

THE BUREAUCRACY of the US Government includes the following:

The 15 departments of the Executive Branch (the Cabinet):

1. Department of Agriculture
2. Department of Commerce
3. Department of Defense
4. Department of Education
5. Department of Energy
6. Department of Health and Human Services
7. Department of Homeland Security
(includes secret service)
8. Department of Housing and Urban Development
9. Department of the Interior
10. Department of Justice (includes FBI)
11. Department of Labor
12. Department of State
13. Department of Transportation
14. Department of the Treasury
(includes OMB)
15. Department of Veterans Affairs

And the numerous Government **Agencies** that are separate from the Cabinet departments:

Here's three examples of Independent Government Agencies:

- NASA
- CIA
- SSA

Here's four examples of Regulatory Agencies:

- SEC regulates Stock Market and Investment practices
- EPA regulates nation's environment
- FDA regulates foods and medicines
- DEA enforces laws related to the use and sale of illegal drugs

Here's two examples of Government Agencies that are treated more like a Corporation (or Business):

- United States Postal Service
- Amtrak
- FDIC