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INTRODUCTION

To the Governor, the Legislature, and the Advisory Council on Domestic Violence: The New Jersey Administrative Office of the Courts submits this statistical report on the operation of the Prevention of Domestic Violence Act, N.J.S.A. 2C:25-17 through 2C:25-35. Submitted pursuant to N.J.S.A. 2C:33, the report covers the period from January 1, 2006 to December 31, 2006. It presents data from the Family Automated Case Tracking System (FACTS) and the Criminal Division Automated System (Promis/Gavel). Collection and analysis of accurate data regarding trends in domestic violence proceedings serves as an important resource for governmental agencies and service providers with regard to funding, report writing, grants, legislation, and policy recommendations.

The format of this annual report follows that used for previous reports in presenting data regarding domestic violence filings, dispositions of restraining orders, and forms of relief sought and granted. In addition, this report includes data on non-indictable contempt charges, which are processed in Family Court (N.J.S.A. 2C:29.9b); and data on violations of non-contact orders or other offenses requiring arrest and criminal charges, which are processed in the Criminal Division.

The total number of domestic violence complaint filings in calendar year 2006 was 40,866, compared to 43,413 in 2005. Additionally, in 2006, there were 8,746 domestic violence contempt filings, a decrease of 437 from the 2005 figure of 9183. Thus, there were fewer complaint filings and fewer contempt filings in calendar 2006 than in the previous year.

The New Jersey Judiciary continues to implement policies and procedures to enhance the protective process for victims of domestic violence and their families. These improvements are made possible in part through funding received by the Judiciary from the Federal STOP Violence Against Women Act (VAWA). The Domestic Violence Technical Assistance Team and Continued Domestic Violence Training are two of the VAWA subgrants administered by the Family Practice Division of the Administrative Office of the Courts. These projects provide technical assistance and coordination of training for judges, domestic violence staff members, and other court employees. The Continued Domestic Violence Training grant enables the Judiciary to continue the development of its video production library, which will provide domestic violence training on an immediate basis for newly hired or assigned court staff. The library will offer information on basic and advanced domestic violence topics via videotape, CD-ROMs and DVDs. This grant also enables the Judiciary to provide training for Family Court staff, Probation Officers who have a domestic violence caseload, court volunteers and others. The Judiciary continues to strive to promote uniform procedures, to implement best practices, and to provide a clear understanding of the dynamics of domestic violence and the Prevention of Domestic Violence Act to all Judiciary staff and court volunteers.

Training is a key element of the Judiciary's domestic violence efforts. Grant funding supports a number of essential training programs each year. Every year a mandatory Domestic Violence Conference is provided to all Family Division judges and staff. The Domestic Violence Team Leaders, Domestic Violence Hearing Officers, and the Backup Domestic Violence Hearing Officers also receive training throughout the year. All new judiciary employees receive training on the Dynamics of Domestic Violence and the Prevention of Domestic Violence Act. The Family Division also coordinates with the Municipal Court

Services Division to train Municipal Court Judges and Municipal Court Administrators regarding domestic violence processes and procedures. Without grant funding, much of this training would not occur.

The Family Practice Division continues the production of a set of five domestic violence training videos that will serve to train newly hired or assigned court personnel, consistent with the statutory training mandate. Once the training videos have been completed, copies of the set will be provided to the vicinages as a resource for a videotape library for judges and staff. The five training videos will cover the following: (1) the domestic violence event, (2) the TRO hearing conducted by the DVHO, (3) the FRO hearing (4), a contempt hearing, and (5) customer service. The Judiciary also is in the process of developing a series of training CD-ROMs for court personnel to provide information on advanced topics relating to domestic violence, such as mental health, substance abuse, cyber stalking, immigration, and cultural considerations. Further, the Judiciary is developing a third project in DVD format. This third project will further sensitize court staff to the issues faced by victims and their families. It will focus on such topics as victims and their history of domestic violence, families of victims where the victim was killed by the batterer, and a batterer's intervention program. Actors and domestic violence experts will role play in these DVDs.

New Jersey's domestic violence efforts also include the Statewide Domestic Violence Central Registry (DVCR) an important information tool that is available to law enforcement agencies as well as to the Family Courts. It contains up-to-date information on all Restraining Orders entered into the Family Automated Case Tracking System (FACTS), including out-of-state restraining order information. The DVCR is intended to serve as a database for law enforcement to facilitate enforcement of Temporary Restraining Orders (TRO) and Final Restraining Orders (FROs), thereby enhancing protection for victims, even when they relocate between municipalities and counties within the state. The Registry also provides vital information to law enforcement as part of the screening process for individuals who apply for firearms licensing. The Registry was made possible through Federal STOP VAWA funding and through inter-agency cooperation among the Judiciary, the Attorney General's Office, the New Jersey State Police, and local law enforcement agencies.

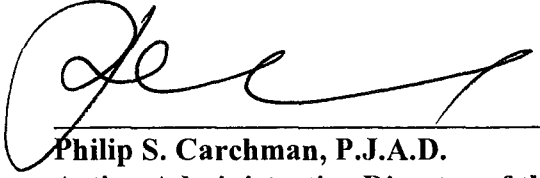
The Domestic Violence Hearing Officer (DVHO) Program continues to be a valuable component of the overall effort to ensure court access by victims. The quick availability of the DVHO reduces the need for judges to interrupt ongoing trials to handle applications for TROs. Extensive training continues to be a mainstay of the DVHO program in order to ensure the highest quality service to the public. The Judiciary is implementing an initiative to have designated Backup Domestic Violence Hearing Officers (BDVHOs) in place to hear requests for TROs when the regularly assigned DVHO is unavailable.

The effort to establish victim waiting rooms in every county courthouse has been an important ongoing issue. However even in those courthouses that still do not have such separate waiting rooms, every possible effort is being made to ensure the victim's safety and to separate plaintiffs and defendants while they await their court appearances.

The electronic TRO (e-TRO) program began on a pilot basis, has been approved for statewide rollout. The project has been a success. The Municipal Court Services Division will assume responsibility for the statewide roll-out. This project improves TRO data entry and quality, expedites the linkage of the TRO to the DVCR and FACTS to create a more comprehensive

TRO index, and expedites docketing of the TRO in the Family Courts.

The New Jersey Judiciary will continue to strive to improve the overall quality of services it provides to all. And we will maintain effective communication and interaction between internal and external organizations to ensure standardized practices throughout the state. Training of judges and staff will continue to be a critical component of our efforts in this area.

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**Philip S. Carchman, P.J.A.D.
Acting Administrative Director of the Courts**

Date: December 17, 2007

SECTION ONE:

A. DOMESTIC VIOLENCE (FV) FILINGS - NEW COMPLAINTS, STATEWIDE FILINGS

1. NUMBER OF NEW COMPLAINTS FILED (MUNICIPAL COURTS, SUPERIOR COURT, TRANSFERS AND REOPENED TEMPORARY RESTRAINING ORDERS.)

In calendar year 2006, the overall number of new domestic violence filings decreased by 5.8 %

NUMBER OF FILINGS	2005 1/05-12/05	2006 1/06-12/06
Municipal Courts	17,487	16,746
Superior Court	22,904	20,947
Transfers	208	196
Reopened TROs	2,814	2,977
Total Filings	43,413	40,866

2. GENDER OF PARTIES*

In 2006, the large majority of *plaintiffs* filing domestic violence complaints continue to be female (78.5%) and the large majority of *defendants* continue to be male (77.8%).

Gender of Parties	2005	% of Total Filings (40,599)	2006	% of Total Filings (37,889)
Male Plaintiff	8,642	21.3%	8,155	21.5%
Female Plaintiff	31,961	78.7%	29,735	78.5%
Male Defendant	31,675	78.0%	29,458	77.8%
Female Defendant	8,921	22.0%	8,430	22.2%

(*Note: Based on total new filings and transfers in Municipal Court and Superior Court (37,889)

3. RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN PLAINTIFF AND DEFENDANT*

In 2006, the statistics indicating the relationship between plaintiff and defendant were essentially unchanged from the previous year.

Relationship of Parties				
Relationship of Parties	2005	%of Total Filings (40,599)	2006	%of Total Filings (37,889)
Spouse w/Children	9,333	23.0%	8,367	22.1%
Spouse w/o Children	3,268	8.0%	3,042	8.0%
Former Spouse w/Children	1,349	3.3%	1,299	3.4%
Former Spouse w/o Children	244	.6%	189	0.5%
Never Married w/Children	7,226	17.8%	6,914	18.2%
Never Married Expectant Parents	364	.9%	360	1.0%
Present Household Member	4,914	12.1%	4,669	12.3%
Dating Relationship	9,554	23.5%	9,176	24.2%
Former Household Member	4,347	10.7%	3,873	10.2%

(*Note: Based on total new filings and transfers in Municipal Court and Superior Court (37,889))

4. LIVING ARRANGEMENTS OF PLAINTIFFS AND DEFENDANTS IN NEW COMPLAINTS*

The statistics indicating living arrangements for plaintiffs and defendants filing new domestic violence complaints showed slight changes from the previous year.

Living Arrangements	2005	% of Total Filings (40,599)	2006	% of Total Filings (37,889)
Living Together	16,675	41.1%	15,073	39.8%
Previously Living Together	17,566	43.3%	16,625	43.9%
Never Living Together	6,358	15.7%	6,191	16.3%

5. TEMPORARY RESTRAINING ORDERS ISSUED

The Domestic Violence Summary shows the proportion of domestic violence cases in which TROs were issued.

TROs Issued	2005	% of Total Filings (40,599)	2006	% of Total Filings (37,889)
	33,562	83.6%	32,360	85.4%

TROs Denied (Final Hearing Scheduled)	2005	% of Total Filings (40,599)	2006	% of Total Filings (37,889)
	222	0.5%	19	0.05 %

TROs Denied (Complaint Dismissed)	2005	% of Total Filings (40,599)	2006	% of Total Filings (37,889)
	3,671	9.0%	3,439	9.1%

(*Note: Based on total new filings and transfers in Municipal and Superior Court (37,889))

B. COUNTY FIGURES

RUNDATE: 01/19/2007
 PROGRAM: MS#FV#F
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Domestic Violence Filings
 New/TRO Extended

January 1, 2006 - December 31, 2006

County	New Cases Municipal Court Doc Source = 06	New Cases Family Court Doc Source = 01	Cases Received From Other Counties (01/57) - (01/58)	ReOpened Defndt Served With TRO (06/)	Total New/TRO % Extended
Atlantic	873	1035	2	111	2021
Bergen	1062	1445	22	153	2682
Burlington	1006	866	9	42	1923
Camden	1682	1395	17	60	3154
Cape May	508	155	6	40	709
Cumberland	537	845	16	71	1469
Essex	1041	2466	25	293	3825
Gloucester	713	814	1	39	1567
Hudson	1333	2195	0	226	3754
Hunterdon	164	125	5	6	300
Mercer	491	1026	2	949	2468
Middlesex	1132	1459	13	189	2793
Monmouth	1026	1395	7	61	2489
Morris	694	564	12	47	1317
Ocean	1253	1292	20	123	2688
Passaic	1037	1308	6	287	2638
Salem	269	258	0	17	544
Somerset	470	451	11	36	968
Sussex	290	259	2	17	568
Union	807	1324	16	196	2343
Warren	358	270	4	14	646
TOTAL	16746	20947	196	2977	40866

RUNDATE: 01/19/2007
PROGRAM: DVSEX
(Y2K)

Domestic Violence
Gender of Parties in Newly Filed and Docketed Complaints
For the Period From January 1, 2006 through December 31, 2006

County	Complaints Filed and Docketed #	Plaintiffs				Defendants			
		#	Male %	Female %	#	#	Male %	Female %	#
Atlantic	1910	448	23.5	1462	76.5	1436	75.2	474	24.8
Bergen	2529	549	21.7	1980	78.3	1959	77.5	570	22.5
Burlington	1881	424	22.5	1457	77.5	1445	76.8	436	23.2
Camden	3094	643	20.8	2451	79.2	2453	79.3	641	20.7
Cape May	669	154	23.0	515	77.0	519	77.6	150	22.4
Cumberland	1398	287	20.5	1111	79.5	1081	77.3	317	22.7
Essex	3532	745	21.1	2787	78.9	2698	76.4	834	23.6
Gloucester	1528	353	23.1	1175	76.9	1173	76.8	355	23.2
Hudson	3528	699	19.8	2829	80.2	2802	79.4	726	20.6
Hunterdon	294	77	26.2	217	73.8	229	77.9	65	22.1
Mercer	1519	323	21.3	1196	78.7	1175	77.4	344	22.6
Middlesex	2604	533	20.5	2072	79.5	2085	80.1	518	19.9
Monmouth	2428	483	19.9	1945	80.1	1943	80.0	485	20.0
Morris	1270	264	20.8	1006	79.2	1011	79.6	259	20.4
Ocean	2565	598	23.3	1967	76.7	1948	75.9	617	24.1
Passaic	2351	509	21.7	1842	78.3	1809	76.9	542	23.1
Salem	527	115	21.8	412	78.2	406	77.0	121	23.0
Somerset	932	213	22.9	719	77.1	719	77.1	213	22.9
Sussex	551	138	25.0	413	75.0	408	74.0	143	26.0
Union	2147	445	20.7	1702	79.3	1678	78.2	469	21.8
Warren	632	155	24.5	477	75.5	481	76.1	151	23.9
TOTAL	37889	8155	21.5	29735	78.5	29458	77.8	8430	22.2

1 Data were derived from the Monthly Trial Court Statistical Database.
2 The figures in the 'Complaints Filed and Docketed' column are the sum total of 'New Cases' and 'Cases Received from Other Counties'.
3 The '%' in the 'Male' and 'Female' columns reflect the percentage of total plaintiffs or defendants of that gender.

RUNDATE: 01/19/2007
 PROGRAM: DVRELATE
 (Y2K)

		Domestic Violence									
		Relationship of Plaintiff and Defendant in Newly Filed and Docketed Complaints									
		For the Period From January 1, 2006 through December 31, 2006									
County	Complaints Filed and Docketed #	11 (a)	11 (b)	11 (c)	11 (d)	11 (e)	11 (f)	11 (g)	11 (h)	11 (i)	
		Spouse Child(ren) # %	Spouse Without Child(ren) # %	Fmr Spouse With Child(ren) # %	Fmr Spouse Without Child(ren) # %	Nvr Married With Child(ren) # %	Nvr Married Expectant Parents # %	Present Household Member # %	Dating Rltnship # %	Former Household Member # %	
Atlantic	1910	304 15.9	210 11.0	68 3.6	11 .6	369 19.3	30 1.6	261 13.7	506 26.5	151 7.9	
Bergen	2529	574 26.7	232 9.2	140 5.5	24 .9	315 12.5	4 .2	331 13.1	550 21.7	259 10.2	
Burlington	1881	420 22.3	152 8.1	63 3.3	27 1.4	284 15.1	11 .6	362 19.2	318 16.9	244 13.0	
Camden	3094	599 19.4	197 6.4	66 2.1	9 .3	600 19.4	39 1.3	482 15.6	780 25.2	322 10.4	
Cape May	669	140 20.9	55 8.2	31 4.6	8 1.2	114 17.0	8 1.2	72 10.8	182 27.2	59 8.8	
Cumberland	1398	222 15.9	131 9.4	25 1.8	1 .1	411 29.4	12 .9	152 10.9	286 20.5	158 11.3	
Essex	3532	531 15.0	208 5.9	84 2.4	10 .3	819 23.2	52 1.5	377 10.7	1109 31.4	342 9.7	
Gloucester	1528	388 25.4	117 7.7	48 3.1	8 .5	291 19.0	18 1.2	204 13.4	320 20.9	134 8.8	
Hudson	3528	474 13.4	387 11.0	79 2.2	18 .5	711 20.2	58 1.6	410 11.6	953 27.0	438 12.4	
Hunterdon	294	100 34.0	25 8.5	17 5.8	0 .0	24 8.2	2 .7	28 9.5	69 23.5	29 9.9	
Mercer	1519	288 19.0	123 8.1	32 2.1	5 .3	351 23.1	16 1.1	152 10.0	429 28.2	123 8.1	
Middlesex	2604	727 27.9	179 6.9	102 3.9	9 .3	436 16.7	22 .8	314 12.1	592 22.7	223 8.6	
Monmouth	2428	788 32.5	202 8.3	93 3.8	8 .3	318 13.1	8 .3	208 8.6	639 26.3	164 6.8	
Morris	1270	437 34.4	57 4.5	80 6.3	2 .2	143 11.3	4 .3	112 8.8	353 27.8	82 6.5	
Ocean	2565	605 23.6	222 8.7	138 5.4	8 .3	325 12.7	25 1.0	337 13.1	623 24.3	282 11.0	
Passaic	2351	485 20.6	179 7.6	57 2.4	17 .7	556 23.6	28 1.2	313 13.3	341 14.5	375 16.0	
Salem	527	101 19.2	30 5.7	13 2.5	0 .0	100 19.0	2 .4	70 13.3	138 26.2	73 13.9	
Somerset	932	268 28.8	64 6.9	42 4.5	8 .9	130 13.9	5 .5	110 11.8	233 25.0	72 7.7	
Sussex	551	177 32.1	51 9.3	23 4.2	4 .7	52 9.4	7 1.3	63 11.4	114 20.7	60 10.9	
Union	2147	473 22.0	171 8.0	55 2.6	8 .4	483 22.5	6 .3	247 11.5	515 24.0	189 8.8	
Warren	632	166 26.3	50 7.9	43 6.8	4 .6	82 13.0	3 .5	64 10.1	126 19.9	94 14.9	
TOTAL	37889	8367 22.1	3042 8.0	1299 3.4	189 .5	6914 18.2	360 1.0	4669 12.3	9176 24.2	3873 10.2	

1 Data were derived from the Monthly Trial Court Statistical Database.

2 The figures in the 'Complaints Filed and Docketed' column are the sum total of 'New Cases' and 'Cases Received From Other Counties'.

3 The '%' columns reflect the percentage of domestic violence cases in which the plaintiffs and the defendants had a particular relationship at the time the complaints were filed.

RUNDATE: 01/19/2007
PROGRAM: DVRESIDE
(Y2K)

Domestic Violence
Living Arrangements of Plaintiff and Defendant in Newly Filed and Docketed Complaints
For the Period From January 1, 2006 through December 31, 2006

County	Complaints Filed and Docketed #	Living Together #	Living Together %	Previously Lived Together #	Previously Lived Together %	Never Lived Together #	Never Lived Together %
Atlantic	1910	881	46.1	809	42.4	220	11.5
Bergen	2529	1063	42.0	1018	40.3	448	17.7
Burlington	1881	814	43.3	819	43.5	248	13.2
Camden	3094	1294	41.8	1293	41.8	507	16.4
Cape May	669	233	34.8	337	50.4	99	14.8
Cumberland	1398	507	36.3	680	48.6	211	15.1
Essex	3532	1225	34.7	1685	47.7	622	17.6
Gloucester	1528	682	44.6	607	39.7	239	15.6
Hudson	3528	1129	32.0	1645	46.6	754	21.4
Hunterdon	294	123	41.8	132	44.9	39	13.3
Mercer	1519	546	35.9	662	43.6	311	20.5
Middlesex	2604	1079	41.4	1051	40.4	474	18.2
Monmouth	2428	1005	41.4	1096	45.1	327	13.5
Morris	1270	549	43.2	540	42.5	181	14.3
Ocean	2565	1120	43.7	1095	42.7	350	13.6
Passaic	2351	805	34.2	1139	48.4	407	17.3
Salem	527	214	40.6	228	43.3	85	16.1
Somerset	932	410	44.0	373	40.0	149	16.0
Sussex	551	258	46.8	221	40.1	72	13.1
Union	2147	858	40.0	901	42.0	388	18.1
Warren	632	278	44.0	294	46.5	60	9.5
TOTAL	37889	15073	39.8	16625	43.9	6191	16.3

1 Data were derived from the Monthly Trial Court Statistical Database.
2 The figures in the 'Complaints Filed and Docketed' column are the sum total of 'New Cases' and 'Cases Received from Other Counties'.
3 The '%' columns reflect the percentage of domestic violence cases in which the plaintiffs and defendants had a particular living arrangement at the time the complaints were filed.

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Domestic Violence Temporary Restraining Order Summary For the Period From January 1, 2006 through December 31, 2006			
County	TROs Issued Document=0005	- TROs Denied - Final Hearing Scheduled Proceeding=1605	- TROs Denied - Complaint Dismissed (05/40)
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Atlantic	1714	1	132
Bergen	2122	5	320
Burlington	1399	0	300
Camden	2751	0	302
Cape May	569	0	71
Cumberland	1243	0	116
Essex	3258	0	129
Gloucester	1287	0	170
Hudson	2863	0	515
Hunterdon	238	0	33
Mercer	1364	1	61
Middlesex	2293	0	202
Monmouth	1628	0	306
Morris	1093	0	94
Ocean	2223	0	164
Passaic	2188	4	59
Salem	454	0	57
Somerset	785	0	65
Sussex	491	0	42
Union	1864	3	211
Warren	533	5	90
TOTAL	32360	19	3439

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Domestic Violence Filings
 Summary

County	New/TRO Extended	January 1, 2006 - December 31, 2006	%	ReOpened Post-Disposition	%	Total Filings
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Atlantic	2021	79.0		537	21.0	2558
Bergen	2682	68.3		1242	31.7	3924
Burlington	1923	75.5		625	24.5	2548
Camden	3154	79.7		802	20.3	3956
Cape May	709	69.8		307	30.2	1016
Cumberland	1469	62.3		890	37.7	2359
Essex	3825	63.6		2193	36.4	6019
Gloucester	1567	71.0		640	29.0	2207
Hudson	3754	81.3		864	18.7	4618
Hunterdon	300	75.6		97	24.4	397
Mercer	2468	82.4		526	17.6	2994
Middlesex	2793	74.9		938	25.1	3731
Monmouth	2489	77.2		734	22.8	3223
Morris	1317	69.8		571	30.2	1888
Ocean	2688	80.9		636	19.1	3324
Passaic	2638	66.4		1335	33.6	3973
Salem	544	53.3		477	46.7	1021
Somerset	968	63.2		563	36.8	1531
Sussex	568	68.3		264	31.7	832
Union	2343	62.5		1403	37.5	3746
Warren	646	68.1		303	31.9	949
TOTAL	40866	71.9		15947	28.1	56814

SECTION TWO:
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE TERMINATIONS (FVs)
NEW COMPLAINTS

1. TRO DENIED/COMPLAINT DISMISSED (ALL COURTS)*

The percentage of cases disposed by the denial of a TRO and dismissal of the domestic violence complaint remains essentially unchanged from the previous year.

TROs Denied 2005	% of Total Filings (40,599)	TROs Denied 2006	% of Total Filings (37,889)
3,671	8.5%	3,439	8.4%

2. COMPLAINT WITHDRAWN BY PLAINTIFF*

The percentage of complaints withdrawn by the plaintiff increased slightly in 2006.

Complaint Withdrawn by Plaintiff 2005	% of Total Filings (40,599)	Complaint Withdrawn by Plaintiff 2006	% of Total Filings (37,889)
13,712	31.6%	13,553	33.0%

3. FAILURE OF PLAINTIFF TO APPEAR/COMPLAINT DISMISSED*

The percentage of cases dismissed due to failure of the plaintiff to appear increased marginally in 2006.

Dismissed Failure to Appear Plaintiff 2005	% of Total Filings (40,599)	Dismissed Failure to Appear Plaintiff 2006	% of Total Filings (37,889)
3,981	9.2%	3,890	9.5%

(*Note: Based on total new filings and transfers in Municipal Court and Superior Court (37,889))

4. **TRO APPEALED/COMPLAINT DISMISSED (FAMILY DIVISION)**

The number of cases in which emergent appeals were granted prior to the final hearing increased by 21 cases in 2006.

TRO EMERGENT APPEAL GRANTED (# of Cases)	
2005	94
2006	115

5. **RELIEF DENIED AT FINAL HEARING/COMPLAINT DISMISSED***

In 2006, the percentage of cases in which the final restraining order was denied and the complaint dismissed decreased marginally.

Year	FROs Denied	Total Filings	% Total Filings
2005	5,987	40,599	13.8%
2006	5,448	37,889	13.3%

6. **TRO EXTENDED***

A TRO can be extended indefinitely when attempts have been made to serve the defendant, but defendant cannot be located. In 2006, the percentage of such extended TROs increased marginally.

Year	Extended TROs	Total Filings	% Total Filings
2005	4,176	40,599	9.6%
2006	4,173	37,889	10.2 %

(*Note: Based on total new filings and transfers in Municipal Court and Superior Court (37,889))

7. **FINAL RESTRAINING ORDERS ENTERED/
SOME OR ALL RELIEF GRANTED**

In 2006, the percentage of Final Restraining Orders entered with some or all relief granted decreased.

Year	FROs Entered	Total Filings	% Total Filings
	10,697	40,599	26.3%
2006	9,219	37,889	22.5%

8. **TRANSFERRED TO ANOTHER COUNTY**

A case may be transferred from one county to another for any of four reasons: plaintiff or defendant works in Family Court in the original county of venue; there is an FM (Dissolution) or FD (Non-Dissolution) matter pending in the another county; the TRO and FRO were filed in the county where the act occurred but plaintiff or both parties reside in another county; or for other good cause shown. In 2006, the total number of such transfers remained essentially the same as in 2005.

DV Cases Transferred To Another County (# of Cases)	
2005	235
2006	227

A. STATEWIDE FIGURES

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Domestic Violence Terminations
 New/TRO Extended

January 1, 2006 - December 31, 2006

County	TRO Denied (05/40)	%	Withdwn (05/56)	%	Failed to Appear (05/41)	%	TRO Appealed (05/87)	%	Relief Denied at Final Hearing (05/42)	%	TRO Extended (05/44)	%	Some or All Reliefs Granted (05/43)	%	Transferred to Other County (05/60)	%	Total New/TRO Extended
Atlantic	132	6.5	637	31.5	237	11.7	1	.0	312	15.4	167	8.3	485	24.0	9	.4	2020
Bergen	320	11.8	1007	37.1	233	8.6	9	.3	342	12.6	238	8.8	512	18.9	16	.6	2715
Burlington	300	15.6	615	31.9	85	4.4	2	.1	320	16.6	51	2.6	381	19.8	13	.7	1928
Camden	302	9.5	919	28.8	634	19.8	24	.8	463	14.5	117	3.7	661	20.7	5	.2	3195
Cape May	71	10.0	204	28.9	60	8.5	3	.4	90	12.7	58	8.2	194	27.4	6	.8	707
Cumberland	116	7.9	459	31.2	254	17.2	5	.3	226	15.3	92	6.2	303	20.6	5	.3	1473
Essex	129	3.3	1151	29.8	539	14.0	20	.5	539	14.0	575	14.9	877	22.7	23	.6	3857
Gloucester	170	11.0	625	40.3	182	11.7	0	.0	141	9.1	63	4.1	322	20.8	9	.6	1551
Hudson	515	13.6	1450	38.3	360	9.5	12	.3	388	10.2	446	11.8	530	14.0	14	.4	3786
Hunterdon	33	11.1	122	41.1	17	5.7	1	.3	31	10.4	10	3.4	64	21.5	1	.3	297
Mercer	61	2.5	617	25.0	351	14.2	7	.3	251	10.2	886	35.8	275	11.1	6	.2	2472
Middlesex	202	7.2	1064	38.4	134	4.7	2	.1	487	17.3	304	10.8	525	18.6	19	.7	2822
Monmouth	306	12.4	688	27.8	121	4.9	7	.3	260	10.5	101	4.1	954	38.6	16	.6	2473
Morris	94	7.1	477	36.1	37	2.8	0	.0	192	14.5	66	5.0	380	28.7	10	.8	1322
Ocean	164	6.1	997	37.2	158	5.9	0	.0	437	16.3	143	5.3	667	24.9	13	.5	2680
Passaic	59	2.3	810	30.9	188	7.2	2	.1	182	6.9	424	16.2	894	34.1	21	.8	2622
Salem	57	10.5	175	32.3	70	12.9	2	.4	90	16.6	19	3.5	119	22.0	3	.6	542
Somerset	65	6.7	294	30.2	44	4.5	0	.0	181	18.6	72	7.4	236	24.3	13	1.3	972
Sussex	42	7.4	239	41.9	24	4.2	0	.0	73	12.8	22	3.9	133	23.3	5	.9	570
Union	211	9.0	728	31.0	125	5.3	18	.8	327	13.9	290	12.3	586	24.9	18	.8	2352
Warren	90	13.8	255	39.1	37	5.7	0	.0	116	17.8	29	4.4	121	18.6	2	.3	652
TOTAL	3439	8.4	13553	33.0	3890	9.5	115	.3	5448	13.3	4173	10.2	9219	22.5	227	.6	41008

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Domestic Violence Terminations
 Summary

County	New/TRO Extended	%	ReOpened Post-Disposition	%	Total Terminations
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Atlantic	2020	78.9	540	21.1	2560
Bergen	2715	68.3	1262	31.7	3977
Burlington	1928	75.6	623	24.4	2551
Camden	3195	80.1	792	19.9	3987
Cape May	707	69.9	305	30.1	1012
Cumberland	1473	62.0	904	38.0	2377
Essex	3857	64.0	2172	36.0	6029
Gloucester	1551	70.9	637	29.1	2188
Hudson	3786	81.4	865	18.6	4651
Hunterdon	297	75.6	96	24.4	393
Mercer	2472	82.8	515	17.2	2987
Middlesex	2822	75.2	930	24.8	3752
Monmouth	2473	77.1	735	22.9	3208
Morris	1322	69.7	575	30.3	1897
Ocean	2680	80.9	632	19.1	3312
Passaic	2622	66.6	1314	33.4	3936
Salem	542	52.8	484	47.2	1026
Somerset	972	63.2	565	36.8	1537
Sussex	570	67.7	272	32.3	842
Union	2352	62.6	1406	37.4	3758
Warren	652	68.1	305	31.9	957
TOTAL	41008	72.0	15929	28.0	56937

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Domestic Violence
 Terminations Summary

January 1, 2005 - December 31, 2006

County	2005				2006				Percent Change		
	New/TRO Extended	Pct Disposition	Reopened Post- Disposition	Total Filings	New/TRO Extended	Pct Disposition	Reopened Post- Disposition	Total Filings	New/TRO Extended	Reopened Post- Disposition	Total Filings
Atlantic	2064	78.2	576	2640	2020	78.9	540	2560	-2.1	-6.3	-3.0
Bergen	2705	63.4	1561	4266	2715	68.3	1262	3977	.4	-19.2	-6.8
Burlington	2000	78.6	546	2546	1928	75.6	623	2551	-3.6	14.1	.2
Camden	3250	78.4	896	4146	3195	80.1	792	3987	-1.7	-11.6	-3.8
Cape May	665	66.0	343	1008	707	69.9	305	1012	6.3	-11.1	.4
Cumberland	1472	60.4	965	2437	1473	62.0	904	2377	.1	-6.3	-2.5
Essex	3976	64.5	2186	6162	3857	64.0	2172	6029	-3.0	-.6	-2.2
Gloucester	1588	70.4	668	2256	1551	70.9	637	2188	-2.3	-4.6	-3.0
Hudson	3832	80.6	924	4756	3786	81.4	865	4651	-1.2	-6.4	-2.2
Hunterdon	350	73.5	126	476	297	75.6	96	393	-15.1	-23.8	-17.4
Mercer	2505	82.5	530	3035	2472	82.8	515	2987	-1.3	-2.8	-1.6
Middlesex	2889	75.0	962	3851	2822	75.2	930	3752	-2.3	-3.3	-2.6
Monmouth	3635	81.4	828	4463	2473	77.1	735	3208	-32.0	-11.2	-28.1
Morris	1294	66.3	657	1951	1322	69.7	575	1897	2.2	-12.5	-2.8
Ocean	2718	79.0	722	3440	2680	80.9	632	3312	-1.4	-12.5	-3.7
Passaic	3112	70.7	1292	4404	2622	66.6	1314	3936	-15.7	1.7	-10.6
Salem	621	54.2	525	1146	542	52.8	484	1026	-12.7	-7.8	-10.5
Somerset	1120	68.4	518	1638	972	63.2	565	1537	-13.2	9.1	-6.2
Sussex	576	69.3	255	831	570	67.7	272	842	-1.0	6.7	1.3
Union	2400	61.6	1494	3894	2352	62.6	1406	3758	-2.0	-5.9	-3.5
Warren	666	73.6	239	905	652	68.1	305	957	-2.1	27.6	5.7
TOTAL	43438	72.1	16813	60251	41008	72.0	15929	56937	-5.6	-5.3	-5.5

SECTION THREE:

FINAL RESTRAINING ORDERS RELIEF DISPOSITION STATISTICS

The percentage of relief sought (“% of all FROs”) represents the number of cases in which that relief was sought as a percentage of all cases.

The percentage of relief granted (“% granted”) represents the number of cases in which the relief was granted as a percentage of those cases in which that relief was sought.

A. **STATEWIDE FIGURES (SUPERIOR COURT)**

In 2006, 24.3% of total domestic violence filings in the Family Division of Superior Court resulted in a granted Final Restraining Order (FRO). The percentage is down somewhat from the previous year.

Year	FROs Granted	Total Filings	% of Total Filings
2005	10,697	40,599	26.3%
2006	9,219	37,899	24.3%

1. **PROHIBITION AGAINST FUTURE ACTS OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE**

This relief continues to be granted in the majority of Final Restraining Orders in which it is sought. (This relief was ordered in some cases in which it had not been requested; hence the greater than 100% granted figure.)

2006	
# of Times Relief Sought	% of All FROs
8,661	93.9 %
# of Times Relief Granted	% Granted
8,722	100.7 %

2. **PROHIBITION AGAINST ANY CONTACT OR COMMUNICATION WITH VICTIM**

This relief prohibits the defendant from any oral, written, personal, electronic, or other form of contact or communication with the victim by the defendant. This relief continues to be sought and granted in the majority of cases.

2006	
# of Times Relief Sought	% of All FROs
8,676	94.1 %
# of Times Relief Granted	% Granted
8,455	97.5 %

3. **PROHIBITION AGAINST ANY CONTACT OR COMMUNICATION WITH OTHERS**

This relief prohibits defendants from contacting or communicating with those “other” individuals specified in the FRO. This relief was sought in 54.8% of the cases and granted in 74.9 % of those cases.

2006	
# of Times Relief Sought	% of All FROs
5,051	54.8 %
# of Times Relief Granted	% Granted
3,783	74.9%

4. **PROHIBITION AGAINST HARASSING COMMUNICATIONS TO VICTIM**

This relief prohibits direct or indirect harassing communications to the victim. This relief was sought in 94.0% of the cases in 2006 and was granted in 100.6% of those cases. (This relief was ordered in some cases in which it had not been requested; hence the greater than 100% figure.)

2006	
# of Times Relief Sought	% of All FROs
8,662	94.0 %
# of Times Relief Granted	% Granted
8,718	100.6 %

5. **PROHIBITION AGAINST HARASSING COMMUNICATIONS TO OTHERS**

This relief prohibits direct or indirect harassing communications towards others. This relief was sought in 52.9% of the cases in 2006 and was granted in 72.8% of those cases.

2006	
# of Times Relief Sought	% of All FROs
4,874	52.9%
# of Times Relief Granted	% Granted
3,547	72.8 %

6. **POSSESSION OF RESIDENCE TO PLAINTIFF**

Granting exclusive possession of the residence to the plaintiff was sought 48.2% of the time and granted 86.3 % of the time it was requested.

2006	
# of Times Relief Sought	% of All FROs
4,442	48.2%
# of Times Relief Granted	% Granted
3,832	86.3 %

7. EMERGENT MONETARY RELIEF-VICTIM

Emergent monetary relief for the victim was sought in only a very small number of cases and was granted in only 6.6% of those cases.

2006	
# of Times Relief Sought	% of All FROs
183	2.0%
# of Times Relief Granted	% Granted
12	6.6%

8. EMERGENT MONETARY RELIEF-DEPENDENT(S)

Emergent monetary relief for dependents was sought in very few cases and was granted in only one case.

2006	
# of Times Relief Sought	% of All FROs
140	1.5%
# of Times Relief Granted	% Granted
1	0.7%

9. **CHILD CUSTODY**

Temporary custody of child(ren) was sought in 36.6% of the cases and was granted in 91.0% of those cases.

2006	
# of Times Relief Sought	% of All FROs
3,377	36.6%
# of Times Relief Granted	% Granted
3,072	91.0%

10. **LAW ENFORCEMENT ACCOMPANIMENT OF DEFENDANT TO SCENE - RESIDENCE**

This relief provides for the availability of a police escort for the defendant back to the scene or residence to gather personal belongings. In 2006, this relief was sought in 36.7% of the cases and was granted in 78.4% of those cases.

2006	
# of Times Relief Sought	% of All FROs
3,382	36.7%
# of Times Relief Granted	% Granted
2,653	78.4%

11. **LAW ENFORCEMENT ACCOMPANIMENT OF PLAINTIFF TO
SCENE - RESIDENCE**

This relief provides a police escort for the plaintiff back to the scene or residence to obtain personal belongings. In 2006, this relief was sought in 13.5% of the cases, and was granted in 46.8% of those cases.

2006	
# of Times Relief Sought	% of All FROs
1,245	13.5%
# of Times Relief Granted	% Granted
583	46.8 %

The next three subsections (12, 13, 14) report as a combined category all "other appropriate relief" that may be granted depending on the individual circumstances of the parties involved, e.g., drug and/or alcohol screening, therapy for a child, or the release of important documents, such as birth certificates, passports, or immigration information.

12. **OTHER APPROPRIATE RELIEF - PLAINTIFF**

2006	
# of Times Relief Sought	% of All FROs
658	7.1%
# of Times Relief Granted	% Granted
579	88.0%

13. **OTHER APPROPRIATE RELIEF - CHILDREN**

2006	
# of Times Relief Sought	% of All FROs
329	3.6%
# of Times Relief Granted	% Granted
49	14.9%

14. **OTHER APPROPRIATE RELIEF-DEFENDANT**

2006	
# of Times Relief Sought	% of All FROs
1,848	20.0%
# of Times Relief Granted	% Granted
1,325	71.7%

15. INTAKE MONITORING OF CONDITIONS OR RESTRAINTS

Intake monitoring, which requires frequent contact with victims to determine if restraints are being observed, is rarely sought. In 2006, it was requested in only 1.8% of all cases and was granted in 10.6% of those cases. Limited availability of court staff to provide for the monitoring required by this relief may be the most likely reason for the low incidence of inclusion of this relief in FROs.

2006	
# of Times Relief Sought	% of All FROs
170	1.8%
% of Times Relief Granted	% Granted
18	10.6%

16. PROHIBITION AGAINST WEAPONS POSSESSION - FIREARMS

In 2006, prohibition against the possession of firearms was sought in 94.0% of all cases and was granted in 100.4% of those cases. (This relief was ordered in some cases in which it was not specifically requested.)

2006	
# of Times Relief Sought	% of All FROs
8,663	94.0%
# of Times Relief Granted	% Granted
8,695	100.4%

17. PROHIBITION AGAINST WEAPONS POSSESSION-OTHER

This relief prohibits possession of weapons other than firearms. In 2006, this relief was sought in only 12 cases and was granted in three of those cases.

2006	
# of Times Relief Sought	% of All FROs
12	0.1 %
# of Times Relief Granted	% Granted
3	25.0%

18. SEIZURE OF WEAPONS

In 2006, the seizure of weapons was ordered in 112 FROs.

2006
of Cases
112

19. PROHIBITION AGAINST STALKING - VICTIM

In 2006, prohibition against stalking the victim was sought in 93.9% of all cases and was granted in 100.7% of those cases. (This relief was ordered in some cases in which it had not been requested.)

2006	
# of Times Relief Sought	% of All FROs
8,657	93.9%
# of Times Relief Granted	% Granted
8,716	100.7%

20. PROHIBITION AGAINST STALKING - OTHERS

In 2006, prohibition against stalking “others” was sought in 51.5% of all cases and was granted in 72.1% of the cases.

2006	
# of Times Relief Sought	% of All FROs
4,751	51.5%
# of Times Relief Granted	% Granted
3,424	72.1%

21. CONDITIONS OF PARENTING TIME - FOR DEFENDANT

This relief defines the conditions for parenting time between the defendant and minor children while maintaining protection for the plaintiff. In 2006, this relief was sought in 27.5% of all cases and was granted in 95.6% of those cases.

2006	
# of Times Relief Sought	% of All FROs
2,531	27.5%
# of Times Relief Granted	% Granted
2,419	95.6%

22. RISK ASSESSMENT ORDERED

Risk Assessments are ordered when there is reason to believe that there may be a risk of harm to the child (ren) during parenting time. In 2006, this relief was sought in 4.9% of cases, and was granted in 63.4% of those cases.

2006	
# of Times Relief Sought	% of All FROs
451	4.9 %
# of Times Relief Granted	% Granted
286	63.4%

23. SUSPENSION OF PARENTING TIME - FOR DEFENDANT

Suspension of defendant's parenting time was sought in 25.7% cases and was granted in 33.3% of those cases.

2006	
# of Times Relief Sought	% of All FROs
2,366	25.7%
# of Times Relief Granted	% Granted
788	33.3%

24. **MONETARY COMPENSATION - EMERGENT SUPPORT**

Economic relief for victims and their children usually takes the form of interim and/or ongoing support. If a prior support order exists through a divorce or child support civil action, additional reliefs arising from the domestic violence action are likely to be treated as separate from the ongoing support order already in effect. This may account for the fact that emergent support continues to be requested or granted only rarely.

a. **VICTIM - EMERGENT SUPPORT**

Emergent support for victims ensures that victims are financially able to meet their daily needs. In 2006, this relief was sought in only 2.4% of all cases and was granted in 11.2% of those cases.

2006	
# of Times Relief Sought	% of All FROs
223	2.4%
# of Times Relief Granted	% Granted
25	11.2%

b. **DEPENDENT(S)-EMERGENT SUPPORT**

Dependent support is a relief available to ensure that minor children are financially supported while the FRO is in effect. In 2006, this relief was sought in only 3.4% of all cases, and was granted in just 3.8% of those cases.

2006	
# of Times Relief Sought	% of All FROs
318	3.4 %
# of Times Relief Granted	% Granted
12	3.8 %

c. **INTERIM SUPPORT - VICTIM-DEPENDENTS**

Interim support may be granted to the victim and dependents as part of the TRO and extended TRO process. Interim support can remain in effect until the FRO is issued. This relief was granted in only 22 cases as to the victim and 12 cases as to dependents.

2006
of Times Interim Support Granted- Victim
22
of Times Interim Support Granted- Dependents
12

d. **VICTIM - ONGOING SUPPORT**

Ongoing victim support is monetary relief to ensure that victims are able to attend to their financial needs. In 2006, this relief was sought in only 3.2% of cases and was granted in 50.3% of those cases.

2006	
# of Times Relief Sought	% of All FROs
298	3.2%
# of Times Relief Granted	% Granted
150	50.3 %

e. **DEPENDENT(S) - ONGOING SUPPORT**

Ongoing dependent support is monetary support of minor children after a Final Hearing has been held and when no other previous orders for support are in effect. In 2006, this relief was sought in 16.5% of all cases and was granted in 81.5% of those cases.

2006	
# of Times Relief Sought	% of All FROs
1,523	16.5%
# of Times Relief Granted	% Granted
1,241	81.5 %

ADDITIONAL ECONOMIC RELIEF:

The next six subsections (f-k) describe additional economic relief available to the plaintiff, dependents, or third parties as defined in the Prevention of Domestic Violence Act.

f. **VICTIM - COMPENSATORY DAMAGES**

Victims may be compensated by the defendant for property damages incurred during a domestic violence incident. In 2006, compensatory damages were sought in 2.3% of the cases and granted in 37.6% of those cases.

2006	
# of Times Relief Sought	% of All FROs
213	2.3%
# of Times Relief Granted	% Granted
80	37.6 %

g. **VICTIM - PUNITIVE DAMAGES**

Victims may seek monetary relief from defendant for injuries suffered during a domestic violence incident. In 2006, this was sought in less than one percent of the cases (43 cases) and was granted in just seven cases.

2006	
# of Times Relief Sought	% of All FROs
43	0.5%
# of Times Relief Granted	% Granted
7	16.3%

h. **VICTIM - MEDICAL COVERAGE**

Medical coverage for victims is available as a relief to ensure that any health benefits are continued, with the cost assessed to the appropriate party and/or available resources. In 2006, this relief was sought in only 2.0% of the cases and granted in 46.3% of those cases.

2006	
# of Times Relief Sought	% of All FROs
188	2.0%
# of Times Relief Granted	% Granted
87	46.3%

i. DEPENDENT(S) - MEDICAL COVERAGE

Medical coverage of dependents is available as a relief to ensure that dependent children can receive necessary treatment for medical conditions. In 2006, this relief was sought in 2.7% of the cases and was granted in 46.0% of those cases.

2006	
# of Times Relief Sought	% of All FROs
248	2.7%
# of Times Relief Granted	% Granted
114	46.0%

j. MONETARY COMPENSATION - THIRD PARTY

Compensation by defendant to a third party is available when there has been injury or loss of property affecting a third party as a result of an incident of domestic violence. In 2006, this relief was sought in less than 1% of the cases and was granted in only eight cases.

2006	
# of Times Relief Sought	% of All FROs
36	0.4%
# of Times Relief Granted	% Granted
8	22.2%

k. **MONETARY COMPENSATION - VICTIMS OF CRIME
COMPENSATION BOARD (VCCB)**

In 2006, only 3 defendants were ordered to pay fines to the Victims of Crime Compensation Board. This low number is consistent with prior years. In 2005, only 2 defendants were ordered to pay this fine.

2006
Of Times VCCB was Ordered
3

25. **PROFESSIONAL DOMESTIC VIOLENCE COUNSELING-DEFENDANT**

In 2006, professional domestic violence counseling for defendants was sought in 26.5% of all cases and was ordered in 61.6% of those cases.

2006	
# of Times Relief Sought	% of All FROs
2,446	26.5%
# of Times Relief Granted	% Granted
1,507	61.6 %

26. RENT OR MORTGAGE PAYMENTS

This relief is available to assist victims and their families in paying for all or part of their rent/mortgage obligations when a restraining order has been issued. In 2006, this relief was sought in 3.4% of the cases and was granted in 28.6% of those cases.

2006	
# of Times Relief Sought	% of All FROs
318	3.4%
# of Times Relief Granted	% Granted
91	28.6%

27. TEMPORARY POSSESSION OF PERSONAL PROPERTY - PLAINTIFF

This relief was designed to provide the plaintiff with immediate access to specified personal property (e.g., car, official documents). In 2006, this relief was sought in 9.4% of the cases and was granted 36.7% of the time it was sought.

2006	
# of Times Relief Sought	% of All FROs
864	9.4%
# of Times Relief Granted	% Granted
317	36.7%

28. TEMPORARY POSSESSION OF PERSONAL PROPERTY - DEFENDANT

This relief is available to assist defendants in retrieving personal property from the residence when a restraining order has been issued. In 2006, this relief was sought in 3.5% of all cases and was granted 57.5 % of the time it was sought.

2006	
# of Times Relief Sought	% of All FROs
322	3.5 %
# of Times Relief Granted	% Granted
185	57.5%

B. COUNTY FIGURES

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Some/All Relief Granted	County	Prohibition Against Future Acts of Domestic Violence		Prohibition Against Any Contact or Communication With Victim		Prohibition Against Any Contact or Communication With Others		Prohibition Against Harassing Communications To Victim		Part I (D) Grntd %	Part I (D) Grntd %				
		Sght %	Grntd %	Sght %	Grntd %	Sght %	Grntd %	Sght %	Grntd %						
485	Atlantic	485	100.0	485	100.0	484	99.8	83	17.1	48	57.8	485	100.0	485	100.0
512	Bergen	495	96.7	512	103.4	496	96.9	493	99.4	287	56.1	203	70.7	497	97.1
381	Burlington	381	100.0	381	100.0	380	99.7	379	99.7	217	57.0	190	87.6	381	100.0
661	Camden	651	98.5	652	100.2	655	99.1	649	99.1	302	45.7	182	60.3	652	98.6
194	Cape May	193	99.5	193	100.0	193	99.5	193	100.0	85	43.8	79	92.9	193	99.5
303	Cumberland	302	99.7	303	100.3	302	99.7	300	99.3	104	34.3	80	76.9	302	99.7
877	Essex	863	98.4	875	101.4	863	98.4	814	94.3	515	58.7	367	71.3	863	98.4
322	Gloucester	321	99.7	322	100.3	320	99.4	307	95.9	170	52.8	117	68.8	321	99.7
530	Hudson	517	97.5	520	100.6	517	97.5	504	97.5	502	94.7	485	96.6	518	97.7
64	Hunterdon	63	98.4	64	101.6	64	100.0	64	100.0	51	79.7	46	90.2	64	100.0
275	Mercer	274	99.6	274	100.0	273	99.3	260	95.2	183	66.5	140	76.5	273	99.3
525	Middlesex	516	98.3	522	101.2	515	98.1	494	95.9	368	70.1	222	60.3	515	98.1
954	Monmouth	514	53.9	517	100.6	511	53.6	515	100.8	245	25.7	211	86.1	510	53.5
380	Morris	369	97.1	380	103.0	369	97.1	374	101.4	307	80.8	278	90.6	369	97.1
667	Ocean	656	98.4	652	99.4	664	99.6	655	98.6	353	52.9	259	73.4	656	98.4
894	Passaic	891	99.7	891	100.0	892	99.8	813	91.1	485	54.3	325	67.0	892	99.8
119	Salem	116	97.5	119	102.6	116	97.5	113	97.4	61	51.3	48	78.7	116	97.5
236	Somerset	233	98.7	234	100.4	233	98.7	232	99.6	181	76.7	158	87.3	233	98.7
133	Sussex	128	96.2	128	100.0	129	97.0	121	93.8	87	65.4	67	77.0	129	97.0
586	Union	572	97.6	577	100.9	578	98.6	585	101.2	379	64.7	214	56.5	572	97.6
121	Warren	121	100.0	121	100.0	121	100.0	106	87.6	86	71.1	64	74.4	121	100.0
9219	TOTAL	8661	93.9	8722	100.7	8676	94.1	8455	97.5	5051	54.8	3783	74.9	8662	94.0

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County	Some/All Relief Granted	Prohibition Against Harassing Communications To Others		Exclusive Possession of Residence to Plaintiff or Alternate Housing		Emergent Monetary Relief -Victim-		Emergent Monetary Relief -Dependent(s) -							
		Sght	Part I (E) % Grntd	Sght	Part I (F) % Grntd	Sght	Part I (G) % Grntd	Sght	Part I (H) % Grntd						
Atlantic	485	82	16.9	50	61.0	185	38.1	169	91.4	1	.2	0	.0	0	.0
Bergen	512	268	52.3	184	68.7	209	40.8	170	81.3	27	5.3	2	7.4	20	3.9
Burlington	381	213	55.9	185	86.9	185	48.6	160	86.5	4	1.0	0	.0	4	1.0
Camden	661	286	43.3	173	60.5	327	49.5	276	84.4	10	1.5	0	.0	18	2.7
Cape May	194	85	43.8	79	92.9	176	90.7	175	99.4	2	1.0	0	.0	0	.0
Cumberland	303	96	31.7	73	76.0	165	54.5	151	91.5	0	.0	0	.0	0	.0
Essex	877	514	58.6	331	64.4	497	56.7	417	83.9	34	3.9	3	8.8	42	4.8
Gloucester	322	160	49.7	113	70.6	164	50.9	147	89.6	4	1.2	1	25.0	0	.0
Hudson	530	497	93.8	480	96.6	490	92.5	465	94.9	3	.6	0	.0	2	.4
Hunterdon	64	51	79.7	46	90.2	24	37.5	23	95.8	1	1.6	0	.0	0	.0
Mercer	275	180	65.5	130	72.2	123	44.7	100	81.3	3	1.1	0	.0	3	1.1
Middlesex	525	345	65.7	193	55.9	277	52.8	184	66.4	41	7.8	0	.0	27	5.1
Monmouth	954	244	25.6	208	85.2	255	26.7	206	80.8	7	.7	2	28.6	2	.2
Morris	380	265	69.7	214	80.8	177	46.6	161	91.0	13	3.4	1	7.7	9	2.4
Ocean	667	327	49.0	227	69.4	308	46.2	267	86.7	2	.3	0	.0	0	.0
Passaic	894	485	54.3	327	67.4	288	32.2	247	85.8	2	.2	0	.0	0	.0
Salem	119	57	47.9	41	71.9	48	40.3	37	77.1	0	.0	0	.0	0	.0
Somerset	236	180	76.3	154	85.6	94	39.8	87	92.6	4	1.7	0	.0	3	1.3
Sussex	133	81	60.9	61	75.3	60	45.1	56	93.3	5	3.8	0	.0	3	2.3
Union	586	376	64.2	214	56.9	318	54.3	275	86.5	14	2.4	2	14.3	3	.5
Warren	121	82	67.8	64	78.0	72	59.5	59	81.9	6	5.0	1	16.7	4	3.3
TOTAL	9219	4874	52.9	3547	72.8	4442	48.2	3832	86.3	183	2.0	12	6.6	140	1.5

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County	Some/All Relief Granted	Child Custody			Law Enf. Accompaniment of Defendant to Scene or Residence			Law Enf. Accompaniment of Plaintiff to Scene or Residence					
		Sght	Part I (I) % Grntd	%	Sght	Part I (J) % Grntd	%	Sght	Part I (K) % Grntd	%			
Atlantic	485	160	33.0	139	86.9	195	40.2	181	92.8	47	9.7	23	48.9
Bergen	512	165	32.2	158	95.8	169	33.0	101	59.8	35	6.8	13	37.1
Burlington	381	132	34.6	120	90.9	159	41.7	143	89.9	18	4.7	5	27.8
Camden	661	261	39.5	234	89.7	251	38.0	208	82.9	55	8.3	19	34.5
Cape May	194	72	37.1	70	97.2	49	25.3	36	73.5	19	9.8	9	47.4
Cumberland	303	145	47.9	139	95.9	117	38.6	73	62.4	29	9.6	6	20.7
Essex	877	384	43.8	333	86.7	321	36.6	259	80.7	98	11.2	23	23.5
Gloucester	322	120	37.3	112	93.3	129	40.1	89	69.0	16	5.0	9	56.3
Hudson	530	239	45.1	224	93.7	457	86.2	434	95.0	504	95.1	361	71.6
Hunterdon	64	19	29.7	17	89.5	22	34.4	22	100.0	5	7.8	5	100.0
Mercer	275	90	32.7	79	87.8	73	26.5	56	76.7	13	4.7	9	69.2
Middlesex	525	219	41.7	191	87.2	252	48.0	150	59.5	160	30.5	27	16.9
Monmouth	954	209	21.9	191	91.4	198	20.8	154	77.8	29	3.0	4	13.8
Morris	380	140	36.8	131	93.6	136	35.8	122	89.7	25	6.6	14	56.0
Ocean	667	207	31.0	181	87.4	202	30.3	173	85.6	33	4.9	5	15.2
Passaic	894	348	38.9	321	92.2	194	21.7	99	51.0	47	5.3	15	31.9
Salem	119	44	37.0	38	86.4	26	21.8	18	69.2	3	2.5	0	.0
Somerset	236	93	39.4	89	95.7	90	38.1	75	83.3	14	5.9	6	42.9
Sussex	133	44	33.1	40	90.9	54	40.6	32	59.3	11	8.3	2	18.2
Union	586	239	40.8	226	94.6	240	41.0	190	79.2	68	11.6	26	38.2
Warren	121	47	38.8	39	83.0	48	39.7	38	79.2	16	13.2	2	12.5
TOTAL	9219	3377	36.6	3072	91.0	3382	36.7	2653	78.4	1245	13.5	583	46.8

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County	Some/All Relief Granted	Other Appropriate Relief -Plaintiff-			Other Appropriate Relief -Child(ren)-			Other Appropriate Relief -Defendant-			Intake Monitoring of Conditions or Restraints						
		Sght	Part I (M) % Grntd	%	Sght	Part I (N) % Grntd	%	Sght	Part I (O) % Grntd	%	Sght	Part I (P) % Grntd	%				
Atlantic	485	12	2.5	8	66.7	11	2.3	1	9.1	34	7.0	34	100.0	4	.8	4	100.0
Bergen	512	16	3.1	7	43.8	31	6.1	7	22.6	81	15.8	49	60.5	20	3.9	1	5.0
Burlington	381	2	.5	0	.0	16	4.2	2	12.5	142	37.3	139	97.9	7	1.8	1	14.3
Camden	661	15	2.3	13	86.7	78	11.8	8	10.3	191	28.9	104	54.5	39	5.9	0	.0
Cape May	194	1	.5	0	.0	3	1.5	0	.0	60	30.9	60	100.0	0	.0	0	.0
Cumberland	303	5	1.7	4	80.0	5	1.7	0	.0	121	39.9	121	100.0	0	.0	0	.0
Essex	877	22	2.5	9	40.9	11	1.3	2	18.2	377	43.0	137	36.3	14	1.6	3	21.4
Gloucester	322	8	2.5	6	75.0	13	4.0	3	23.1	123	38.2	98	79.7	3	.9	1	33.3
Hudson	530	2	.4	2	100.0	3	.6	0	.0	57	10.8	21	36.8	2	.4	0	.0
Hunterdon	64	0	.0	0	.0	2	3.1	1	50.0	25	39.1	16	64.0	1	1.6	0	.0
Mercer	275	2	.7	1	50.0	2	.7	1	50.0	38	13.8	28	73.7	8	2.9	1	12.5
Middlesex	525	32	6.1	5	15.6	41	7.8	7	17.1	201	38.3	150	74.6	26	5.0	0	.0
Monmouth	954	440	46.1	442	100.5	17	1.8	0	.0	42	4.4	40	95.2	4	.4	0	.0
Morris	380	3	.8	0	.0	9	2.4	0	.0	119	31.3	107	89.9	11	2.9	0	.0
Ocean	667	32	4.8	29	90.6	18	2.7	0	.0	33	4.9	33	100.0	6	.9	5	83.3
Passaic	894	7	.8	5	71.4	19	2.1	6	31.6	5	.6	5	100.0	2	.2	2	100.0
Salem	119	1	.8	1	100.0	5	4.2	1	20.0	15	12.6	15	100.0	0	.0	0	.0
Somerset	236	4	1.7	2	50.0	6	2.5	1	16.7	14	5.9	12	85.7	4	1.7	0	.0
Sussex	133	9	6.8	9	100.0	8	6.0	4	50.0	11	8.3	10	90.9	0	.0	0	.0
Union	586	39	6.7	30	76.9	23	3.9	4	17.4	100	17.1	93	93.0	8	1.4	0	.0
Warren	121	6	5.0	6	100.0	8	6.6	1	12.5	59	48.8	53	89.8	11	9.1	0	.0
TOTAL	9219	658	7.1	579	88.0	329	3.6	49	14.9	1848	20.0	1325	71.7	170	1.8	18	10.6

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County	Some/All Relief Granted	Prohibition Against Weapons Possession -Firearm(s)-			Prohibition Against Weapons Possession -Other-			Seizure of Weapons			Prohibition Against Stalking - Victims		
		Sght	%	Grntd	Part I (Q) Sght	%	Grntd	Part I (R) Sght	%	Grntd	Part I (S) Sght	%	Grntd
Atlantic	485	485	100.0	484	99.8	0	.0	0	.0	1	.2	485	100.0
Bergen	512	501	97.9	509	101.6	2	.4	1	50.0	1	.2	496	96.9
Burlington	381	381	100.0	381	100.0	0	.0	0	.0	12	3.1	381	100.0
Camden	661	650	98.3	651	100.2	2	.3	0	.0	4	.6	651	98.5
Cape May	194	193	99.5	193	100.0	0	.0	0	.0	0	.0	193	99.5
Cumberland	303	302	99.7	303	100.3	0	.0	0	.0	0	.0	302	99.7
Essex	877	866	98.7	871	100.6	5	.6	0	.0	1	.1	861	98.2
Gloucester	322	321	99.7	322	100.3	0	.0	0	.0	9	2.8	321	99.7
Hudson	530	516	97.4	516	100.0	0	.0	0	.0	0	.0	518	97.7
Hunterdon	64	64	100.0	64	100.0	0	.0	0	.0	0	.0	64	100.0
Mercer	275	270	98.2	269	99.6	0	.0	0	.0	7	2.5	273	99.3
Middlesex	525	517	98.5	519	100.4	0	.0	0	.0	15	2.9	516	98.3
Monmouth	954	507	53.1	514	101.4	0	.0	0	.0	3	.3	510	53.5
Morris	380	371	97.6	379	102.2	0	.0	0	.0	1	.3	369	97.1
Ocean	667	654	98.1	652	99.7	0	.0	0	.0	0	.0	656	98.4
Passaic	894	893	99.9	891	99.8	2	.2	2	100.0	8	.9	892	99.8
Salem	119	115	96.6	119	103.5	0	.0	0	.0	1	.8	115	96.6
Somerset	236	232	98.3	234	100.9	0	.0	0	.0	4	1.7	232	98.3
Sussex	133	130	97.7	127	97.7	0	.0	0	.0	2	1.5	129	97.0
Union	586	574	98.0	576	100.3	1	.2	0	.0	42	7.2	572	97.6
Warren	121	121	100.0	121	100.0	0	.0	0	.0	1	.8	121	100.0
TOTAL	9219	8663	94.0	8695	100.4	12	.1	3	25.0	112	1.2	8657	93.9

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County	Some/All Relief Granted	Prohibition Against Stalking - Others			Conditions of Parenting Time for Defendant			Risk Assessment Ordered			Suspension of Parenting Time Order						
		Sght	Part I (U) %	Grntd	Sght	Part II (V) %	Grntd	Sght	Part II (W) %	Grntd	Sght	Part II (X) %	Grntd				
Atlantic	485	79	16.3	48	60.8	80	16.5	79	98.7	29	6.0	29	100.0	84	17.3	40	47.6
Bergen	512	253	49.4	176	69.6	159	31.1	155	97.5	45	8.8	15	33.3	111	21.7	16	14.4
Burlington	381	211	55.4	183	86.7	80	21.0	72	90.0	38	10.0	25	65.8	99	26.0	58	58.6
Camden	661	276	41.8	168	60.9	163	24.7	155	95.1	26	3.9	10	38.5	184	27.8	90	48.9
Cape May	194	83	42.8	77	92.8	51	26.3	47	92.2	14	7.2	14	100.0	45	23.2	28	62.2
Cumberland	303	94	31.0	71	75.5	75	24.8	75	100.0	16	5.3	16	100.0	145	47.9	58	40.0
Essex	877	492	56.1	320	65.0	281	32.0	273	97.2	46	5.2	33	71.7	302	34.4	70	23.2
Gloucester	322	160	49.7	111	69.4	119	37.0	112	94.1	12	3.7	3	25.0	63	19.6	12	19.0
Hudson	530	490	92.5	473	96.5	157	29.6	157	100.0	15	2.8	1	6.7	231	43.6	70	30.3
Hunterdon	64	49	76.6	44	89.8	16	25.0	16	100.0	2	3.1	2	100.0	13	20.3	5	38.5
Mercer	275	176	64.0	123	69.9	65	23.6	60	92.3	23	8.4	12	52.2	80	29.1	29	36.2
Middlesex	525	336	64.0	179	53.3	160	30.5	153	95.6	33	6.3	8	24.2	167	31.8	34	20.4
Monmouth	954	240	25.2	204	85.0	151	15.8	138	91.4	4	.4	3	75.0	141	14.8	39	27.7
Morris	380	261	68.7	209	80.1	137	36.1	138	100.7	13	3.4	2	15.4	109	28.7	25	22.9
Ocean	667	290	43.5	190	65.5	173	25.9	170	98.3	17	2.5	16	94.1	130	19.5	45	34.6
Passaic	894	486	54.4	324	66.7	351	39.3	313	89.2	16	1.8	16	100.0	87	9.7	40	46.0
Salem	119	57	47.9	41	71.9	37	31.1	34	91.9	7	5.9	7	100.0	36	30.3	9	25.0
Somerset	236	181	76.7	152	84.0	63	26.7	61	96.8	37	15.7	33	89.2	55	23.3	33	60.0
Sussex	133	79	59.4	60	75.9	28	21.1	27	96.4	12	9.0	6	50.0	34	25.6	13	38.2
Union	586	375	64.0	213	56.8	152	25.9	153	100.7	39	6.7	32	82.1	211	36.0	60	28.4
Warren	121	83	68.6	58	69.9	33	27.3	31	93.9	7	5.8	3	42.9	39	32.2	14	35.9
TOTAL	9219	4751	51.5	3424	72.1	2531	27.5	2419	95.6	451	4.9	286	63.4	2366	25.7	788	33.3

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County	Some/All Relief Granted	Monetary Compensation - Victim - Emergent Support			Monetary Compensation - Dependent(s) - Emergent Support			Monetary Compensation -Victim- -Dependents- Interim Support			Monetary Compensation Ongoing Support			
		Sght	%	Grntd	Sght	%	Grntd	Sght	%	Grntd	Sght	%	Grntd	
Atlantic	485	0	.0	0	.0	.0	0	1	.2	0	.0	0	3	.6
Bergen	512	21	4.1	4	19.0	.0	0	16	3.1	0	.0	1	35	6.8
Burlington	381	4	1.0	3	75.0	.0	2	4	1.0	2	50.0	4	14	3.7
Camden	661	9	1.4	0	.0	.0	0	19	2.9	0	.0	2	24	3.6
Cape May	194	0	.0	0	.0	.0	0	0	.0	0	.0	0	2	1.0
Cumberland	303	0	.0	0	.0	.0	0	5	1.7	0	.0	0	2	.7
Essex	877	39	4.4	2	5.1	1.1	1	89	10.1	1	1.1	3	32	3.6
Gloucester	322	2	.6	0	.0	.0	0	2	.6	0	.0	0	26	8.1
Hudson	530	17	3.2	1	5.9	.0	1	39	7.4	1	2.6	1	10	1.9
Hunterdon	64	3	4.7	0	.0	.0	1	2	3.1	1	50.0	0	1	1.6
Mercer	275	12	4.4	0	.0	.0	1	13	4.7	1	7.7	0	13	4.7
Middlesex	525	46	8.8	1	2.2	1.9	1	54	10.3	1	1.9	2	39	7.4
Monmouth	954	4	.4	3	75.0	.0	0	1	.1	0	.0	3	7	.7
Morris	380	18	4.7	0	.0	.0	0	11	2.9	0	.0	0	29	7.6
Ocean	667	3	.4	2	66.7	.0	0	0	.0	0	.0	1	17	2.5
Passaic	894	14	1.6	2	14.3	.0	2	41	4.6	2	4.9	0	8	.9
Salem	119	0	.0	0	.0	.0	0	0	.0	0	.0	0	1	.8
Somerset	236	7	3.0	3	42.9	.0	1	7	3.0	1	14.3	4	12	5.1
Sussex	133	6	4.5	0	.0	.0	0	3	2.3	0	.0	0	3	2.3
Union	586	9	1.5	4	44.4	.0	1	4	.7	1	25.0	1	13	2.2
Warren	121	9	7.4	0	.0	.0	1	7	5.8	1	14.3	0	7	5.8
TOTAL	9219	223	2.4	25	11.2	3.8	12	318	3.4	12	3.8	22	298	3.2
													150	50.3

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County	Some/All Relief Granted	Monetary Compensation - Dependent(s) - Ongoing Support			Monetary Compensation - Victim - Compensatory			Monetary Compensation - Victim - Punitive Damages			Monetary Compensation - Victim - Medical Coverage						
		Sght	Part II-dd % Grntd	%	Sght	Part II-ee % Grntd	%	Sght	Part II-ff % Grntd	%	Sght	Part II-gg % Grntd	%				
Atlantic	485	50	10.3	31	62.0	3	.6	2	66.7	1	.2	1	100.0	1	.2	1	100.0
Bergen	512	94	18.4	80	85.1	19	3.7	7	36.8	10	2.0	1	10.0	30	5.9	15	50.0
Burlington	381	50	13.1	36	72.0	10	2.6	5	50.0	0	.0	0	.0	10	2.6	4	40.0
Camden	661	116	17.5	96	82.8	41	6.2	12	29.3	4	.6	0	.0	16	2.4	9	56.3
Cape May	194	48	24.7	29	60.4	5	2.6	1	20.0	0	.0	0	.0	1	.5	1	100.0
Cumberland	303	38	12.5	38	100.0	1	.3	1	100.0	0	.0	0	.0	0	.0	0	.0
Essex	877	188	21.4	139	73.9	16	1.8	8	50.0	2	.2	0	.0	14	1.6	4	28.6
Gloucester	322	61	18.9	41	67.2	9	2.8	0	.0	0	.0	0	.0	11	3.4	3	27.3
Hudson	530	137	25.8	97	70.8	13	2.5	2	15.4	3	.6	0	.0	6	1.1	1	16.7
Hunterdon	64	9	14.1	5	55.6	2	3.1	0	.0	0	.0	0	.0	2	3.1	1	50.0
Mercer	275	44	16.0	29	65.9	19	6.9	8	42.1	6	2.2	1	16.7	5	1.8	0	.0
Middlesex	525	106	20.2	72	67.9	24	4.6	5	20.8	8	1.5	0	.0	39	7.4	9	23.1
Monmouth	954	56	5.9	54	96.4	7	.7	7	100.0	0	.0	0	.0	4	.4	4	100.0
Morris	380	65	17.1	46	70.8	6	1.6	4	66.7	1	.3	0	.0	17	4.5	12	70.6
Ocean	667	99	14.8	98	99.0	6	.9	3	50.0	1	.1	0	.0	6	.9	5	83.3
Passaic	894	176	19.7	178	101.1	8	.9	5	62.5	1	.1	1	100.0	2	.2	1	50.0
Salem	119	18	15.1	18	100.0	0	.0	0	.0	1	.8	1	100.0	2	1.7	2	100.0
Somerset	236	36	15.3	32	88.9	3	1.3	0	.0	0	.0	0	.0	4	1.7	4	100.0
Sussex	133	16	12.0	12	75.0	5	3.8	1	20.0	2	1.5	2	100.0	2	1.5	1	50.0
Union	586	97	16.6	98	101.0	9	1.5	8	88.9	0	.0	0	.0	8	1.4	7	87.5
Warren	121	19	15.7	12	63.2	7	5.8	1	14.3	3	2.5	0	.0	8	6.6	3	37.5
TOTAL	9219	1523	16.5	1241	81.5	213	2.3	80	37.6	43	.5	7	16.3	188	2.0	87	46.3

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County	Some/All Relief Granted	Monetary Compensation - Dependent(s) - Medical Coverage			Monetary Compensation Third Party			Victims of Crime Compensation Board		Professional Domestic Violence Counseling For Defendant				
		Sght	Part II-hh % Grntd	%	Sght	Part II-ii % Grntd	%	Part II-jj Grntd	Sght	Part II-kk % Grntd	%			
Atlantic	485	17	3.5	2	11.8	1	.2	0	.0	0	10	2.1	10	100.0
Bergen	512	35	6.8	19	54.3	1	.2	0	.0	0	141	27.5	51	36.2
Burlington	381	11	2.9	6	54.5	0	.0	0	.0	0	192	50.4	169	88.0
Camden	661	34	5.1	15	44.1	2	.3	2	100.0	1	257	38.9	68	26.5
Cape May	194	1	.5	1	100.0	0	.0	0	.0	0	108	55.7	108	100.0
Cumberland	303	0	.0	0	.0	0	.0	0	.0	0	212	70.0	212	100.0
Essex	877	26	3.0	12	46.2	17	1.9	2	11.8	0	633	72.2	332	52.4
Gloucester	322	12	3.7	3	25.0	0	.0	0	.0	0	146	45.3	63	43.2
Hudson	530	5	.9	1	20.0	2	.4	1	50.0	0	158	29.8	6	3.8
Hunterdon	64	3	4.7	2	66.7	0	.0	0	.0	0	14	21.9	7	50.0
Mercer	275	6	2.2	1	16.7	0	.0	0	.0	0	17	6.2	14	82.4
Middlesex	525	41	7.8	10	24.4	5	1.0	0	.0	0	71	13.5	19	26.8
Monmouth	954	5	.5	5	100.0	1	.1	0	.0	2	17	1.8	17	100.0
Morris	380	18	4.7	13	72.2	4	1.1	2	50.0	0	113	29.7	102	90.3
Ocean	667	7	1.0	7	100.0	1	.1	1	100.0	0	16	2.4	16	100.0
Passaic	894	3	.3	1	33.3	1	.1	0	.0	0	5	.6	3	60.0
Salem	119	6	5.0	6	100.0	0	.0	0	.0	0	92	77.3	92	100.0
Somerset	236	4	1.7	3	75.0	0	.0	0	.0	0	16	6.8	15	93.8
Sussex	133	2	1.5	1	50.0	1	.8	0	.0	0	54	40.6	47	87.0
Union	586	4	.7	3	75.0	0	.0	0	.0	0	125	21.3	118	94.4
Warren	121	8	6.6	3	37.5	0	.0	0	.0	0	49	40.5	38	77.6
TOTAL	9219	248	2.7	114	46.0	36	.4	8	22.2	3	2446	26.5	1507	61.6

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Some/All Relief Granted	County	Rent or Mortgage Payments		Temporary Possession of Specified Personal Property to Plaintiff		Temporary Possession of Specified Personal Property to Defendant		Total (Sum of items 12(A) through 12(11))								
		Sght	Part II-11 % Grntd	Sght	Part II-mm % Grntd	Sght	Part II-nn % Grntd	Part II-oo Sought Grntd	%							
485	Atlantic	0	.0	0	0	14	2.9	8	57.1	5	1.0	5	100.0	3617	3339	92.3
512	Bergen	38	7.4	12	31.6	55	10.7	19	34.5	45	8.8	15	33.3	4923	4044	82.1
381	Burlington	9	2.4	2	22.2	56	14.7	20	35.7	4	1.0	2	50.0	3795	3461	91.2
661	Camden	30	4.5	5	16.7	49	7.4	18	36.7	7	1.1	6	85.7	6351	5156	81.2
194	Cape May	6	3.1	4	66.7	20	10.3	14	70.0	1	.5	1	100.0	1902	1798	94.5
303	Cumberland	5	1.7	5	100.0	71	23.4	22	31.0	55	18.2	33	60.0	3016	2692	89.3
877	Essex	44	5.0	3	6.8	57	6.5	5	8.8	11	1.3	4	36.4	9439	7412	78.5
322	Gloucester	21	6.5	1	4.8	31	9.6	18	58.1	13	4.0	10	76.9	3202	2685	83.9
530	Hudson	17	3.2	3	17.6	46	8.7	1	2.2	38	7.2	27	71.1	6728	5895	87.0
64	Hunterdon	6	9.4	4	66.7	8	12.5	5	62.5	1	1.6	1	100.0	651	590	90.6
275	Mercer	8	2.9	2	25.0	49	17.8	36	73.5	3	1.1	2	66.7	2620	2223	84.8
525	Middlesex	57	10.9	10	17.5	50	9.5	9	18.0	12	2.3	6	50.0	5816	4254	73.1
954	Monmouth	10	1.0	9	90.0	21	2.2	8	38.1	7	.7	5	71.4	4920	4546	92.4
380	Morris	24	6.3	4	16.7	55	14.5	22	40.0	21	5.5	10	47.6	3963	3522	88.9
667	Ocean	3	.4	2	66.7	18	2.7	11	61.1	7	1.0	6	85.7	5601	5032	89.8
894	Passaic	1	.1	0	.0	19	2.1	4	21.1	6	.7	5	83.3	7569	6641	87.7
119	Salem	0	.0	0	.0	5	4.2	3	60.0	0	.0	0	.0	1100	1003	91.2
236	Somerset	9	3.8	4	44.4	6	2.5	4	66.7	3	1.3	2	66.7	2293	2118	92.4
133	Sussex	6	4.5	3	50.0	17	12.8	8	47.1	7	5.3	6	85.7	1295	1103	85.2
586	Union	18	3.1	18	100.0	191	32.6	75	39.3	58	9.9	26	44.8	5989	5036	84.1
121	Warren	6	5.0	0	.0	26	21.5	7	26.9	18	14.9	13	72.2	1379	1103	80.0
9219	TOTAL	318	3.4	91	28.6	864	9.4	317	36.7	322	3.5	185	57.5	86169	73653	85.4

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SECTION FOUR:

POST-DISPOSITIONAL RELIEF

(1) DV CRIMINAL CONTEMPTS (FOs)

(2) MODIFICATIONS/ENFORCEMENTS (FVs)

(3) REOPENED DV FROs/TERMINATIONS

(4) DV CONTEMPT SUMMARY

SECTION FOUR

POST-DISPOSITIONAL RELIEF

Enforcement of domestic violence Temporary Restraining Orders or Final Restraining Orders can be pursued either through the criminal contempt process, N.J.S.A. 2C:29-9b or N.J.S.A. 2C:25-30, or through civil enforcement of litigant's rights under Rule 1:10-3. Under the criminal statute, violations of any restraints and certain reliefs and conditions of a restraining order require mandatory arrest and criminal prosecution. Violations of other reliefs and conditions are enforceable by the court pursuant to applicable court rules. The Family Division has jurisdiction over disorderly person's domestic violence contempt actions pursuant to N.J.S.A. 2C: 29-2b. This includes contempt charges that were initially indictable but have been downgraded by the Prosecutor's Office in the county of venue. The following section reports the data on those cases. It does not cover indictable contempts of the fourth degree and above, which are handled in the Criminal Division.

1. DOMESTIC VIOLENCE CRIMINAL CONTEMPTS (FOs)

A. STATEWIDE FIGURES

a. FILINGS

The Family Division processed 8,746 disorderly persons criminal contempts in 2006, a decrease of 437 (4.8%) from 2005.

Domestic Violence Contempts Filed 2005-2006			
Year	2005	2006	+/-
Filings	9,183	8,746	-4.76

b. TERMINATIONS

Total terminations include those cases in which defendants either entered a guilty plea or were found guilty of disorderly persons contempt charges, as well as those cases in which contempt charges were dismissed, either as part of a plea agreement to a lesser charge (e.g., harassment) at the victim's or prosecutor's request or after a trial and a finding of not guilty. In 2006, the number of contempt terminations decreased by 434 (4.7%) from 2005.

Domestic Violence Contempts Closed			
Year	2005	2006	+/-
Terminations	9,217	8,783	-4.70

B. COUNTY FIGURES

COUNTY FIGURES/DV CONTEMPTS (FILINGS)

	2005	2006
Atlantic	443	326
Bergen	519	431
Burlington	360	418
Camden	804	802
Cape May	252	230
Cumberland	419	381
Essex	729	701
Gloucester	502	446
Hudson	589	620
Hunterdon	76	45
Mercer	428	417
Middlesex	630	477
Monmouth	500	514
Morris	252	221
Ocean	785	702
Passaic	652	825
Salem	143	78
Somerset	281	288
Sussex	136	125
Union	547	584
Warren	136	115
TOTALS	9,183	8,746

COUNTY FIGURES/DV CONTEMPTS/(TERMINATIONS)

	2005	2006
Atlantic	474	330
Bergen	502	470
Burlington	363	397
Camden	790	818
Cape May	252	225
Cumberland	437	382
Essex	691	749
Gloucester	489	439
Hudson	580	645
Hunterdon	84	49
Mercer	411	443
Middlesex	633	500
Monmouth	539	522
Morris	272	197
Ocean	787	675
Passaic	664	745
Salem	158	88
Somerset	281	282
Sussex	128	122
Union	536	585
Warren	146	120
TOTALS	9,217	8,783

2. MODIFICATIONS/ENFORCEMENT-FILINGS/(FV)

A. STATEWIDE FIGURES

The subsections that follow contain detailed information concerning closed cases that were subsequently reopened for review or modification of a final restraining order (FRO), pursuant to a motion to enforce litigant's rights. In 2006, there were reopened domestic violence cases, a decrease of 869 cases (5%) from 2005.

Reopened Final Restraining Orders			
Year	2005	2006	+/-
Filings	16,816	15,947	-5.17

(1) PROBATION SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT/MODIFICATION/REVIEW

This table reflects those cases in which child/spousal support was ordered as part of an FRO payable through the Probation Department and a motion for modification or enforcement was requested by the plaintiff, the defendant, or the Probation Division.

2006	
# of Cases Motion for Probation Support Review	3,646
% of Total Post-Disposition Filings	22.9%

(2) **OTHER ENFORCEMENT/MODIFICATION/REVIEW**

The plaintiff or defendant may file for enforcement, modification, or review of a restraining order. A review could include issues such as custody, parenting time, child/spousal support issues, as well as other matters concerning compliance with the court's order.

2006	
# of Cases Other Enforc/Mod/ Review FRO	12,156
% of Total Post-Disp. Filings	76.2%

(3) **REACTIVATED**

Reactivated cases are cases in which parties had been unavailable for further court action for various reasons. The cases were reactivated and reopened when the parties became available.

2006	
# of Cases Reactivated	145
% of Total Post-Disp. Filings	0.9%

B. COUNTY FIGURES

3. **REOPENED DOMESTIC VIOLENCE FROs-TERMINATIONS**

The number of terminations of reopened FROs decreased by 805 (4.8%) from 2005.

TERMINATIONS OF REOPENED DOMESTIC VIOLENCE CASES		
Year	2005	2006
Terminations	16,752	15,947

a. **PROBATION SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT/ MODIFICATION REVIEW**

Plaintiffs or defendants can petition the court for review and modification of child/spousal support ordered in an FRO.

2006	
# of Cases Probation Support Review	3,646
% of Total Post- Disposition Terminations	22.9%

b. **OTHER ENFORCEMENT/MODIFICATION/ENFORCEMENT**

Parties may seek modification of custody and parenting time of a FRO.

2006	
# of Cases Other Enforcement Modification/Review	7,653
% of Total Post- Disposition Terminations	48.0%

c. **OTHER ENFORCEMENT/MODIFICATION/REVIEW/
FINAL ORDER/DISMISSED**

The plaintiff may request review/modification or dismissal of the FRO.

2006	
# of Cases Other Enforcement/Modification Final Order Dismissed	4,527
% of Total Post-Disposition Terminations	28.4%

d. **INACTIVATED**

Domestic Violence cases may be inactivated for specific reasons consistent with approved case processing standards. Cases may only be inactivated after a TRO has been issued.

2006	
# of Cases Inactivated	103
% of Total Dispositions	0.6%

4. **DOMESTIC VIOLENCE CONTEMPT/SUMMARY**

A. **STATEWIDE FIGURES**

In 2006, while the number of domestic violence contempt filings and dispositions both decreased just under five percent, more case were disposed than were filed.

Domestic Violence Contempt Summary			
Year	2005	2006	+/-
Total Filings	9,183	8,746	-4.76
Total Dispositions	9,217	8,783	-4.71

B. **COUNTY FIGURES**

COUNTY FIGURES

January 1, 2006 - December 31, 2006

RUNDATE: 01/19/2007
 PROGRAM: MS#FV#F
 (PART C/Y2K)

Domestic Violence Filings
 ReOpened/Post Disposition

January 1, 2006 - December 31, 2006

County	Probation Support Enforcement/ Modification/ Review (06/98)	%	Other Enforcement/ Modification/ Review (06/99)	%	ReActivated (03/99)	%	Total Opened Post-Disposition
Atlantic	103	19.2	434	80.8	0	.0	537
Bergen	401	32.3	825	66.4	16	1.3	1242
Burlington	98	15.7	527	84.3	0	.0	625
Camden	126	15.7	676	84.3	0	.0	802
Cape May	79	25.7	228	74.3	0	.0	307
Cumberland	144	16.2	720	80.9	26	2.9	890
Essex	564	25.7	1597	72.8	32	1.5	2193
Gloucester	148	23.1	487	76.1	5	.8	640
Hudson	0	.0	847	98.0	17	2.0	864
Hunterdon	24	24.7	73	75.3	0	.0	97
Mercer	87	16.5	438	83.3	1	.2	526
Middlesex	283	30.2	653	69.6	2	.2	938
Monmouth	213	29.0	520	70.8	1	.1	734
Morris	52	9.1	519	90.9	0	.0	571
Ocean	122	19.2	513	80.7	1	.2	636
Passaic	285	21.3	1050	78.7	0	.0	1335
Salem	86	18.0	357	74.8	34	7.1	477
Somerset	203	36.1	360	63.9	0	.0	563
Sussex	36	13.6	226	85.6	2	.8	264
Union	540	38.5	862	61.4	1	.1	1403
Warren	52	17.2	244	80.5	7	2.3	303
TOTAL	3646	22.9	12156	76.2	145	.9	15947

RUNDATE: 01/19/2007
 PROGRAM: MS#FV#T
 (PART C)

Domestic Violence Terminations ReOpened/Post-Disposition January 1, 2006 - December 31, 2006									
County	Probation Support Enforcement/ Modification/ Review(05/86)	%	Other Enforcement/ Modification/Review Order Mod./Enf. Continued(05/85)	%	Other Enforcement/ Modification/Review Final Order Dismissed(05/84)	%	FRO Granted Inactivated Post-Disp (02/99)	%	Total ReOpened Post-Disposition
Atlantic	103	19.1	204	37.8	233	43.1	0	.0	540
Bergen	401	31.8	575	45.6	279	22.1	7	.6	1262
Burlington	98	15.7	212	34.0	313	50.2	0	.0	623
Camden	126	15.9	331	41.8	335	42.3	0	.0	792
Cape May	79	25.9	121	39.7	104	34.1	1	.3	305
Cumberland	144	15.9	494	54.6	228	25.2	38	4.2	904
Essex	564	26.0	1228	56.5	380	17.5	0	.0	2172
Gloucester	148	23.2	292	45.8	196	30.8	1	.2	637
Hudson	0	.0	608	70.3	257	29.7	0	.0	865
Hunterdon	24	25.0	47	49.0	25	26.0	0	.0	96
Mercer	87	16.9	273	53.0	154	29.9	1	.2	515
Middlesex	283	30.4	402	43.2	243	26.1	2	.2	930
Monmouth	213	29.0	258	35.1	264	35.9	0	.0	735
Morris	52	9.0	303	52.7	220	38.3	0	.0	575
Ocean	122	19.3	165	26.1	344	54.4	1	.2	632
Passaic	285	21.7	670	51.0	359	27.3	0	.0	1314
Salem	86	17.8	285	58.9	75	15.5	38	7.9	484
Somerset	203	35.9	219	38.8	143	25.3	0	.0	565
Sussex	36	13.2	155	57.0	79	29.0	2	.7	272
Union	540	38.4	632	45.0	233	16.6	1	.1	1406
Warren	52	17.0	179	58.7	63	20.7	11	3.6	305
TOTAL	3646	22.9	7653	48.0	4527	28.4	103	.6	15929

RUNDATE: 01/19/2007
 PROGRAM: DVCOMP
 (PART C)

Domestic Violence
 Contempt Summary

County	January 1, 2005 - December 31, 2005		January 1, 2005 - December 31, 2006		Percent Change	
	Total Filings	Total Dispositions	Total Filings	Total Dispositions	Total Filings	Total Dispositions
Atlantic	443	474	326	330	-26.41	-30.38
Bergen	519	502	431	470	-16.96	-6.37
Burlington	360	363	418	397	16.11	9.37
Camden	804	790	802	818	-.25	3.54
Cape May	252	252	230	225	-8.73	-10.71
Cumberland	419	437	381	382	-9.07	-12.59
Essex	729	691	701	749	-3.84	8.39
Gloucester	502	489	446	439	-11.16	-10.22
Hudson	589	580	620	645	5.26	11.21
Hunterdon	76	84	45	49	-40.79	-41.67
Mercer	428	411	417	443	-2.57	7.79
Middlesex	630	633	477	500	-24.29	-21.01
Monmouth	500	539	514	522	2.80	-3.15
Morris	252	272	221	197	-12.30	-27.57
Ocean	785	787	702	675	-10.57	-14.23
Passaic	652	664	825	745	26.53	12.20
Salem	143	158	78	88	-45.45	-44.30
Somerset	281	281	288	282	2.49	.36
Sussex	136	128	125	122	-8.09	-4.69
Union	547	536	584	585	6.76	9.14
Warren	136	146	115	120	-15.44	-17.81
TOTAL	9183	9217	8746	8783	-4.76	-4.71

SUPERIOR COURT-CRIMINAL PART
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE STATISTICAL REPORT
January 1, 2006 - December 31, 2006

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COMPLAINT STAGE DOMESTIC VIOLENCE STATISTICS FROM PROMIS GAVEL

Revised to Include Now Available Homicide Case Data

10,979Defendants Marked w/ 'DV' Tracking Code and Charging Date Recorded
From January Through December 2006**Number of Defendants Charged: 10979 ****

downgrades/remands	4,622	42%
transfer to family	2,751	25%
guilty-plea	1,289	12%
other or pending dispstns	948	9%
admin.dismissals	791	7%
no bills	383	3%
other dismissals	155	1%
p.t.i.	18	0%
guilty-trial	10	0%
acquittals	7	0%
insane/incompetent	5	0%
10,979 **		

Defendant Charge Counts: 13231 **

distribution where at least 1 count was the statute listed

2C:29-9 - Contempt	3,480	26%
2C:12-3 - Terroristic Threats	3,125	24%
2C:12-1 - Assault	3,099	23%
2C:17-3 - Criminal Mischief	811	6%
2C:18-2 - Burglary	729	3%
2C:13-2 - Criminal Restraint	308	2%
2C:18-3 - Criminal Trespass	205	2%
2C:12-10 - Stalking	180	1%
2C:14-2 - Sexual Assault	134	1%
2C:14-3 - Criminal Sexual Contact	67	1%
2C:13-1 - Kidnapping	63	0%
2C:33-4 - Harassment	29	0%
2C:11-x - Offense Involving Homicide of a Person	16	0%
2C:13-3 - False Imprisonment	16	0%
2C:14-4 - Lewdness	3	0%

12,265

Note: 2,795 -or- 80% of all contempt charges were "stand-alone" charges in Promis [no other accompanying statute -or- statute other than those above].

966 -or- 7% of these were of statutes other than those listed above.

NOTE:

Data reported as of June 5, 2007 from the New Jersey State Promis Gavel Database.

* This frequency of 13231 represents the number of counts having the above requested statutes. The difference between 13231 and 10979 is that some cases have multiple counts and thus more than one statute may appear per defendant charged.

ex1 - One defendant has 3 counts on a case; 1 count is dismissed via plea bargain while the other 2 are disposed of as guilty-pleas; for this group, the highest priority disposition code was used;

ex2: Three counts where 2c:29-9 is count 1, 2c:12-1 is count 2 and 2c:13-2 is the charge for count 3; the frequencies above show all three in the '13231' count, but only one in the def/case total (10979).

COMPLAINT STAGE DOMESTIC VIOLENCE STATISTICS FROM PROMIS GAVEL

**Defendants Marked w/ 'DV' Tracking Code and Charging Date Recorded
From January Through December 2006**

COUNTY DISTRIBUTION OF 'DV' DEFENDANTS REPORTED

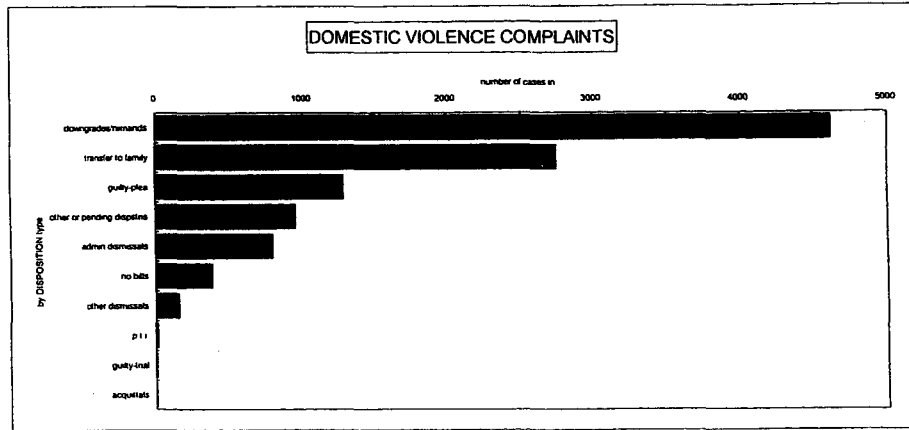
Essex	1,841	17%
Passaic	1,065	10%
Camden	1,042	9%
Monmouth	735	7%
Cumberland	673	6%
Union	636	6%
Burlington	619	6%
Middlesex	595	5%
Gloucester	565	5%
Bergen	541	5%
Atlantic	471	4%
Morris	437	4%
Hudson	365	3%
Mercer	337	3%
Ocean	309	3%
Cape May	276	3%
Salem	182	2%
Warren	111	1%
Sussex	74	1%
Hunterdon	58	1%
Somerset	47	0%
Statewide	10,979	

COMPLAINT STAGE DOMESTIC VIOLENCE STATISTICS FROM PROMIS GAVEL

From January Through December 2006

Statutes	admin cases	acquittals	down-grds remands	transfr family	guilty trials	insane disposns	no-bills	other dismiss	other disposns	pending disposns	guilty pleas	pre-trial interventi	Totals
2C:28-9 - Contempt	115	2	143	2740	1	1	27	54	34	117	243	3	3,480
2C:11-x - Offense Involving Homicide of a Person	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	14	2	0	16
2C:12-1 - Assault	217	4	1603	18	6	2	210	36	49	335	614	5	3,099
2C:12-3 - Terroristic Threats	256	2	1836	134	4	2	149	41	48	242	406	5	3,125
2C:12-10 - Stalking	10	0	77	25	0	0	3	14	4	17	29	1	180
2C:13-1 - Kidnapping	5	0	5	1	1	0	5	0	0	21	25	0	63
2C:13-2 - Criminal Restraint	24	0	133	6	1	0	14	4	2	52	71	1	308
2C:13-3 - False Imprisonment	0	11	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	0	18
2C:14-2 - Sexual Assault	27	0	9	0	1	0	5	1	1	43	47	0	134
2C:14-3 - Criminal Sexual Contact	9	0	20	0	1	0	5	1	1	15	13	2	67
2C:14-4 - Lewdness	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	3
2C:17-3 - Criminal Mischief	56	0	546	33	0	0	18	8	15	37	95	3	811
2C:18-2 - Burglary	64	0	281	46	2	0	31	12	4	95	192	2	729
2C:18-3 - Criminal Trespass	14	0	94	40	0	0	4	4	3	17	29	0	205
2C:33-4 - Harassment	2	0	10	5	0	0	0	1	0	4	7	0	29
other statute (listing *)	118	1	479	4	1	1	26	21	19	134	162	0	986
TOTAL for Dispositions>	917	20	5,238	3,052	18	6	497	197	181	1,147	1,936	22	13,231

*where at least one count had the listed statute.



1	downgrades/remands	4622
2	transfer to family	2751
3	guilty-plea	1289
4	other or pending dispstns	948
5	admin.dismissals	791
6	no bills	383
7	other dismissals	155
8	p.t.i.	18
9	guilty-trial	10
10	acquittals	7
11	insane/incompetent	5

2006 reports & charts contain the revised homicide crime data.

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SENTENCING STAGE DOMESTIC VIOLENCE STATISTICS FROM PROMIS GAVEL

Revised to Include Now Available Homicide Case Data

Total Count Of Defns Marked w/ 'DV' Tracking Code and a Sentence Record Entry
Those Sentenced between January 1, through December 31, 2006

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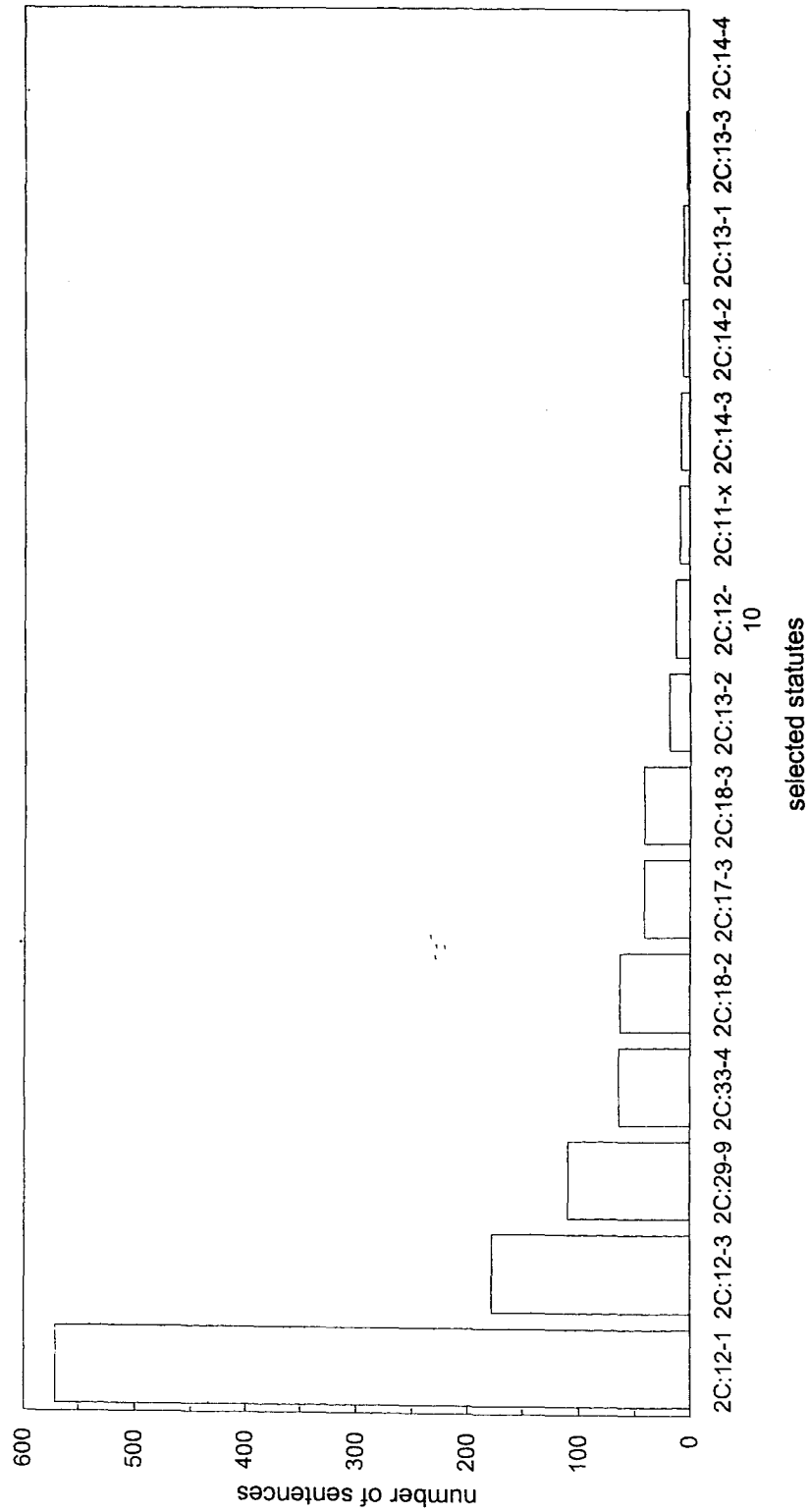
COUNTY DISTRIBUTION OF 'DV' DEFENDANTS REPORTED

Camden	326	22%
Passaic	176	12%
Atlantic	120	8%
Union	111	8%
Bergen	105	7%
Essex	97	7%
Monmouth	84	6%
Mercer	83	6%
Morris	76	5%
Burlington	55	4%
Middlesex	49	3%
Hudson	33	2%
Cumberland	31	2%
Gloucester	28	2%
Cape May	22	1%
Sussex	18	1%
Salem	18	1%
Warren	17	1%
Somerset	13	1%
Hunterdon	11	1%
Ocean	7	0%
Statewide	1,480	

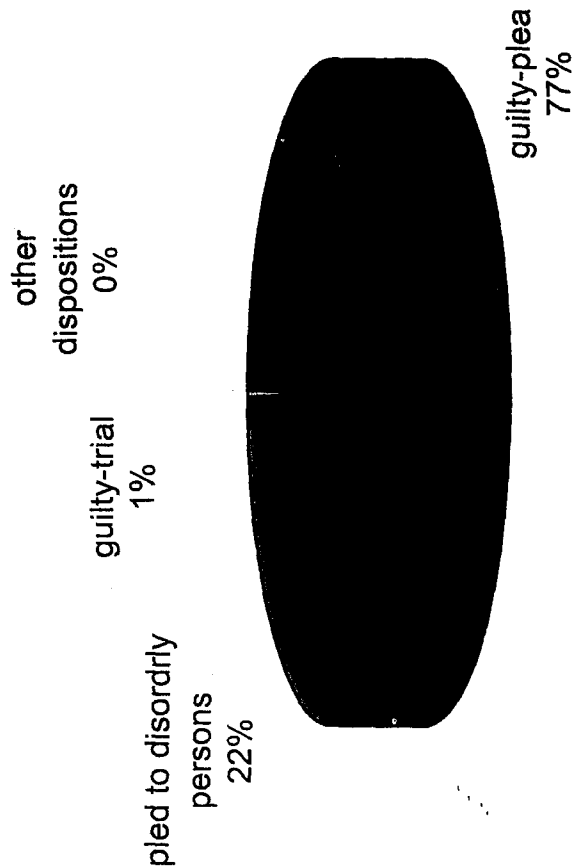
Note: Data reported as of June 7, 2007 from the New Jersey State Promis Gavel Database.

*2 Some 'DV' cases were sentenced with statutes other than those selected.

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE SENTENCES



Defendant Disposition Reason

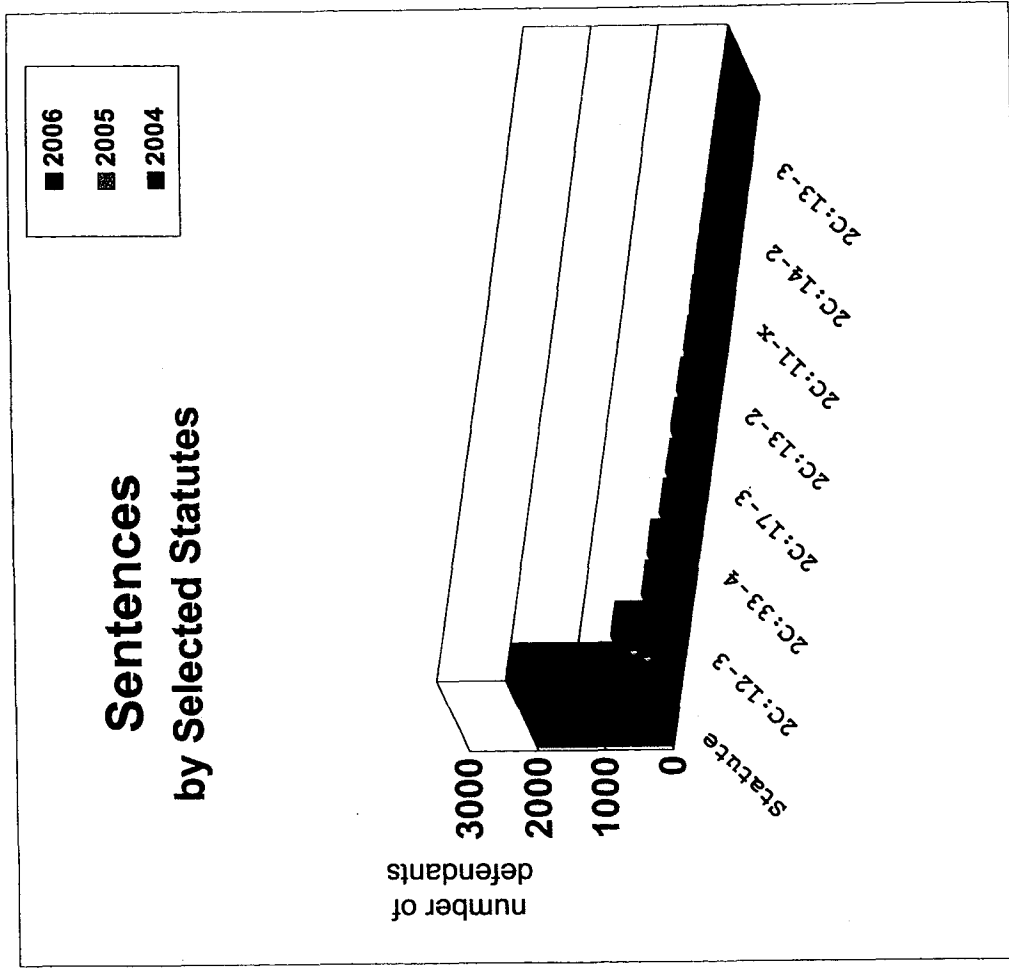


guilty-plea	1,139
pled to diso	321
guilty-trial	16
other dispos	4
dismiss ple	0
dismiss mo	0
acquittals	0
insanity	0

COMPARISON OF CALENDAR YEARS 2004 THROUGH 2006 DOMESTIC VIOLENCE STATISTICS

Statute	2006	% of Chg frm prev-yr	2005	2004	% of Chg frm two-yr mark
2C:12-1	571	7%	534	533	7%
2C:12-3	178	5%	169	159	12%
2C:29-9	110	-11%	123	154	-29%
2C:33-4	65	8%	60	56	16%
2C:18-2	64	-4%	67	41	56%
2C:17-3	42	-19%	52	45	-7%
2C:18-3	42	45%	29	37	14%
2C:13-2	19	36%	14	18	6%
2C:12-10	13	-7%	14	13	0%
2C:11-x	9	0%	9	8	13%
2C:14-3	8	0%	8	8	0%
2C:14-2	6	-54%	13	9	-33%
2C:13-1	5	400%	1	1	400%
2C:13-3	2	-33%	3	2	0%
2C:14-4	0	-100%	1	1	-100%
Total	1,134	3%	1,097	1,085	5%

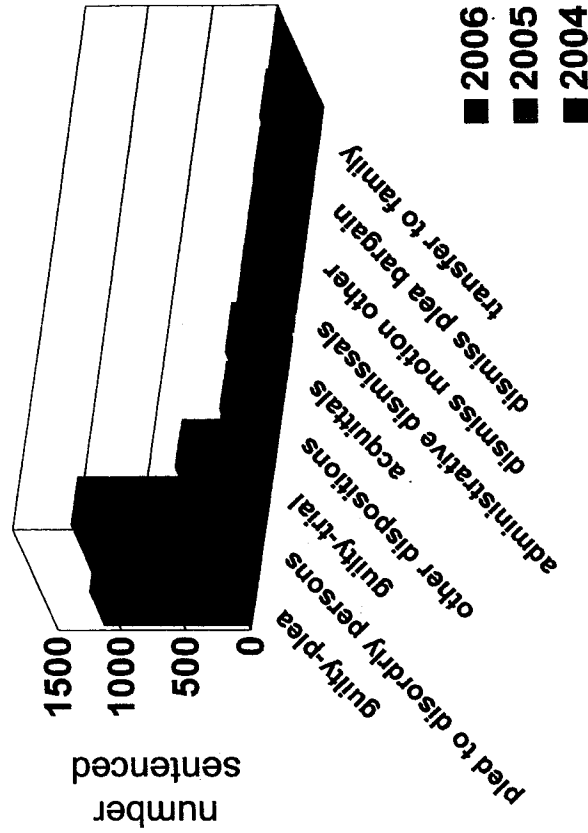
* Shows a change from previous year of more than a 30% increase or decrease.



COMPARISON OF CALENDAR YEARS 2004 THROUGH 2006 DOMESTIC VIOLENCE STATISTICS

Reason	2006	% of Chg frm prev-yr	2005	2004	% of Chg frm two-yr mark
guilty-plea	1139	8%	1055	1053	8%
pled to disorderly persons	321	-9%	351	296	8%
* guilty-trial	16	-30%	23	17	-6%
* other dispositions	4	-79%	19	37	-89%
acquittals	0	-	0	2	-100%
administrative dismissals	0	-	0	0	-
* dismiss motion other	0	-100%	1	4	-100%
* dismiss plea bargain	0	-100%	3	17	-100%
transfer to family	0	-	0	0	-
Total	1,480	2%	1,452	1,426	4%

Sentence Dispositions by Reason



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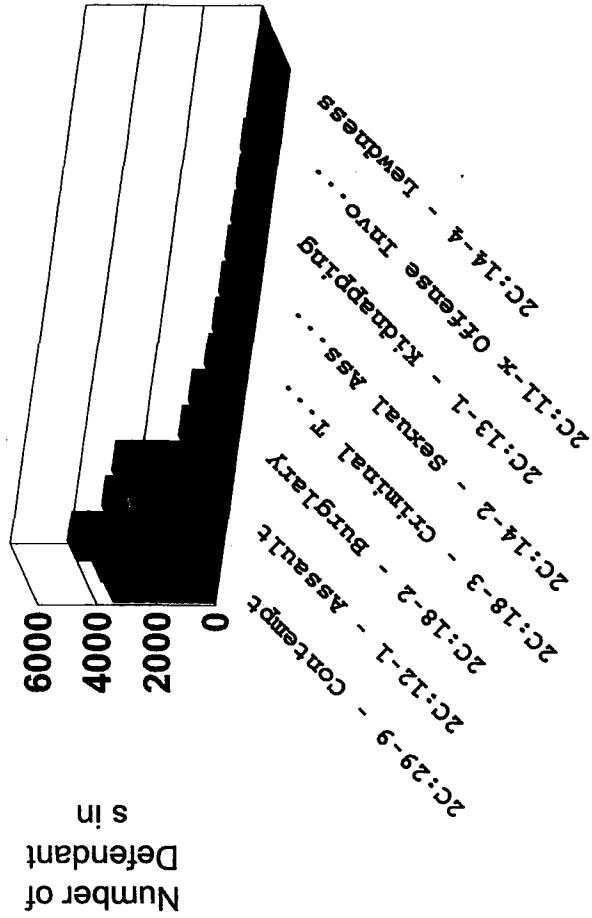
COMPARISON OF CALENDAR YEARS 2004 THROUGH 2006 DOMESTIC VIOLENCE STATISTICS

Statute	2006	% of Chg frm prev-yr	2005	2004	% of Chg frm two-yr mark
2C:29-9 - Contempt	3480	-2%	3556	4075	-15%
2C:12-3 - Terroristic Threats	3125	7%	2934	3097	1%
2C:12-1 - Assault	3099	5%	2950	2937	6%
2C:17-3 - Criminal Mischief	811	7%	755	839	-3%
2C:18-2 - Burglary	729	5%	693	684	7%
2C:13-2 - Criminal Restraint	308	1%	305	299	3%
2C:18-3 - Criminal Trespass	205	-3%	211	218	-6%
2C:12-10 - Stalking	180	25%	144	164	10%
2C:14-2 - Sexual Assault	134	6%	127	114	18%
2C:14-3 - Criminal Sexual Contact	67	-9%	74	63	6%
2C:13-1 - Kidnapping	63	21%	52	53	19%
2C:33-4 - Harassment	29	-37%	46	89	-67%
2C:11-x Offense Involving Homicide of a Person	16	33%	12	14	14%
2C:13-3 - False Imprisonment	16	129%	7	10	60%
2C:14-4 - Lewdness	3	200%	1	1	200%
Total	12,265	3%	11,867	12,657	-3%

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Statute Complaint Statistics

■ 2006
■ 2005
■ 2004



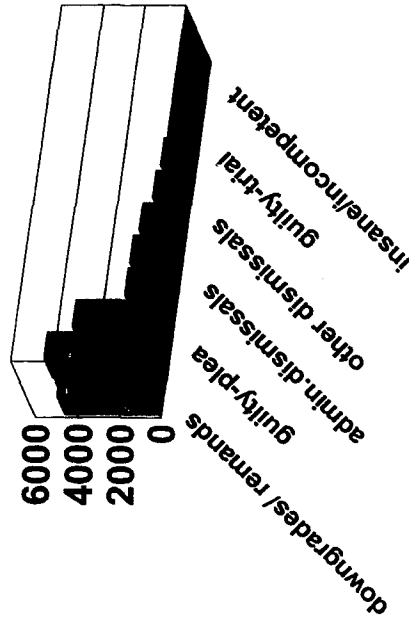
COMPARISON OF CALENDAR YEARS 2004 THROUGH 2006 DOMESTIC VIOLENCE STATISTICS

Reason	2006	% of Chg frm prev-yr	2005	2004	% of Chg frm two-yr mark
downgrades/ remands	4622	5%	4384	4435	4%
transfer to family	2751	-7%	2960	3317	-17%
guilty-plea	1289	3%	1250	1035	25%
* other or pending disposns	948	54%	615	993	-5%
admin.dismiss als	791	6%	747	756	5%
no bills	383	15%	332	335	14%
other dismissals	155	1%	153	156	-1%
* p.t.i.	18	-42%	31	15	20%
guilty-trial	10	0%	10	8	25%
* acquittals	7	-36%	11	5	40%
insane/incomp etent	5	0%	5	0	-
Total	10,979	5%	10,498	11,055	-1%

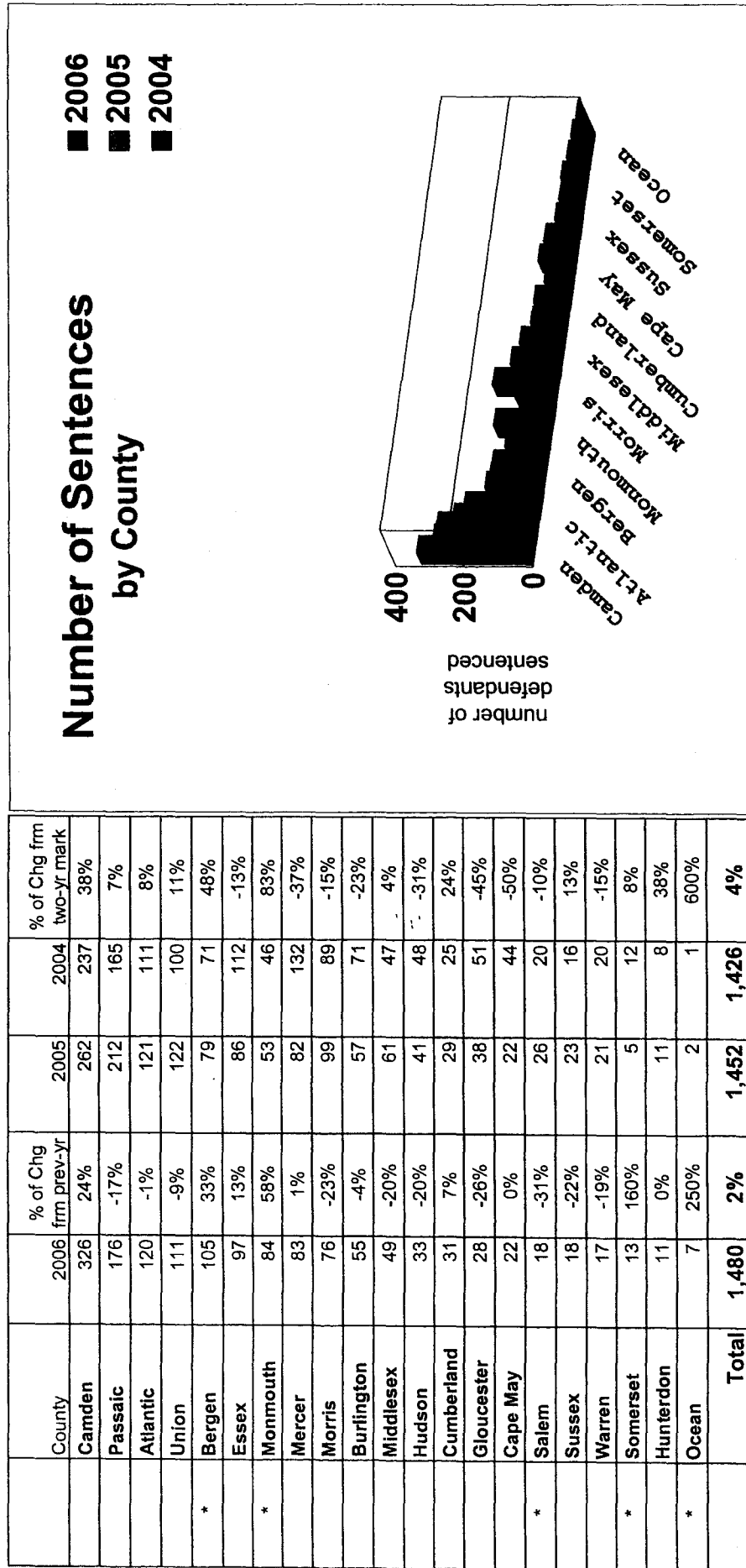
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Complaint Dispositions by Reason

■ 2006
■ 2005
■ 2004



COMPARISON OF CALENDAR YEARS 2004 THROUGH 2006 DOMESTIC VIOLENCE STATISTICS



* Shows a change from previous year of more than a 30% increase or decrease.

COMPARISON OF CALENDAR YEARS 2004 THROUGH 2006 DOMESTIC VIOLENCE STATISTICS

County	2006	% of Chg frm prev-yr	2005	2004	% of Chg frm two-yr mark
Essex	1841	-3%	1890	1983	-7%
Passaic	1065	-5%	1118	1076	-1%
Camden	1042	-2%	1064	1027	1%
* Monmouth	735	32%	555	484	52%
Cumberland	673	5%	638	673	0%
Union	636	0%	637	661	-4%
Burlington	619	-2%	632	606	2%
* Middlesex	595	43%	416	698	-15%
Gloucester	565	-1%	568	580	-3%
Bergen	541	9%	496	579	-7%
Atlantic	471	-6%	503	443	6%
Morris	437	16%	376	448	-2%
Hudson	365	14%	319	299	22%
Mercer	337	9%	310	377	-11%
Ocean	309	25%	247	379	-18%
Cape May	276	23%	224	225	23%
Salem	182	-26%	246	274	-34%
Warren	111	-4%	116	115	-3%
Sussex	74	-5%	78	70	6%
Hunterdon	58	-3%	60	36	61%
* Somerset	47	840%	5	22	114%
Total	10,979	5%	10,498	11,055	-1%

* Shows a change from previous year of more than a 30% increase or decrease.

Number of Complaints by County

■ 2006
■ 2005
■ 2004

