

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA**

AMERICAN FEDERATION
OF TEACHERS,

Plaintiff,

v.

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION,
et al.,

Defendants.

No. 1:25-cv-802-RBW

STATUS REPORT

Pursuant to the Court's order of April 28, 2025, ECF No. 34, the United States Department of Education and Linda McMahon (in her official capacity as Secretary of Education) hereby provide the following information, which was provided to undersigned counsel by the Department of Education:

Income-Driven Repayment (IDR) Applications	
IDR applications decided (<i>i.e.</i> , approved or denied) during May 1-31, 2025	285,694
IDR applications pending as of May 31, 2025	1,582,641 ¹

Public Service Loan Forgiveness (PSLF) Buy Back Requests	
PSLF Buy Back requests decided (<i>i.e.</i> , for which the Department of Education has completed processing) during May 1-31, 2025	3,312
PSLF Buy Back requests pending as of May 31, 2025	58,761

¹ Defendants' previous status report overstated this figure by 335,852, due to an error by one of the Department of Education's student-loan servicers in reporting data to the Department of Education.

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Respectfully submitted,

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