

**ANNUAL REPORT  
FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT**

**REPORT CONTROL SYMBOL  
DD-DA&M(A)1365**

**1. INITIAL REQUEST DETERMINATIONS**

a. GRANTED IN FULL	b. DENIED IN PART	c. DENIED IN FULL	d. "OTHER REASONS"	e. TOTAL ACTIONS
7,934	2,791	327	6,586	17,638

**2a. EXEMPTIONS INVOKED ON INITIAL REQUEST DETERMINATIONS**

(b) (1)	(b) (2)	(b) (3)	(b) (4)	(b) (5)	(b) (6)
57	274	223	221	347	1,515

  

(b) (7)(A)	(b) (7)(B)	(b) (7)(C)	(b) (7)(D)	(b) (7)(E)	(b) (7)(F)	(b) (8)	(b) (9)
137	14	1,384	30	23	27	0	0

**2b. "OTHER REASONS" CITED ON INITIAL DETERMINATIONS**

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	TOTAL
1,250	3,700	603	145	141	194	143	287	123	6,586

**2c. STATUTES CITED ON INITIAL REQUEST (b)(3) EXEMPTIONS**

(1)(b)(3) STATUTE CLAIMED	NUMBER OF INSTANCES	COURT UPHELD? (Yes or No)	CONCISE DESCRIPTION OF MATERIAL WITHHELD
5 USC 574(j)	1	N	Administrative Dispute Resolution Act
10 USC 130	24	Y	Authority to Withhold Unclass Technical Data w/Mil or Space Application
10 USC 130b	128	N	Personnel in Overseas, Sensitive or Routinely Deployable Units
10 USC 618(f)	1	N	Action on Reports of Selection Boards
10 USC 1102	4	N	Confidentiality of Medical Records
10 USC 2305(g)	57	N	Protection of Contractor Proposals
12 USC 3403	4	N	Confidential of Financial Records
22 USC 2778(e) Sec 38(e)	1	N	Control of Arms Exports
42 USC 2162a	1	Y	Info regarding Atomic Energy
50 USC 403-3(c)(7)	1	Y	Intelligence Sources and Methods
Rule 6(e)	1	Y	Grand Jury Info - only docs that reveal internal work or deliberations

**3. APPEAL DETERMINATIONS**

a. GRANTED IN FULL	b. DENIED IN PART	c. DENIED IN FULL	d. "OTHER REASONS"	e. TOTAL ACTIONS
4	12	146	104	266

4a. EXEMPTIONS INVOKED ON APPEAL DETERMINATIONS									
(b) (1)	(b) (2)	(b) (3)	(b) (4)	(b) (5)	(b) (6)				
9	14	4	5	40	39				
(b) (7)(A)	(b) (7)(B)	(b) (7)(C)	(b) (7)(D)	(b) (7)(E)	(b) (7)(F)	(b) (8)	(b) (9)		
5	0	48	1	0	1	0	0		
4b. "OTHER REASONS" CITED ON APPEAL DETERMINATIONS									
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	TOTAL
13	6	3	1	2	10	2	0	67	104
4c. STATUTES CITED ON APPEAL (b)(3) EXEMPTIONS									
(1)(b)(3) STATUTE CLAIMED		NUMBER OF INSTANCES	COURT UPHELD? (Yes or No)	CONCISE DESCRIPTION OF MATERIAL WITHHELD					
10 USC 130b		3	N	Personnel in Overseas, Sensitive or Routinely Deployable Units Action on Reports of Selection Boards					
10 USC 618(f)		1	N						
5. NUMBER AND MEDIAN AGE OF INITIAL CASES PENDING				(1) AS OF BEGINNING REPORT PERIOD	(2) AS OF END REPORT PERIOD				
a. TOTAL INITIAL REQUESTS PENDING (open)				1,790	2,193				
b. MEDIAN AGE (in days) OF OPEN INITIAL REQUESTS				17	22				
6.a. TOTAL NUMBER OF INITIAL REQUESTS RECEIVED DURING THE FISCAL YEAR					18,041				
b. TOTAL NUMBER OF APPEALS RECEIVED					266				
7. TYPES OF INITIAL REQUESTS PROCESSED AND MEDIAN AGE				TOTAL NUMBER OF CASES		MEDIAN AGE (Days)			
a. SIMPLE				14,547		12			
b. COMPLEX				2,980		26			
c. EXPEDITED PROCESSING				111		1			
8. TOTAL AMOUNT COLLECTED FROM THE PUBLIC					\$ 142,900.00				
9. PROGRAM COST			10. REPORT ON EXECUTIVE ORDER (EO) 13392 IMPLEMENTATION (See Page 3)						
a. NUMBER OF FULL TIME STAFF		59	11. AUTHENTICATION						
b. NUMBER OF PART TIME STAFF		129	a. TYPED NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial)		b. DUTY TITLE				
			LAMA, DORIS M		HEAD, DON PA/FOIA POLICY BRANCH				
c. ESTIMATED LITIGATION COST		\$96,433.00	c. AGENCY NAME		d. TELEPHONE NUMBER (Include Area Code)				
			DEPARTMENT OF NAVY, CNO (DNS-36)		(202) 685-6545				
d. TOTAL PROGRAM COST		\$10,357,901.00							

**10. REPORT ON EXECUTIVE ORDER (EO) 13392 IMPLEMENTATION.** In this section, which is required for the FY 2006 and FY 2007 FOIA Annual Reports, Components detail their compliance with EO 19932. (Attach additional sheets if necessary. Reference each continuation sheet by item number.)

a. DESCRIPTION OF ANY SUPPLEMENTATION/MODIFICATION TO DOD IMPROVEMENT PLAN BY YOUR COMPONENT (If applicable). Describe any refinements or changes to the DoD FOIA Improvement Plan made by your Component. If this does not apply to your Component, state "None".

None

b. REPORT ON YOUR COMPONENT IMPLEMENTATION OF THE DOD FOIA IMPROVEMENT PLAN. Describe how your Component performed in meeting each of the milestones listed in the Plan.

Our responses to FOIA Data Collections requested by DFOIPO delineate the DON's compliance with EO 13392. Other improvements include: updating our FOIA web site at [www.foia.navy.mil](http://www.foia.navy.mil) to make it easier for the requester to navigate; working with DON activities to improve their FOIA web sites; requesting our activities to offer electronic FOIA request forms on their web sites; establishing generic email addresses; expanding documents being placed in our reading rooms; revising the content of FOIA response letters to make them more user friendly; and issuing policy guidance on FOIA issues to ensure conformity throughout the Navy.

c. IDENTIFICATION OF DEFICIENCIES (If applicable). If your Component did not meet one or more milestones, list which one(s) were not met and why.

We do not have the financial resources to deploy a uniform FOIA tracking system or expand our FOIA training program to offer regionalized training.

d. ADDITIONAL NARRATIVE REGARDING OTHER EXECUTIVE ORDER-RELATED ACTIVITIES (optional). This section allows Components the opportunity to provide any comments relevant to EO 13392.

In an effort to strengthen our FOIA program and ensure our FOIA community has up-to-date tools, we routinely disseminate policy guidance and items of interest quickly via our FOIA email system; update our FOIA web site to include more FOIA tools/guidance; provide guidance to our FOIA coordinators and/or their attorneys via email and phone; provide guidance to requesters via email and phone; ordered the upcoming DOJ FOIA Guide for dissemination to our FOIA coordinators and attorneys; and we are currently purchasing and deploying REDAX, an electronic redaction system, for the purpose of reducing response times and ensuring continuity of exemptions being claimed.

e. ADDITIONAL STATISTICS

(1) DATE OF YOUR COMPONENT'S OLDEST FOIA REQUEST  
(Date on request letter, or if undated, date received in your Component.)

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(2) DATE OF YOUR COMPONENT'S OLDEST FOIA CONSULTATION  
(Date of transmittal memo from referring Component or Agency to your Component. If undated, date received in your Component.)

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