

Table 6. Top Rule-Producing Executive and Independent Agencies
 (From Fall 2021 Unified Agenda, total of active, completed, and long-term rules)

Executive Agency	Number of Rules
1. Department of the Interior	363
2. Department of the Treasury	360
3. Department of Transportation	301
4. Department of Commerce	269
5. Department of Health and Human Services	235
TOTAL	1,528
% of Total Agenda Pipeline of 3,777	40

Independent Agency	Number of Rules
1. Federal Communications Commission	87
2. Small Business Administration	76
3. Securities and Exchange Commission	74
4. Nuclear Regulatory Commission	61
5. Federal Acquisition Regulation	58
TOTAL	356
% of Total Agenda Pipeline of 3,777	9

Top 5 Executives plus Top 5 Independents	1,884
% of Total Agenda Pipeline	50

Source: Compiled by the author from “The Regulatory Plan and Unified Agenda of Federal Regulatory and Deregulatory Actions,” *Federal Register*, Fall edition, and database, <http://www.reginfo.gov>.

“Active” rules consist of rules at the prerule, proposed, and final stages.