

**Division of Safety and Health
Public Employee Safety and Health
2008 Report**

1. Safety and Health Inspections conducted by PESH and lapse days to Notice of Violation (NOV) issuance (for comparative purposes, also included are the number of National Inspections and associated lapse days to citation issuance):

Calendar Year	# PESH Inspections	Lapse Days to NOV issuance	# National Inspections	Lapse Days to Citation issuance
2005	2019	27.5	81,096	33.4
2006	2082	26.2	98,272	36.0
2007	1560	35.5	95,641	36.3
2008	1902	29.6	96,411	35.7
Average	1890.75	29.7	92,855	35.35

2. Investigation types conducted by PESH (Calendar Year):

Inspection Type	2005	2006	2007	2008
Accident	32	33	42	29
Complaint	279	386	352	352
Referral	47	45	37	33
Monitoring	130	110	50	123
Variance	0	1	0	0
Follow-up	818	812	618	632
Unprogrammed Related	0	1	2	2
Programmed	713	694	459	731
Totals	2019	2082	1560	1902

3. Listing of 10 most frequently cited standards:

Standard Violated	Total Violations	Serious Violations	Willful Violations
1910.037 B	198	87	0
1910.303 B	193	170	0
1910.305 B	174	173	0
1910.132 D	172	16	0
1910.147 C	169	74	0
19101200 E	165	3	0
1910.305 G	151	136	0
1910.334 A	127	126	0
1910.215 B	99	78	0
1910.303 F	97	80	0

4. Number of violations issued, listed by classification (Calendar Year):

Classification	2005	2006	2007	2008
Willful	5	0	25	10
Repeat	2	6	8	18
Serious	3173	3149	2240	2634
Non-serious	2512	2425	1865	1938
FTA (Failure to Abate)	92	64	108	47
Totals	5784	5644	4246	4647

5. General Duty violations issued in 2008 (Calendar Year):

A total of 9 General Duty violations were issued during this year covering workplace hazards.

6. Federal funding dollars received from OSHA under the Cooperative Agreement (Federal fiscal year):

FFY 2008-2009	\$3,107,742
FFY 2007-2008	\$3,107,742
FFY 2006-2007	\$3,163,000
FFY 2005-2006	\$3,163,000
FFY 2004-2005	\$3,126,000
FFY 2003-2004	\$3,067,000
FFY 2002-2003	\$3,030,000
FFY 2001-2002	\$2,983,000
FFY 2000-2001	\$2,881,000

7. Total amount of fines assessed and collected (Calendar Year):

	<u>Final Bills Assessed</u>	<u>Collected</u>
2004	\$274,213	\$141,107
2005	\$181,714	\$88,583
2006	\$280,091	\$106,541
2007	\$478,988	\$29,327
2008	\$288,910	\$93,869
Total	\$1,503,916	\$459,427

All public employers who are in arrears of payment have been referred to the Department's Counsel or the State Attorney General's Office for collection.

8. Number of written complaints for which no inspection was conducted:

PESH policy is to investigate all valid complaints. Written complaints for which PESH has no jurisdiction pursuant to the law are referred to the appropriate agency for action.

9. Number days from receipt of PESH Complaint to conduct of Opening Conference:

<u>Year</u>	<u>Lapse time</u>
2003	58 days
2004	55 days
2005	49 days
2006	43 days
2007	27 days
2008	28 days