

Table 326. Federal Prosecutions of Public Corruption: 1980 to 2006

[As of December 31. Prosecution of persons who have corrupted public office in violation of Federal Criminal Statutes]

| Prosecution status | 1980 | 1985 | 1990 | 1995 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 | 2004 | 2005 | 2006 |
|----------------------------------------------|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Total: ¹ Charged | 727 | 1,157 | 1,176 | 1,051 | 1,134 | 1,000 | 1,087 | 1,136 | 1,150 | 1,213 | 1,163 | 1,150 |
| Convicted | 602 | 997 | 1,084 | 878 | 1,065 | 938 | 920 | 1,011 | 868 | 1,020 | 1,027 | 1,030 |
| Awaiting trial | 213 | 256 | 300 | 323 | 329 | 327 | 437 | 413 | 412 | 419 | 451 | 439 |
| Federal officials: Charged . . | 123 | 563 | 615 | 527 | 480 | 441 | 502 | 478 | 479 | 424 | 445 | 463 |
| Convicted | 131 | 470 | 583 | 438 | 460 | 422 | 414 | 429 | 421 | 381 | 390 | 407 |
| Awaiting trial | 16 | 90 | 103 | 120 | 101 | 92 | 131 | 119 | 129 | 98 | 118 | 112 |
| State officials: Charged | 72 | 79 | 96 | 61 | 115 | 92 | 95 | 110 | 94 | 111 | 96 | 101 |
| Convicted | 51 | 66 | 79 | 61 | 80 | 91 | 61 | 132 | 87 | 81 | 94 | 116 |
| Awaiting trial | 28 | 20 | 28 | 23 | 44 | 37 | 75 | 50 | 38 | 48 | 51 | 38 |
| Local officials: Charged | 247 | 248 | 257 | 236 | 237 | 211 | 224 | 299 | 259 | 268 | 309 | 291 |
| Convicted | 168 | 221 | 225 | 191 | 219 | 183 | 184 | 262 | 119 | 252 | 232 | 241 |
| Awaiting trial | 82 | 49 | 98 | 89 | 95 | 89 | 110 | 118 | 106 | 105 | 148 | 141 |
| Others involved: Charged . . . | 285 | 267 | 208 | 227 | 302 | 256 | 266 | 249 | 318 | 410 | 313 | 295 |
| Convicted | 252 | 240 | 197 | 188 | 306 | 242 | 261 | 188 | 241 | 306 | 311 | 266 |
| Awaiting trial | 87 | 97 | 71 | 91 | 89 | 109 | 121 | 126 | 139 | 168 | 134 | 148 |

¹ Includes individuals who are neither public officials nor employees, but were involved with public officials or employees in violating the law, not shown separately.

Source: U.S. Department of Justice, Criminal Division, *Federal Prosecutions of Corrupt Public Officials, 1970–1980 and Report to Congress on the Activities and Operations of the Public Integrity Section*, annual; <<http://www.usdoj.gov/criminal/pin/>>.