



STATE OF ILLINOIS
OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL

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ATTORNEY GENERAL

January 30, 2009

Ms. Debbie Shipley
Secretary of the Senate
401 Capitol Building
Springfield, IL 62706

Dear Secretary Shipley:

I have set forth on the enclosed page collection statistics for the Attorney General's Office for calendar year 2008 as required by § 2 of the Uncollected State Claims Act (30 ILCS 205/2). These statistics reflect cases referred to this Office by other agencies for collection. These cases involve a variety of receivables, including taxes, damage to State property, child support, unpaid educational loans, fines, and penalties. Collections for these receivables totaled \$331,793,782.89.

The attached statistics do not reflect a number of important collection activities of the Attorney General's Office that do not originate with cases referred by other agencies, however. For example, the Illinois Estate Tax is administered directly by the Attorney General, and during 2008 the Office issued 2,134 certificates of tax determination and discharge reflecting estate tax revenues in the amount of \$359,150,301.52. Likewise, they do not include additional installments of Illinois' share of the proceeds of the settlement of the litigation instituted by this Office against the tobacco industry, which in 2008 totaled \$310,001,623.65. Finally, these statistics do not include \$82,087,502 paid to Illinois as the result of the settlement of a case alleging discrimination on the part of an HMO under contract with the State to provide Medicaid services. When the totals from these latter categories are added to the numbers described in paragraph one, the combined collections for the Office of the Attorney General in 2008 total \$1,083,033,210.06.

Sincerely,

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Lisa Madigan

Enclosure

2008

TOTAL NUMBER AND AMOUNT OF
COLLECTIONS REFERRED TO THE
ATTORNEY GENERAL: 26,490 Cases \$207,360,759.68

TOTAL PAYMENTS RECEIVED BY
THE ATTORNEY GENERAL ON
COLLECTION CASES: \$331,793,782.89

BREAKDOWN OF NUMBER OF COLLECTION CASES REFERRED IN 2008:

Agency	# of Cases Referred
Agriculture	35
Atty' Reg. And Disciplinary Comm.	1
Capital Development Board	1
Central Management Services	33
Children & Family Services	1
Commerce Commission	1
Commerce & Economic Opportunity	3
Comptroller	2
Corrections	10
Emergency Management Agency	2
Employment Security	1001
Environmental Protection Agency	3
Financial & Professional Regulation	3
Healthcare & Family Services	24185
Human Rights	10
Human Services	845
Illinois Finance Authority	1
Illinois School for the Deaf	1
Illinois State University	3
Illinois Student Assistance Commission	21
Industrial Commission	2
Labor	49
Natural Resources	4
Public Health	2
Revenue	94
Secretary of State	58
Southern Illinois University	1
State Employees' Retirement System	24
State Police	10
Teachers' Retirement System	1
Transportation	83
TOTAL	26490