



## Backlog Reduction Goals for FY08, FY09, and FY10 in Furtherance of Executive Order 13,392, "Improving Agency Disclosure of Information" October 31, 2007

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<b>Requests – RRB</b>				
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	1	75	75	1

Fiscal Year	Projected Number of Requests Pending Beyond Statutory Time Period (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 (Backlog) at End of FY
2009	1	100	100	0
2010	0	150	150	0

<b>Appeals – RRB</b>				
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2008	1	3	3	1

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2009	1	5	5	0
2010	0	7	7	0



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2008	7	12	19	7

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2009	7	12	12	0
2010	0	12	12	0

<b>Appeals – OIG-RRB</b>				
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2008	0	0	0	0

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2009	0	0	0	0
2010	0	0	0	0