

About This Report

The Department of the Interior's Performance and Accountability Report for Fiscal Year 2008 provides performance and financial information that enables Congress, the President, and the public to assess the performance of the Department relative to its mission and stewardship of the resources entrusted to it. This Report satisfies the reporting requirements of the following major legislation.

- ◆ Chief Financial Officers Act of 1990
- ◆ Government Performance and Results Act of 1993
- ◆ Government Management Reform Act of 1994
- ◆ Reports Consolidation Act of 2000

Under the Reports Consolidation Act of 2000, agencies are permitted to submit combined reports in implementing statutory requirements for financial and performance management reporting to improve the efficiency of executive branch performance.

These requirements are combined in this Performance and Accountability Report, which consists of the Annual Performance Report—required by the Government Performance and Results Act of 1993—with annual financial statements—required under the Chief Financial Officers Act, as amended by the Government Management Reform Act of 1994—and other reports, such as management assurances on internal controls and Inspector General assessments of the Department's management challenges.

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