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1.1 Security Classification

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1.2 Data Integrity

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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 threatens 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 **1,067** offences in Q2 2010 making it the 2nd lowest quarterly crime figure since Q1 2000. It is also so exceptionally low that it is statistically significant in comparison to the previous 5 and the 10 year period.

The high levels of Crimes Against The Person continue to be of concern, particularly the 4 murders in Q2 2010. Firearms incidents are also at an all time high.

Police activity including arrests, calls for service, stop and searches and drug arrests on the street are at all time highs, suggesting that a focus on proactive policing and a reorganisation of the BPS to ensure maximum numbers of officers on the streets is delivering results.

A summary of the 3 key crime headings and 20 crime categories for Q2 2010 in comparison to the previous quarter (Q1 2010), the same quarter last year (Q2 2009) and the 5 year trend is shown below in figure 1:

Figure 1: Summary Of All Crime (Q2 2010)

CRIME CATEGORY	Q2 2010 vs. Q1 2010	Q2 2010 vs. Q2 2009	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 Q2 2010 decreased by **-118** offences or **-10%** compared to Q1 2010. In comparison to the same period last year (Q2 2009), Q2 2010 has significantly decreased by **-312** offences or by **-23%**. The total for Q2 2010 was 1,067 as can be seen in Figure 2:

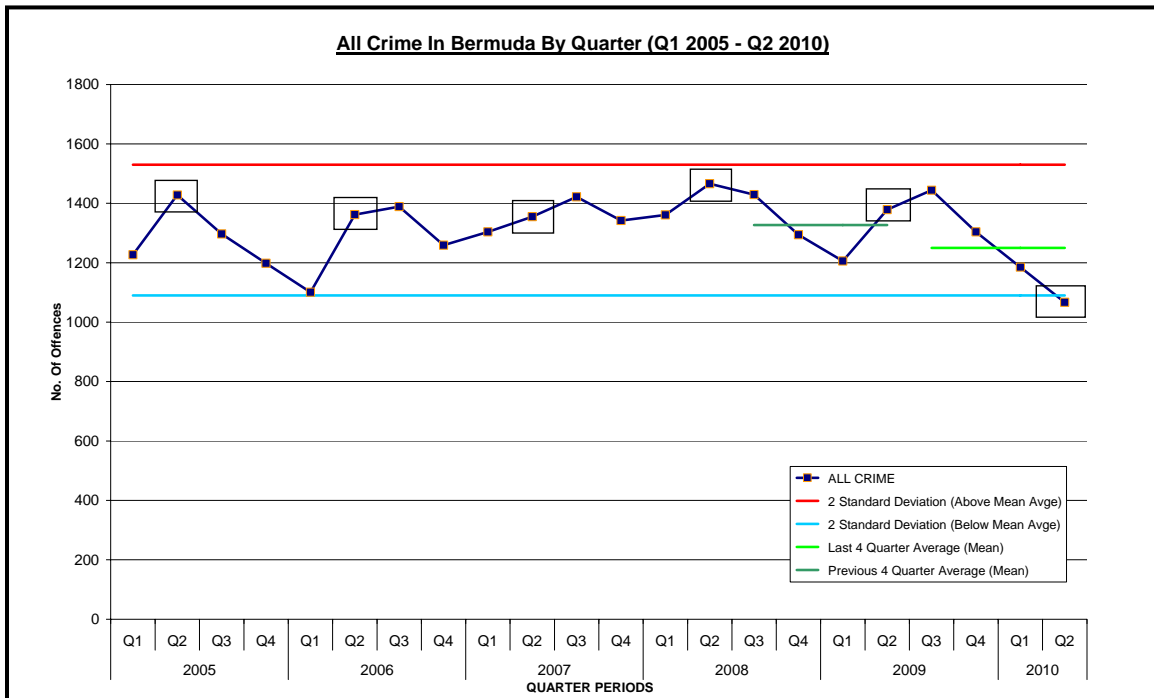
Figure 2: All Crime (Last 5 Quarter comparison Q2 2009 - Q2 2010)

	2009	2009	2009	2010	2010	Percentage Change	Absolute Change
	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2		
ALL CRIME	1379	1444	1304	1185	1067	-9.96%	-118

2.2 TRENDS

The long term trend of All Crime in Bermuda is stable when compared with the last 5 years. However, All Crime in Bermuda has been decreasing at a steady pace since Q3 2009. Q2 2010 is the lowest quarterly figure for the last 5 year period and is so exceptionally low compared to the last 5 years that it has been identified as being statistically significant. This can be seen in Figure 3, which shows crime for the last 22 quarters, with Q2 figures highlighted in boxes:

Figure 3: All Crime By Quarters (Q1 2005 - Q2 2010)



3. CRIMES AGAINST THE PERSON

3.1 SUMMARY

Crimes Against the Person offences in Q2 2010 increased by +6 offences or +3% compared to Q1 2010. In comparison to the same period last year (Q2 2009), Q2 2010 has decreased by -32 offences or by -13%. The total for Q2 2010 was 217 as can be seen in Figure 4:

Figure 4: Crimes Against the Person (Last 5 Quarter comparison Q2 2009 - Q2 2010)

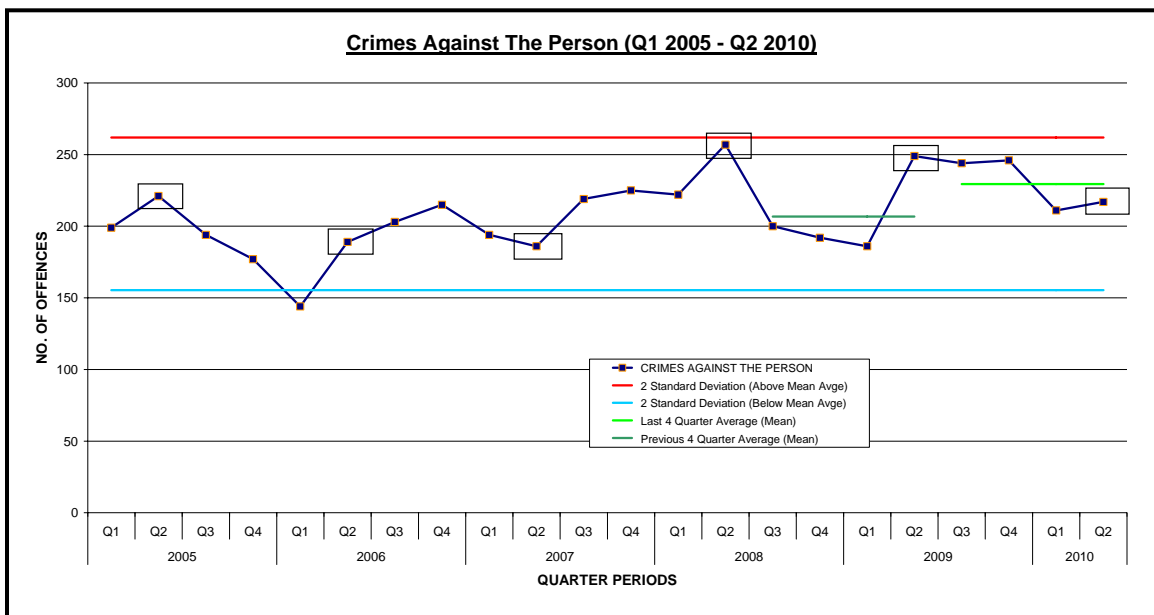
	2009	2009	2009	2010	2010	Percentage Change	Absolute Change
	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2		
CRIMES AGAINST THE PERSON	249	244	246	211	217	2.84%	6

3.2. TRENDS

The long term trend of Crimes Against The Person is increasing, however with 217 offences in Q2 2010, the most recent figure is only slightly higher than the average over the last 5 year period (which is 209). The recent increase in Q2 2010 is only slightly higher than Q1 2010 and is much better than the figures recorded between Q2 2009 to Q4 2009, which has fuelled the increase in the long term trend for Crimes Against The Person.

The increase in Q2 2010 compared to Q1 2010 is due to Robberies increasing from 14 to 28 offences, Sexual Assaults from 9 to 17 offences, and Murders from 2 to 4 offences. However, Other Assaults continue to decrease from 146 to 128 offences and Serious Assault decreased from 33 to 29 offences. A summary of Crimes Against The Person for the last 22 quarters can be seen in Figure 5, with Q2 figures highlighted in boxes:

Figure 5: Crimes Against the Person By Quarters (Q1 2005 - Q2 2010)



4. CRIMES AGAINST PROPERTY

4.1. SUMMARY

Crimes Against Property offences in Q2 2010 decreased by **-103** offences or **-14%** compared to Q1 2010. In comparison to the same period last year (Q2 2009), Q2 2010 has decreased by **-267** offences or by **-30%**. The total for Q2 2010 was **617** as can be seen in Figure 6:

Figure 6: Crimes Against Property (Last 5 Quarter comparison Q2 2009 - Q2 2010)

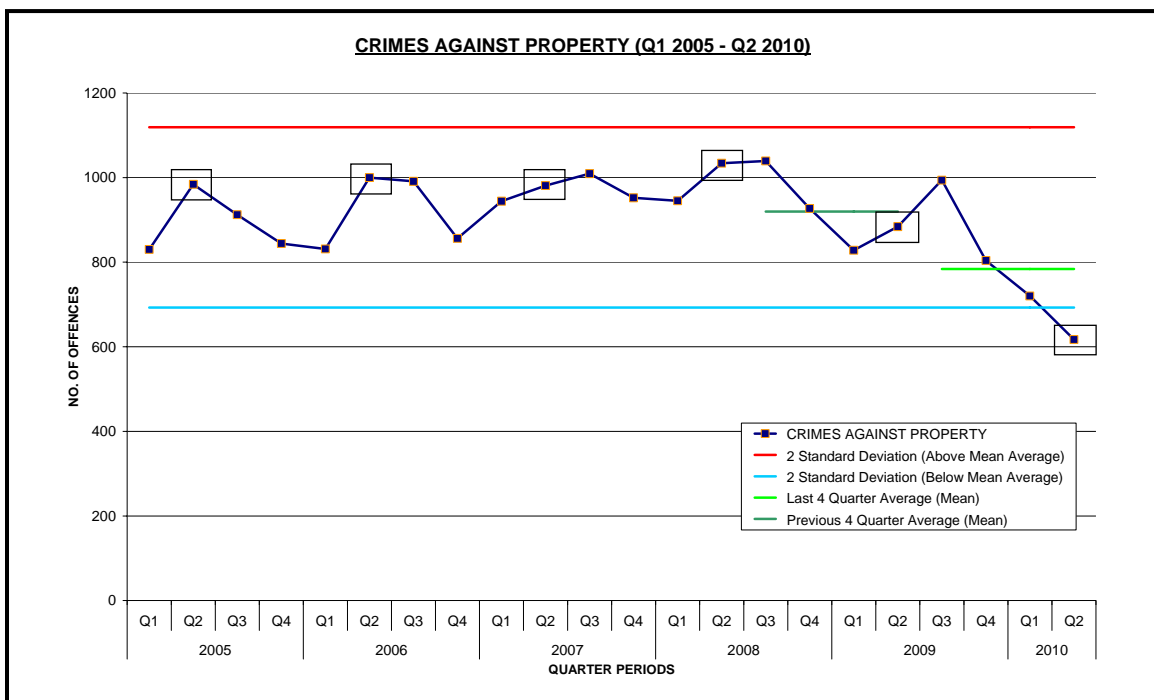
	2009 Q2	2009 Q3	2009 Q4	2010 Q1	2010 Q2	Percentage Change	Absolute Change
CRIMES AGAINST PROPERTY	884	994	804	720	617	-14.31%	-103

4.2 TRENDS

Q2 2010 is the lowest recorded quarterly figure for Crimes Against Property since January 2000 and its recent quarter on quarter decrease of **-14%** has made it statistically significant, as it is exceptionally low. The quarterly average for the last 10 years was **966** and so Q2 2010 represents a **-36%** decrease compared to the long term average. This continued decrease in Crime Against Property is the main factor for All Crime now being at the second lowest level for the last 10 years.

The decrease in Q2 2010 is due to decreases in Burglary (Residential, Non Residential and Tourist Accommodation) from **163** to **100** as well as Criminal Damage, Theft Of Property and Fraud & Deception. A summary of Crimes Against Property for the last 22 quarters can be seen in Figure 7, with Q2 figures highlighted in boxes:

Figure 7: Crimes Against Property By Quarters (Q1 2005 - Q2 2010)



5. CRIMES AGAINST THE COMMUNITY

5.1 SUMMARY

Crimes Against The Community offences in Q2 2010 decreased by **-21** offences or **-8%** compared to Q1 2010. In comparison to the same period last year (Q2 2009), Q2 2010 has also decreased by **-13** offences or by **-5%**. The total for Q2 2010 was **233** as can be seen in Figure 8:

Figure 8: Crimes Against The Community (Last 5 Quarter comparison Q2 2009-Q2 2010)

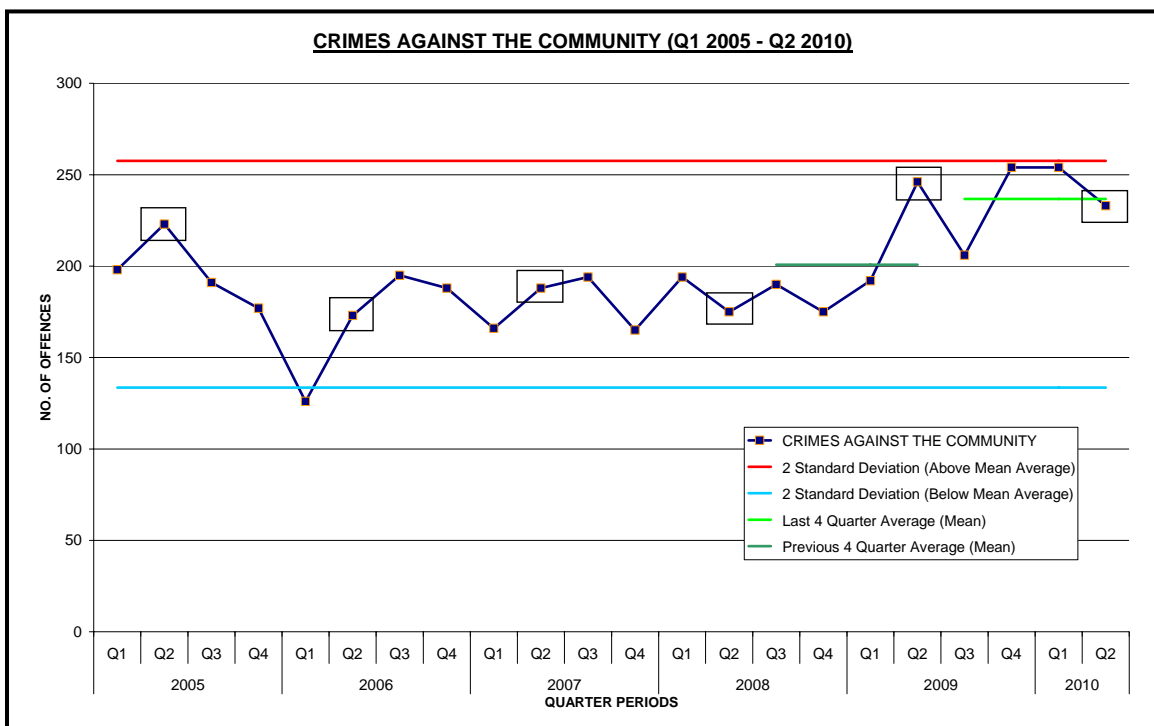
	2009	2009	2009	2010	2010	Percentage Change	Absolute Change
	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2		
CRIMES AGAINST THE COMMUNITY	246	206	254	254	233	-8.27%	-21

5.2 TRENDS

Despite Q2 2010 showing a slight decrease from the last two quarters, the long term trend of Crimes Against The Community is increasing. The last 4 quarter average (Q3 2009 - Q2 2010) was **237**, compared to the previous 4 quarter average (Q3 2008 - Q2 2009) which was **201**. The 5 year average was **196** offences.

The Q2 2010 decrease in Crimes Against The Community was due to the decrease in Anti Social Behaviour which went from **177** offences in Q1 2010 to **141** offences in Q2 2010. It was noted that Firearms offences also decreased from **30** offences to **26** offences; however there was an increase in Other Weapon Offences from **16** offences to **24** offences and Disorder Offences also increased from **30** offences to **40** offences. A summary of Crimes Against The Community for the last 22 quarters can be seen in Figure 9, with Q2 figures highlighted in boxes:

Figure 9: Crimes Against The Community By Quarters (Q1 2005 - Q2 2010)



6. TRAFFIC COLLISIONS

6.1 SUMMARY

Traffic Collisions include fatal, serious injury, slight injury and damage only collisions. Traffic Collisions in Q2 2010 increased by **+118** or **+23%** compared to Q1 2010. In comparison to the same period last year (Q2 2009), Q2 2010 has also increased by **+67** or **+12%**. The total for Q2 2010 was **626** as can be seen below in Figure 10:

Figure 10: Traffic Collisions (Last 5 Quarter comparison Q2 2009 – Q2 2010)

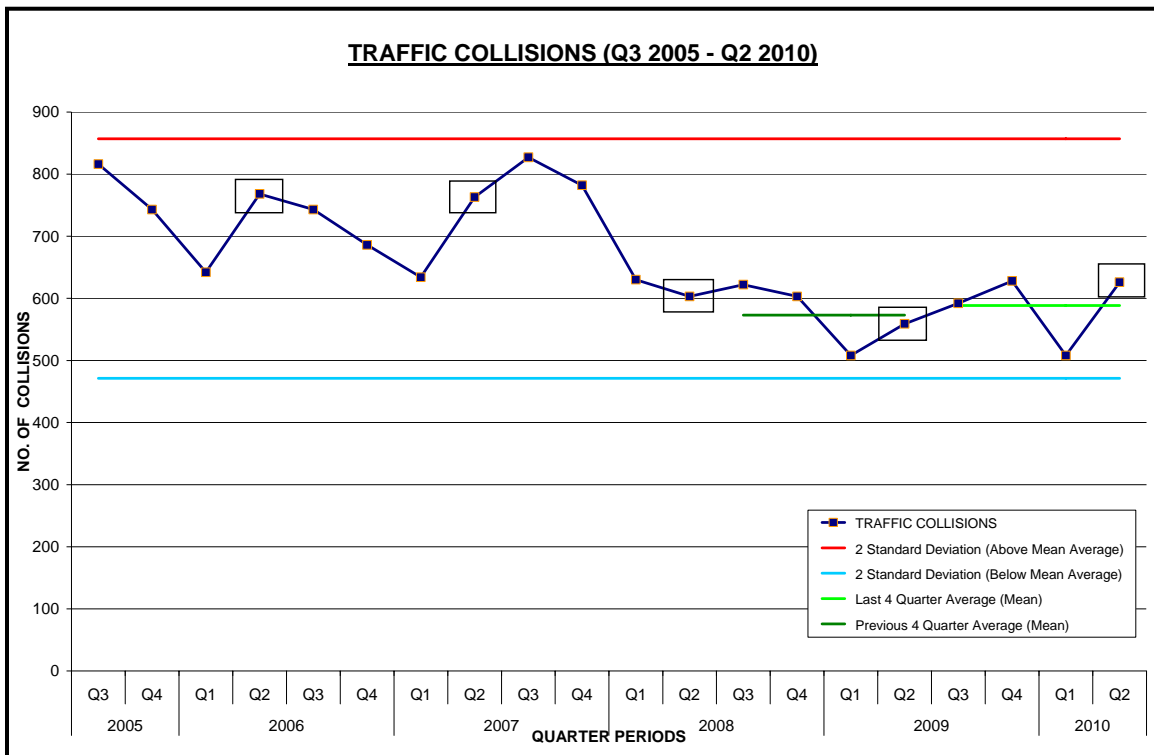
	2009 Q2	2009 Q3	2009 Q4	2010 Q1	2010 Q2	Percentage Change	Absolute Change
TRAFFIC COLLISIONS	559	592	628	508	626	23.23%	118

6.2 TRENDS

Although Traffic Collisions have increased from **508** to **626** in the last 3 months, the long term trend of traffic collisions is on the decrease. To evidence this, the most recent 10 quarters have averaged **588** (Q1 2008 to Q2 2010) compared to **740** for the previous 10 quarter period (Q3 2005 to Q4 2007).

There have been **4** Fatal Collisions in Q2 2010 compared to **2** in Q1 2010. Serious Traffic collisions in Q2 2010 were **47** in comparison to **27** in Q1 2010 and are above the long term average of **37**. Slight Injury Collisions and Damage Only Collisions also increased from Q1 2010 Q2 2010. A summary of Traffic Collisions for the last 20 quarters can be seen in Figure 11, with Q2 figures highlighted in boxes:

Figure 11: Traffic Collisions (Q3 2005 - Q2 2010)



7. 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.

7.1 SUMMARY

Drug Enforcement Activity in Q2 2010 increased by +81 offences or +41% compared to Q1 2010. In comparison to the same period last year (Q2 2009), Q2 2010 has more than doubled with an increase of +169 offences or +152%. The total for Q2 2010 was 280 as can be seen in Figure 12:

Figure 12: Drug Enforcement Activity (Last 5 Quarter comparison Q2 2009 - Q2 2010)

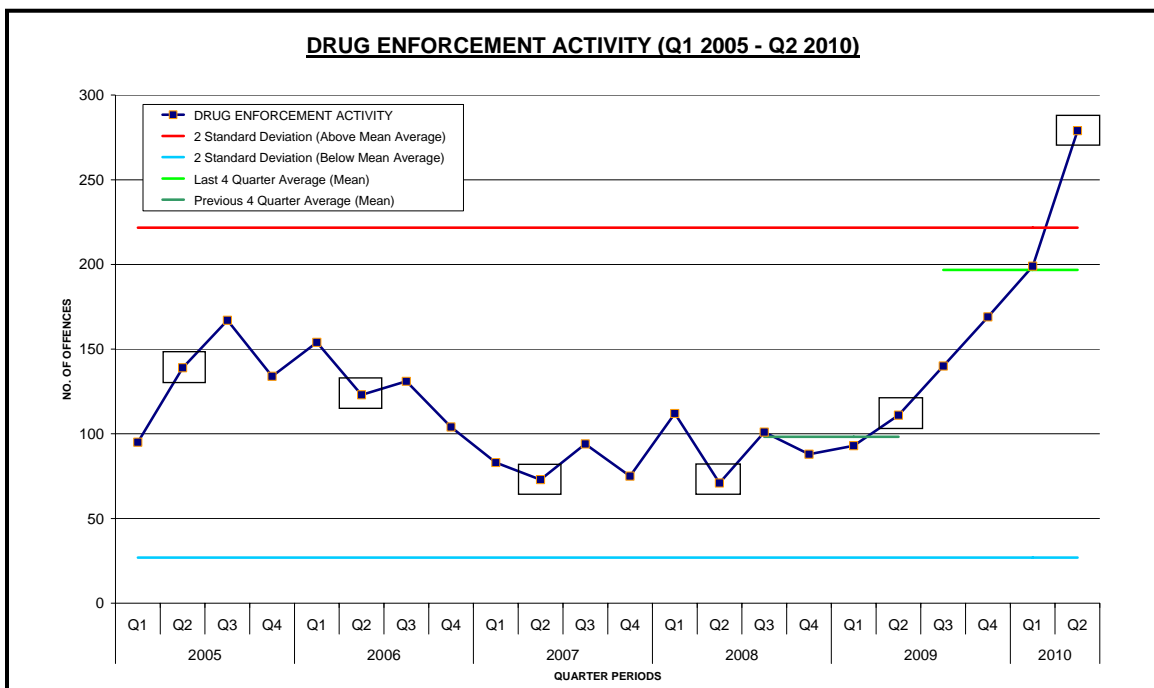
	2009 Q2	2009 Q3	2009 Q4	2010 Q1	2010 Q2	Percentage Change	Absolute Change
DRUG ENFORCEMENT ACTIVITY	111	140	169	199	280	40.70%	81

7.2 TRENDS

Drug Enforcement Activity has increased considerably in Q2 2010 and is part of a continual increase since Q4 2008. Q2 2010 is exceptional as it is not only the highest figure for the last 5 years, but is so high that it is also statistically significant.

It is suggested that the high of 280 drug related arrests in Q2 2010 is evidence of a continued improvement in BPS activity in relation to progressing its drugs strategy and a result of a reorganisation of BPS resources to focus increased numbers of officers on the streets. A summary of Drug Enforcement Activity for the last 22 quarters can be seen in Figure 13, with Q2 figures highlighted in boxes:

Figure 13: Drug Enforcement Activity By Quarters (Q1 2005 - Q2 2010)



7.3 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, U.S. Drug Enforcement Administration and the UK Serious and Organised Crime Agency. This can be seen in Figure 14, which shows Drug Seizures In Bermuda By Location:

Figure 14: Drug Seizures In Bermuda By Location (Q1 2010)

LOCATION	NO. Of SEIZURES
PORT	50
STREET	204
OVERSEAS	8

As can be seen in Figure 14, the majority of drugs seized are at street level (**204**) while there were **50** seizures at ports (including LF Wade) and **8** overseas seizures which involved overseas law enforcement agencies. This is a total of **262** seizures for Q2 2010, an increase on Q1 2010 with **199** total seizures.

An estimated total of **57 Kg** of controlled drugs with an estimated street value of **\$4.9 million** was seized in Q2 2010 with Cannabis, the most common drug with **48 Kg** seized at a value of **\$2.4 million**. Cocaine is the second highest drug type seized in terms of value, with **5.9 Kg** seized with a value of **\$1.4 million**. In Q2 2010, **54** cannabis plants were seized, which is more when compared to the **23** plants seized in Q1 2010. It is also higher than the quarterly average of **40**. The type, weight and value of the drugs seized broken down by Port, Street and Overseas seizures can be seen below in Figure 15:

Figure 15: Drug Seizures by Location, Weight and Street Value (Q2 2010)

	STREET		PORT		OVERSEAS		TOTAL	TOTAL
	WEIGHT (g)	VALUE (\$)	WEIGHT (g)	VALUE (\$)	WEIGHT (g)	VALUE (\$)	WEIGHT (g)	VALUE (\$)
COCAINE	82.3	\$19,341	5276.54	\$1,239,987	540.7	\$127,065	5900	\$1,386,392
CRACK COCAINE	85.62	\$26,756	63.9	\$19,969			150	\$46,725
HEROIN	0.23	\$61	274	\$73,158	162.7	\$860,000	437	\$933,219
CANNABIS	2278.04	\$113,902	45211.1	\$2,260,555	908	\$45,400	48397	\$2,419,857
CANNABIS RESIN	4.92	\$492	69.1	\$6,910	1712.2	\$171,220	1786	\$178,622
CANNABIS PLANTS	54 (plants)	N/A					N/A	N/A
ECSTASY	3	\$150	4	\$200			7	\$350
TOTAL	2451	\$160,552	50895	\$3,600,579	3324	\$1,203,685	56669	\$4,964,815

(All weights are in grams)

As shown in Figure 15, every drug type has had an increase in the quantity seized in Q2 2010 compared to Q1 2010. Most notably, the amount of cocaine seized has trebled and the amount of cannabis seized has doubled in comparison to the previous quarter.

8. TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT ACTIVITY

8.1 SUMMARY

Traffic Enforcement Activity in Q2 2010 decreased by **-176** or **-1%** compared to Q1 2010. In comparison to the same period last year (Q2 2009), Q2 2010 has **increased** by **+770** or **+6%**. The total for Q2 2010 was **13,180** as shown below in Figure 16:

Figure 16: Traffic Enforcement Activity (Last 5 Quarter comparison Q2 2009 – Q2 2010)

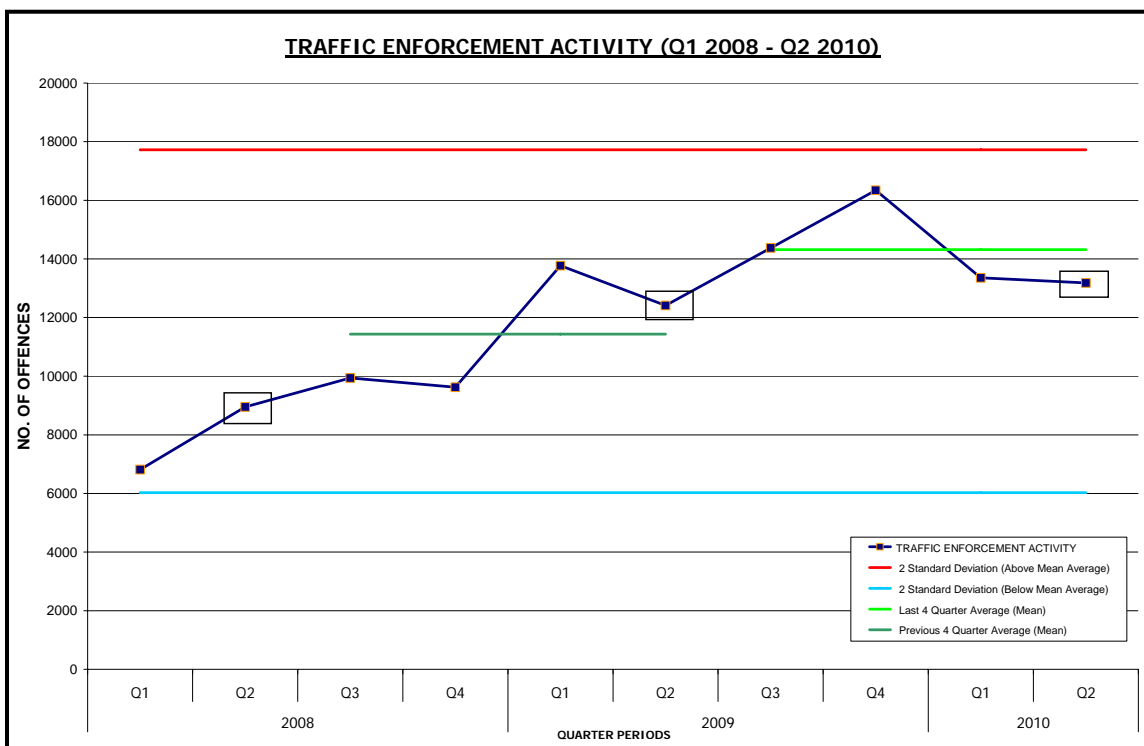
	2009 Q2	2009 Q3	2009 Q4	2009 Q1	2010 Q2	Percentage Change	Absolute Change
TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT ACTIVITY	12410	14376	16342	13356	13180	-1.32%	-176

8.2 TRENDS

Q2 2010 is the highest Q2 figure since January 2008 and represents a significant shift towards an overall increase in Traffic Enforcement Activity. The average for the last 4 quarters (Q3 2009 – Q2 2010) was **14,121** and by comparison the previous rolling 4 quarter period (Q3 2008 – Q2 2009) had an average of **11,436** indicating a considerable upward trend.

Although Q1 2010 and Q2 2010 have decreased in comparison to the previous two quarters, it reinforces the trend that Traffic Enforcement Activity is increasing. A summary of Traffic Enforcement Activity for the last 10 quarters can be seen in Figure 17, with Q2 figures highlighted in boxes:

Figure 17: Traffic Enforcement Activity By Quarters (Q1 2008 – Q2 2010)



9. FIREARM INCIDENTS

Firearm Offences are included within Crimes Against The Community (Section 5); however Firearm Incidents may not necessarily be recorded as a Firearm Offence, as often there is no suspect or even a victim. This section on Firearm Incidents is suggested to be of particular importance in relation to recent high profile gang related violence involving firearms.

To enable accurate recording, analysis and reporting of Firearms Incidents, the BPS classifies them into 5 categories which are split into either **Confirmed** or **Unconfirmed**¹. A confirmed incident is where forensic evidence proves the incident occurred e.g. a firearm has been seized, shell casings/bullets recovered or a person has a gun shot wound.

9.1 SUMMARY

Confirmed Firearm Incidents were **unchanged** at **17** and Unconfirmed Firearm Incidents **increased** in Q1 2010 from **35** to **38** in comparison to Q2 2010.

9.2 TRENDS

There were **17** Confirmed Firearm Incidents resulting in **4** fatalities and **6** injuries in Q2 2010 which is much higher than in previous periods. Figure 18 (below) shows injuries and fatalities through firearms since 2004 until the end of Q2 2010. To confirm, the column for 2010 represents **only** Q1 and Q2 2010, while the other columns represent whole years of Firearm Incidents:

Figure 18: Firearm Injuries and Fatalities In Bermuda (2004 - 2010)

	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
FATALITIES	0	0	1	2	0	4	6
INJURED	0	0	4	1	1	13	14
	0	0	5	3	1	17	20

As shown in Figure 18, there has been a marked increase in Firearm Incidents since Q1 2009. Although the most serious figures are those relating to the number of incidents where persons have been shot² (**6** persons killed and **14** injured), there has also been an increase in gun shots heard. This is where a report of a gunshot has been reported to the Police, however on arrival officers cannot substantiate the claim and there is no forensic evidence to prove that a firearm was discharged.

There were **18** Firearm Incidents classified as 'Claims Of Gunshots Heard' in Q2 2010, which when added to the **23** incidents in Q1 2010, totals **41** so far in 2010. By comparison, during the 6 year period of Q1 2004 to Q4 2009, there were only **34** such incidents recorded. This increase in reporting gunshots may be as a result of heightened concerns by the public who are reporting any sound similar to a gunshot, as much as

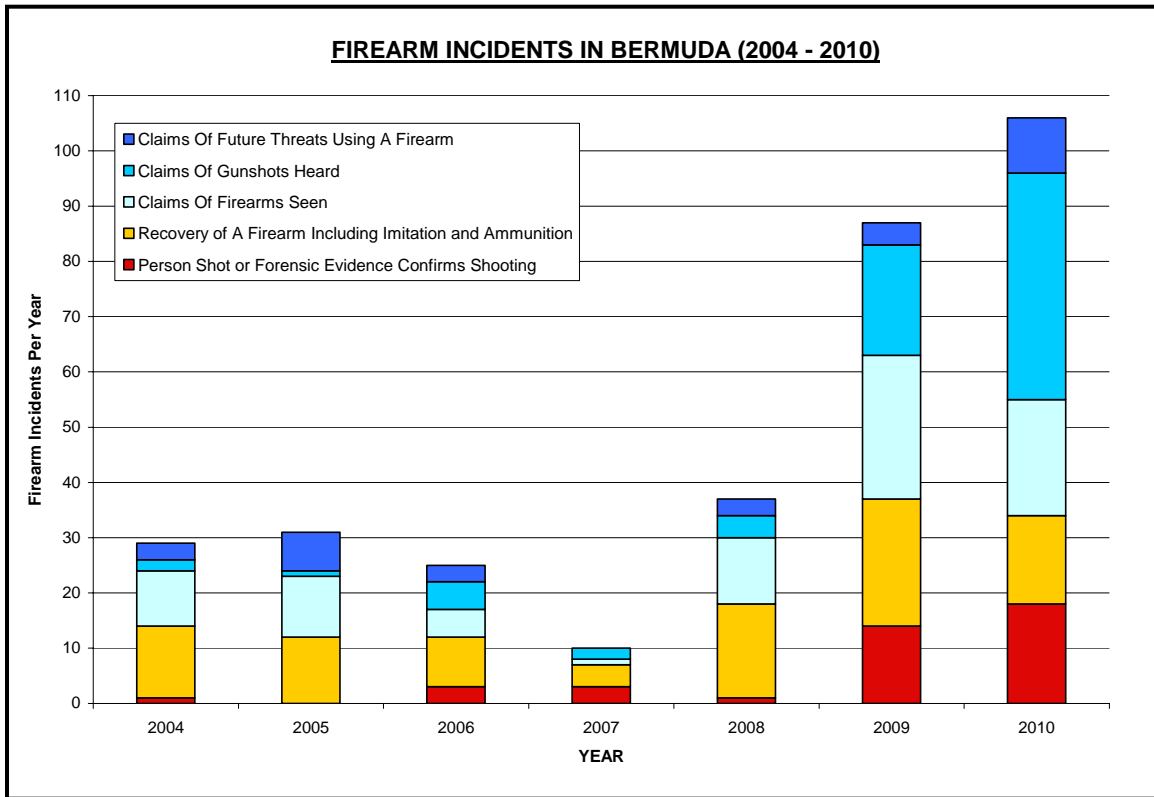
¹ Person Shot or Forensic Evidence Confirms Shooting, Recovery of a Firearm Including Imitation and Ammunition are classified as CONFIRMED, while Claims of Firearms Seen, Claims Of Gunshots Heard and Claims Of Future Threats Using A Firearm are classified as UNCONFIRMED.

² (Persons Shot or Forensic Evidence Confirms Shooting)

actual firearm discharges. It may also demonstrate a greater willingness to report such incidents to the Police.

The long term trend of Firearm Incidents is increasing, and at a substantial rate. To evidence this, Figure 19 (below) shows Firearm Reports since 2004 until the end of Q2 2010. To confirm, the column for 2010 represents *only* Q1 and Q2 2010, while the other columns represent whole years of Firearm Incidents:

Figure 19: Firearm Incidents In Bermuda (2004 - 2010)



As can be seen from Figure 19, Firearm Incidents for the first half of 2010 are already higher than in any year between 2004 and 2009. The **34** Confirmed Firearm Incidents and **72** Unconfirmed Firearm Incidents for Q1 and Q2 2010 combined, compare unfavourably with the **37** Confirmed Firearm Incidents and **50** Unconfirmed Firearm Incidents in all of 2009.

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 Q2 2010 **increased** by **+869** or **+9%** compared to Q1 2010. In comparison to the same period last year (Q2 2009), Q2 2010 also showed an **increase** of **+143** or **+1%**. The total for Q2 2010 was **10,260** as shown in Figure 20:

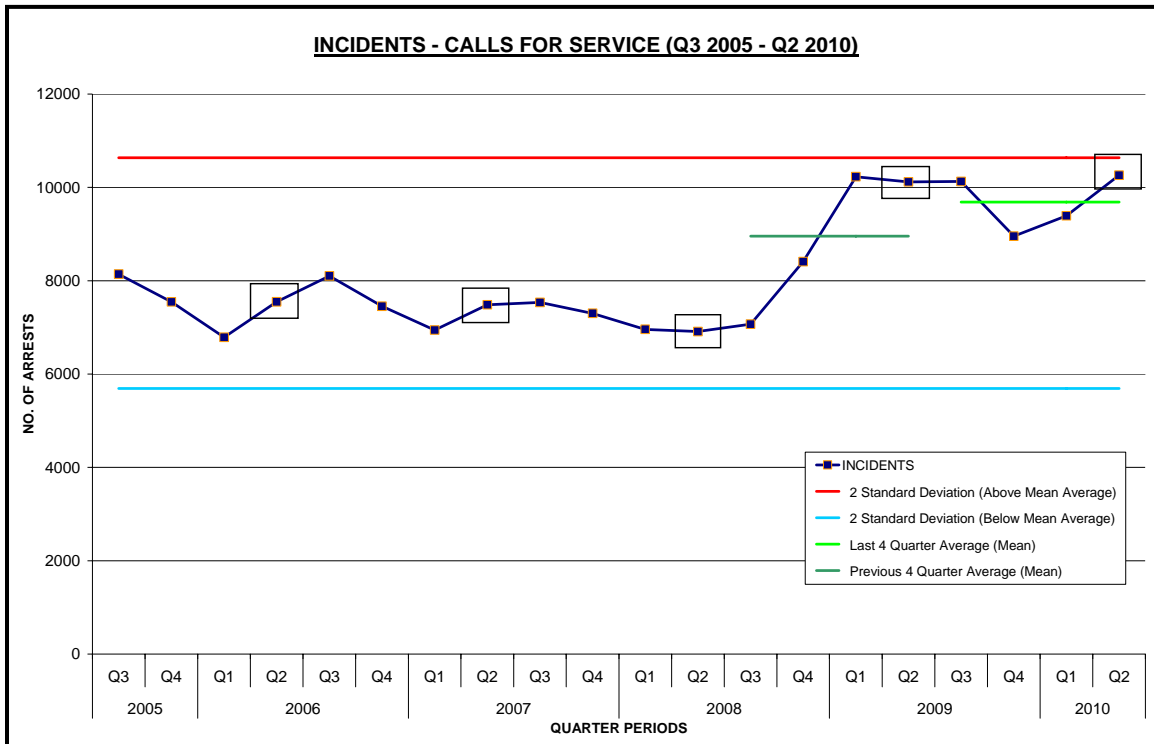
Figure 20: Incidents - (Last 5 Quarter comparison Q2 2009 - Q2 2010)

	2009	2009	2009	2010	2010	Percentage Change	Absolute Change
	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2		
INCIDENTS	10117	10128	8955	9391	10260	9.25%	869

10.2 TRENDS

Q2 2010 is the highest quarterly figure since January 2005 and represents a significant shift towards an overall increase in policing activity and calls for service. The average for the last 18 months (Q1 2009 to Q2 2010) was **9,847** incidents per quarter which is very favourable when compared to the previous 4 year period (Q3 2005 to Q4 2008) with an average of **6,512** incidents. This reinforces the high rate of police activity which now appears to be settling above 10,000 incidents per quarter. This can be seen in Figure 21, which shows All Calls for Incidents for the last 20 quarters, with Q2 figures highlighted in boxes:

Figure 21: Incidents By Quarters (Q3 2005 - Q2 2010)



11. ARRESTS - ALL OFFENCES

11.1 SUMMARY

Arrests refer to those persons arrested and brought into police custody. Arrests in Q2 2010 increased by +23 or +2% compared to Q1 2010. In comparison to the same period last year (Q2 2009), Q2 2010 has also increased by +268 or +25%. The total for Q2 2010 was 1,323 as shown in Figure 22:

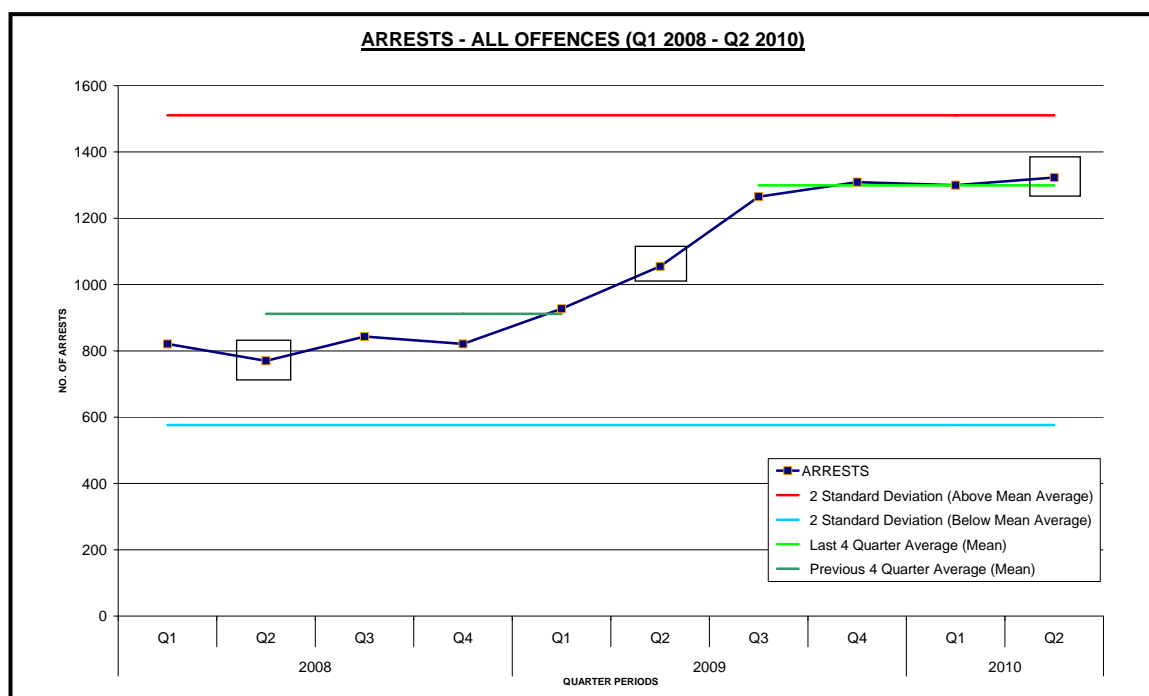
Figure 22: Arrests - All Offences (Last 5 Quarter comparison Q2 2009 - Q2 2010)

	2009 Q2	2009 Q3	2009 Q4	2010 Q1	2010 Q2	Percentage Change	Absolute Change
ARRESTS	1055	1265	1309	1300	1323	1.77%	23

11.2 TRENDS

During the 4 quarters of 2008, arrests remained stable until Q1 2009 from where they have continually risen to a high of 1,323 in Q2 2010. Arrests dropped by 9 in Q1 2010 then rose by 23 in Q2 2010. Q2 2010 was recorded as the highest quarter for arrests since Q1 2008. The average figure for arrests over the last 5 years is 1,043 per quarter and the last 4 rolling quarters has an average of 1,299 which reinforces the evidence that the BPS is focusing its efforts on arresting more offenders. As in previous reports, it is suggested that this increase is due to PACE³, BPS reorganisation and a greater emphasis on proactive policing tactics and strategy. A summary of arrests for the last 10 quarters can be seen in Figure 23, with Q2 figures highlighted in boxes:

Figure 23: Arrests By Quarters (Q1 2008 - Q2 2010)



³ Police And Criminal Evidence Act (2006) was implemented on 7th September 2008. From this date, any offence that carried 3 months imprisonment or more was automatically an arrestable offence, increasing and simplifying the number of offences you can be arrested for.

11.3 GENDER

Of the **1,323** persons arrested in Q2 2010, **1,095** were male and **228** 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 (**377**), followed closely by those aged 18 to 25 (**367**). A breakdown of persons arrested by their age group can be seen below in Figure 24:

Figure 24: Arrests By Age Group (Q2 2010)

AGE GROUP	Q2 2010
Below 18 years	82
18 - 25 years	367
26 - 35 years	377
36 - 45 years	254
46 - 55 years	179
56 - 65 years	56
66 + years	8
	1323

11.5 NATIONALITY

Of the **1,323** persons arrested in Q2 2010 **1,221** were Bermudian and **102** were foreign nationals. This is similar to previous quarters.

11.6 ETHNICITY

The majority of individuals arrested were black (**1,183**), with **113** individuals being white. In addition, **4** of those arrested were Asian, **4** individuals fall into the category 'black and white', **1** individual falls under the category 'black and other', **2** individual falls under the category 'white and other' and **16** 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 (Q2 2010)

ETHNICITY	Q2 2010
Black	1183
White	113
Asian	4
Black & White	4
Black & Other	1
White & Other	2
Other	16
	1323

11.7 TYPE OF ARREST

Of the **1,323** persons arrested in Q2 2010, the most common category was 'all other offences' which includes HMC, apprehension, SJA and civil warrants with **647**. There were **14** arrests for murder and **13** arrests for firearm offences in Q2 2010. A breakdown of the offences persons were arrested for can be seen overleaf in Figure 26:

Figure 26: Arrests - Offence Type (Q2 2010)

Q2 2010 - Arrests Breakdown By Offence	
Crimes Against The Person	
Murder	14
Manslaughter	0
Serious Assaults	37
Other Assaults	57
Sexual Assault	8
Robbery	26
Offences Against Children	3
Indecency	2
Crimes Against Property	
Burglary (residential)	20
Burglary (non-residential)	4
Burglary (tourist accomodation)	0
Criminal Damage	6
Motor Vehicle Theft	10
Theft of Property	60
Fraud and Deception	21
Crimes Against The Community	
Firearms Offences	13
Other Weapons Offences	11
Disorder Offences	28
Anti-Social Behaviour	69
Animal Offences	0
Drug Enforcement Activity	
Drug Offences (Importation)	43
Drug Offences (Local)	121
Traffic Enforcement Activity	
Traffic Offences	26
Impaired Driving	97
Parking Offences	N/A
Marine Offences	0
Traffic Offences	
Fatal Collisions	0
Serious Injury Collisions	N/A
Other Injury Collisions	N/A
Damage Collisions	N/A
All other offences/reasons for detention	647

11.8 RECIDIVISM

Of the **1,323** persons arrested in Q2 2010, **148** individuals were arrested more than once and accounted for **317** of the arrests for this period. These included **3** offenders who were arrested **4** times or more.

12. STOP AND SEARCHES⁴

12.1 SUMMARY

Stop and Searches in Q2 2010 increased by +680 or +66% compared to Q1 2010. In comparison to Q2 2009, Q2 2010 has increased by +1,037. or +155%. The total for Q2 2010 was 1,708 as can be seen in Figure 27:

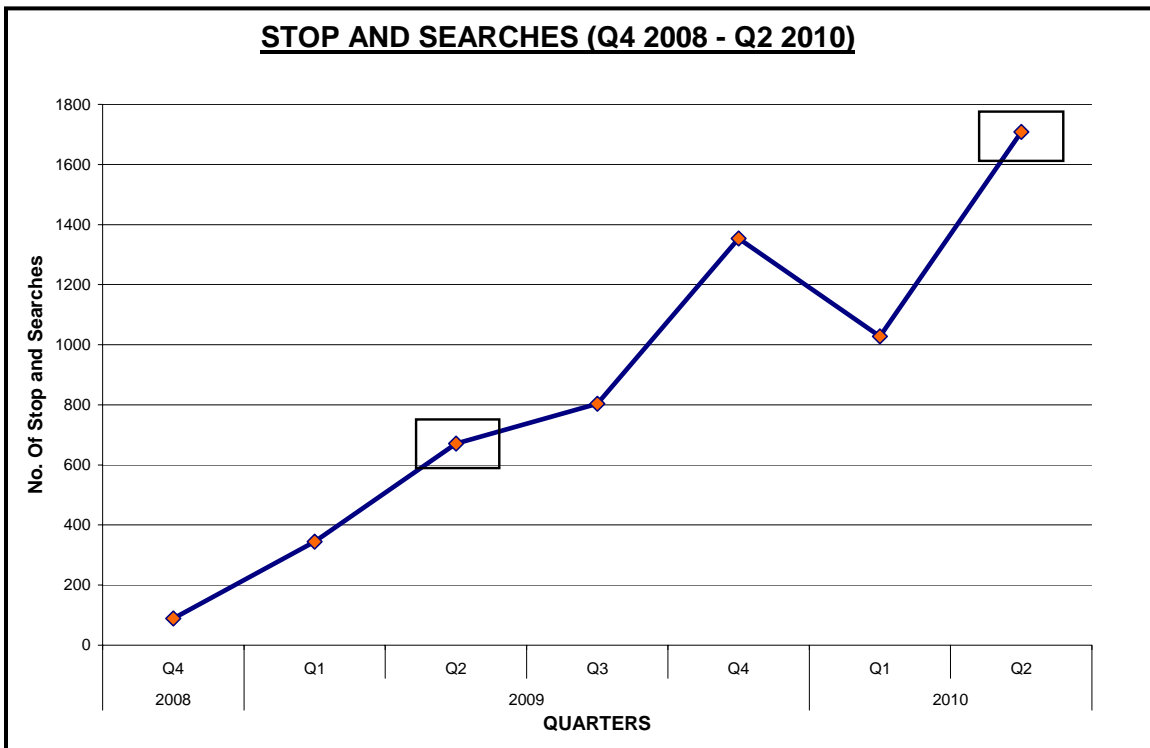
Figure 27: Stop and Searches (Last 5 Quarter comparison Q2 2009 - Q2 2010)

	2009 Q2	2009 Q3	2009 Q4	2010 Q1	2010 Q2	Percentage Change	Absolute Change
STOP & SEARCH	671	804	1354	1028	1708	66.15%	680

11.2 TRENDS

Similar to the record high in arrests, call for service and drug seizures on the street, the record number of Stop and Searches is suggested to be a mixture of proactive policing where more officers are on the streets in combination with the use of 315F Authorities which gives officers additional powers to utilise Stop and Search powers. This can be seen in Figure 28, showing Stop and Searches for the last 7 quarters, with Q2 figures highlighted in boxes:

Figure 28: Arrests By Quarters (Q4 2008 – Q2 2010)



⁴ 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. These searches are conducted where there is reasonable grounds to suspect that the person has committed or is about to commit an arrestable offence and they are carried out with courtesy, consideration and respect for the individual being stopped. It provides an indication as to police activity, particularly in regards to patrolling in the community. 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 2005 - Q2 2010)

BERMUDA POLICE SERVICE - CRIME STATISTICS Q1 2010 (LAST 22 QUARTERS)																						
	2005				2006				2007				2008				2009				2010	
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2
CRIMES AGAINST THE PERSON																						
Murder	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	2	1	0	2	1	2	0	2	1	3	2	4
Manslaughter	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Serious Assaults	37	35	27	26	23	32	37	43	26	30	29	34	26	26	29	17	18	37	29	26	33	29
Other Assaults	102	133	102	95	86	110	113	117	119	118	124	123	117	145	117	122	106	161	162	163	146	128
Sexual Assault	12	13	14	17	6	14	14	21	13	7	13	7	9	16	11	3	6	6	7	9	9	17
Robbery	40	31	33	32	23	22	27	27	30	22	36	52	59	54	35	37	45	35	35	30	14	28
Offences Against Children	2	2	4	3	4	6	6	2	3	5	7	6	5	7	4	9	5	6	8	12	5	7
Indecency	4	6	14	4	2	5	5	3	3	4	8	2	6	7	3	2	6	2	2	3	2	4
CRIMES AGAINST THE PERSON (TOTAL)	199	221	194	177	144	189	203	215	194	186	219	225	222	257	200	192	186	249	244	246	211	217
CRIMES AGAINST PROPERTY																						
Burglary (Residential)	140	216	142	142	116	208	157	138	181	166	200	192	184	213	177	192	163	185	229	197	163	110
Burglary (Non Residential)	84	55	86	53	63	85	131	106	86	78	76	73	85	93	120	103	77	42	52	75	68	54
Burglary (Tourist Accommodation)	0	0	0	0	0	41	30	10	14	19	18	19	8	4	6	19	11	2	3	6	4	3
Criminal Damage	90	114	92	88	62	87	83	107	98	116	102	107	108	131	126	116	101	131	143	95	90	82
Motor Vehicle Theft	227	209	258	246	266	273	282	209	242	258	278	231	207	242	249	187	196	215	206	170	136	142
Theft of Property	242	299	256	251	267	256	222	236	245	296	288	279	298	300	323	259	233	254	298	218	203	184
Fraud and Deception	47	91	78	64	57	50	86	50	78	48	47	51	55	51	38	51	47	55	63	43	56	42
CRIMES AGAINST PROPERTY (TOTAL)	830	984	912	844	831	1000	991	856	944	981	1009	952	945	1034	1039	927	828	884	994	804	720	617
CRIMES AGAINST THE COMMUNITY																						
Firearm Offences	0	10	1	2	0	3	3	2	1	3	2	4	5	6	3	3	4	6	11	17	30	26
Other Weapon Offences	21	33	22	27	21	34	26	19	27	17	24	21	22	15	23	19	16	27	18	29	16	24
Disorder Offences	34	36	29	34	33	21	42	41	26	29	25	27	27	26	29	29	22	37	35	34	30	40
Anti-Social Behaviour	143	140	137	113	71	114	124	126	112	139	142	113	138	128	133	124	149	173	141	173	177	141
Animal Offences	0	4	2	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	2	0	1	3	1	1	1	2
CRIMES AGAINST THE COMMUNITY (TOTAL)	198	223	191	177	126	173	195	188	166	188	194	165	194	175	190	175	192	246	206	254	254	233
GRAND TOTAL	1227	1428	1297	1198	1101	1362	1389	1259	1304	1355	1422	1342	1361	1466	1429	1294	1206	1379	1444	1304	1185	1067

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Appendix B - Enforcement Activity Statistics In Bermuda (Q1 2005 - Q2 2010)

BERMUDA POLICE SERVICE - ENFORCEMENT ACTIVITY Q1 2010 (LAST 22 QUARTERS)																								
	2005				2006				2007				2008				2009				2010			
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2		
DRUG ENFORCEMENT ACTIVITY																								
Drug Offences (Importation)	14	32	35	12	18	28	24	29	11	9	13	11	13	10	18	15	23	20	16	12	18	62		
Drug Offences (Local)	81	107	132	122	136	95	107	75	72	64	81	64	99	61	83	73	70	91	124	157	181	217		
DRUG ENFORCEMENT ACTIVITY	95	139	167	134	154	123	131	104	83	73	94	75	112	71	101	88	93	111	140	169	199	279		
TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT ACTIVITY																								
Traffic Offences													31	46	46	50	5097	3256	4768	6280	3088	2978		
Impaired Driving			143	132	103	109	119	125	78	80	90	70	74	73	72	110	82	96	58	20	97	97		
Marine Offences			12	5	3	8	9	4	2	14	9	5	2	8	6	2	0	4	78	152	28	10		
Parking Offences	PREVIOUS STATISTICS ARE NOT CURRENTLY AVAILABLE												6707	8824	9816	9460	8591	9054	9472	9890	10143	10095		
TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT ACTIVITY			155	137	106	117	128	129	80	94	99	75	6814	8951	9940	9622	13770	12410	14376	16342	13356	13180		

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Appendix C - Traffic Collision Statistics In Bermuda (Q3 2005 - Q2 2010)

BERMUDA POLICE SERVICE - TRAFFIC COLLISIONS Q1 2010 (LAST 20 QUARTERS)																				
	2005		2006				2007				2008				2009				2010	
	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2
TRAFFIC COLLISIONS																				
Fatal Collisions	2	3	3	2	4	5	6	3	0	2	3	8	2	4	4	5	2	2	2	4
Serious Injury Collisions	43	32	38	49	36	38	29	24	46	53	32	31	41	28	25	31	37	43	27	47
Slight Injury Collisions	254	198	150	227	228	167	160	208	255	188	153	186	199	157	129	158	203	248	129	176
Damage Collisions	517	510	451	490	475	476	439	528	526	539	442	378	380	414	350	365	350	335	350	399
TRAFFIC OFFENCES (TOTAL)	816	743	642	768	743	686	634	763	827	782	630	603	622	603	508	559	592	628	508	626