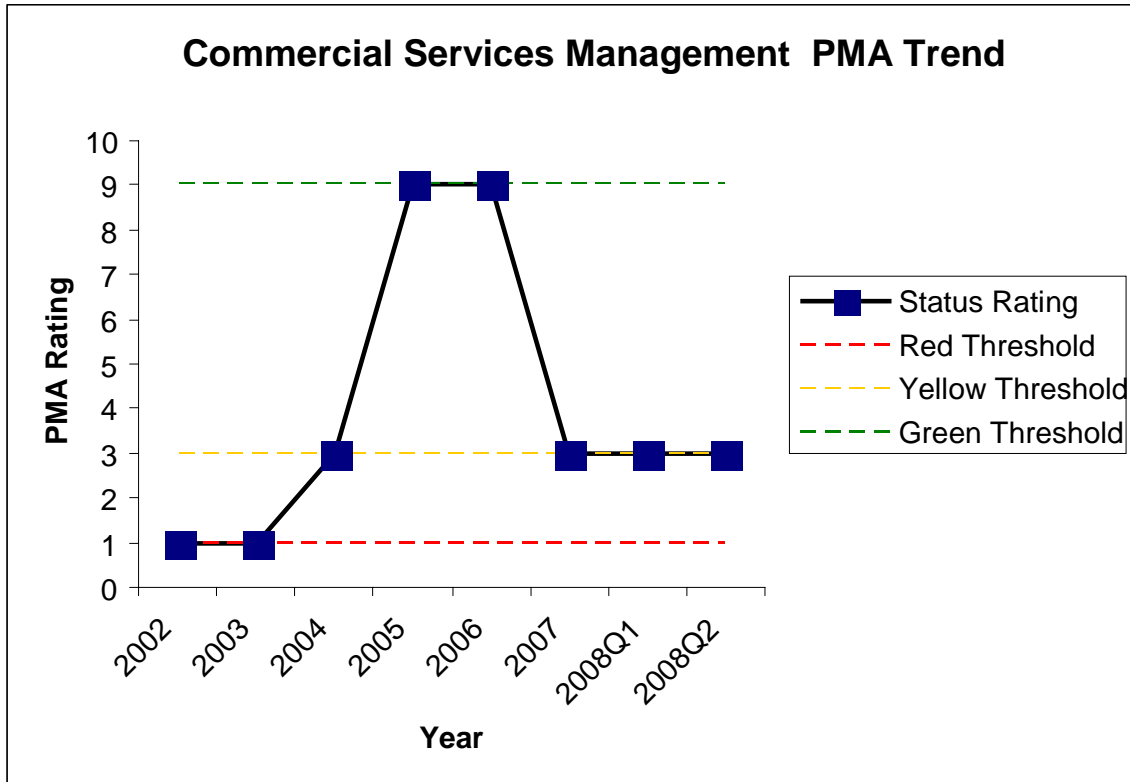


## Office of Performance Budgeting and Strategic Planning

### COMMERCIAL SERVICES MANAGEMENT

Commercial Services Management allows the Department to look internally and externally for the best way to achieve its mission. Through Commercial Services Management, the Department of the Treasury can utilize public-private competitions to deliver services in a more efficient and cost effective manner.

#### Progress to Date:



(This chart shows the status rating for the Commercial Services Management initiative of PMA from 2002 through the present. For the years 2002 and 2003, the rating was at the red threshold and increased to the yellow threshold for 2004. The rating increased to green for 2005 and 2006. For 2007, and the first two quarters of 2008 has declined to the yellow threshold.)

In order to meet the Office of Management and Budget's **Standards for Success**, the Treasury Department is initiating several actions during fiscal year 2008.

- Treasury remains yellow in progress because it has not identified new or additional public-private competitions.
- The Department will continue to review positions and activities to ensure it is competitive, effective, and efficient, and identify potential public-private competitions where competitive sourcing can be used effectively to close performance gaps.
- The Department will use a competitiveness assessment process to evaluate programs, budget activities and major processes across the department. Options to improve competitiveness include competitive sourcing, business process reengineering, strategic sourcing, benchmarking, and the use of high-performance organization techniques.