Appendix: SEC Staff Levels Have Not Kept Pace with Industry Growth

(Tables show cumulative growth relative to 2003 levels)

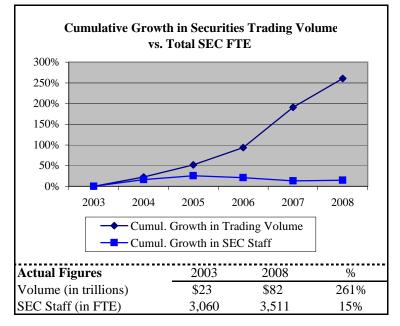
The SEC's staff of 3,652 FTE (estimate for FY 2009) oversees more than 35,000 entities. These include:

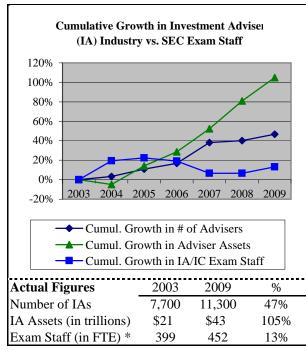
- * 11,300 investment advisers;
- * About 600 transfer agents;
- 12,000 public companies;

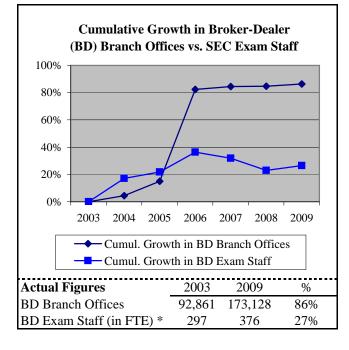
- * 5,500 broker-dealers;
- * Clearance and settlement systems;
- * 10 credit rating agencies;

- * 8,000 mutual funds;
- * 11 securities exchanges;
- * FINRA, MSRB, and PCAOB.

The following charts display how various aspects of the markets have grown since 2003, relative to the SEC's staff:







^{*} The FTE figures for FY 2009 are estimates.