

Table 6.7

**Persons under supervision of the Federal Probation System and authorized probation officers**

United States, 1975-2003

|      | Number of<br>persons under<br>supervision | Number of<br>probation officers |
|------|---|---------------------------------|
| 1975 | 64,261                                    | 1,377                           |
| 1976 | 64,246                                    | 1,452                           |
| 1977 | 64,427                                    | 1,578                           |
| 1978 | 66,681                                    | 1,604                           |
| 1979 | 66,087                                    | 1,604                           |
| 1980 | 64,450                                    | 1,604                           |
| 1981 | 59,016                                    | 1,534                           |
| 1982 | 58,373                                    | 1,637                           |
| 1983 | 60,180                                    | 1,574                           |
| 1984 | 63,092                                    | 1,690                           |
| 1985 | 65,999                                    | 1,758                           |
| 1986 | 69,656                                    | 1,847                           |
| 1987 | 73,432                                    | 1,879                           |
| 1988 | 76,366                                    | 2,046                           |
| 1989 | 77,284                                    | 2,146                           |
| 1990 | 80,592                                    | 2,361                           |
| 1991 | 83,012                                    | 2,802                           |
| 1992 | 85,920                                    | 3,316                           |
| 1993 | 86,823                                    | 3,516 <sup>a</sup>              |
| 1994 | 89,103                                    | NA                              |
| 1995 | 85,822                                    | NA                              |
| 1996 | 88,966                                    | 3,473                           |
| 1997 | 91,434                                    | 3,603                           |
| 1998 | 93,737                                    | 3,842                           |
| 1999 | 97,190                                    | 3,913                           |
| 2000 | 100,395                                   | 3,981                           |
| 2001 | 104,715                                   | 4,345                           |
| 2002 | 108,792                                   | 4,476                           |
| 2003 | 110,621                                   | 4,560                           |

Note: See Note, table 6.5. The "number of persons under supervision" data for 1975-87 are reported for the 12-month period ending June 30. Beginning in 1988, these data are reported for the Federal fiscal year, which is the 12-month period ending September 30. The "number of probation officers" data for 1975-90 are reported as of June 30. Beginning in 1991, these data are reported as of September 30. Some data have been revised by the Source and may differ from previous editions of SOURCEBOOK.

<sup>a</sup>Approximate.

Source: Administrative Office of the United States Courts, *Annual Report of the Director*, 1980, p. 15; 1983, pp. 20, 38; 1985, pp. 22, 52; 1995, p. 246; 1998, p. 258; 1999, p. 252 (Washington, DC: Administrative Office of the United States Courts); Administrative Office of the United States Courts, *Annual Report of the Director*, 1982, p. 19, Table 19; 1987, pp. 38, 49; 1989, pp. 34, 45; 1990, pp. 27, 41; 1991, pp. 109, 127; 1992, pp. 85, 98; 1994, Table 8; 1996, p. 242; 1997, p. 238 (Washington, DC: USGPO); Administrative Office of the United States Courts, *Judicial Business of the United States Courts: 2000 Annual Report of the Director*, p. 251; 2001 *Annual Report of the Director*, p. 241; 2002 *Annual Report of the Director*, p. 244; 2003 *Annual Report of the Director*, p. 243 (Washington, DC: USGPO); and data provided by the Administrative Office of the United States Courts. Table constructed by SOURCEBOOK staff.