

The Department of Veterans Affairs establishes the following goals with respect to the numbers of Freedom of Information (FOIA)/Privacy Act (PA) Requests and Appeals to be processed for the next three fiscal years as well as the number of Requests and number of Appeals it expects to be pending beyond the statutory time period at the end of each fiscal year for Fiscal Years 2008, 2009, and 2010.

Requests

Fiscal Year	Number of Pending Requests at Beginning of FY	Estimated Number of Requests Incoming During FY	Agency's Goal for Number of Requests to be Processed During FY	Agency's Goal for Number of Requests Pending Beyond Statutory Time Period (i.e., Backlog) at End of FY
2008	2,500	2,000,000	2,000,500	2,000

Fiscal Year	Projected Number of Requests Pending Beyond Statutory Time Limit (Backlog) at Beginning of FY	Estimated Number of Requests Incoming During FY	Agency's Goal for Number of Requests to be Processed During FY	Agency's Goal for Number of Requests Pending Beyond Statutory Time Period (i.e., Backlog) at End of FY
2009	2,000	2,028,000	2,028,500	1,500
2010	1,500	2,056,000	2,056,500	1,000

Appeals

Fiscal Year	Number of Pending Appeals at Beginning of FY	Estimated Number of Appeals Incoming During FY	Agency's Goal for Number of Appeals to be Processed During FY	Agency's Goal for Number of Appeals Pending Beyond Statutory Time Period (i.e., Backlog) at End of FY
2008	171	230	250	151

Fiscal Year	Projected Number of Appeals Pending Beyond Statutory Time Limit (Backlog) at Beginning of FY	Estimated Number of Appeals Incoming During FY	Agency's Goal for Number of Appeals to be Processed During FY	Agency's Goal for Number of Appeals Pending Beyond Statutory Time Period (i.e., Backlog) at End of FY
2009	151	230	250	131
2010	131	230	250	111