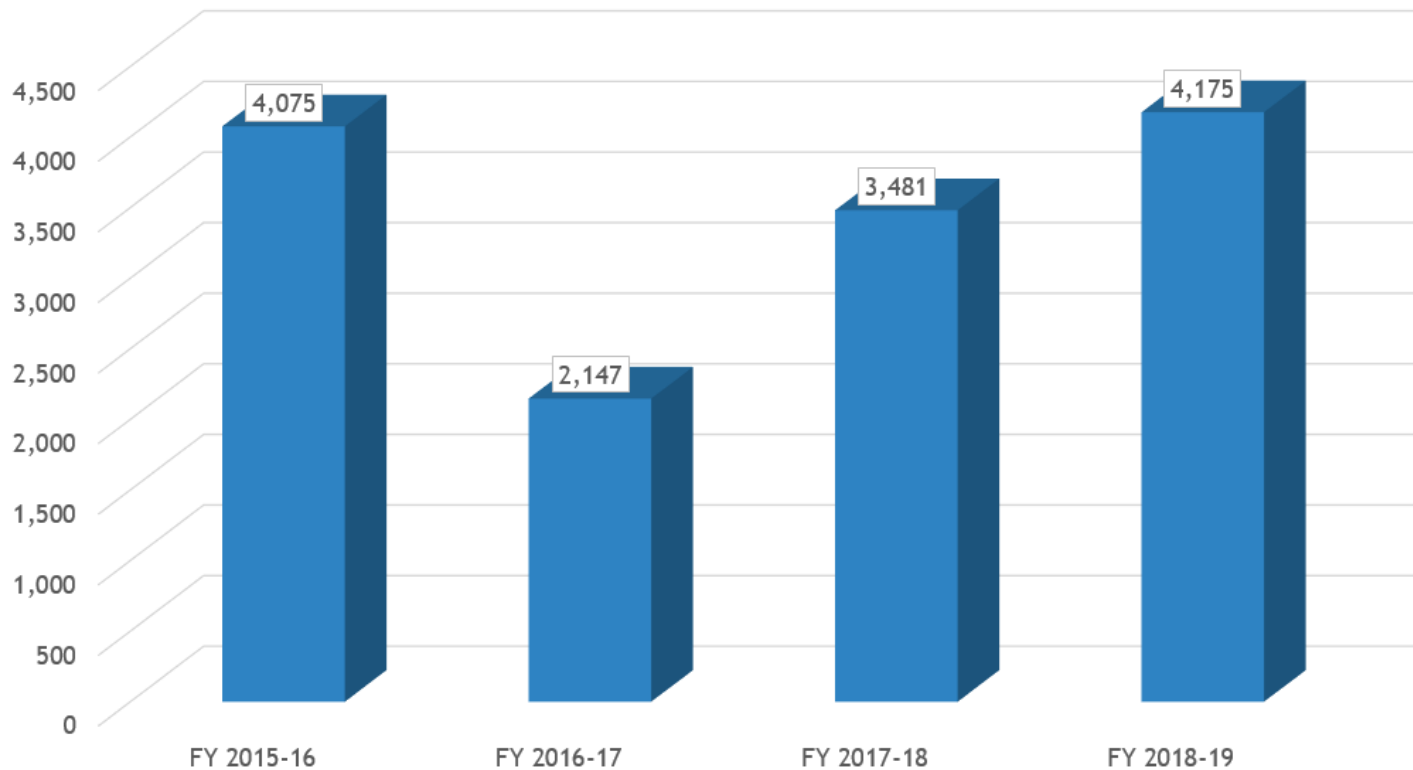


## Rejections of Filings under Solicitation of Charitable Funds Act (FY 2015-16 – FY 2018-19)<sup>24</sup>

If a filing for a charitable organization or professional fundraiser does not contain the information required under the Solicitation of Charitable Funds Act, then the Division of Public Charities will reject it. Division of Public Charities staff first contacts the organization by email to attempt to correct the issue. If the organization does not respond, staff will return the filing to the organization along with a notice explaining the deficiency. The notice requests that the organization correct the filing and return it to the Division of Public Charities within 15 days. Failure to correct and return the filing may result in the issuance of a notice of violation and/or administrative fine.

Total Number of Rejections of Filings under Solicitation of Charitable Funds Act



<sup>24</sup> S.C. House of Representatives, House Legislative Oversight Committee, “Agency Presentation – Charities and Trademarks (October 28, 2019),” under “Committee Postings and Reports,” under “House Legislative Oversight Committee,” under “Secretary of State, Office of the,” and under “Meetings,”

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