

Rhode Island
Department of Corrections
Planning & Research Unit



Annual
Commitment &
Release Report
CY 2006

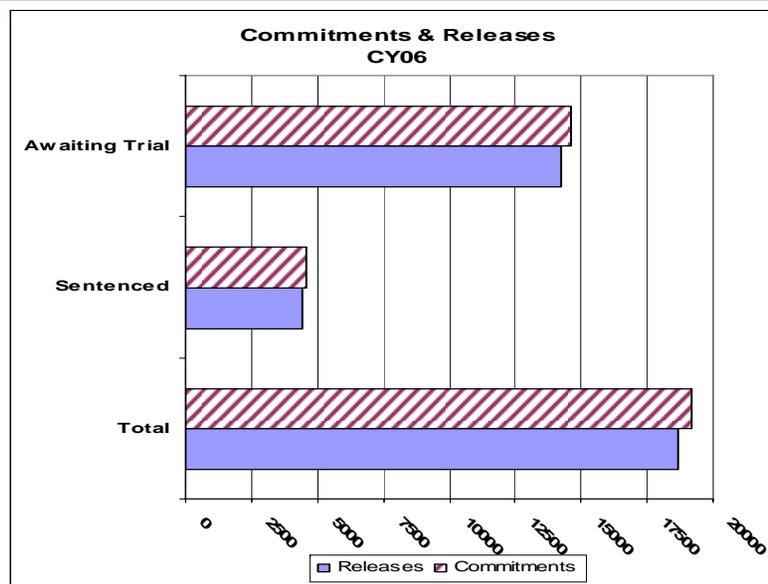
Commitments 2006

	Male	Female	Total
Awaiting Trial Population	12,263	2,372	14,635
Sentenced Population	3,995	549	4,544
<i>Sentenced from Court</i>	3,817	519	4,336
<i>Parole Violators</i>	127	21	148
<i>Other (return from OOS, transfer from other states or IMH, etc.)</i>	51	9	60
Total	16,258	2,921	19,179

Releases 2006

	Male	Female	Total
Awaiting Trial Population	11,948	2,308	14,256
<i>To Sentenced Status</i>	2,761	333	3,094
<i>Other (bail, discharge at court/per court order, civil purge, etc.)</i>	9,187	1,975	11,162
Sentenced Population	3,889	525	4,414
<i>Expiration of Sentence</i>	3,333	424	3,757
<i>Parole</i>	364	44	408
<i>Other (death, escape, transfer OOS, and released on case)</i>	192	57	249
Total	15,837	2,833	18,670

Due to the frequently higher number of Commitments than Releases, RIDOC has seen a **6.8%** increase in the overall population in CY06.



Fun Facts

- The average age of those committed and released was 33.
- 55% of those committed and released were White, 25% Black were and 18% were Hispanic.
- Only 15% of those committed and released were female.
- 44% of men and 60% of women were committed for non-violent offenses.
- Of the awaiting trial commitments, 44% were new commitments and 32% were committed for “failure to appear” (for court).
- Of the sentenced commitments, 54% were newly sentenced and 41% were committed due to a probation violation.
- Of the 4,544 sentenced commitments in CY06, 67% of males and 77% of females were sentenced to 6-months or less.
- In CY06, RIDOC saw a historically high number of commitments; approximately 19,179.
- The majority of offenders came from and were released to the City of Providence (33%).
(For additional city information, please see the back cover).

Where Does RIDOC's Population Come From?

City	%	City	%	City	%
Barrington	0.3	Jamestown	0.1	Smithfield	0.7
Block Island	0.03	Johnston	1.8	S. Kingstown	1.1
Bristol	0.8	Lincoln	0.6	Tiverton	0.4
Burrillville	0.5	Little Compton	0.1	Warren	0.7
Central Falls	3.6	Middletown	0.7	Warwick	5.5
Charlestown	0.5	Narragansett	0.5	Westerly	1.4
Coventry	1.9	Newport	1.9	W. Greenwich	0.2
Cranston	5.3	N. Kingstown	1.1	W. Warwick	4.0
Cumberland	0.9	N. Providence	1.9	Woonsocket	6.5
E. Greenwich	0.4	N. Smithfield	0.2	Out-of-State	5.3
E. Providence	2.3	Pawtucket	8.8	Missing	0.5
Exeter	0.3	Portsmouth	0.4	No Permanent Address	4.4
Foster	0.1	Providence	32.6		
Glocester	0.3	Richmond	0.3		
Hopkinton	0.5	Scituate	0.3		

The city an offender lives prior to commitment is usually the same city which an offender returns to upon release.

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