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Bob Riordan, MS, MAAA, ASA came to the Department of Veterans Affairs, Office of the Actuary in the in 2007 as the Chief Actuary. In that capacity, Mr. Riordan is responsible for planning and conducting the quarterly actuarial valuations of the Compensation, Pension and Burial Programs. The actuarial liabilities calculated by the Office of the Actuary comprise over 97% of the liabilities included in the Department of Veterans Affairs Consolidated Financial Statements.

Prior to joining the Department of Veterans Affairs, Mr. Riordan had a twenty-five year career as an actuary in the private sector working for Jefferson Pilot Financial, National Life of Vermont and Shenandoah Life Insurance Company. His professional experience includes insurance product development, financial reporting and financial modeling. Mr. Riordan attended the University of Rhode Island on the GI Bill where he received a B.S. in Mathematics. He subsequently received an M.S. in Applied and Computational Mathematics from Johns Hopkins University.

Mr. Riordan is a veteran of the United States Marine Corps where he served from 1971 to 1973 and achieved the rank of Lance Corporal.