

Appendix

NEPA Statistical Tables

Note to Readers: In *Environmental Quality 1996*, Tables 1, 2, and 4 in the National Environmental Policy Act statistical tables regrettably omitted statistics from the Department of Interior and its agencies and bureaus. These tables should therefore not be relied on for cumulative totals.

Table 1. NEPA Cases by Agency, 1997

Lead Defendent	Number of cases filed	Number of injunctions resulting from 1997 issued cases
Department of Agriculture	30	1
Department of the Army	11	0
Department of Commerce	2	0
Department of Energy	6	0
Department of Housing and Urban Development	2	0
Department of the Interior	29	0
Department of the Navy	2	0
Department of State	1	0
Department of Transportation	14	1
Environmental Protection Agency	1	0
General Services Administration	1	0
U.S. Postal Service	1	0
The President/CEQ	2	0
TOTAL	102	2

Table 2. Lead Plaintiffs for NEPA Lawsuits, 1997

Plaintiffs	Number
Public Interest Organizations and Citizen Groups	56
Individuals	19
Local Governments	7
Business Groups	7
Landowner Associates	4
State and Territorial Governments	3
Members of Congress	2
Unions	1
Water Users Association	1
Intertribal Cooperative	1
Political Party	1
TOTAL	102

Table 3. 1997 Environmental Impact Statements Filed with the Environmental Protection Agency

Agency/Subject	Totals by Subject	Totals
U.S. Department of Agriculture		128
Natural Gas and Oil: Drilling and Exploration	1	
Forestry and Range Management	86	
Parks, Recreation Areas, Wilderness Areas, National Seashores	15	
Land Acquisition or Disposal, Management Jurisdiction Transfer	1	
Watershed Protection and Flood Control	8	
Pesticides, Herbicides Use	5	
Road Construction	1	
Mining (Non-Energy)	6	
Irrigation, Desalination of Return Flow, Agriculture Water Supply	2	
Other Water Projects	3	
U.S. Department of Commerce		15
Wetlands, Estuary and Ocean Use (Sanctuary, Disposal, etc)	3	
Fisheries	4	
Wildlife Refuges, Fish Hatcheries	1	
Other Water Projects	4	
Comprehensive Resource Management	2	
Buildings, Federally Licensed or Assisted (Including Production Facilities)	1	
U.S. Department of the Air Force		14
Military Installations (Conventional, Chemical, Nuclear, etc)	14	
U.S. Department of the Army		13
Military Installations (Conventional, Chemical, Nuclear, etc)	12	
Forestry and Range Management	1	
U.S. Department of the Navy		23
Military Installations (Conventional, Chemical, Nuclear, etc)	21	
Defense Systems	2	
U.S. Marine Corps		4
Military Installations (Conventional, Chemical, Nuclear, etc)	1	
Sewage Treatment and Sewage Facilities	1	
Watershed Protection and Flood Control	2	
U.S. Army Department of the Corps of Engineers		48
Military Installations (Conventional, Chemical, Nuclear, etc)	3	
Beach Erosion, Hurricane Protection, River/Lake Bank Stabilization	3	
Navigation	7	
Dredge and Fill	7	
Watershed Protection and Flood Control	14	
Other Water Projects	5	
Drainage	2	

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Table 3. 1997 Environmental Impact Statements Filed with the Environmental Protection Agency (continued)

Agency/Subject	Totals by Subject	Totals
U.S. Army Department of the Corps of Engineers (continued)		
Road Improvements	1	
Mining (Non-Energy)	3	
Wetlands, Estuary and Ocean Use (Sanctuary, Disposal, etc.)	1	
Multi-Purpose Impoundments	2	
U.S. Department of Energy		17
Power Facilities: Hydroelectric	1	
Power Facilities: Transmission	2	
Power Facilities: Nuclear (e.g., AEC, TVA)	2	
Power Facilities: Conservation and Other	3	
Comprehensive Resource Management	2	
Radioactive Waste Disposal	2	
Nuclear Development (e.g., Fuel, Reactors)	1	
Other Water Projects	1	
Fisheries	1	
Natural Gas and Oil: Transportation/Pipeline/Storage	2	
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency		5
Dredge and Fill	1	
Mining	3	
Other Water Projects	1	
U.S. General Service Administration		10
Buildings for Federal Use	5	
Road Improvements	1	
Buildings, Federally Licensed or Assisted (including Production Facilities)	4	
U.S. Department of the Interior		80
Natural Gas and Oil: Drilling and Exploration	4	
Land Acquisition or Disposal, Management Jurisdiction Transfer	3	
Parks, Recreation Areas, Wilderness Areas, National Seashores	17	
Forestry and Range Management	19	
Mining (Non-Energy)	15	
Comprehensive Resource Management	3	
Other Water Projects	5	
Wildlife Refuges, Fish Hatcheries	5	
Mining	3	
Irrigation, Desalination of Return Flows, Agriculture Water Supply	3	
Road Construction	1	
Municipal and Industrial Water Supply Systems (Not Multi-Purpose Impoundments)	2	

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Table 3. 1997 Environmental Impact Statements Filed with the Environmental Protection Agency (continued)

Agency/Subject	Totals by Subject	Totals
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission		2
Power Facilities: Conservation and Other Mining	2	
U.S. Tennessee Valley Authority		6
Power Facilities: Fossil	1	
Power Facilities: Conservation and Other	1	
Power Facilities: Nuclear (e.g., AEC, TVA)	2	
Power Facilities: Transmission	1	
Other Water Projects	1	
U.S. Department of Transportation		100
Road Construction	75	
Airport Improvements	11	
Bridge Permits	5	
Other Permits/Approvals	3	
Mass Transportation	5	
Military Installations (Conventional, Chemical, Nuclear, etc.)	1	
U.S. Federal Energy Regulatory Commission		20
Power Facilities: Hydroelectric	5	
Power Facilities: Conservation and Other	3	
Power Facilities: Transmission	2	
Natural Gas and Oil: Transportation/Pipeline/Storage	7	
U.S. National Capital Planning Commission		2
Parks, Recreation Areas, Wilderness Areas, National Seashores	2	
U.S. Department of Justice		3
Buildings for Federal Use	3	
U.S. Safety Transportation Board		2
Railroads	2	
U.S. National Aeronautics/Space Administration		5
Space Programs	5	
Utah Reclamation Mitigation and Conservation Commission		1
Other Water Projects	1	
TOTAL ALL AGENCIES		498