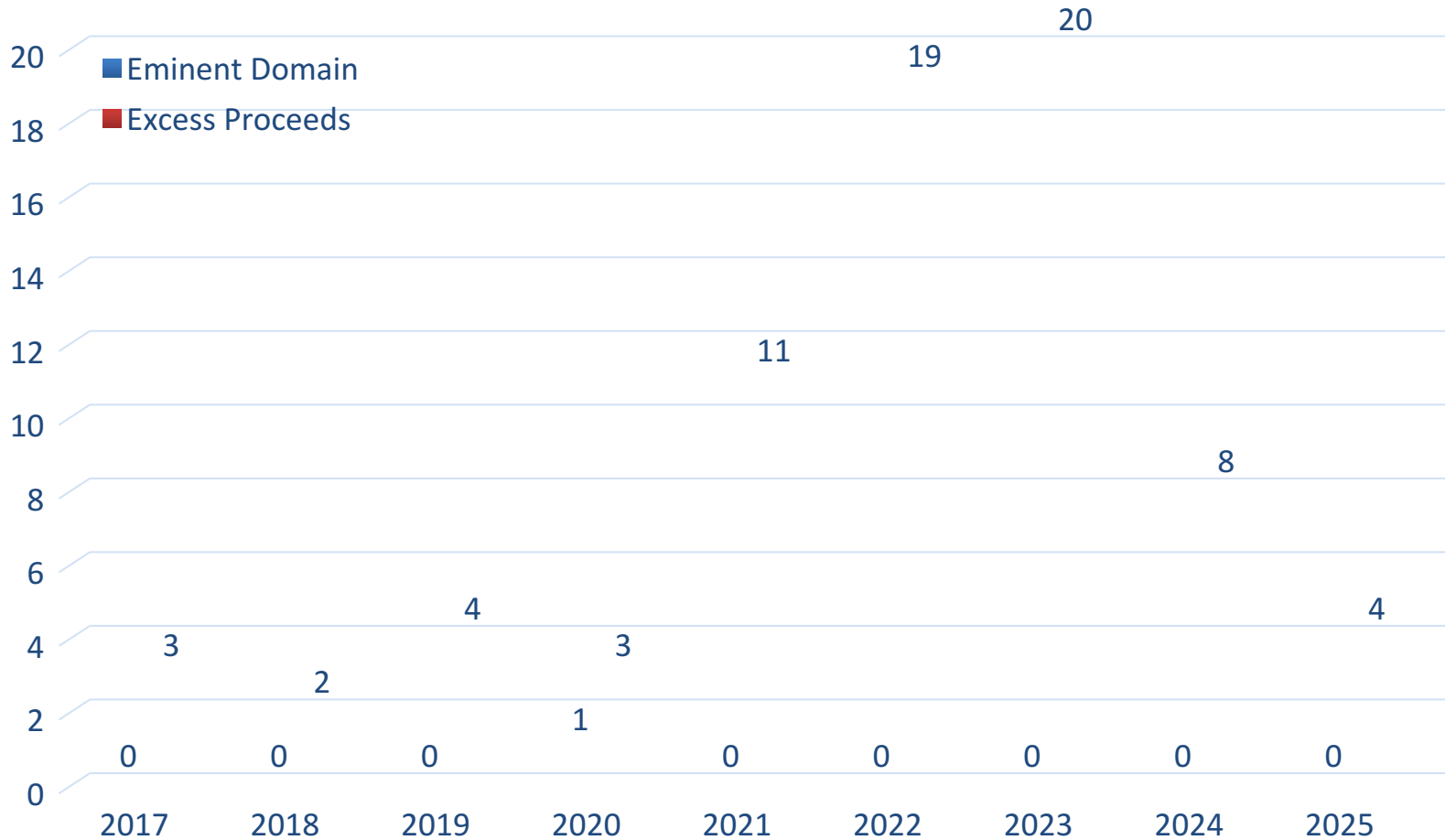
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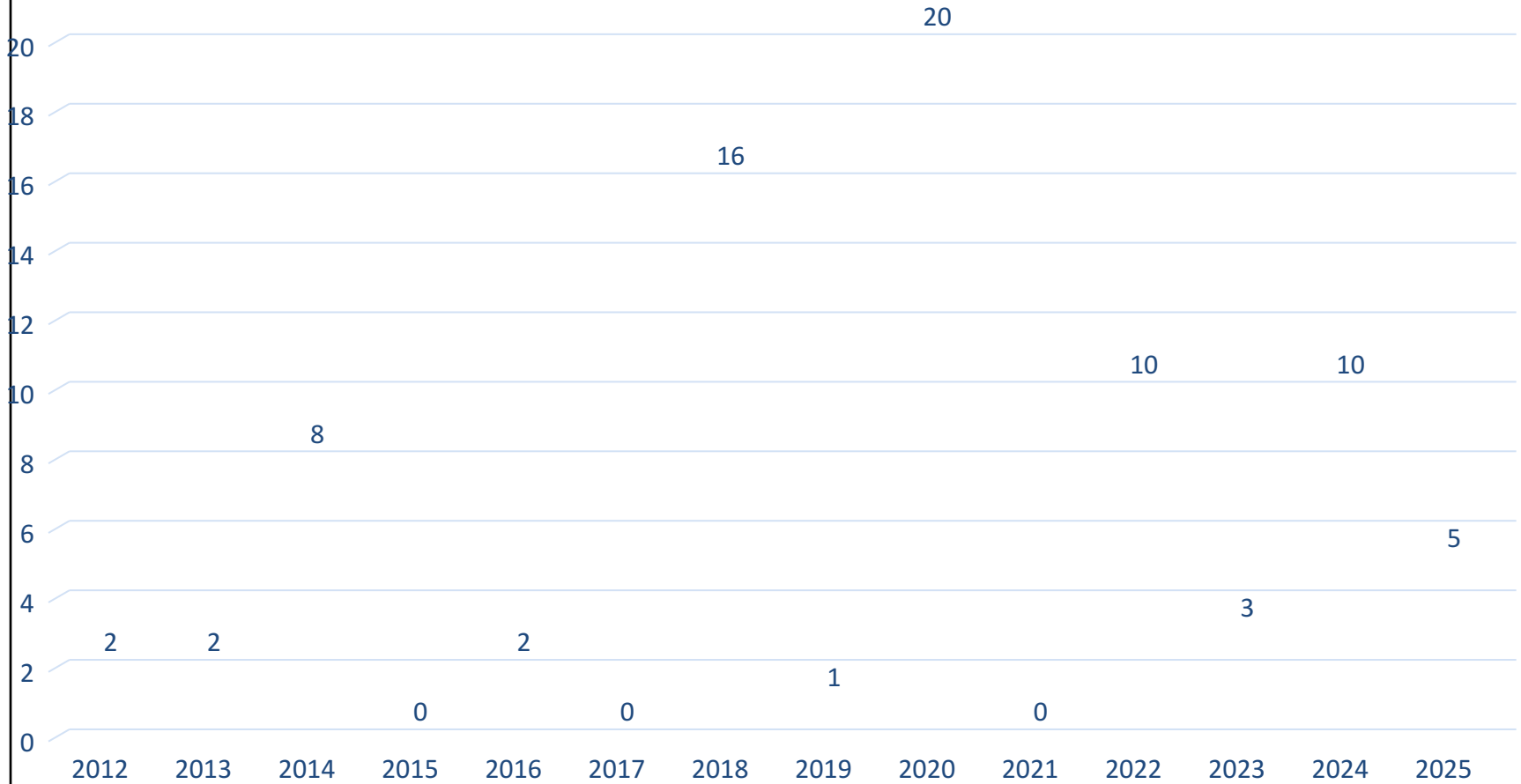
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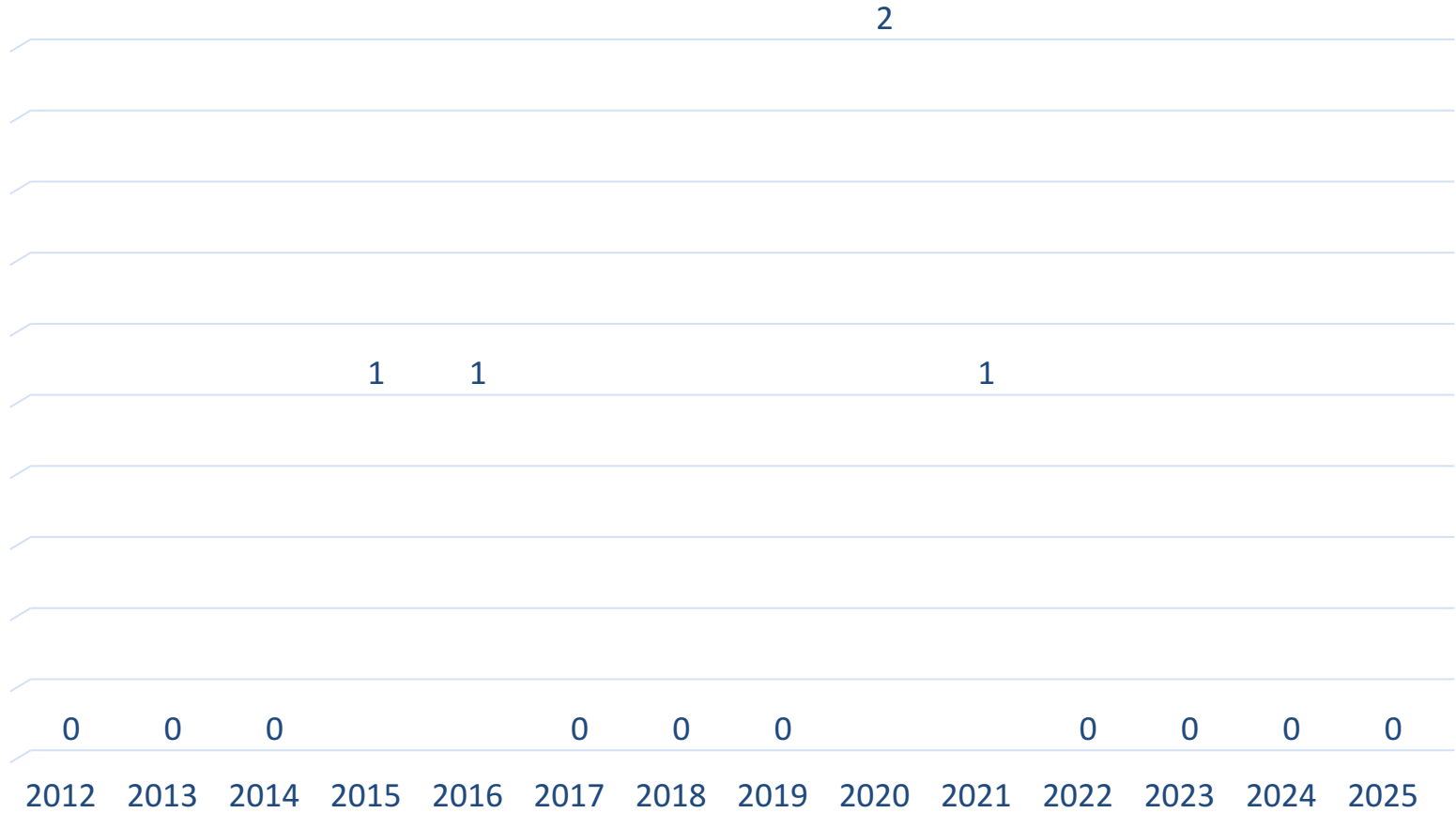
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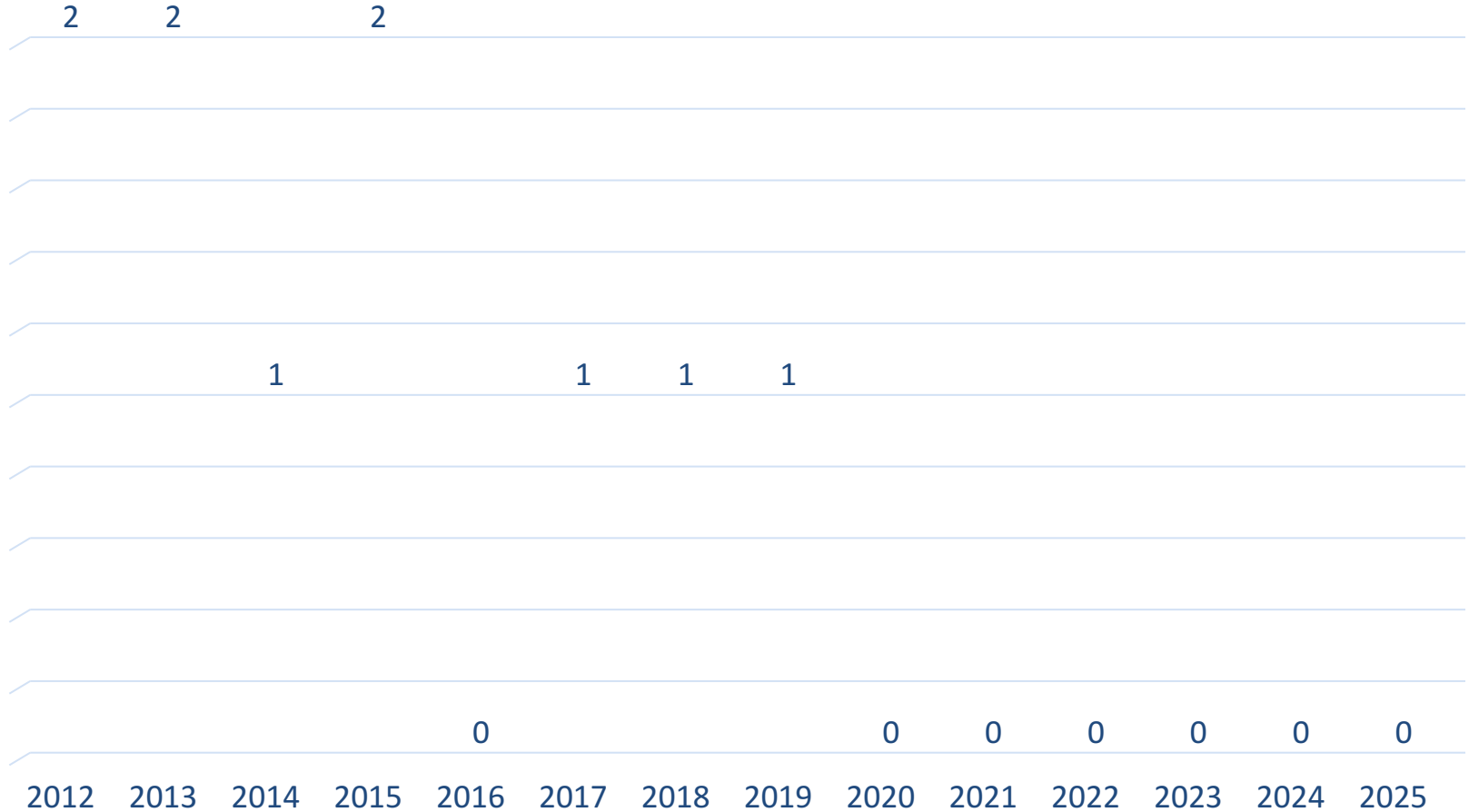
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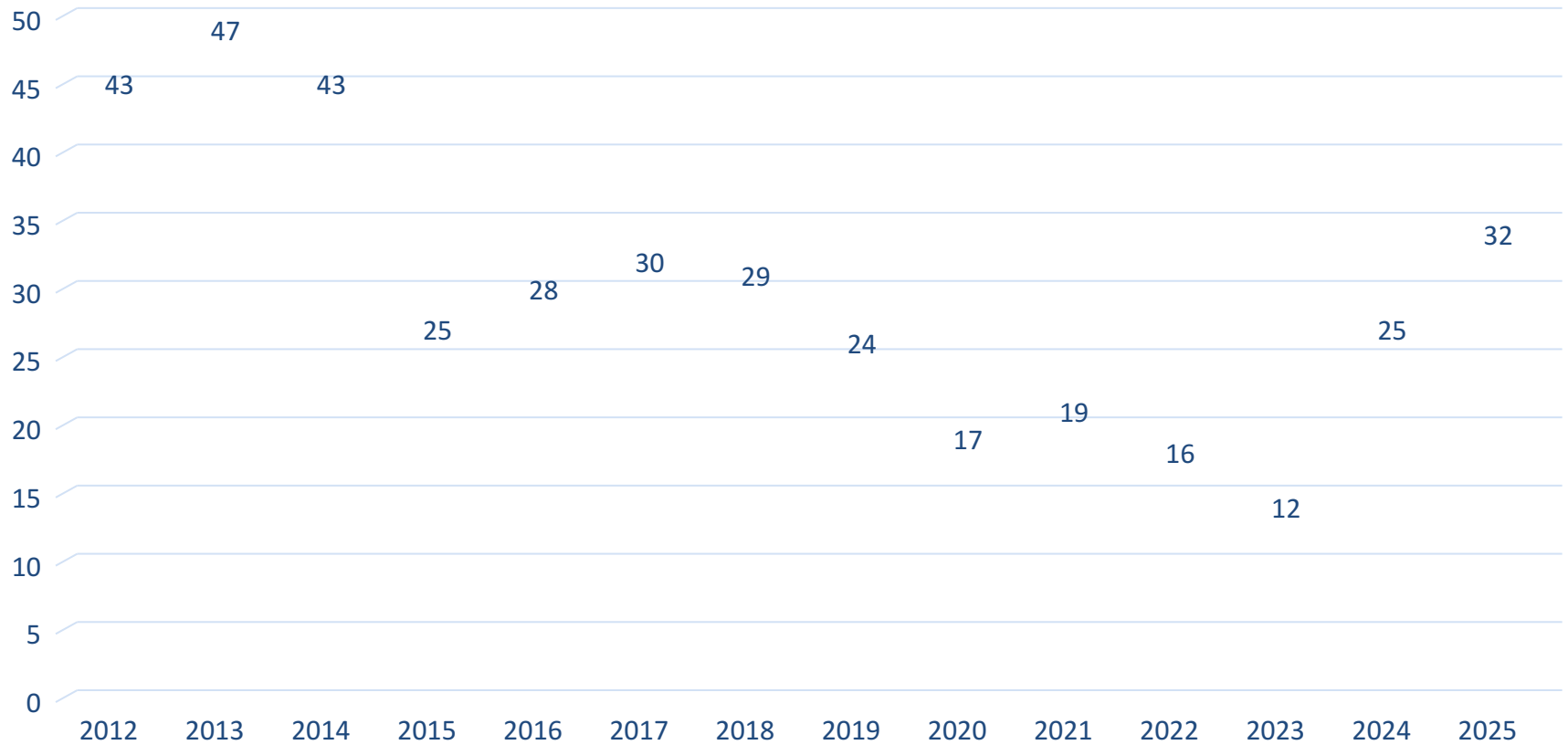
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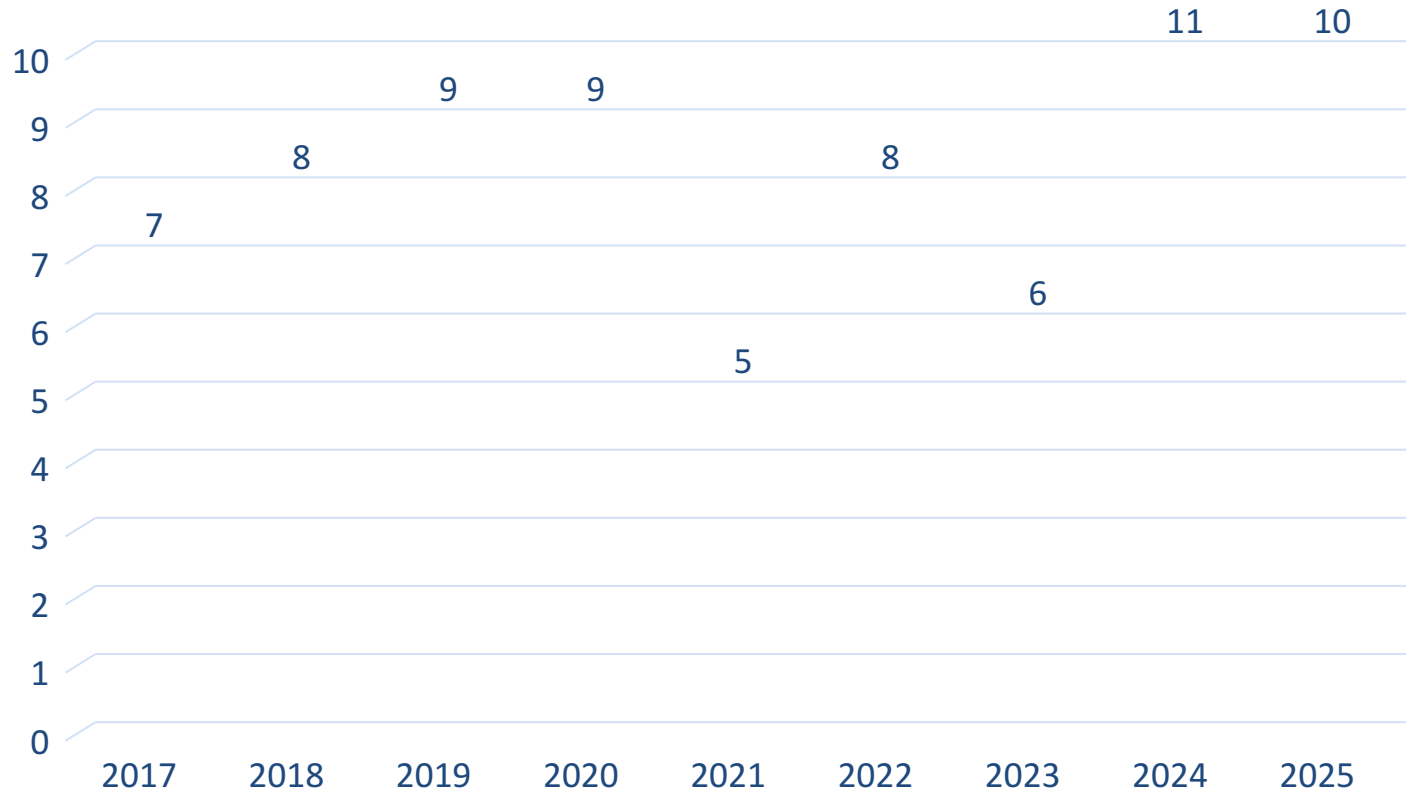
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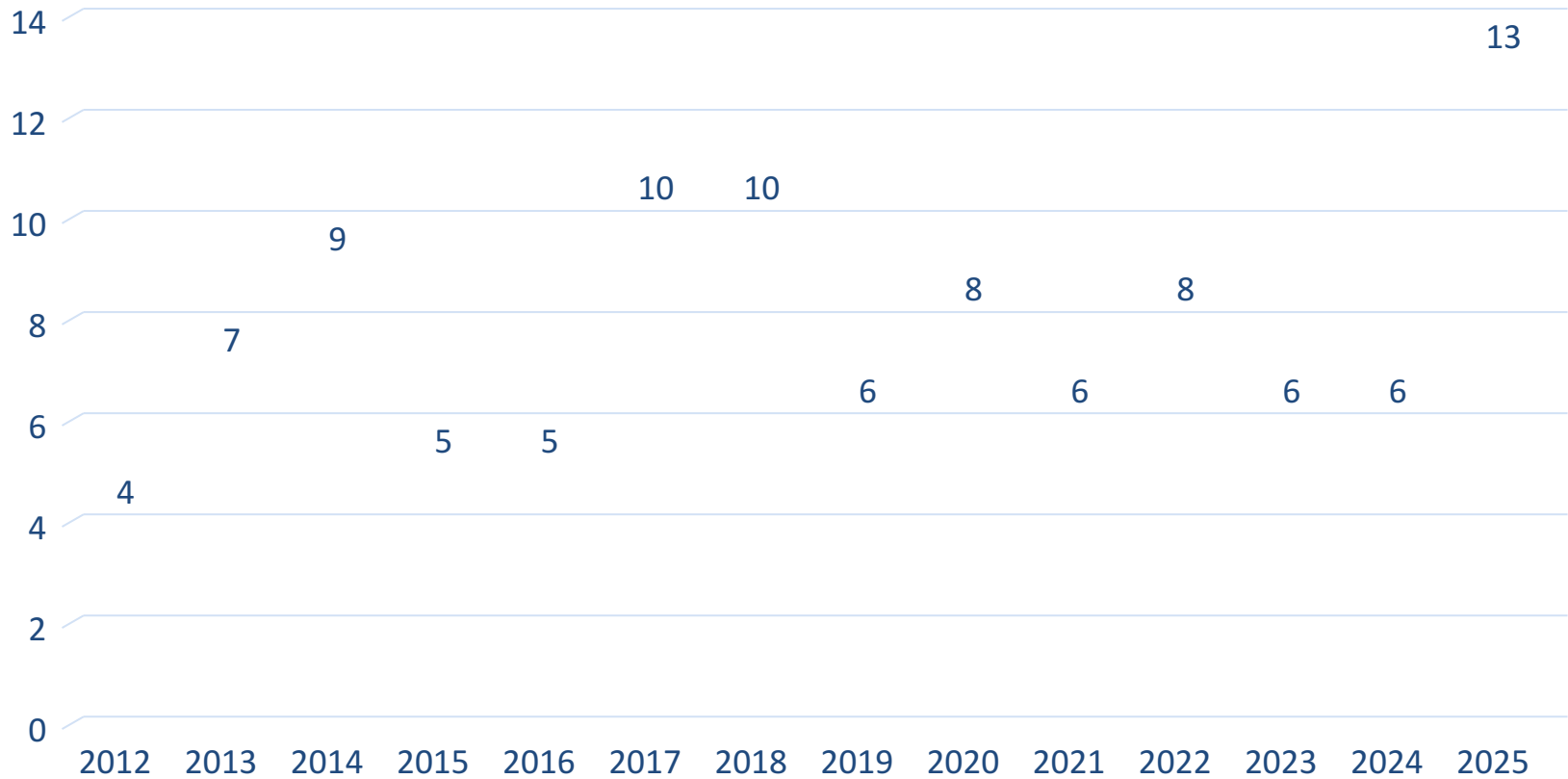
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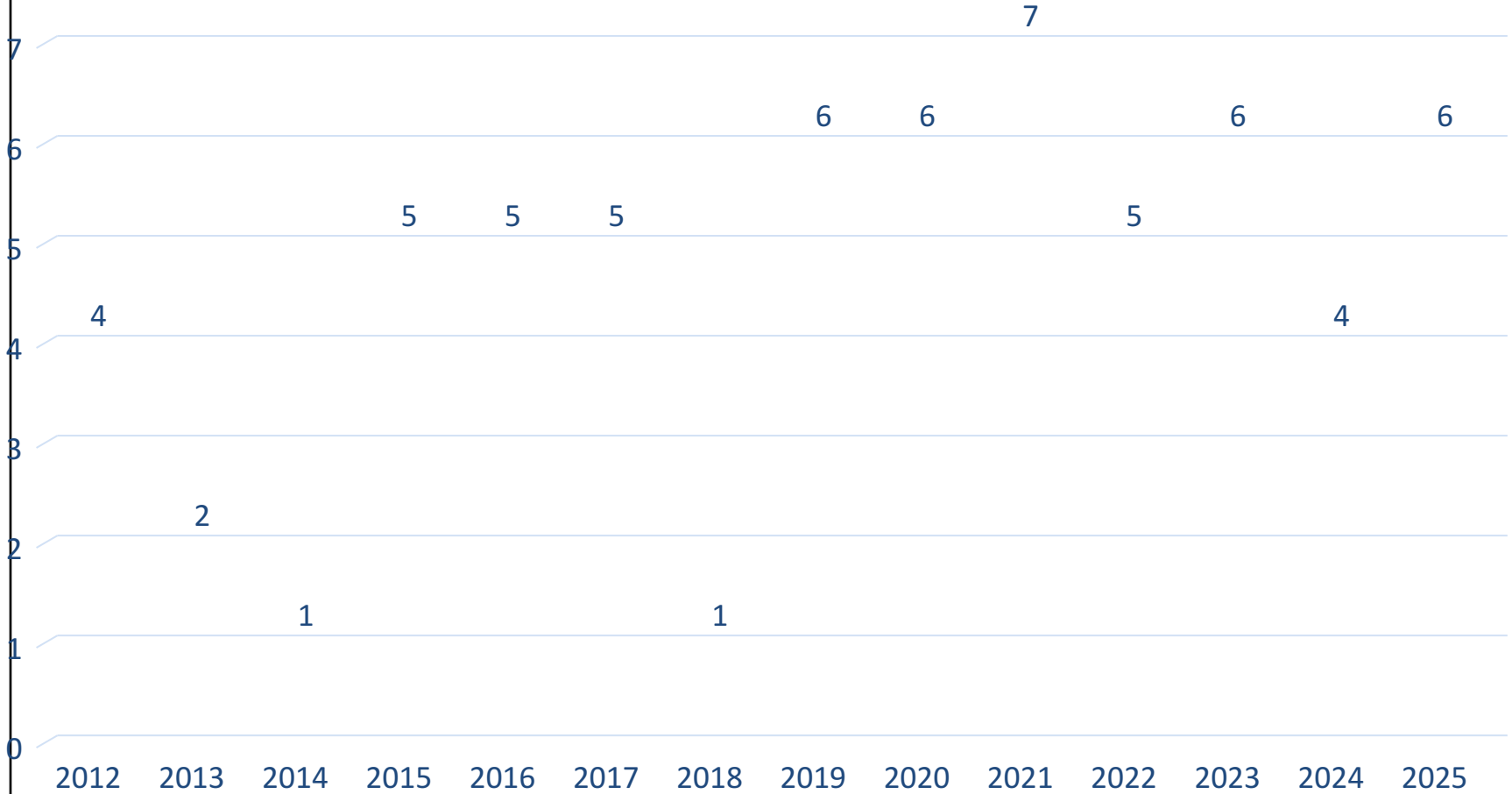
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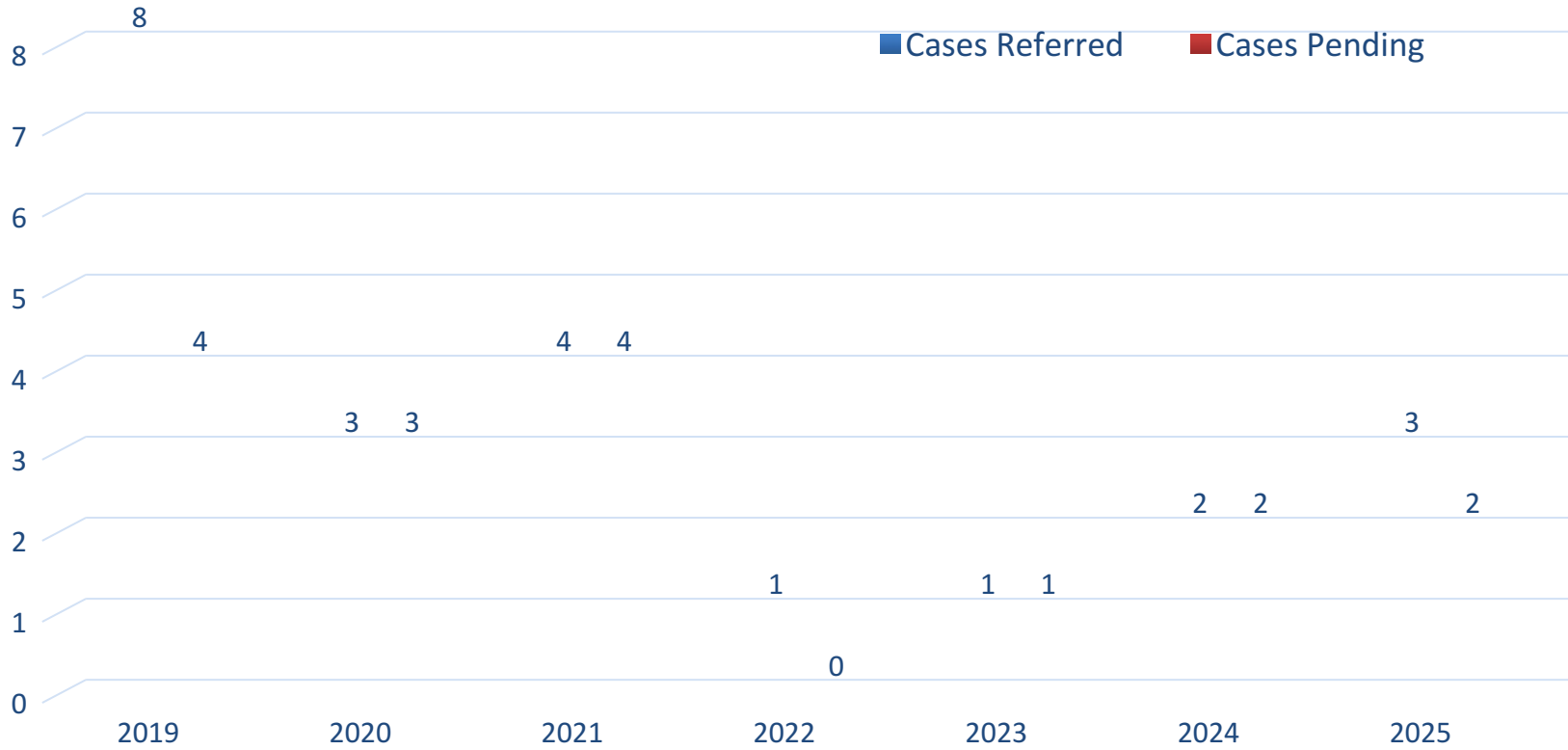
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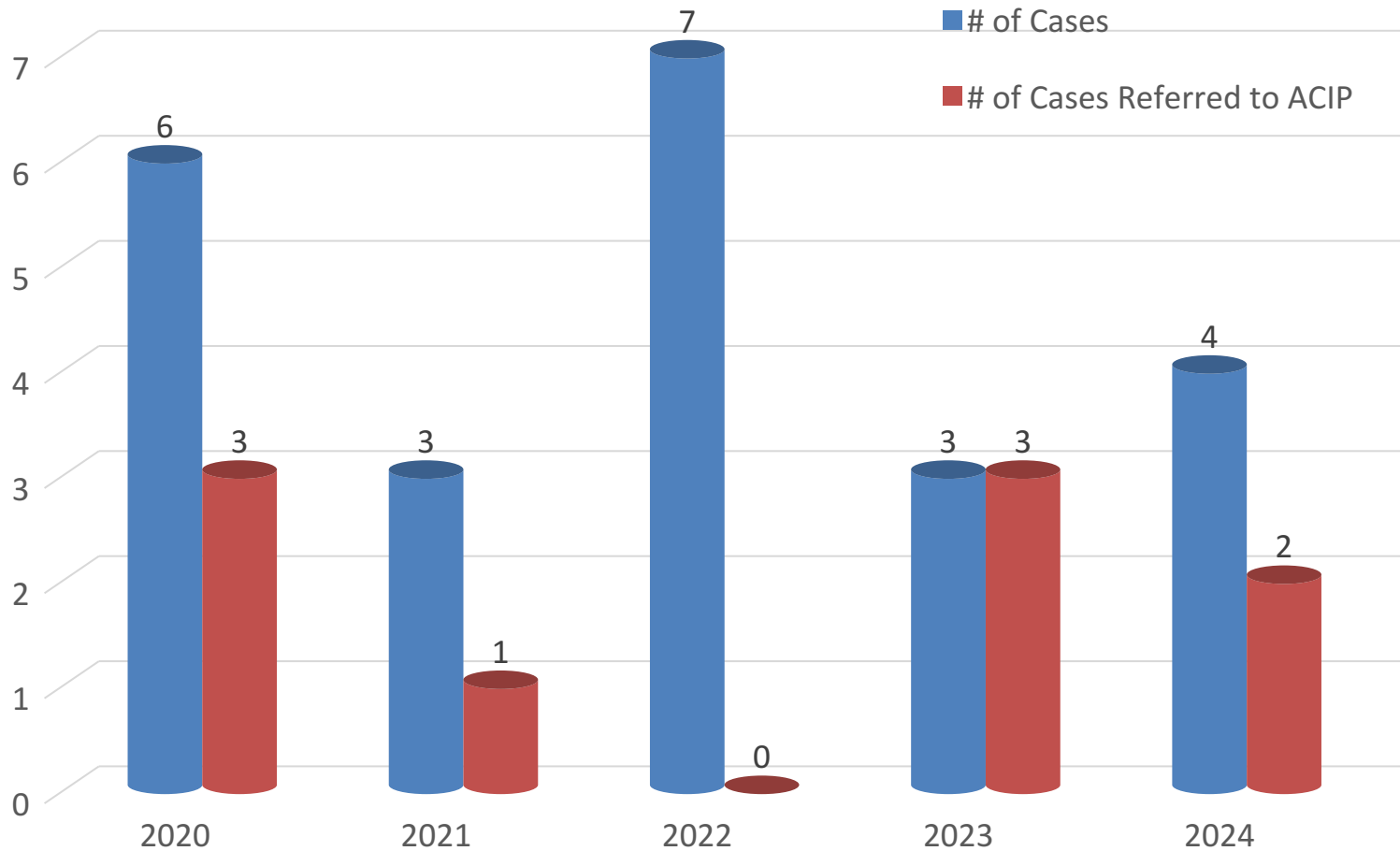
County Attorney Civil Cases - New



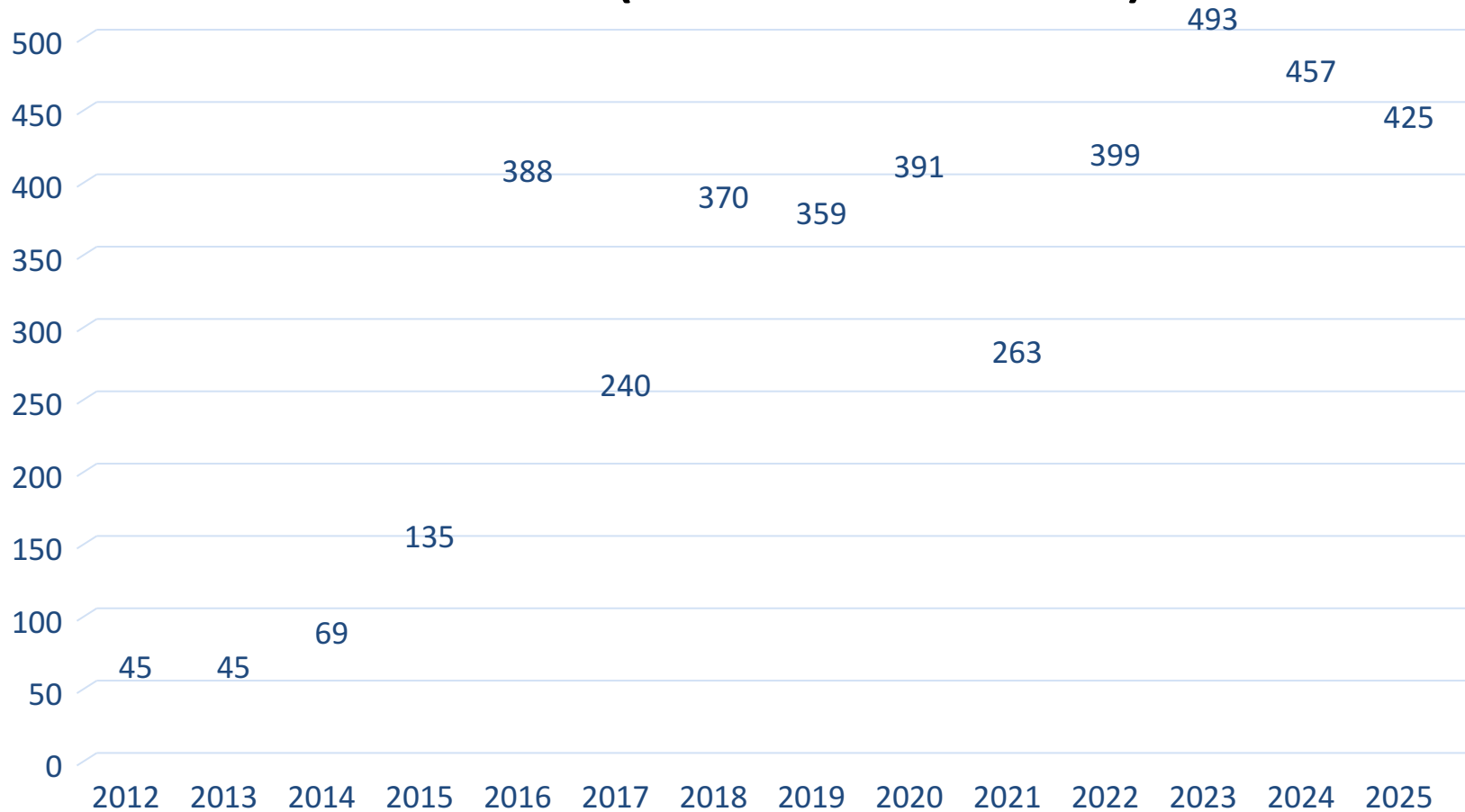
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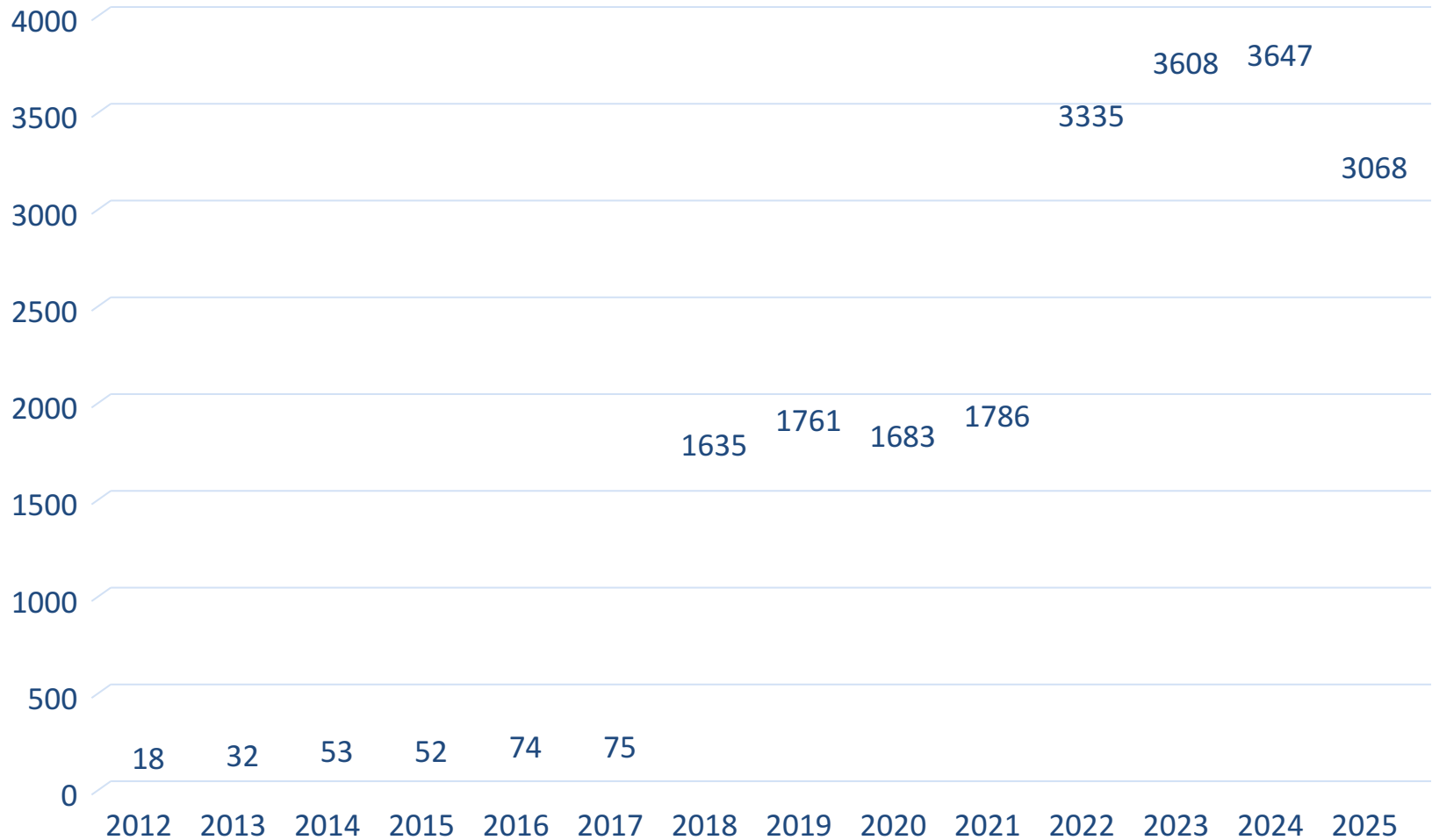
U.S. District Court of Arizona – Cases



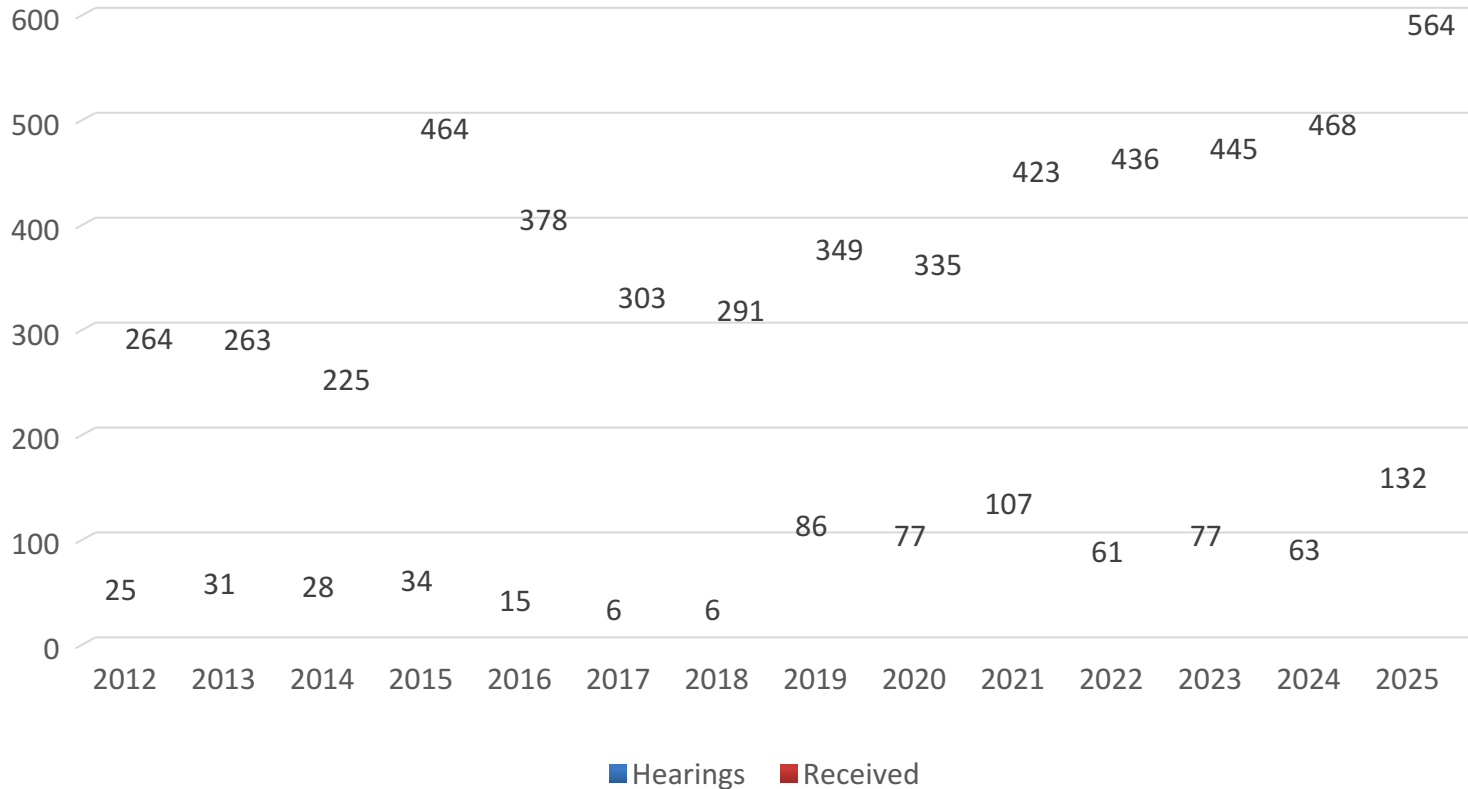
Public Records Requests – Other than Sheriff (Calendar Year)



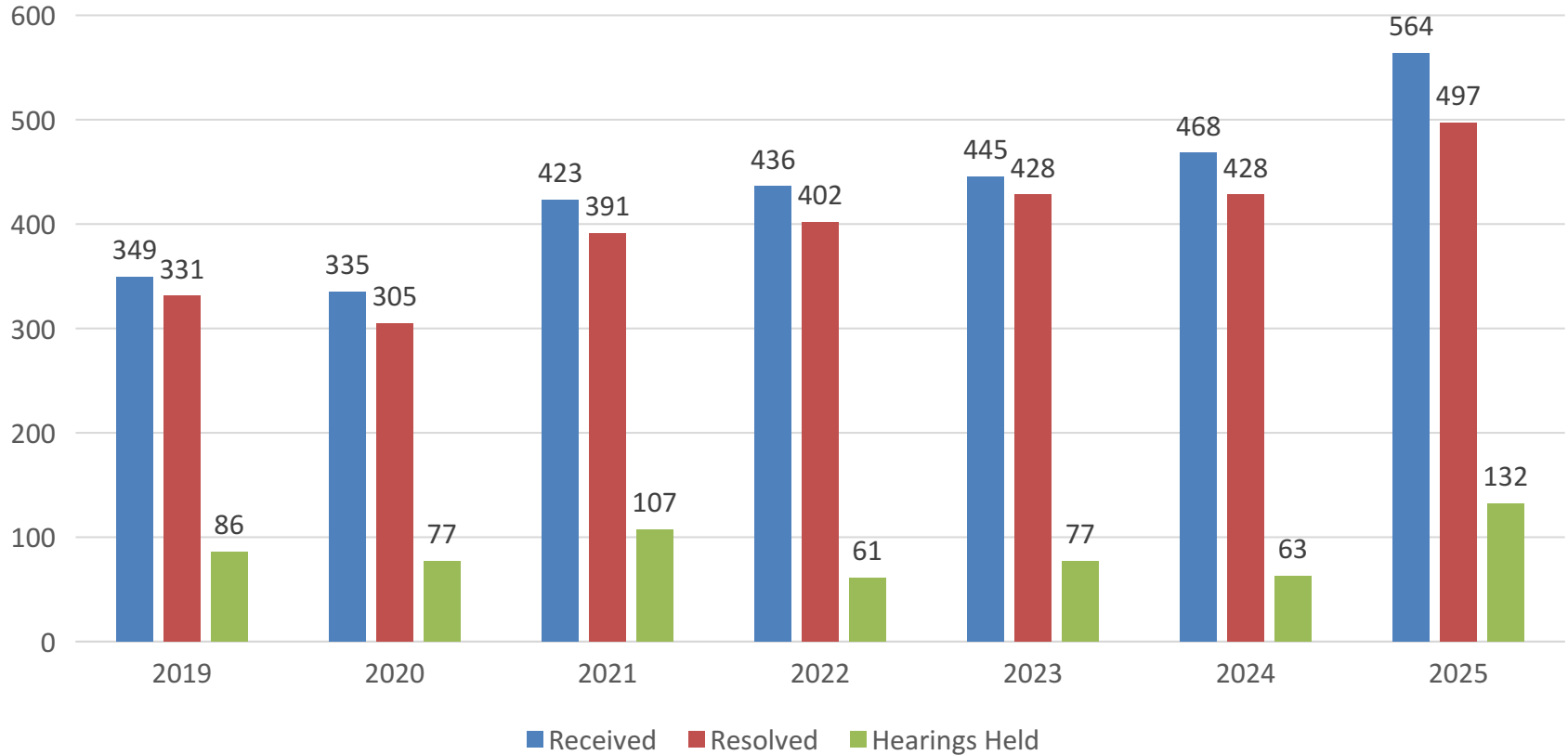
Public Records Requests – Sheriff’s Office



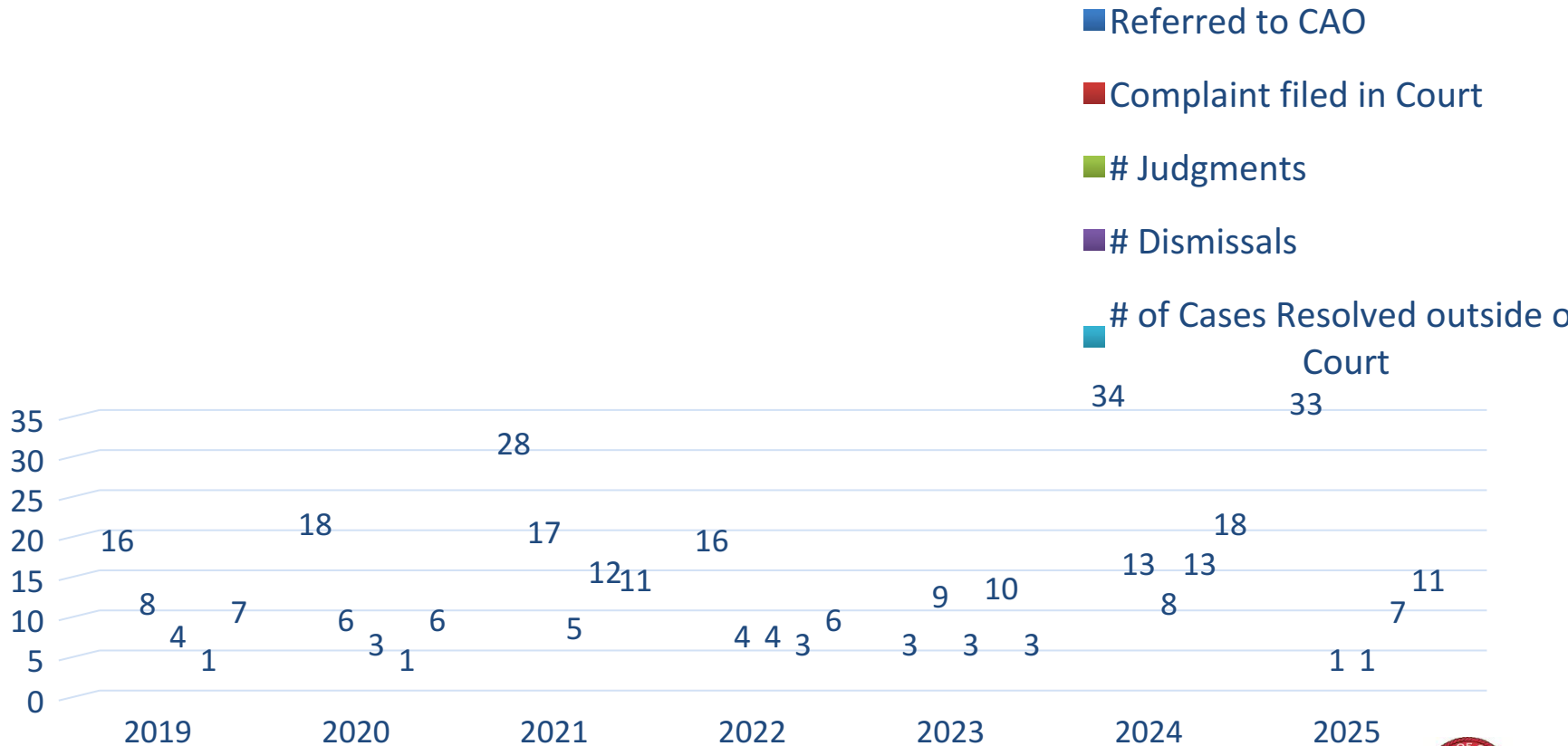
Planning & Zoning – Zoning Violations



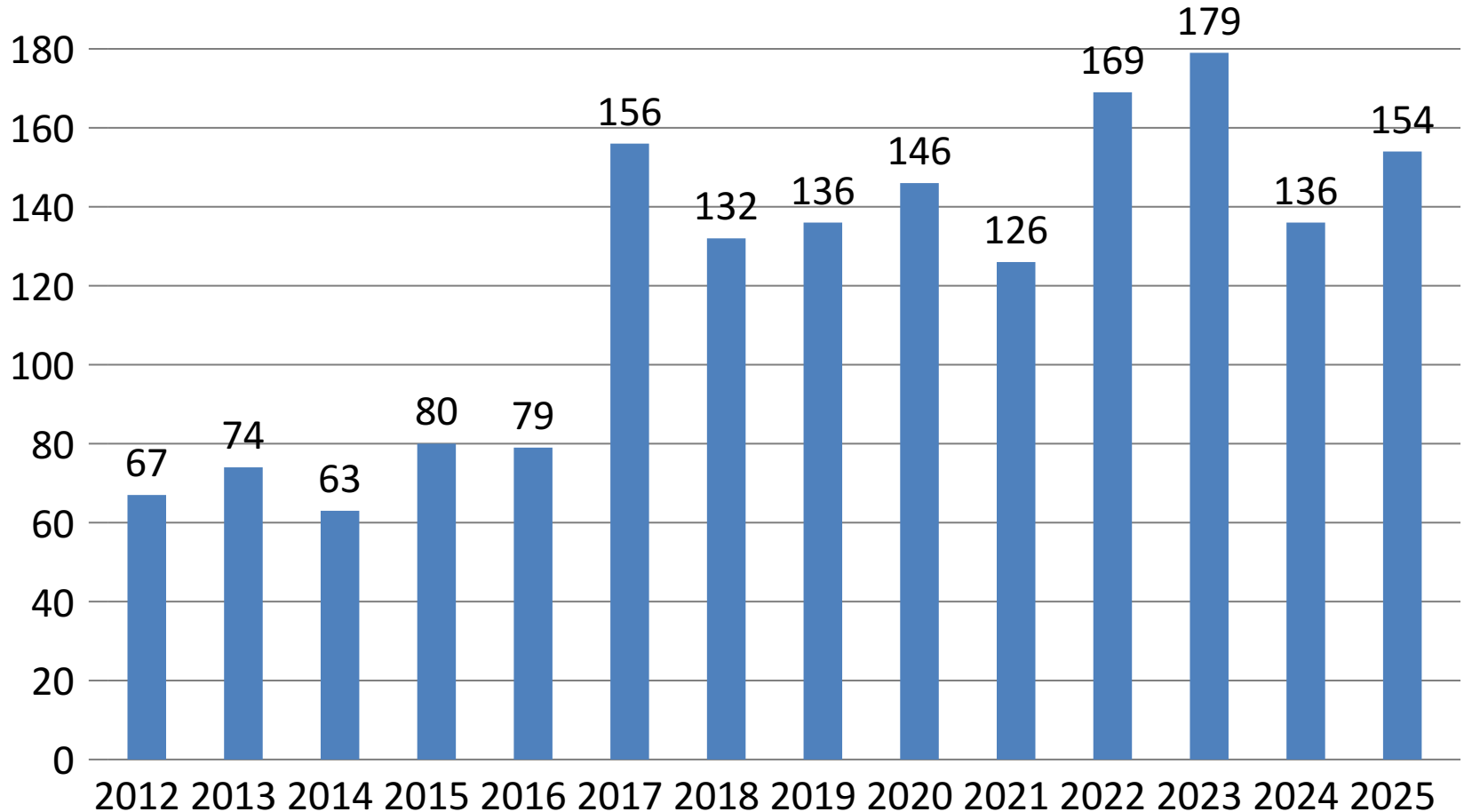
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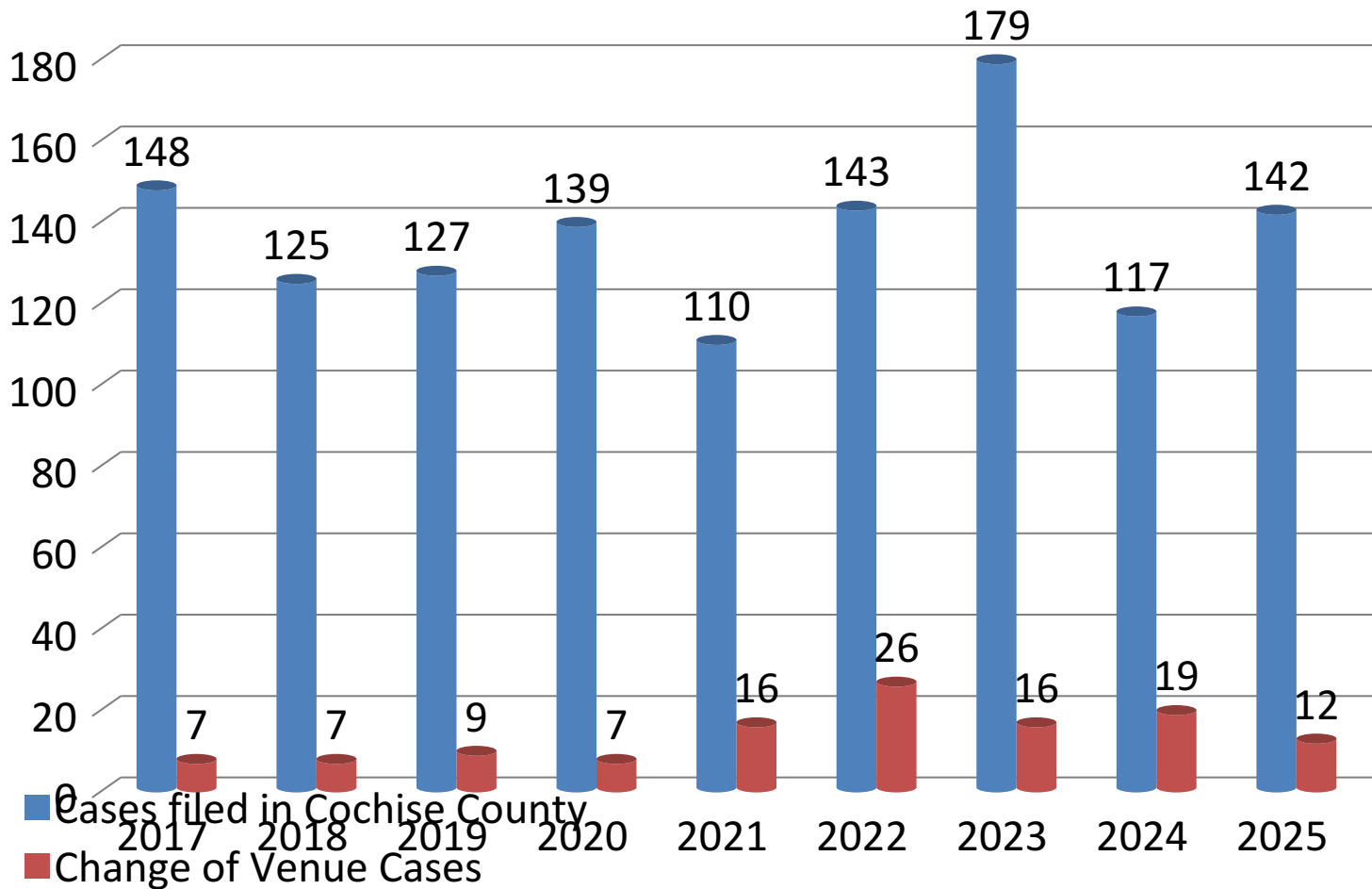
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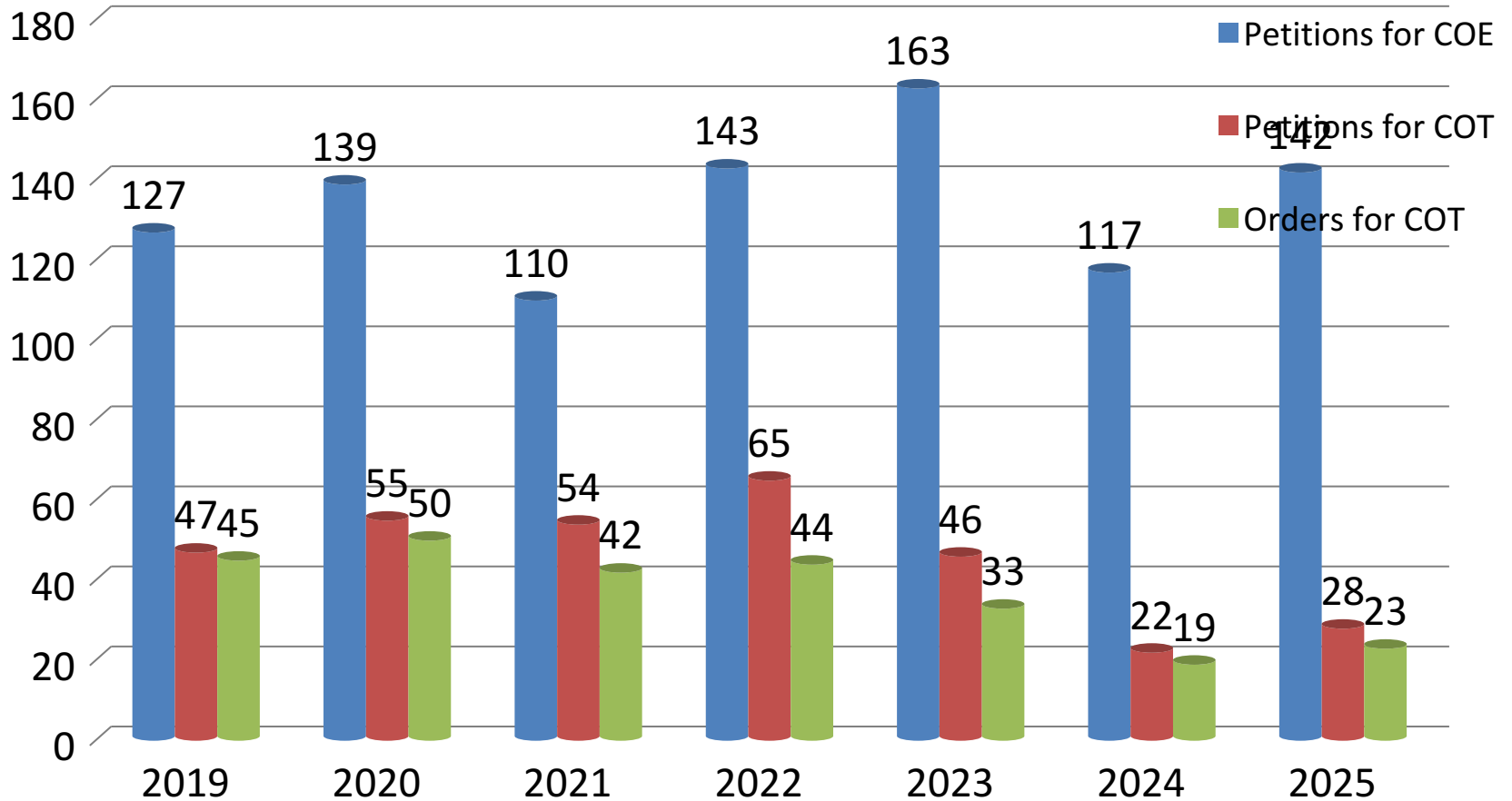
Involuntary Mental Health Commitments (Title 36) Total Cases



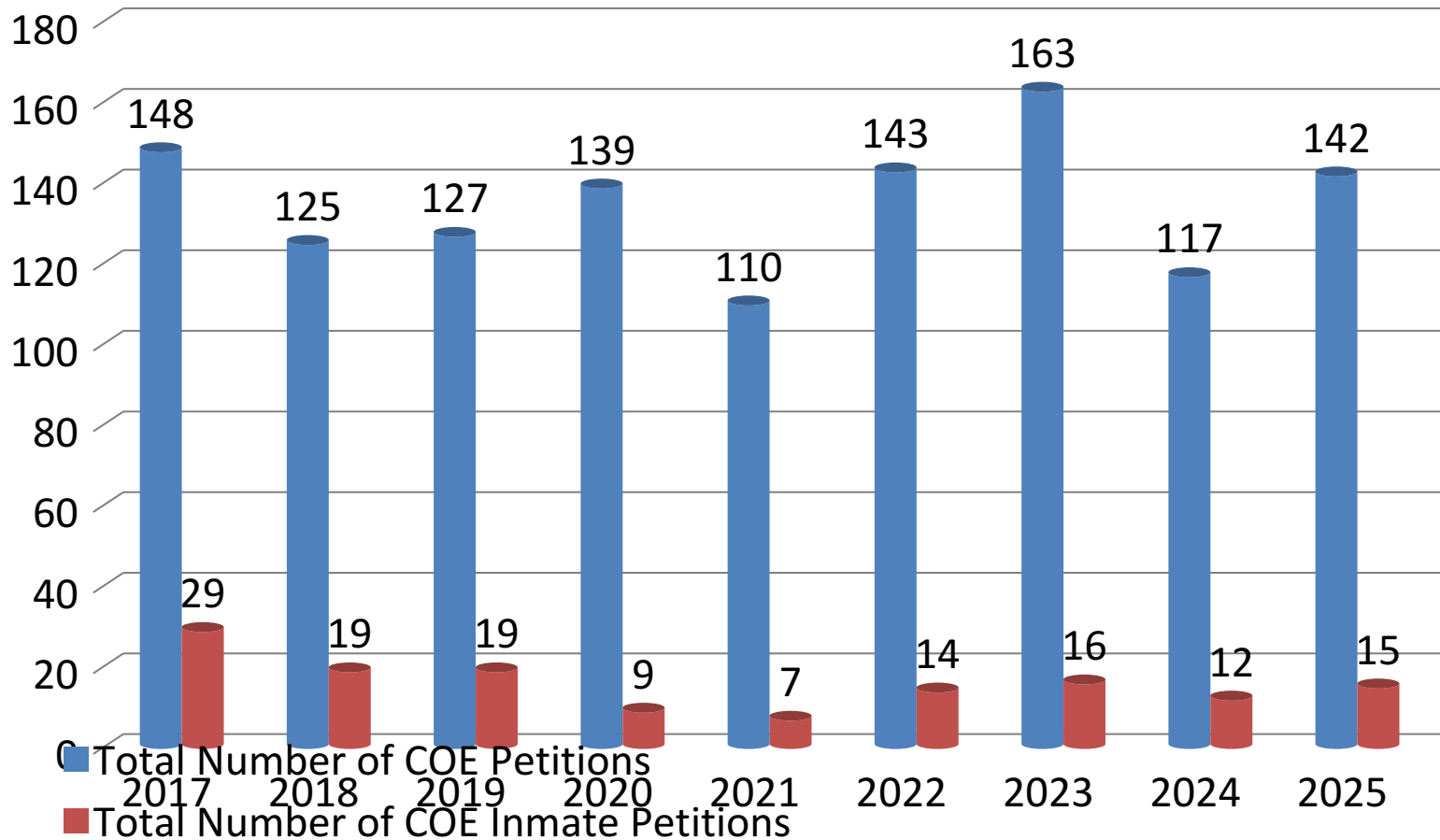
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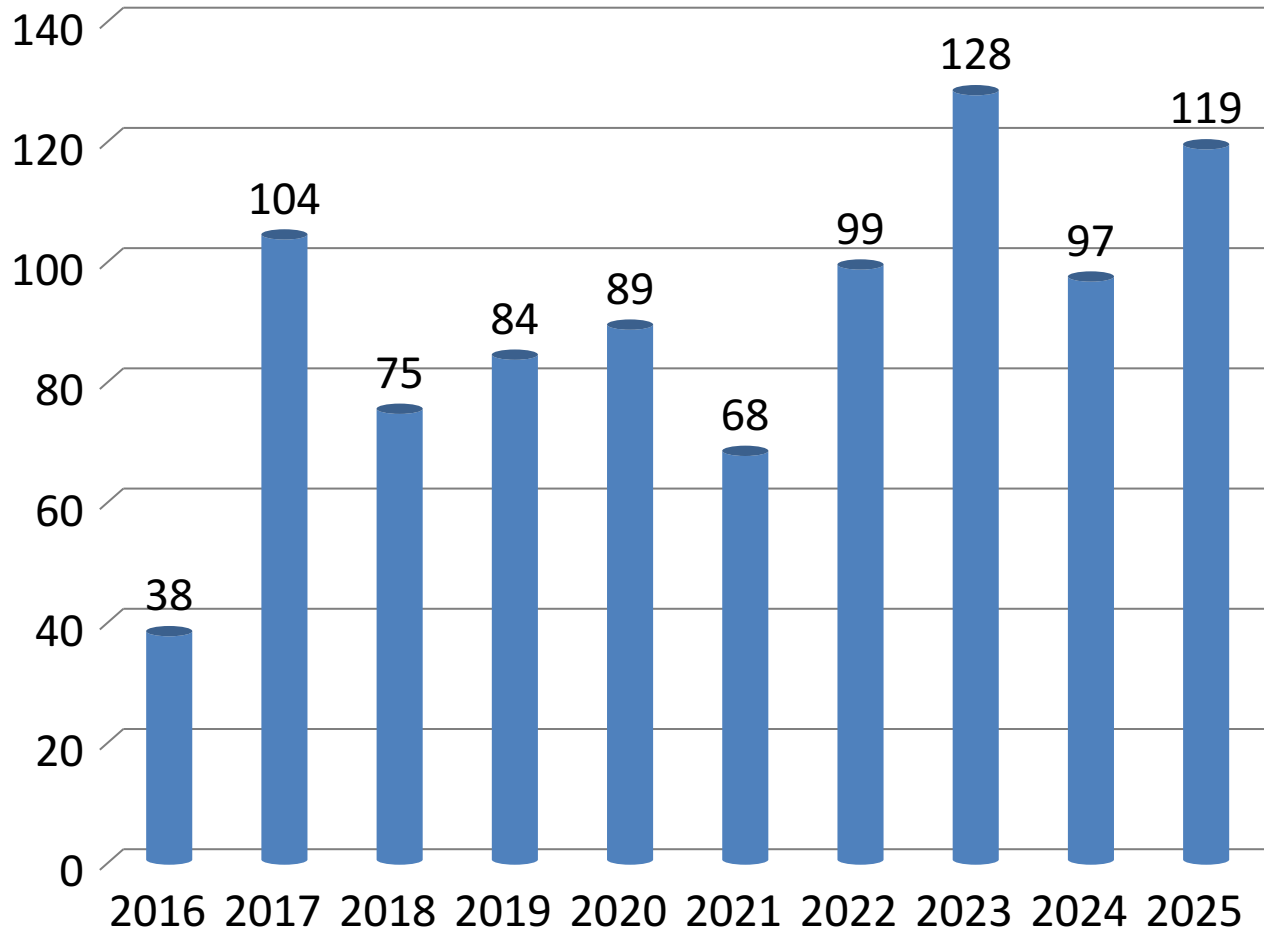
Involuntary Mental Health Commitments Petitions Filed



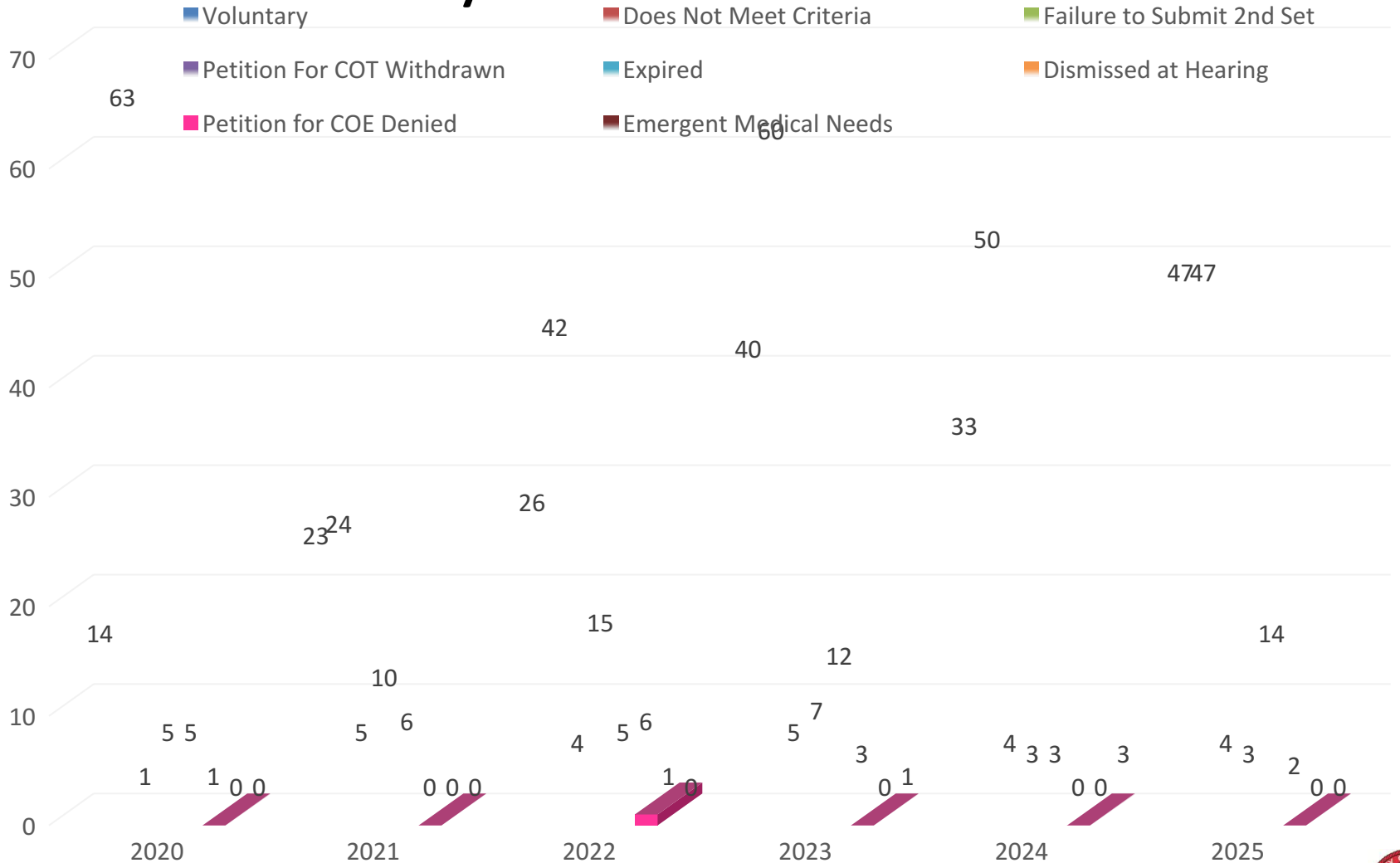
Involuntary Mental Health Petitions Filed on Inmate Patients



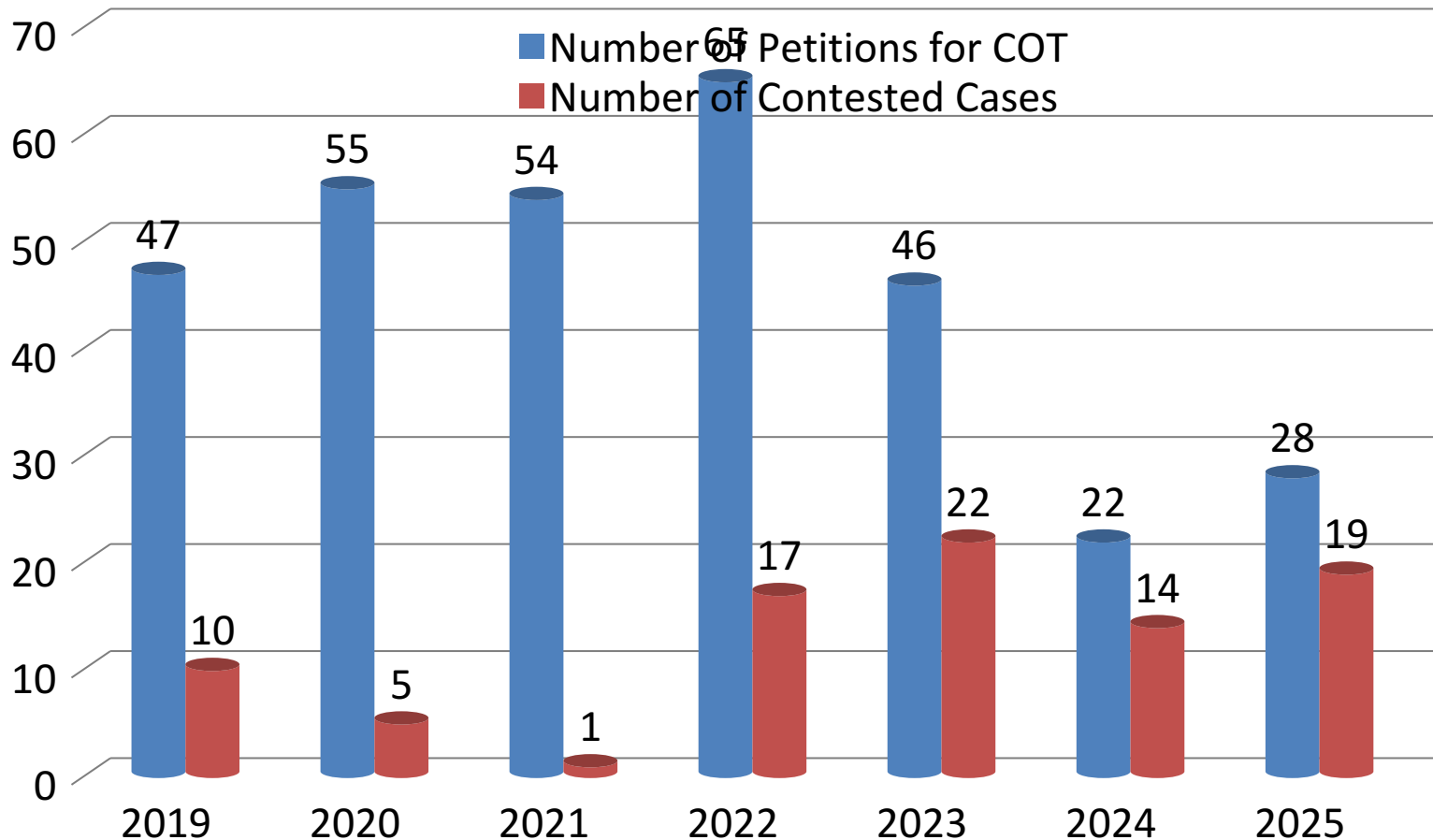
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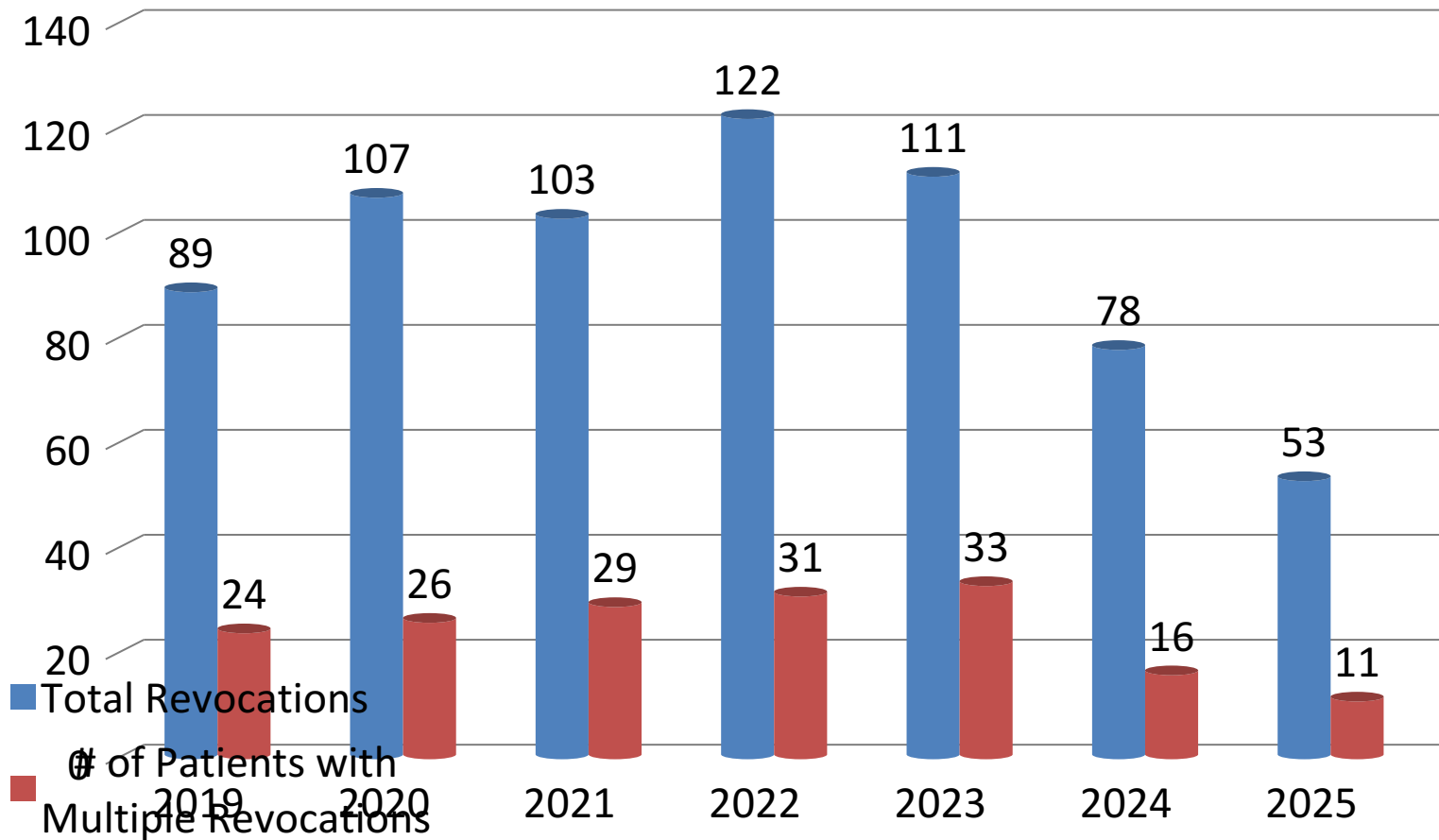
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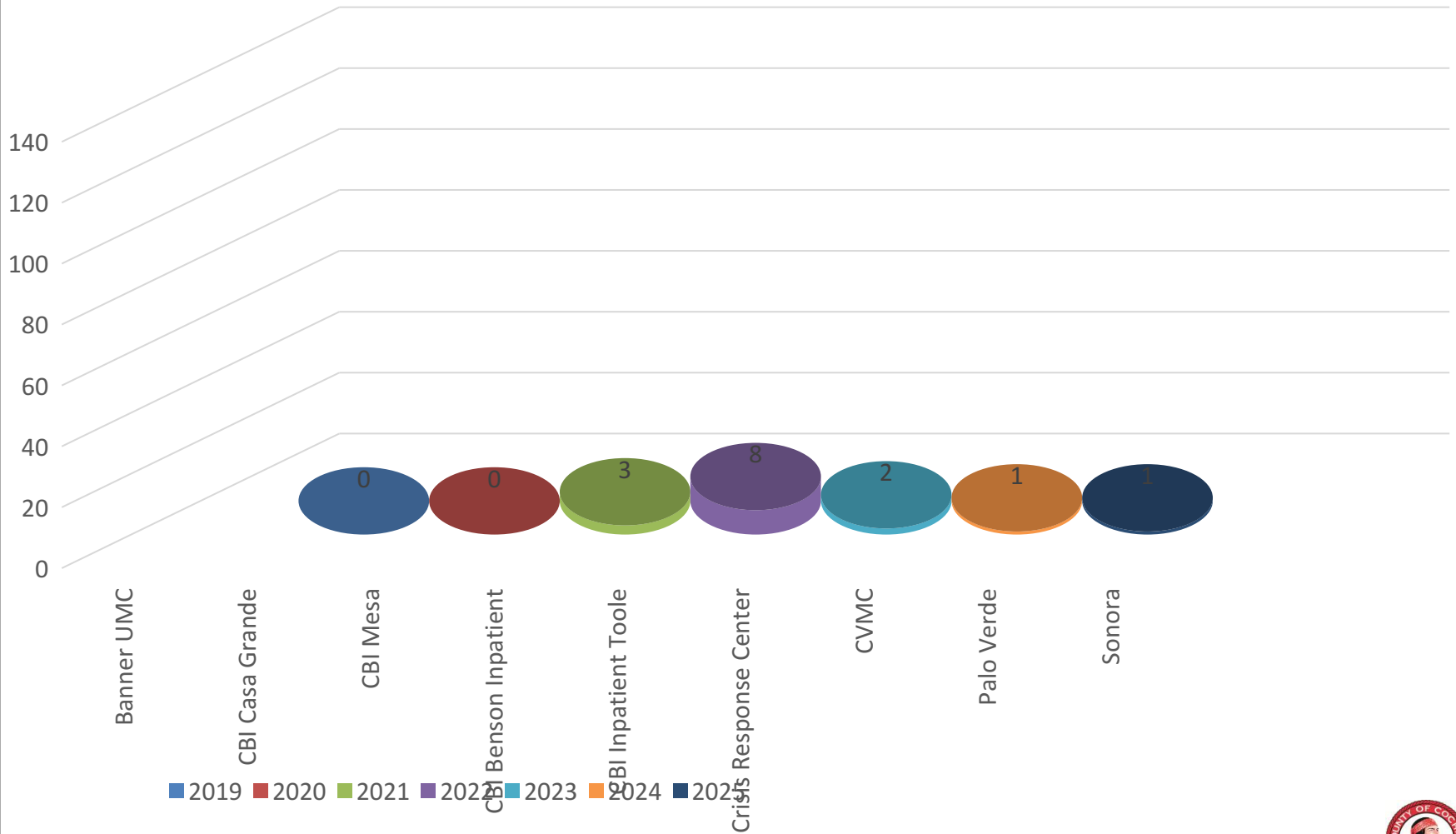
Involuntary Mental Health Contested Hearings



Involuntary Mental Health Revocations



Mental Health Facilities Usage



County Attorney – Civil Staff

- **Lori A. Zucco, Cochise County Attorney**



County Attorney – Civil Staff

- **Dylan Hendel, Civil Deputy/Public Relations**
- Clients:
 - Assessor
 - Board of Supervisors
 - Cochise College
 - Elections
 - Engineering & Natural Resources
 - Litigation Attorney
 - Recorder
 - Risk Management/Claims
 - Sheriff
 - Water Law and Litigation



County Attorney – Civil Staff

- **Bert Whitehead IV, Civil Deputy**

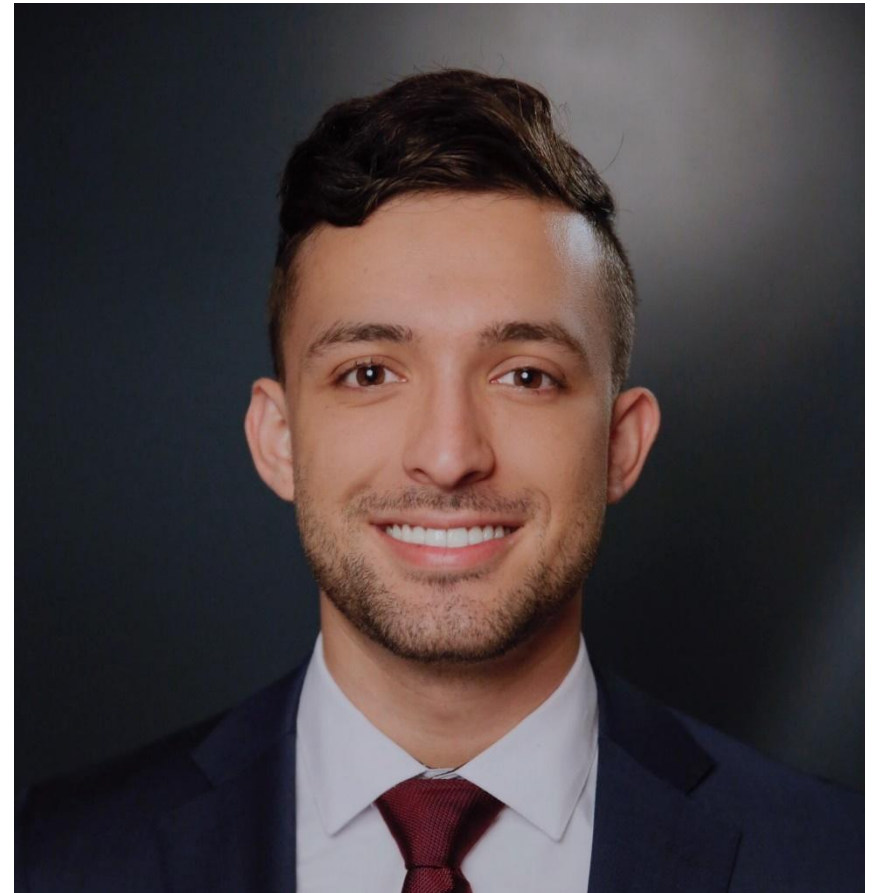
- Clients:

- Adoptions
- Board of Supervisors
- Contracts Attorney
- Courts
- Development Services
- Emergency Management
- Facilities
- Finance
- Health & Social Services
- Housing Authority
- Human Resources
- Indigent Defense
- IT
- Mental Health Commitments
- Public Fiduciary
- Public Records Request Attorney
- Public Works
- Treasurer



County Attorney – Civil Staff

- **Daniel Restrepo, Civil Deputy**
- **Clients:**
 - Library District
 - Mental Health Commitments (Backup Attorney)
 - Procurement
 - School Superintendent
 - Special Districts



County Attorney – Civil Staff

- **Susana Stark, Office Manager**

- Clients:

- Adoptions
- Board of Supervisors
- Cochise College
- Contracts
- County Attorney Staff
- Courts
- Engineering & Natural Resources
- Facilities
- Finance
- Housing Authority
- Human Resources
- Indigent Defense
- IT
- Library District
- Procurement
- School Superintendent
- Sheriff
- Public Works
- Special Districts



County Attorney – Civil Staff

- **Catherine Barney,
Senior Paralegal**
- **Clients:**
 - Adoptions
 - Health & Social
Services
 - Mental Health
Commitments
 - Safety Coordinator



County Attorney – Civil Staff

- **Debora Lohse, Paralegal**
- Clients:
 - Assessor (Backup Paralegal)
 - Litigation Paralegal
 - Mental Health Commitments (Backup Paralegal)
 - Public Fiduciary
 - Recorder
 - Risk Management/Claims
 - Treasurer



County Attorney – Civil Staff

- **Luisa Cota,
Paralegal/Public
Relations**
- **Clients:**
 - Assessor
 - Development Services
 - Elections
 - Emergency
Management
 - Litigation Paralegal
 - Treasurer (Backup
Paralegal)



County Attorney – Civil Staff

- **Taylor Sherman,
Paralegal**
- **Clients:**
 - Public Records
Requests Coordinator
 - Treasurer (Backup
Paralegal)
 - Water Law and
Litigation



Attorney - Years of Experience

- Lori A. Zucco 17 yrs./29 yrs.
Cochise County Attorney
- Dylan Hendel 1 yr. 4 mos./1 yr. 4 mos.
Civil Deputy/PR
- Bert Whitehead IV 10 mos./14 yrs. 9 mos.
Civil Deputy
- Daniel Restrepo 2 mos./4 yrs. 3 mos.
Civil Deputy

Total Combined Experience: 18 yrs. 16 mos./48 yrs. 16 mos.

** Note: Information above reflects the combined time with Cochise County and the combined legal experience. For attorneys, only their time practicing law is included.*



Support Staff - Years of Experience

- Susana Stark
Office Mgr. 8 yrs. 1 mo./26 yrs.
- Catherine Barney
Senior Paralegal 10 yrs. 8 mos./22 yrs.
- Debora Lohse
Paralegal 8 yrs. 1 mo./9 yrs.
- Luisa Cota
Paralegal/PR Team 2 yrs. & 5 mos./20 yrs.
- Taylor Sherman
Paralegal 1 yr. & 1 mo./1 yr. & 1 mo.

Total Combined Experience: 29 yrs. 16 mos./78 yrs. 1 mo.

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County Clients

- Assessor
- Board of Supervisors
- All County Departments
- County Attorney
- Public Fiduciary
- Recorder
- Sheriff
- Superintendent of Schools
- Treasurer



Non-County Clients

- Adoptive Parents
- Cochise College
- Fire Districts
- Library District
- Mental Health Agencies/Hospitals
- Road Improvement Districts
- Water Districts



