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<b>Compensation and Pension Entitlement</b>	# Pending	# Pending Over 125	% Over 125
September 7, 2010	<b>568,416</b>	<b>211,484</b>	<b>37.2%</b>

<b>Compensation and Pension Rating Bundle</b>	# Pending	# Pending Over 125	% Over 125
	<b>538,176</b>	<b>197,394</b>	<b>36.7%</b>

**Compensation**

	EP	# Pending	# Pending Over 125	% Over 125
<b>Entitlement (Original and Supplemental)</b>		<b>497,669</b>	<b>186,395</b>	<b>37.5%</b>
Original Entitlement - Veterans <sup>1</sup>				
Initial entitlement decisions for Voc Rehab	095	513	65	12.7%
Initial entitlement for service-connected disability (=>8)	010	33,594	14,219	42.3%
Initial entitlement for service-connected disability (<=7)	110	124,817	45,535	36.5%
Original Entitlement - Survivors <sup>2</sup>				
Initial claims from surviving spouses, children or parents	140	13,994	5,570	39.8%
Initial claims from children Veterans with Spina bifida and/or birth defects	410	70	6	8.6%
Supplemental Entitlement				
Increased evaluation and/or additional claimed conditions	020	322,925	120,740	37.4%
Increased entitlement due to hospitalization or surgery	320	1,719	255	14.8%
Spina bifida and/or birth defects reconsideration	420	37	5	13.5%

<sup>1</sup> First claim filed by a Veteran for benefits (including Voc Rehab memo ratings) based upon the effects of disabilities, diseases, or injuries incurred or aggravated during active military service.

<sup>2</sup> First claim received from surviving spouses, dependent children and dependent parents based upon the Veteran's death due to service-related causes.

	EP	# Pending	# Pending Over 125	% Over 125
<b>Award Adjustments</b>		<b>99,638</b>	<b>25,372</b>	<b>25.5%</b>
Dependency	130	46,558	9,188	19.7%
Survivor restored entitlement	133	5	3	60.0%
Hospitalization adjustment (non-rating)	135	204	71	34.8%
Misc determinations	290	27,658	10,712	38.7%
Spina bifida and/or birth defects adjustments	450	1	1	100.0%
Future examination for disabilities	310	5,761	1,712	29.7%
Due process	600	19,451	3,685	18.9%

Involves the modification of benefits based not upon entitlement (in the majority of cases a rating to determine service connection and/or to assign a degree of disability is not required), but upon additional ancillary factors. Such activity usually occurs when a Veteran or survivor is currently entitled and receiving benefits. Some compensation award adjustment activities can be considered annual and cyclical in nature.

	EP	# Pending	# Pending Over 125	% Over 125
<b>Program Reviews *</b>		<b>18,010</b>	<b>8,207</b>	<b>45.6%</b>
Income verification for unemployability	314	384	384	100.0%
Review of Hemodialysis related cases/conditions *	680	363	86	23.7%
Review of Radiation related cases/conditions	682	589	522	88.6%
Review of Misc cases referred to central office	684	54	50	92.6%
Review of effective date related to herbicide exposure	685	6	4	66.7%
Cost of Living Adjustments (COLAs) and other reviews	690	3,651	1,445	39.6%
Social Security number verification	690 Group	12,963	5,716	44.1%

These actions are not initiated by Veterans or survivors. All program review actions are initiated by internal VBA controls and mandates. These actions are classified as internal controls necessary to audit, review, and ensure that benefits and entitlements are proper and the intent of laws and regulations is being followed.

\*Revised to more accurately categorize the Agent Orange presumptive workload.

	EP	# Pending	# Pending Over 125	% Over 125
<b>Other *</b>		<b>181,111</b>	<b>58,825</b>	<b>32.5%</b>
Pre-decisional hearings	173	1,430	853	59.7%
Correspondence	400	3,830	1,550	40.5%
Congressional correspondence	500	303	62	20.5%
Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) requests	510	20,195	7,032	34.8%
Reopened or new claims *	681	61,822	38,627	62.5%
Nehmer review cases based upon new Agent Orange presumptives *	687	78,663	112	0.1%
Review, including quality assurance	930	14,625	10,498	71.8%
Correction of errors	960	243	91	37.4%

Combination of workload received from Veterans, survivors and internal sources.

## Pension

	EP	# Pending	# Pending Over 125	% Over 125
<b>Entitlement</b>		<b>70,747</b>	<b>25,089</b>	<b>35.5%</b>
Increased entitlement and/or reconsideration	120	21,188	6,202	29.3%
Initial entitlement - Veteran	180	14,178	3,161	22.3%
Initial entitlement - Survivor	190	35,381	15,726	44.4%

Claims for benefits from Veterans and survivors that have never before applied for pension, as well as claims for aid and attendance, and housebound benefits. Some pension entitlement claims require a rating decision.

	EP	# Pending	# Pending Over 125	% Over 125
<b>Award Adjustments</b>		<b>86,419</b>	<b>42,741</b>	<b>49.5%</b>
Annual eligibility verification reporting - no adjustment	050	0	0	0.0%
Hospitalization adjustment (non-rating)	135	1,275	420	32.9%
Dependency	137	8,179	4,308	52.7%
Income adjustments	150	31,849	17,809	55.9%
Annual eligibility verification reporting (EVRs)	155	12,712	11,120	87.5%
Misc determinations	297	10,598	3,396	32.0%
Due process	607	21,806	5,688	26.1%

Involve the modification of benefits based upon income changes. Such pension award adjustment activities can be considered annual and cyclical in nature.

	EP	# Pending	# Pending Over 125	% Over 125
<b>Program Reviews</b>		<b>11,647</b>	<b>10,197</b>	<b>87.6%</b>
Income Verification Match	154	9,579	9,577	100.0%
Cost of Living Adjustments	696	40	31	77.5%
Non-entitlement reviews	697	2,028	589	29.0%

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	EP	# Pending	# Pending Over 125	% Over 125
<b>Other</b>		<b>3,053</b>	<b>1,859</b>	<b>60.9%</b>
Correspondence	407	1,261	926	73.4%
Congressional correspondence	507	373	11	2.9%
Internal quality reviews	937	1,419	922	65.0%

Combination of workload received from Veterans, survivors and internal sources.

## Additional Compensation, Pension and Education Workload

Burial	EP	# Pending
	160	27,393

Provides honor and assistance with the burial of Veterans through an enhanced burial benefit for those whose post-service death was due to or hastened by a service-connected disability. The burial program also provides a lesser burial and/or plot allowance to assist with the burial of certain Veterans not entitled to the service-connected burial benefit.

Accrued	EP	# Pending
	165	3,722

Benefits not paid prior to the death of a Veteran or survivor based upon a pending claim at the time of death which is later granted.

Appeals	EP	# Pending
September 7, 2010	NA	205,705

Appealed cases include compensation, pension, burial, and accrued benefits and decisions. Retrieved from 214A reports - via VACOLS (includes BVA).

Education	Type	# Pending
	Ch 33	17,499
	All	185,736

Chapter 33 is the new Post-9/11GI Bill. "All" represents all Education Benefit Programs Including Chapter 33 claims.

More information on Chapter 33 Education Payments made for Spring 2010 enrollment is available at the following URL:

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# COMPENSATION AND PENSION INVENTORY

September 7, 2010

Entitlement		
Claims Pending	Pending over 125 days	Percent Pending over 125 days
USA	568,416	211,484 37.2%

All compensation and pension claims nationwide that require a rating decision (majority) which is the legal decision that obligates the Department of Veteran Affairs to the Veteran and/or beneficiary that claimed benefits. These are the *initial* claims that establish entitlement.

## COMPENSATION INVENTORY

	Entitlement			Award Adjustment			Program Review *			Other *			Burial	Accrued	Appeals
	Claims Pending	Pending over 125 days	Percent Pending over 125 days	Pending	Pending over 125 days	Percent Pending over 125 days	Pending	Pending over 125 days	Percent Pending over 125 days	Pending	Pending over 125 days	Percent Pending over 125 days	Claims Pending	Claims Pending	Pending
<b>USA</b>	<b>497,669</b>	<b>186,395</b>	<b>37.5%</b>	<b>99,638</b>	<b>25,372</b>	<b>25.5%</b>	<b>18,010</b>	<b>8,207</b>	<b>45.6%</b>	<b>181,111</b>	<b>58,825</b>	<b>32.5%</b>	<b>16,378</b>	<b>679</b>	<b>203,659</b>
<b>EASTERN AREA</b>	104,595	46,256	44.2%	18,555	5,587	30.1%	4,758	2,105	44.2%	32,102	12,182	37.9%	3,693	124	35,761
Baltimore	10,771	6,175	57.3%	2,345	945	40.3%	272	205	75.4%	1,139	731	64.2%	180	4	2,567
Boston	5,647	2,257	40.0%	1,005	268	26.7%	513	355	69.2%	931	475	51.0%	594	4	2,846
Buffalo	5,279	2,076	39.3%	1,260	456	36.2%	126	86	68.3%	1,094	612	55.9%	195	9	815
Cleveland	13,834	4,948	35.8%	1,667	282	16.9%	304	57	18.8%	3,873	1,915	49.4%	279	22	6,109
Detroit	14,748	7,995	54.2%	1,907	396	20.8%	166	95	57.2%	3,153	1,604	50.9%	389	28	4,534
Hartford	1,550	205	13.2%	386	23	6.0%	66	22	33.3%	467	176	37.7%	60	3	887
Indianapolis	12,203	5,517	45.2%	1,552	326	21.0%	269	170	63.2%	2,560	1,375	53.7%	330	9	3,761
Manchester	1,701	673	39.6%	393	61	15.5%	58	17	29.3%	308	139	45.1%	62	4	696
New York	9,664	4,636	48.0%	1,845	419	22.7%	242	143	59.1%	1,918	1,015	52.9%	414	14	3,129
Newark	3,729	1,223	32.8%	543	101	18.6%	74	53	71.6%	1,051	455	43.3%	118	8	1,499
Philadelphia	13,380	6,007	44.9%	1,645	282	17.1%	1,824	293	16.1%	6,462	1,563	24.2%	345	-	3,444
Pittsburgh	5,360	2,379	44.4%	2,446	1,624	66.4%	508	487	95.9%	1,424	810	56.9%	357	17	2,774
Providence	1,850	384	20.8%	251	22	8.8%	22	6	27.3%	414	208	50.2%	86	1	1,301
Togus	2,935	979	33.4%	863	213	24.7%	270	89	33.0%	6,995	947	13.5%	226	-	654
White River J.	935	500	53.5%	165	56	33.9%	17	13	76.5%	137	75	54.7%	24	1	337
Wilmington	1,009	302	29.9%	282	113	40.1%	27	14	51.9%	176	82	46.6%	34	-	408
<b>SOUTHERN AREA</b>	159,865	57,004	35.7%	32,081	6,502	20.3%	6,287	3,809	60.6%	52,417	19,748	37.7%	4,122	256	58,643
Atlanta	22,176	8,628	38.9%	3,120	532	17.1%	800	533	66.6%	4,203	2,596	61.8%	323	31	7,597
Columbia	12,656	4,517	35.7%	2,027	292	14.4%	301	161	53.5%	6,527	1,780	27.3%	209	33	3,839
Huntington	3,772	814	21.6%	823	194	23.6%	139	59	42.4%	6,231	1,128	18.1%	175	10	2,224
Jackson	7,758	3,624	46.7%	1,602	355	22.2%	751	572	76.2%	1,139	606	53.2%	400	15	3,137
Louisville	5,147	1,131	22.0%	1,598	249	15.6%	519	292	56.3%	1,295	656	50.7%	345	4	1,495
Montgomery	11,829	5,092	43.0%	3,766	959	25.5%	1,661	1,156	69.6%	2,845	1,579	55.5%	489	24	8,618
Nashville	7,880	1,437	18.2%	1,350	129	9.6%	166	80	48.2%	2,734	1,242	45.4%	306	16	4,537
Roanoke	15,089	4,889	32.4%	2,256	156	6.9%	624	101	16.2%	5,192	1,443	27.8%	234	22	5,385
San Juan	4,894	2,306	47.1%	839	114	13.6%	63	41	65.1%	695	248	35.7%	260	15	3,733
St. Petersburg	32,071	10,677	33.3%	5,540	958	17.3%	1,022	766	75.0%	16,405	6,492	39.6%	968	65	11,670
Washington	23	11	47.8%	9	3	33.3%	3	3	100.0%	26	4	15.4%	27	-	11
Winston-Salem	36,570	13,878	37.9%	9,151	2,561	28.0%	238	45	18.9%	5,125	1,974	38.5%	386	21	6,397

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# COMPENSATION INVENTORY

	Entitlement			Award Adjustment			Program Review *			Other *			Burial	Accrued	Appeals
	Claims Pending	Pending over 125 days	Percent Pending over 125 days	Pending	Pending over 125 days	Percent Pending over 125 days	Pending	Pending over 125 days	Percent Pending over 125 days	Pending	Pending over 125 days	Percent Pending over 125 days	Claims Pending	Claims Pending	Pending
<b>CENTRAL AREA</b>	122,291	43,861	35.9%	21,983	4,294	19.5%	3,161	1,170	37.0%	54,689	17,016	31.1%	5,648	110	48,476
Chicago	11,432	4,409	38.6%	1,732	342	19.7%	601	252	41.9%	3,163	1,911	60.4%	306	9	6,057
Des Moines	4,078	1,466	35.9%	646	103	15.9%	83	25	30.1%	904	435	48.1%	83	6	1,523
Fargo	1,123	165	14.7%	190	12	6.3%	55	4	7.3%	521	276	53.0%	49	1	303
Houston	23,933	11,427	47.7%	6,935	2,325	33.5%	325	213	65.5%	4,585	2,400	52.3%	338	15	12,060
Lincoln	2,888	389	13.5%	491	23	4.7%	69	9	13.0%	6,089	1,036	17.0%	69	12	1,312
Little Rock	5,807	1,747	30.1%	1,381	270	19.6%	251	74	29.5%	1,584	882	55.7%	231	9	2,743
Milwaukee	10,191	4,596	45.1%	905	76	8.4%	200	116	58.0%	3,353	1,319	39.3%	3,244	-	1,932
Muskogee	8,874	2,390	26.9%	1,508	103	6.8%	472	75	15.9%	7,336	1,618	22.1%	45	7	2,880
New Orleans	6,454	1,842	28.5%	1,046	90	8.6%	75	13	17.3%	1,342	637	47.5%	127	3	3,352
Sioux Falls	1,038	161	15.5%	258	44	17.1%	118	39	33.1%	374	164	43.9%	36	7	224
St. Louis	9,855	2,871	29.1%	2,006	479	23.9%	244	110	45.1%	5,177	1,709	33.0%	278	14	4,370
St. Paul	8,646	2,206	25.5%	1,005	118	11.7%	188	130	69.1%	3,587	1,791	49.9%	226	-	1,322
Waco	24,021	8,587	35.7%	3,327	251	7.5%	392	41	10.5%	15,804	2,362	14.9%	603	26	9,568
Wichita	3,951	1,605	40.6%	553	58	10.5%	88	69	78.4%	870	476	54.7%	13	1	830
<b>WESTERN AREA</b>	110,917	39,273	35.4%	26,995	8,982	33.3%	3,804	1,123	29.5%	41,146	9,858	24.0%	2,913	187	39,341
Albuquerque	3,758	1,424	37.9%	437	45	10.3%	96	45	46.9%	329	302	91.8%	133	2	1,949
Anchorage	1,135	370	32.6%	336	49	14.6%	72	13	18.1%	118	137	116.1%	37	3	210
Boise	1,691	257	15.2%	407	41	10.1%	94	19	20.2%	105	177	168.6%	76	3	631
Denver	7,405	2,129	28.8%	1,765	285	16.1%	365	141	38.6%	1,292	527	40.8%	292	16	3,194
Cheyenne	866	289	33.4%	239	60	25.1%	89	83	93.3%	202	97	48.0%	72	4	183
Fort Harrison	1,163	150	12.9%	264	14	5.3%	118	7	5.9%	454	152	33.5%	63	10	260
Honolulu	3,910	1,969	50.4%	414	59	14.3%	82	42	51.2%	749	460	61.4%	64	-	661
Los Angeles	11,818	5,037	42.6%	2,629	818	31.1%	77	70	90.9%	1,870	978	52.3%	204	18	6,100
Manila	1,448	366	25.3%	4,922	3,514	71.4%	76	51	67.1%	746	338	45.3%	390	63	2,543
Oakland	17,030	7,447	43.7%	2,875	792	27.5%	672	173	25.7%	2,916	1,496	51.3%	426	17	5,424
Phoenix	10,279	3,023	29.4%	1,219	44	3.6%	211	48	22.7%	6,698	1,363	20.3%	193	3	3,585
Portland	7,358	2,138	29.1%	1,903	478	25.1%	422	70	16.6%	1,761	759	43.1%	191	16	4,040
Reno	5,361	2,402	44.8%	743	131	17.6%	135	68	50.4%	688	325	47.2%	95	5	944
Salt Lake City	6,830	1,104	16.2%	1,375	177	12.9%	235	3	1.3%	833	346	41.5%	42	4	1,716
San Diego	18,765	5,967	31.8%	1,650	122	7.4%	612	118	19.3%	6,743	1,069	15.9%	96	4	3,296
Seattle	12,100	5,201	43.0%	5,817	2,353	40.5%	448	172	38.4%	15,642	1,332	8.5%	539	19	4,605
Other	1	1	100.0%	24	7	29.2%	-	-	-	757	21	2.8%	2	2	21,438

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**PENSION INVENTORY**

	Entitlement			Award Adjustment			Program Review			Other			Burial	Accrued	Appeals
	Claims Pending	Pending over 125 days	Percent Pending over 125 days	Pending	Pending over 125 days	Percent Pending over 125 days	Pending	Pending over 125 days	Percent Pending over 125 days	Pending	Pending over 125 days	Percent Pending over 125 days	Claims Pending	Claims Pending	Pending
<b>USA (PMC's)</b>	<b>70,747</b>	<b>25,089</b>	<b>35.5%</b>	<b>86,419</b>	<b>42,741</b>	<b>49.5%</b>	<b>11,647</b>	<b>10,197</b>	<b>87.6%</b>	<b>3,053</b>	<b>1,859</b>	<b>60.9%</b>	<b>11,016</b>	<b>3,043</b>	<b>2,046</b>
Philadelphia	24,834	10,515	42.3%	43,430	23,356	53.8%	1,493	1,488	99.7%	1,086	512	47.1%	6,319	1,953	627
Milwaukee	17,694	7,012	39.6%	19,439	9,884	50.8%	2,737	2,735	99.9%	414	251	60.6%	1,087	474	678
St. Paul	17,200	7,119	41.4%	22,798	9,194	40.3%	7,353	5,915	80.4%	1,116	834	74.7%	3,512	616	741
Other (in transit)	11,019	443	4.0%	752	307	40.8%	64	59	92.2%	437	262	60.0%	98	N/A	N/A

**EDUCATION INVENTORY**

	Chapter 33 Claims Pending				*All Claims Pending			
	Current Work Items Pending	Work Items Pending Last Week	Weekly Change	Percent Change	Current Work Items Pending	Work Items Pending Last Week	Weekly Change	Percent Change
<b>USA (Education)</b>	<b>17,499</b>	<b>18,311</b>	<b>(812)</b>	<b>-4.4%</b>	<b>185,736</b>	<b>160,696</b>	<b>25,040</b>	<b>15.6%</b>
Buffalo	3,826	4,591	(765)	-16.7%	43,072	38,703	4,369	11.3%
Atlanta	3,933	4,093	(160)	-3.9%	34,318	29,427	4,891	16.6%
St Louis	4,266	4,581	(315)	-6.9%	39,872	36,631	3,241	8.8%
Muskogee	5,474	5,046	428	8.5%	68,474	55,935	12,539	22.4%
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