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1. INTRODUCTION

1.1 SECURITY CLASSIFICATION

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1.2 DATA INTEGRITY

The statistics, tables and graphs contained in this document are based on substantiated cases, which are active investigations of an incident that has definitely happened. This is as opposed to using incident data, which is an initial recording of a crime that has yet to be substantiated.

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1.3 EXPLANATION OF GRAPHS

The graphs used in this report include standard deviation, which has been used as a means of objectively measuring how much the crime rate has varied over time and is useful in identifying extreme highs and lows of crime. Standard deviation has been used so that where the crime rate is above the red line (2 standard deviation above the mean average), it is considered exceptionally high. Where the crime rate is below the blue line (2 standard deviation below the mean average), it is considered exceptionally low. In both cases it can be referred to as statistically significant (high or low) and is an indication of whether the quarterly statistics are exceptionally high or exceptionally low.

1.4 AIM

The aim of this report is to produce accurate, timely, objective information that:

- Enables informed decisions to be made on the types of crime that threaten the safety of the community.
- Is used to proactively manage risks to the island and ensure effective policing, redeploying and directing resources at a strategic and tactical level, as required.
- Facilitates effective and open communication with our stakeholders, developing the means to inform them of the plans, efforts and progress being made by the BPS.
- Provides meaningful information as one of the means of reassuring communities in Bermuda.

1.5 Executive Summary

There were **991 offences** in **Q1 2011** making it the **lowest quarterly crime figure since 2004** and the **2nd lowest quarterly crime figure since 2000**. Over the short and long term, All Crime is **decreasing** mainly as a result of substantial decreases in property crime.

There were **3** murders and **2** injuries by firearms in Q1 2011.

All Crime, Crimes Against The Person, Crimes Against Property and Crimes Against the Community are **down** when Q1 2011 is compared to both Q4 2010 and Q1 2010. A summary of the 3 key crime headings and 20 crime categories for Q1 2011 in comparison to the previous quarter (Q4 2010), the same quarter last year (Q1 2010) and the 5 year trend is shown below in figure 1:

Figure 1: Summary Of All Crime (Q1 2011)

CRIME CATEGORY	Q1 2011 vs. Q4 2010	Q1 2011 vs. Q1 2010	5 year Trend
CRIMES AGAINST THE PERSON	↓	↓	↓
Murder	↑	↑	
Manslaughter	↔	↔	
Serious Assaults	↓	↓	
Other Assaults	↑	↓	
Sexual Assault	↑	↑	
Robbery	↓	↑	
Offences Against Children	↓	↓	
Indecency	↓	↑	
CRIMES AGAINST PROPERTY	↓	↓	↓
Burglary (Residential)	↑	↓	
Burglary (Non Residential)	↓	↓	
Burglary (Tourist Accommodation)	↓	↓	
Criminal Damage	↑	↓	
Motor Vehicle Theft	↓	↔	
Theft of Property	↓	↓	
Fraud and Deception	↓	↓	
CRIMES AGAINST THE COMMUNITY	↓	↓	↑
Firearm Offences	↓	↓	
Other Weapon Offences	↑	↓	
Disorder Offences	↓	↑	
Anti-Social Behaviour	↑	↓	
Animal Offences	↓	↔	
GRAND TOTAL (ALL CRIME)	↓	↓	↓

LEGEND: ↑ Increasing ↓ Decreasing ↔ Remains level

2. ALL CRIME

2.1 SUMMARY

The total for all crime in Q1 2011 **decreased** by **-74** offences or **-6.9%** compared to Q4 2010. In comparison to the same period last year (Q1 2010), Q1 2011 has **decreased** by **-194** offences or by **-16.4%**. The total for Q1 2011 was **991** as can be seen in Figure 2:

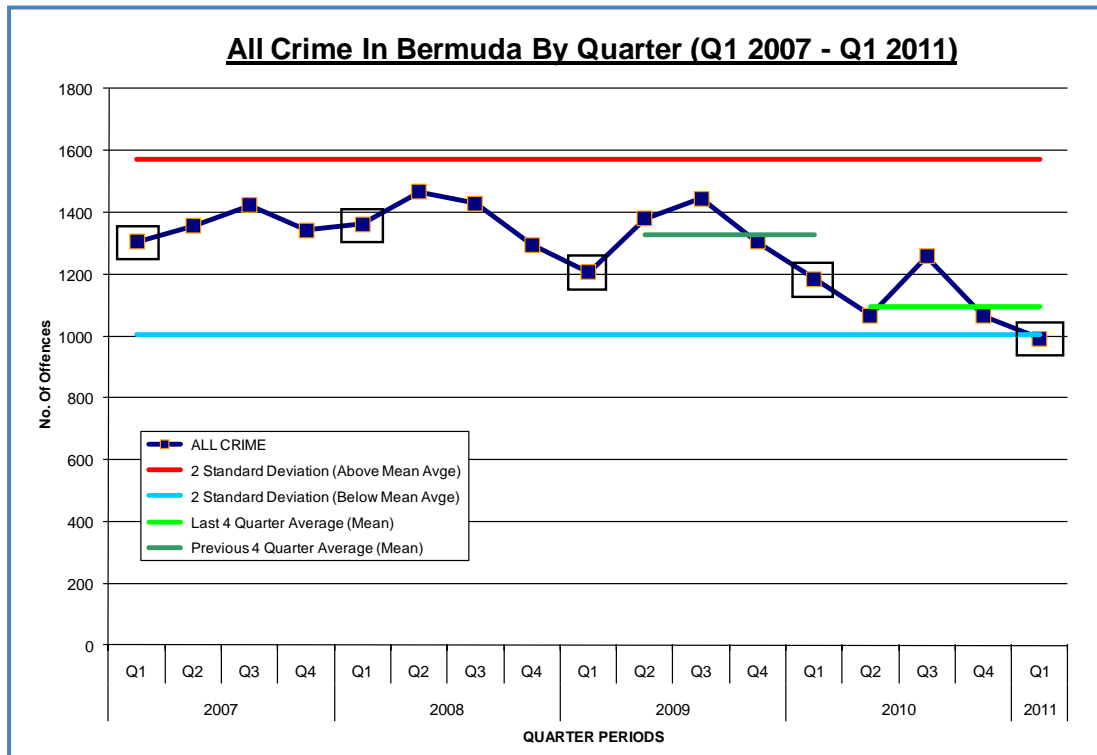
Figure 2: All Crime (Last 5 Quarter comparison Q1 2010 - Q1 2011)

	2010	2010	2010	2010	2011	Percentage Change	Absolute Change
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1		
ALL CRIME	1185	1067	1258	1065	991	-6.9%	-74

2.2 TRENDS

The **long term trend of all crime in Bermuda is decreasing** with the most recent period of **Q1 2011 the 2nd lowest quarterly crime figure since Q1 2000¹**. Q1 2011 is the lowest quarterly figure since Q1 2004 (980 crimes) and is so exceptionally low that it is statistically significant. This can be seen in Figure 3, which shows crime for the last 17 quarters, with Q1 figures highlighted in boxes:

Figure 3: All Crime By Quarters (Q1 2007 - Q1 2011)



¹ See Appendix D for a chart showing All Crime In Bermuda By Quarter (Q1 2000 - Q1 2011).

3. CRIMES AGAINST THE PERSON

3.1 SUMMARY

Crimes Against the Person offences in Q1 2011 **decreased** by **-3** offences or **-1.7%** compared to Q4 2010. In comparison to the same period last year (Q1 2010), Q1 2011 has **decreased** by **-33** offences or by **-15.6%**. The total for Q1 2011 was **178** as can be seen in Figure 4:

Figure 4: Crimes Against the Person (Last 5 Quarter comparison Q1 2010 - Q1 2011)

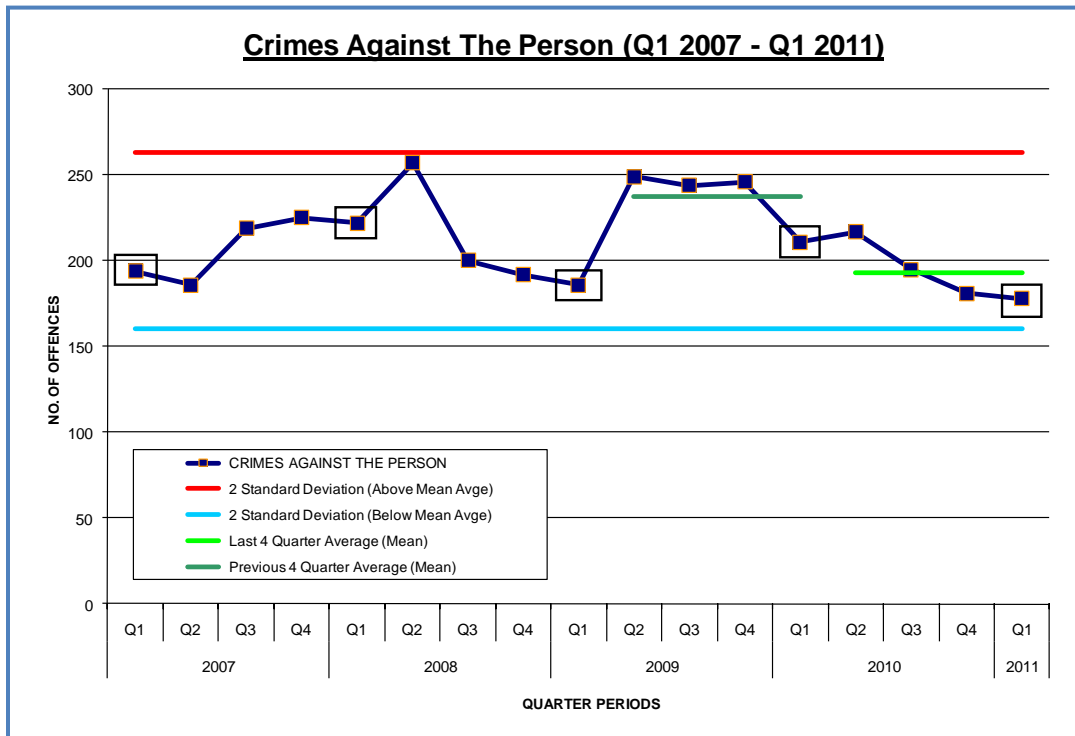
	2010 Q1	2010 Q2	2010 Q3	2010 Q4	2011 Q1	Percentage Change	Absolute Change
CRIMES AGAINST THE PERSON	211	217	195	181	178	-1.7%	-3

3.2. TRENDS

The long term trend of Crimes Against The Person is **decreasing**. With **178** offences in Q1 2011, it is the lowest quarterly figure since Q1 2006. The decrease in Q1 2011 is part of an almost continuous decrease since Q4 2009 in Crimes Against The Person.

In Q1 2011 the crimes categories within the Crimes Against A Person were murder, with **3** compared to **0** in Q4 2010 and robberies which decreased from **33** to **21** from Q4 2010 to Q1 2011. Offences Against Children were at one of the lowest figures with **3** offences and serious assaults were **16**, which is half of what it was a year ago in Q1 2010 (**33**). A summary of Crimes Against The Person for the last 17 quarters can be seen in Figure 5, with Q1 figures highlighted in boxes:

Figure 5: Crimes Against the Person By Quarters (Q1 2007 - Q1 2011)



4. FIREARM INCIDENTS

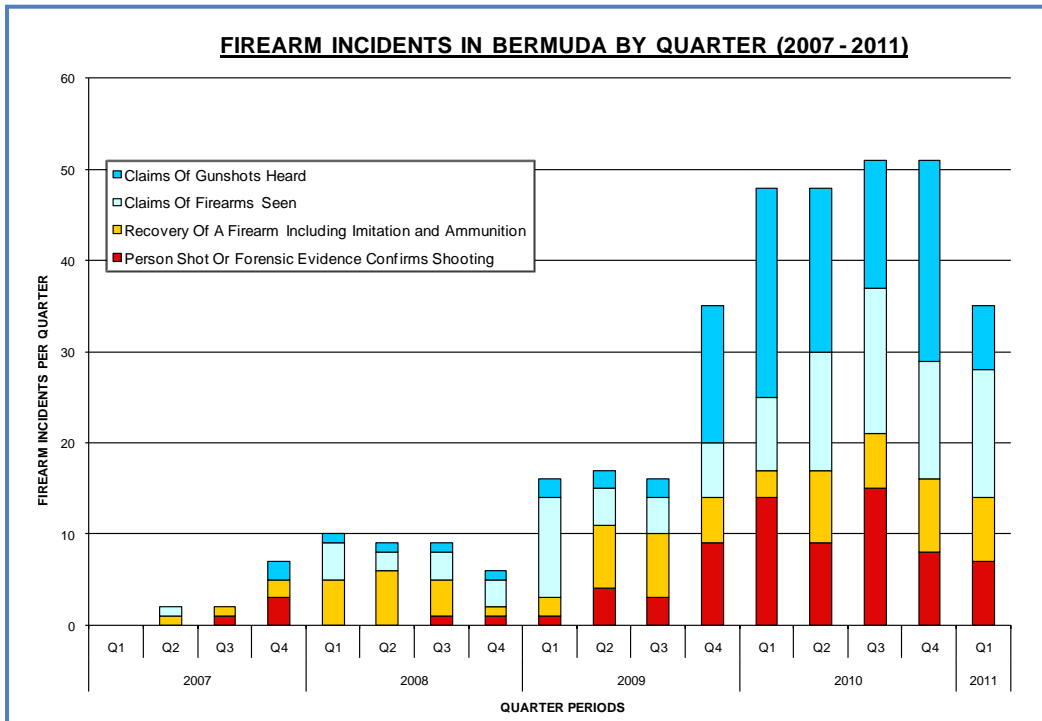
Firearm Offences are included within Crimes Against The Community (Section 5); however firearm incidents² may not necessarily be recorded as offences, as often there is no suspect or even a victim.

4.1 SUMMARY

In Q1 2011 there were **35** firearm incidents of which **14** were confirmed firearm incidents and **21** were unconfirmed firearm incidents. This is a decrease of **-16** firearm incidents compared to Q4 2010, with **-2** confirmed firearm incidents and **-14** unconfirmed firearm incidents. The decrease in unconfirmed firearm incidents is mainly due to a decrease in the category of 'Claims Of Gunshot Heard', where **7** incidents were recorded in Q1 2011 as opposed to **22** in Q4 2010.

There has been a substantial increase in quarter on quarter firearm incidents between 2007 and 2010, with Q1 2011 showing the first signs of a decrease. This can be seen in Figure 6 below, which shows firearm incidents between 2007 and 2011:

Figure 6: Firearm Incidents In Bermuda (2007 - 2010)

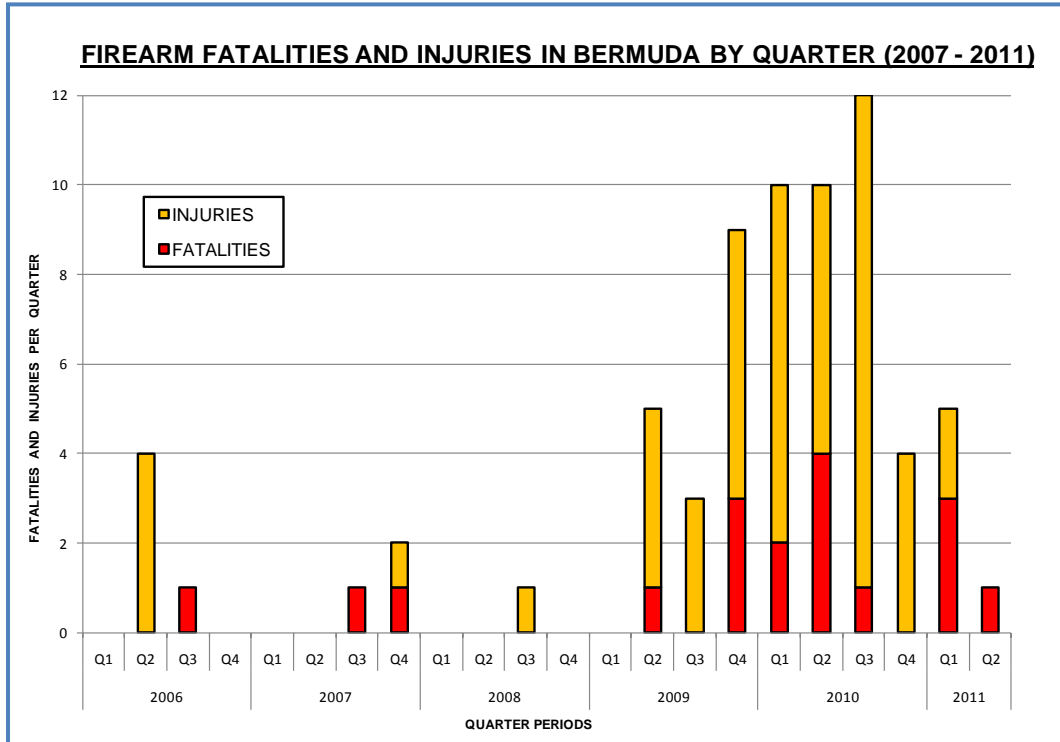


² To enable accurate recording, analysis and reporting of firearm incidents, the BPS classifies firearm incidents into 4 categories which are split into either **confirmed** or **unconfirmed** categories. A confirmed incident is where forensic evidence proves the incident occurred e.g. a firearm has been seized, shell casings or bullets are recovered, or a person has a gunshot wound. **Person Shot or Forensic Evidence Confirms Shooting** and **Recovery of A Firearm Including Imitation and Ammunition** are classified as **Confirmed**, while **Claims of Firearms Seen** and **Claims Of Gunshots Heard** are classified as **Unconfirmed**.

4.2 FIREARM TRENDS

The **14** confirmed firearm incidents in Q1 2011 included the recovery of 2 firearms with persons charged with firearm offences as a result of both seizures. In Q1 2011 there were **3** fatalities and **2** injuries. This brings the total number of persons shot since the dramatic increase of firearm incidents in May 2009 to **58**, of which **14** have been fatal shootings. Figure 7 (below) shows firearm fatalities and injuries from Q1 2007 to Q1 2011:

Figure 7: Firearm Injuries and Fatalities In Bermuda (Q1 2007 - Q1 2011)



5. CRIMES AGAINST THE COMMUNITY

5.1 SUMMARY

Crimes Against The Community offences in Q1 2011 **decreased** by **-1 offence** or **-0.5%** compared to Q4 2010. In comparison to the same period last year (Q1 2010), Q1 2011 has **decreased** by **-66 offences** or by **-26.0%**. The total for Q1 2011 was **188** as can be seen in Figure 8:

Figure 8: Crimes Against The Community (Last 5 Quarters Q1 2010 - Q1 2011)

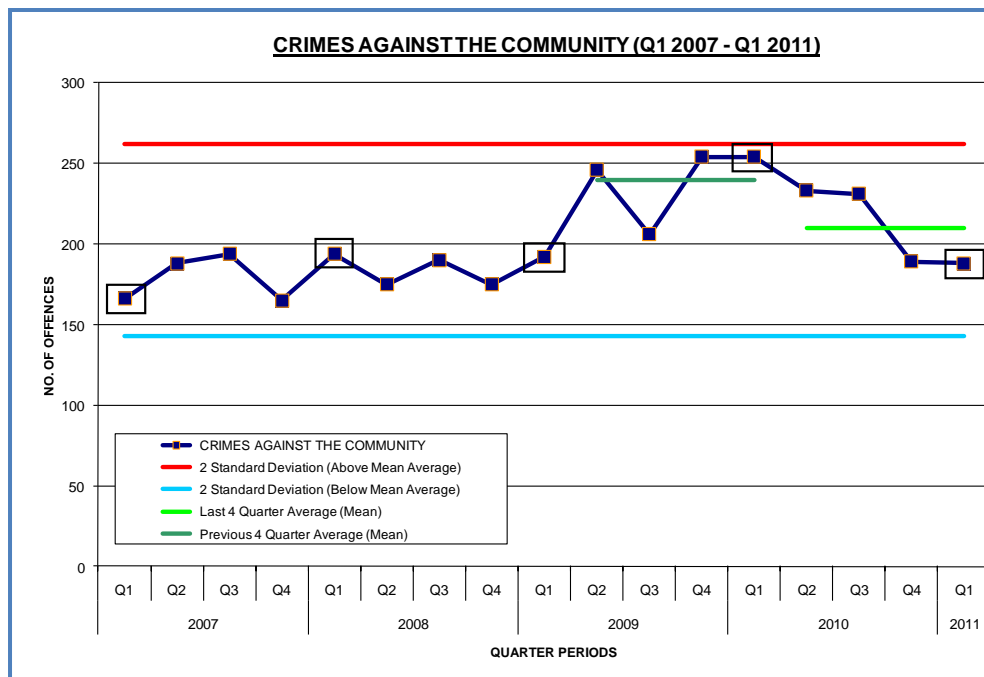
	2010	2010	2009	2010	2011	Percentage Change	Absolute Change
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1		
CRIMES AGAINST THE COMMUNITY	254	233	231	189	188	-0.5%	-1

5.2 TRENDS

Q1 2011 is a return to pre 2009 figures where there was rarely a quarter higher than 200 offences. With Q1 2011 at the same level of offending as Q4 2010, it can be suggested that the peaks of offending seen in 2009 and 2010 have now been reduced.

Anti Social Behaviour³ is the main category in Crimes Against The Community and is at its lowest since Q1 2009. Firearms Offences decreased slightly, however of the **300** offences since 2000, **60%** were in the last 8 quarters, highlighting the increased use of firearms since Q2 2009. A summary of Crimes Against The Community for the last 17 quarters can be seen in Figure 9, with Q1 figures highlighted in boxes:

Figure 9: Crimes Against The Community By Quarters (Q1 2007 - Q1 2011)



³ Offences where a person is acting in a manner that causes or is likely to cause alarm or distress to one or more persons not of the same household. Offences include littering, loitering, aggressive begging, noisy and offensive behaviour, soliciting, threatening words, trespass and street drinking. Graffiti is included in the Criminal Damage crime category.

6. CRIMES AGAINST PROPERTY

6.1. SUMMARY

Crimes Against Property offences in Q1 2011 **decreased** by **-70** offences or **-10.1%** compared to Q4 2010. In comparison to the same period last year (Q1 2010), Q1 2011 has **decreased** by **-95** offences or by **-13.2%**. The total for Q1 2011 was **625** as can be seen in Figure 10:

Figure 10: Crimes Against Property (Last 5 Quarter comparison Q1 2010 - Q1 2011)

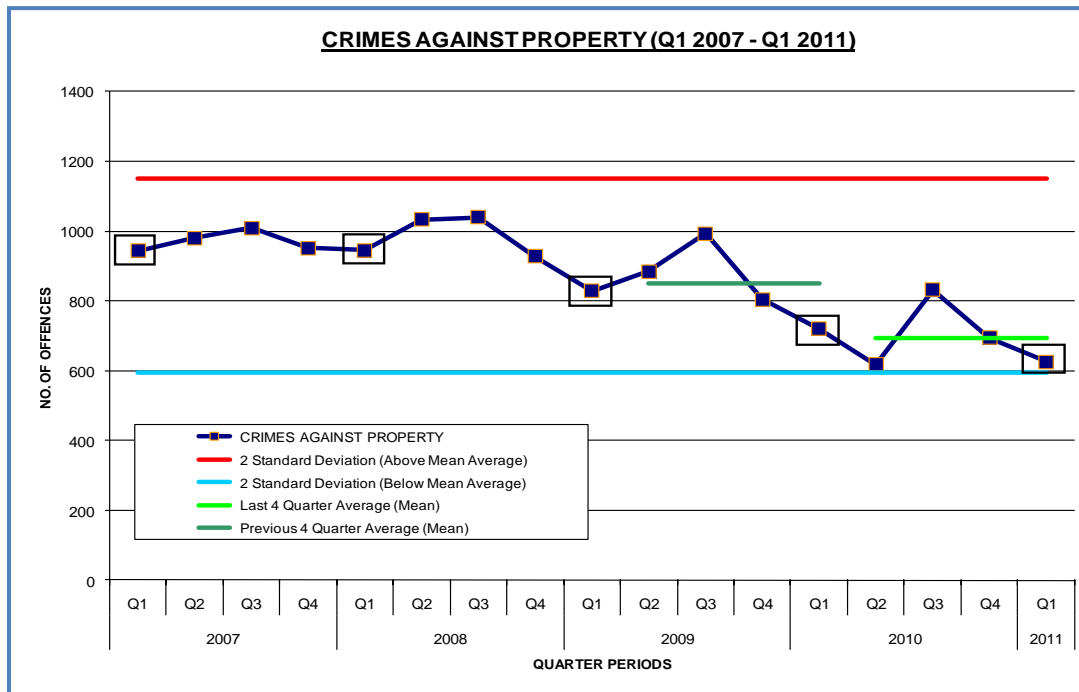
	2010 Q1	2010 Q2	2010 Q3	2010 Q4	2011 Q1	Percentage Change	Absolute Change
CRIMES AGAINST PROPERTY	720	617	832	695	625	-10.1%	-70

6.2 TRENDS

Q1 2011 is the **2nd lowest quarterly figure since Q1 2000** and reinforces the long term trend of property crime decreasing.

The decrease in Q1 2011 is due to **decreases** in Motor Vehicle Theft, Burglary (Non Residential), Burglary (Tourist Accommodation), Fraud and Deception and Theft Of Property. Burglary (Residential) and Criminal Damage were the only crime categories with an increase. A summary of Crimes Against Property for the last 17 quarters can be seen in Figure 11, with Q1 figures highlighted in boxes:

Figure 11: Crimes Against Property By Quarters (Q1 2007 - Q1 2011)



7. TRAFFIC COLLISIONS

7.1 SUMMARY

Traffic Collisions include fatal, serious injury, slight injury and damage only collisions. Traffic Collisions⁴ in Q1 2011 **decreased** by **-118** or **-21.5%** compared to Q4 2010. In comparison to the same period last year (Q1 2010), Q1 2011 has **decreased** by **-79** or **-15.5%**. The total for Q1 2011 was **430** as can be seen below in Figure 12:

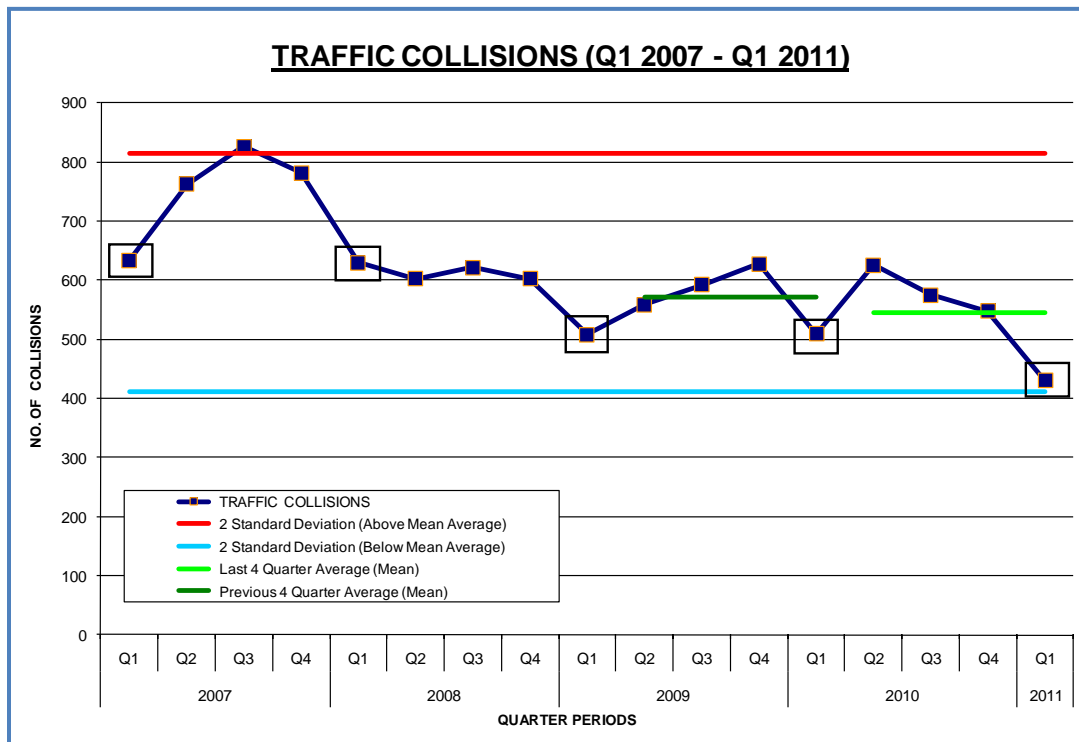
Figure 12: Traffic Collisions (Last 5 Quarter comparison Q1 2010 - Q1 2011)

	2010	2010	2010	2010	2011	Percentage Change	Absolute Change
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1		
TRAFFIC COLLISIONS	509	626	575	548	430	-21.5%	-118

7.2 TRENDS

Traffic Collisions are at their lowest level since available statistics in Q3 2005 and with **430** in Q1 2011, they are almost half that recorded in Q3 2005 with **816** and are so low that they are almost statistically significant. There has been **1** fatal collision in Q1 2011 compared to **5** in Q4 2010 and **3** in Q1 2010. The average number of fatal collisions a year between 2006 to 2010 was **14**, so while it is too early to project, fatal collisions in 2011 appear to be at a lower rate than in recent years. A summary of Traffic Collisions for the last 17 quarters can be seen in Figure 13, with Q1 figures highlighted in boxes:

Figure 13: Traffic Collisions (Q1 2007 - Q1 2011)



⁴ Traffic Collisions include fatal, serious injury, slight injury and damage only collisions.

8. DRUG ENFORCEMENT ACTIVITY

Drug Enforcement Activity refers to policing activity against drugs seized at the border, or activity that has led to arrests or seizures in Bermuda.

8.1 SUMMARY

Drug Enforcement Activity in Q1 2011 **increased** by **+5** or **+2.1%** compared to Q4 2009. In comparison to the same period last year (Q1 2010), Q1 2011 has **increased** by **+23** offences or **+10.6%**. The total for Q1 2011 was **239** as can be seen in Figure 14:

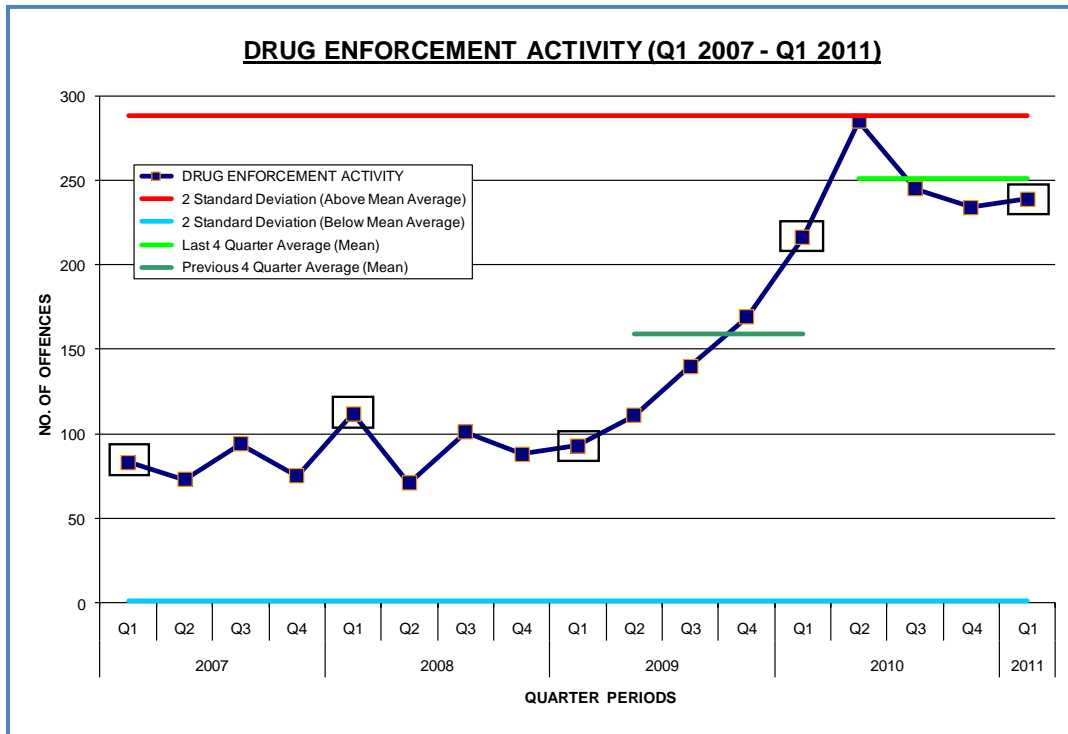
Figure 14: Drug Enforcement Activity (Last 5 Quarter comparison Q1 2010 - Q1 2011)

DRUG ENFORCEMENT ACTIVITY	2010	2010	2010	2010	2011	Percentage Change	Absolute Change
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1		
	216	285	245	234	239	2.1%	5

8.2 TRENDS

Drug Enforcement Activity has increased in the last quarter and is part of long term increase. Q1 2011 represents the 5th quarter in a row where more than 200 drug offences have been recorded emphasizing that the last 5 quarters has shown a continued improvement in BPS activity in relation to progressing its drugs strategy. A summary of Drug Enforcement Activity for the last 17 quarters can be seen in Figure 15, with Q1 figures highlighted in boxes:

Figure 15: Drug Enforcement Activity By Quarters (Q1 2007 - Q1 2011)



8.3 Drug Seizures

The Bermuda Police Service continues to work with its partners both locally and overseas to disrupt the trafficking of controlled drugs. These partners include HM Customs Bermuda, U.S. Customs and the U.S. Drug Enforcement Administration. Despite these partnerships, controlled drugs are still entering Bermuda which is evidenced in the number of 'street' level drug seizures. This can be seen in Figure 16, which shows Drug Seizures By Location:

Figure 16: Drug Seizures In Bermuda By Location (Q1 2010)

Location	Number Of Seizures
PORT	28
STREET	199
OVERSEAS	12

As can be seen in Figure 14, the majority of drugs seized are at street level (**199**) while there were **28** seizures at ports (including LF Wade) and **12** overseas seizures which involved overseas law enforcement agencies.

An estimated total of **92.3 Kg** of controlled drugs with an estimated street value of **\$5,917,691** has been seized in Q1 2011 with Cannabis Plant Material, the most common drug with **84 Kg** seized at a value of **\$4.2 million**. Cocaine is the next highest, with **4.2 Kg** seized with a value of **\$1 million**. The type, weight and value of the drugs seized broken down by Port, Street and Overseas seizures can be seen below in Figure 17:

Figure 17: Drug Seizures by Location, Weight and Street Value (Q1 2011)

	STREET		PORT		OVERSEAS		TOTAL	
	WEIGHT (g)	VALUE (\$)	WEIGHT (g)	VALUE (\$)	WEIGHT (g)	VALUE (\$)	WEIGHT (g)	VALUE (\$)
COCAINE	3.2	\$752	202.8	\$47,658	4070	\$956,450	4276	\$1,004,860
CRACK COCAINE	113.62	\$35,506	0	\$0	0	\$0	114	\$35,506
HEROIN	30.91	\$8,253	79.6	\$21,253	1723.3	\$460,121	1834	\$489,627
CANNABIS	1473.3	\$73,665	77267.6	\$3,863,380	5717.44	\$285,872	84458	\$4,222,917
CANNABIS RESIN	288.5	\$28,850	1134.3	\$113,430	225	\$22,500	1648	\$164,780
CANNABIS PLANTS	71 (plants)	N/A	0	N/A	0	N/A	N/A	N/A
ECSTASY	2 (tablets)	\$100	0	\$0	0	\$0	N/A	\$100
TOTAL	1910	\$147,026	78684	\$4,045,721	11736	\$1,724,943	92330	\$5,917,691

(All weights are in grams)

In comparison to Q4 2010, the value of drugs seized in Q1 2011 is of less value, however this is due to the overseas seizure of 400kg of cannabis in Q4 2010 with a street value of \$20 million. Without this exceptional seizure of cannabis in Q4 2010, Q1 2011 would have been of greater value and it of note that there was more cocaine, heroin, cannabis resin, cannabis plants and ecstasy seized in Q1 2011 than in Q4 2010. It is also of note that 491 kg of cannabis has been seized in the last 6 months either on its way to Bermuda, at the ports of Bermuda or on the streets of Bermuda.

9. TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT ACTIVITY

9.1 SUMMARY

Traffic Enforcement Activity in Q1 2011 **increased** by **+153** or **+1.3%** compared to Q4 2010. In comparison to the same period last year (Q1 2010), Q1 2011 has **decreased** by **-1,617** or **-12.1%**. The total for Q1 2011 was **11,739** as shown below in Figure 18:

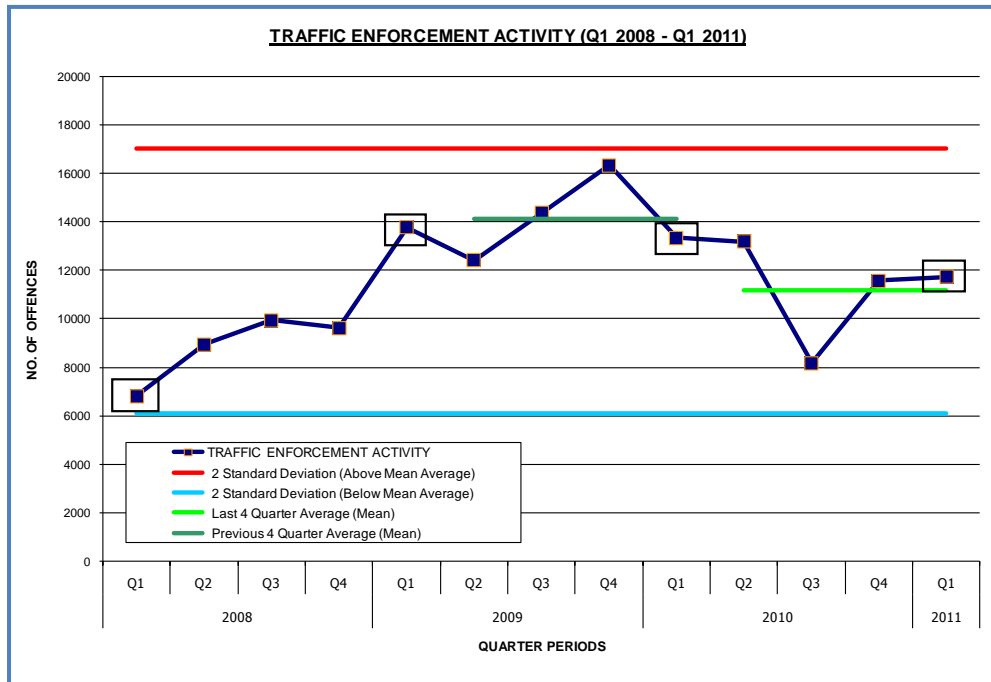
Figure 18: Traffic Enforcement Activity (Last 5 Quarter comparison Q1 2010 - Q1 2011)

TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT ACTIVITY	2010	2010	2010	2010	2011	Percentage Change	Absolute Change
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1		
TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT ACTIVITY	13356	13180	8168	11586	11739	1.3%	153

9.2 TRENDS

Available records from Q1 2008 show that Traffic Enforcement Activity has fluctuated between **6,814** in Q1 2008 to **16,342** in Q4 2009. With **11,739** in Q1 2011, it is now at the average for the last 3 years of available records. The last 4 quarter rolling average is below that of the previous 4 quarter rolling average, identifying that there has been a decrease of almost 3,000 between these two periods. A summary of Traffic Enforcement Activity for the last 13 quarters can be seen in Figure 19, with Q1 figures highlighted in boxes:

Figure 19: Traffic Enforcement Activity By Quarters (Q1 2008 - Q1 2011)



10. INCIDENTS - CALLS FOR SERVICE

10.1 SUMMARY

Incidents refer to all police activity and also to calls for service that have been recorded on the police computer system (New World System). Incidents in Q1 2011 **increased** by **+168** or **+1.6%** compared to Q4 2010. In comparison to the same period last year (Q1 2010), Q1 2011 has **increased** by **+1,216** or **+12.9%**. The total for Q1 2011 was **10,607** as shown in Figure 20:

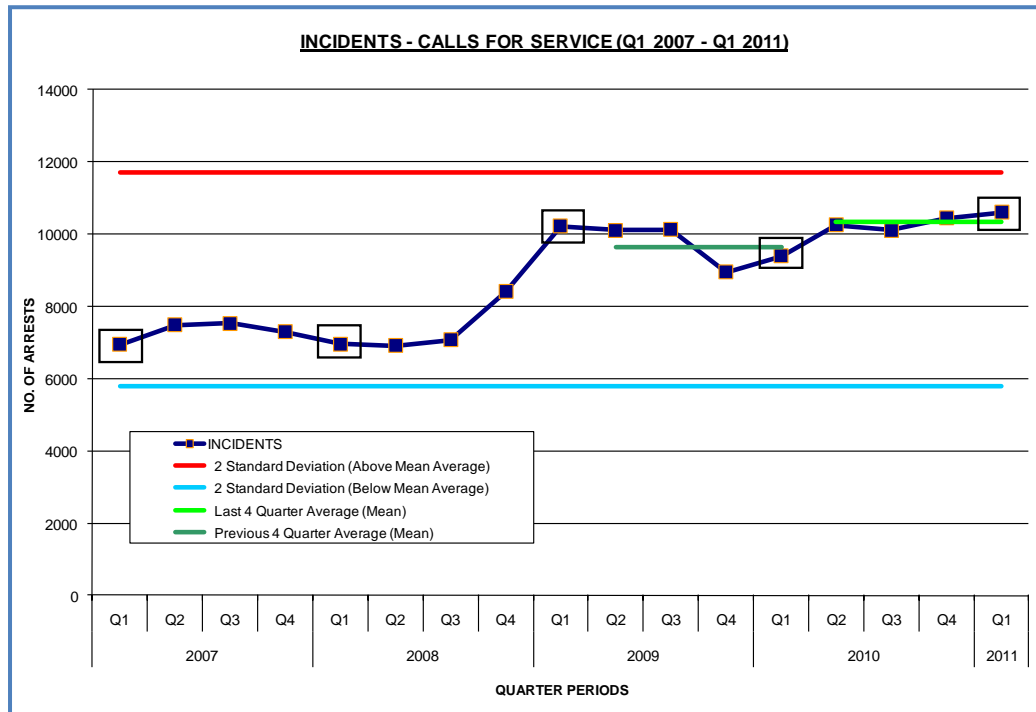
Figure 20: Incidents - (Last 5 Quarter comparison Q1 2010 - Q1 2011)

	2010 Q1	2010 Q2	2010 Q3	2010 Q4	2011 Q1	Percentage Change	Absolute Change
INCIDENTS	9391	10260	10107	10439	10607	1.6%	168

10.2 TRENDS

Q1 2011 is the highest quarterly figure since January 2000. To emphasise this, there has been a **41%** increase in the last 3 years with the last 4 quarter rolling average being **10,353** compared to only **7,338** for the 4 quarters in 2008. This represents a continued increase in policing activity and calls for service. This can be seen in Figure 21, which shows incidents for the last 17 quarters, with Q1 figures highlighted in boxes:

Figure 21: Incidents By Quarters (Q1 2007 - Q1 2011)



11. ARRESTS - ALL OFFENCES

11.1 SUMMARY

Arrests refer to those persons arrested and brought into police custody. Arrests in Q1 2011 **increased** by **+75** or **+6.2%** compared to Q4 2010. In comparison to the same period last year (Q1 2010), Q1 2011 has **decreased** by **-23** or **-1.8%**. The total for Q1 2011 was **1,277** as shown in Figure 22:

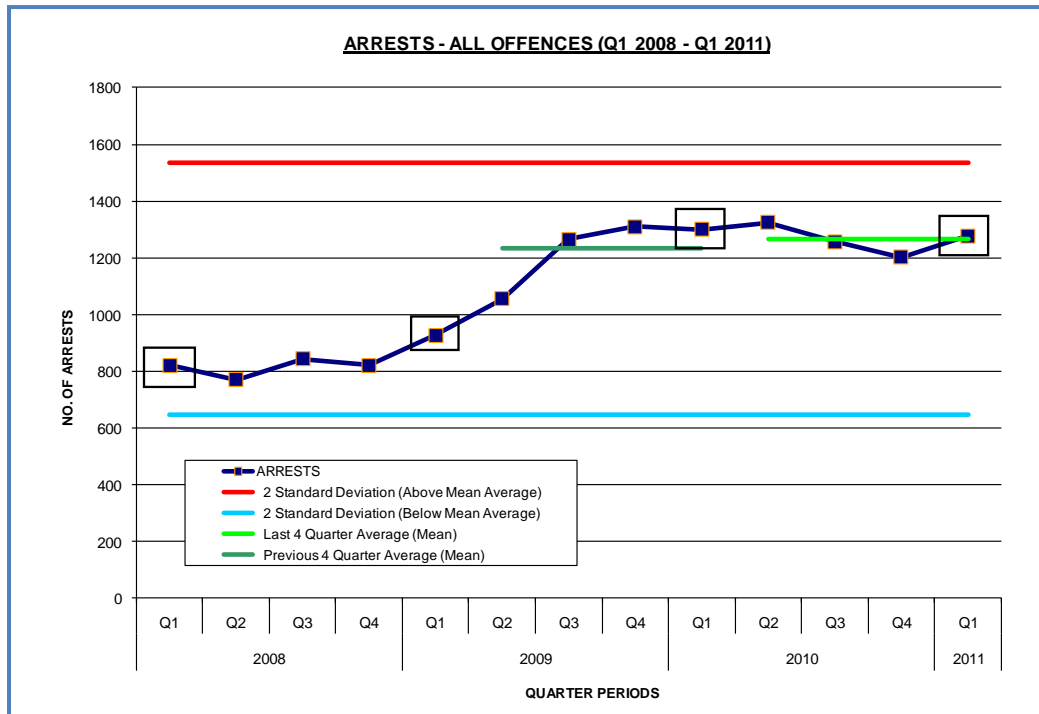
Figure 22: Arrests - All Offences (Last 5 Quarter comparison Q1 2010 - Q1 2011)

	2010	2010	2010	2010	2011	Percentage Change	Absolute Change
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1		
ARRESTS	1300	1324	1256	1202	1277	6.2%	75

11.2 TRENDS

Q1 2011 is the 4th highest quarterly figure from available records starting in Q1 2008 and is only 47 arrests less than the highest quarter record of **1,324** in Q2 2010. Q1 2011 has assisted the last 4 quarter rolling average to be higher than the previous 4 quarter rolling average, reinforcing the suggestion that the BPS is focusing its efforts on arresting more offenders through greater emphasis on proactive policing tactics and strategy. A summary of arrests for the last 9 quarters can be seen in Figure 23, with Q1 figures highlighted in boxes:

Figure 23: Arrests By Quarters (Q1 2008 - Q1 2011)



11.3 GENDER

Of the **1,277** persons arrested in Q1 2011, **1,070** were male and **207** were female.

11.4 AGE

Analysis of persons arrested by age revealed that individuals from 26 to 35 years of age were arrested more frequently than any other age group (**408**), followed closely by those aged 18 to 25 (**341**). A breakdown of persons arrested by their age group can be seen below in Figure 24:

Figure 24: Arrests By Age Group (Q1 2011)

Breakdown by age Q1 2011	
Below 18 years	56
18 - 25 years	341
26 - 35 years	408
36 - 45 years	241
46 - 55 years	154
56 - 65 years	67
66 + years	10
TOTAL	1277

11.5 NATIONALITY

Of the **1,277** persons arrested in Q1 2011 **1,183** were Bermudian and **94** were foreign nationals. This is similar to previous quarters.

11.6 ETHNICITY

The majority of individuals arrested were black (**1,143**), with **110** individuals being white. In addition, **7** of those arrested were Asian, **4** individuals fall into the category 'black and white', **2** individual falls under the category 'black and other' and **11** individuals fall into the category 'other'. This is also similar to arrest figures in previous quarters. A breakdown of persons arrested by their ethnicity can be seen below in Figure 25:

Figure 25: Arrests - Ethnic Origin (Q1 2011)

ETHNICITY	Q1 2011
Black	1143
White	110
Asian	7
Black & White	4
Black & Other	2
White & Other	0
Other	11
TOTAL	1277

11.7 TYPE OF ARREST

Of the **1,277** persons arrested in Q1 2010, the most common category was 'all other offences' which includes HMC, apprehension, SJA and civil warrants with **664**. There were **10** arrests for murder and **7** arrests for firearm offences in Q1 2011. A breakdown of the offences persons were arrested for can be seen below in Figure 26:

Figure 26: Arrests - Offence Type (Q1 2011)

Q1 2011 - Arrests Breakdown By Offence	
Crimes Against The Person	
Murder	10
Manslaughter	0
Serious Assaults	13
Other Assaults	47
Sexual Assault	9
Robbery	20
Offences Against Children	8
Indecency	3
Crimes Against The Person (TOTAL)	110
Crimes Against Property	
Burglary (residential)	24
Burglary (non-residential)	10
Burglary (tourist accommodation)	0
Criminal Damage	12
Motor Vehicle Theft	8
Theft of Property	56
Fraud and Deception	14
Crimes Against Property (TOTAL)	124
Crimes Against The Community	
Firearms Offences	7
Other Weapons Offences	4
Disorder Offences	16
Anti-Social Behaviour	59
Animal Offences	0
Crimes Against The Community (TOTAL)	86
Drug Enforcement Activity	
Drug Offences (Importation)	38
Drug Offences (Local)	123
Drug Enforcement Activity (TOTAL)	161
Traffic Enforcement Activity	
Traffic Offences	37
Impaired Driving	95
Traffic Enforcement Activity (TOTAL)	132
All other offences/reasons for detention	664
GRAND TOTAL	1277

11.8 RECIDIVISM

Of the **1,277** persons arrested in Q1 2011, **122** individuals were arrested more than once and accounted for **261** of the arrests for this period. These included **2** offenders who were arrested **4** times or more.

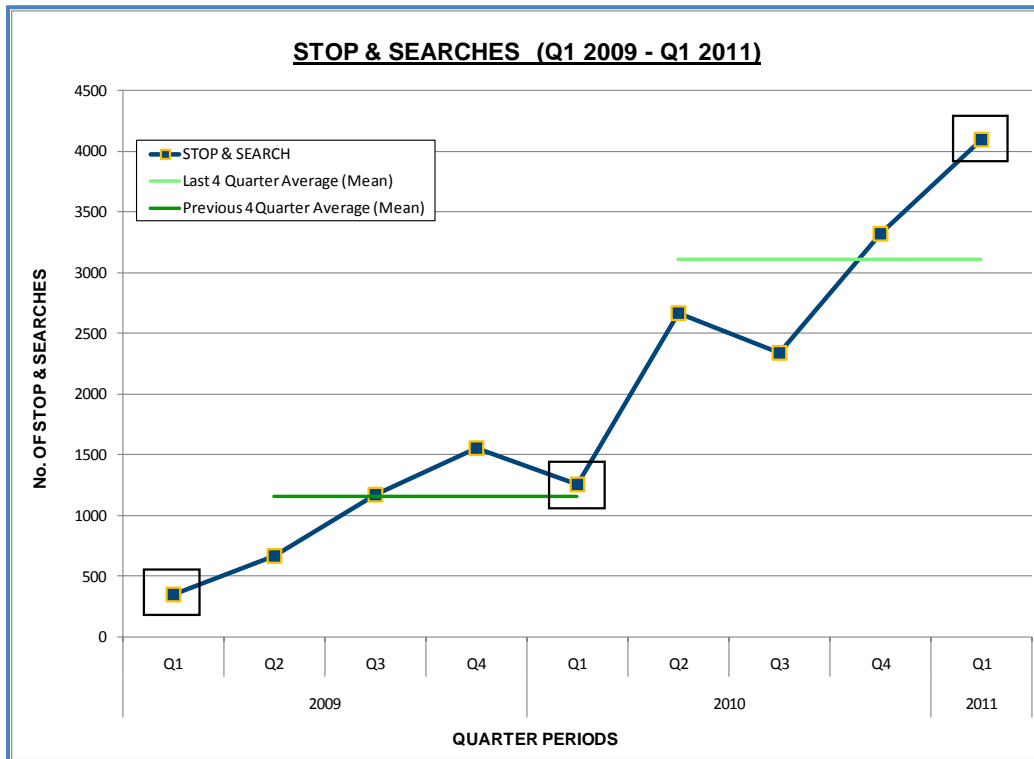
12. STOP AND SEARCHES⁵

12.1 SUMMARY

Stop and Searches are conducted in a proportionate and accountable manner and only when Police Officers have occasion to exercise lawful powers. They are carried out with courtesy, consideration and respect for the individual being stopped. While the figures are not performance indicators, they are a reflection of the frequency of engagement between proactive Police Officers and Prolific Priority Offenders. They provide an indication of police activity, particularly regarding the number of highly visible patrols in the community.

Stop and Searches in Q1 2011 **increased** by **+784** or **+23.6%** compared to Q4 2010. In comparison to Q1 2010, Q1 2011 has **increased** by **+2,850** or **+228%**. The total for Q1 2011 was **4,100** as can be seen in Figure 28, showing Stop & Searches for the last 9 quarters, with Q1 figures highlighted in boxes:

Figure 28: Arrests By Quarters (Q1 2009 - Q1 2011)



⁵ Stop and Searches refers to the activity of Police Officers utilising their powers to stop and search a person where lawfully justified under PACE (2006), Criminal Code, Misuse of Drugs Act etc. PACE was implemented on 7th September 2008 and since then this policing activity has been specifically recorded.

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Appendix A - Crime Statistics In Bermuda (Q1 2007 - Q1 2011)

BERMUDA POLICE SERVICE - CRIME STATISTICS Q1 2007 - Q1 2011																	
	2007				2008				2009				2010				2011
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1
CRIMES AGAINST THE PERSON																	
Murder	0	0	2	1	0	2	1	2	0	2	1	3	2	4	1	0	3
Manslaughter	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Serious Assaults	26	30	29	34	26	26	29	17	18	37	29	26	33	29	35	17	16
Other Assaults	119	118	124	123	117	145	117	122	106	161	162	163	146	128	126	116	122
Sexual Assault	13	7	13	7	9	16	11	3	6	6	7	9	9	17	4	6	10
Robbery	30	22	36	52	59	54	35	37	45	35	35	30	14	28	19	33	21
Offences Against Children	3	5	7	6	5	7	4	9	5	6	8	12	5	7	4	5	3
Indecency	3	4	8	2	6	7	3	2	6	2	2	3	2	4	6	4	3
CRIMES AGAINST THE PERSON (TOTAL)	194	186	219	225	222	257	200	192	186	249	244	246	211	217	195	181	178
CRIMES AGAINST PROPERTY																	
Burglary (Residential)	181	166	200	192	184	213	177	192	163	185	229	197	163	110	165	115	152
Burglary (Non Residential)	86	78	76	73	85	93	120	103	77	42	52	75	68	54	48	38	32
Burglary (Tourist Accommodation)	14	19	18	19	8	4	6	19	11	2	3	6	4	3	6	5	3
Criminal Damage	98	116	102	107	108	131	126	116	101	131	143	95	90	82	102	71	75
Motor Vehicle Theft	242	258	278	231	207	242	249	187	196	215	206	170	136	142	234	222	136
Theft of Property	245	296	288	279	298	300	323	259	233	254	298	218	203	184	215	202	190
Fraud and Deception	78	48	47	51	55	51	38	51	47	55	63	43	56	42	62	42	37
CRIMES AGAINST PROPERTY (TOTAL)	944	981	1009	952	945	1034	1039	927	828	884	994	804	720	617	832	695	625
CRIMES AGAINST THE COMMUNITY																	
Firearm Offences	1	3	2	4	5	6	3	3	4	6	11	17	30	26	37	27	25
Other Weapon Offences	27	17	24	21	22	15	23	19	16	27	18	29	16	24	24	10	12
Disorder Offences	26	29	25	27	27	26	29	29	22	37	35	34	30	40	33	36	32
Anti-Social Behaviour	112	139	142	113	138	128	133	124	149	173	141	173	177	141	135	114	118
Animal Offences	0	0	1	0	2	0	2	0	1	3	1	1	1	2	2	2	1
CRIMES AGAINST THE COMMUNITY (TOTAL)	166	188	194	165	194	175	190	175	192	246	206	254	254	233	231	189	188
GRAND TOTAL	1304	1355	1422	1342	1361	1466	1429	1294	1206	1379	1444	1304	1185	1067	1258	1065	991

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Appendix B - Enforcement Activity Statistics In Bermuda (Q1 2007 - Q1 2011)

BERMUDA POLICE SERVICE - ENFORCEMENT ACTIVITY Q1 2007 - Q1 2011																	
	2007				2008				2009				2010				2011
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1
DRUG ENFORCEMENT ACTIVITY																	
Drug Offences (Importation)	11	9	13	11	13	10	18	15	23	20	16	12	18	62	30	27	40
Drug Offences (Local)	72	64	81	64	99	61	83	73	70	91	124	157	181	217	210	207	199
DRUG ENFORCEMENT ACTIVITY (TOTAL)	83	73	94	75	112	71	101	88	93	111	140	169	199	279	240	234	239
TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT ACTIVITY																	
Traffic Offences					31	46	46	50	5097	3256	4768	6280	3088	2978	2762	2303	3328
Impaired Driving	78	80	90	70	74	73	72	110	82	96	58	20	97	97	88	108	95
Marine Offences	2	14	9	5	2	8	6	2	0	4	78	152	28	10	13	3	6
Parking Offences					6707	8824	9816	9460	8591	9054	9472	9890	10143	10095	5305	9172	8310
TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT ACTIVITY (TOTAL)	80	94	99	75	6814	8951	9940	9622	13770	12410	14376	16342	13356	13180	8168	11586	11739

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Appendix C - Traffic Collision Statistics In Bermuda (Q1 2007 - Q1 2011)

BERMUDA POLICE SERVICE - TRAFFIC COLLISIONS (Q1 2007 - Q1 2011)																	
	2007				2008				2009				2010				2011
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1
TRAFFIC COLLISIONS																	
Fatal Collisions	6	3	0	2	3	8	2	4	4	5	2	2	3	4	1	5	1
Serious Injury Collisions	29	24	46	53	32	31	41	28	25	31	37	43	27	47	33	37	37
Slight Injury Collisions	160	208	255	188	153	186	199	157	129	158	203	248	129	176	213	177	115
Damage Collisions	439	528	526	539	442	378	380	414	350	365	350	335	350	399	328	329	277

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Appendix D - Chart Of All Crime In Bermuda By Quarter (Q1 2000 - Q1 2011)

