

Table 5.4

**Court-authorized orders for interception of wire, oral, or electronic communications**

By jurisdiction, 1997-2003

Jurisdiction	Intercept applications authorized						
	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
Total	1,186	1,329	1,350	1,190	1,491	1,358	1,442
Federal	569	566	601	479	486	497	578
Alaska	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Arizona	6	6	8	18	10	7	14
California	28	52	76	88	130	143	188
Colorado	4	1	2	5	2	0	2
Connecticut	8	23	15	4	9	0	4
Delaware	0	1	1	0	0	0	1
District of Columbia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Florida	57	44	23	43	51	37	45
Georgia	18	9	11	3	7	4	4
Hawaii	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Idaho	0	0	1	1	0	0	1
Illinois	17	27	50	41	128	25	23
Indiana	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Iowa	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Kansas	0	4	4	1	0	0	0
Louisiana	2	3	0	1	0	1	0
Maine <sup>a</sup>	X	X	X	X	0	0	0
Maryland	27	32	6	31	49	54	25
Massachusetts	2	0	15	5	11	8	16
Minnesota	0	1	6	0	1	0	0
Mississippi	4	4	3	0	6	1	3
Missouri	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nebraska	4	2	4	0	2	0	0
Nevada	10	13	9	10	0	4	12
New Hampshire	4	1	9	0	1	0	5
New Jersey	70	84	71	45	99	81	117
New Mexico	1	0	0	4	0	3	0
New York	304	373	343	349	425	404	328
North Carolina	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
North Dakota	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ohio	2	2	3	6	2	1	2
Oklahoma	0	1	6	4	2	2	0
Oregon	1	1	1	1	2	0	0
Pennsylvania	42	68	69	43	54	79	52
Rhode Island	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
South Carolina <sup>b</sup>	X	X	X	X	X	0	2
South Dakota	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tennessee	0	0	1	1	0	0	10
Texas	0	5	4	0	1	2	4
Utah	0	5	2	3	4	4	4
Virgin Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Virginia	1	0	6	0	4	0	0
Washington	0	0	0	2	1	0	0
West Virginia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wisconsin	3	0	0	1	4	0	2
Wyoming	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Note: See Note, table 5.2.

<sup>a</sup>Maine did not have legislation authorizing interception of communications prior to 2001.<sup>b</sup>South Carolina did not have legislation authorizing interception of communications prior to 2002.

Source: Administrative Office of the United States Courts, *1997 Wiretap Report*, pp. 13, 14; *1998*, pp. 13, 14; *1999*, pp. 13, 14; *2000*, pp. 14, 15; *2001*, pp. 14, 15; *2002*, pp. 14, 15; *2003*, pp. 14, 15 (Washington, DC: Administrative Office of the United States Courts). Table constructed by SOURCEBOOK staff.