

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
 Patent and Trademark Office
 Salaries and Expenses
PERIODICALS, PAMPHLETS AND AUDIOVISUAL PRODUCTS
 (Dollar amounts in thousands)

	<u>1999 Actual</u>	<u>2000 Currently Available</u>	<u>2001 Estimate</u>
Periodicals.....	\$28	\$81	\$83
Pamphlets.....	\$27	\$28	\$39
Audiovisuals.....	<u>\$15</u>	<u>\$17</u>	<u>\$22</u>
Total.....	\$70	\$126	\$144

Narrative Statement

Technical literature documents in the form of periodicals and pamphlets are essential in the patent and trademark examination process. The printing costs are reflected above. The requirement for technical literature documents is directly proportional to the workload and resultant production in patent and trademark activities. The use of audiovisuals is primarily for PTO's National Inventors Day program.