

## JPACS

### Summary of Three-quarter Year stats – September 2012

#### Court Reports

**Social Enquiry Reports:** An 8% increase in SERs for Magistrate's Court but a significant 72.7% decrease for Youth Court and 26.5% for Royal Court, resulting in an overall decrease of 12% in reports produced:

	<b>Social Enquiry Reports – ¾ Year</b>				
<b>Court</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
Youth Court	48	52	35	33	9
Magistrate's Court	200	258	183	171	185
Royal Court	92	108	96	98	72
<b>Total</b>	<b>340</b>	<b>418</b>	<b>314</b>	<b>302</b>	<b>266</b>

#### **Other reports:**

4 Sex Offender Notification reports were completed in the period (with another 3 pending hearing).

9 Deportation reports were written, although this type of report only started being recorded separately from early March 2012 so may not include the whole year to date.

**Stand-downs:** these have dropped slightly overall by 8.6%, chiefly in the Youth Court:

	<b>Stand-downs - ¾ Year</b>				
<b>Court</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
Youth Court	15	17	17	10	5
Magistrate's Court	31	57	68	71	69
<b>Total</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>74</b>

A total of 353 reports have therefore been prepared for the courts under the above categories to the end of September 2012, an overall decrease of 11% on September 2011.

**New supervisions – community & custodial:**

**Children and Young People:** in total there has been a 42.5% decrease in new supervisions in this category:

	<b>Children/Young People - new supervisions - ¾ Year</b>				
<b>Supervision type:</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
Probation order	33	43	27	23	14
CSO	16	17	19	7	7
Custodial supervision (u.18)	5	2	7	3	1
BOO with RJ	0	6	0	5	1
BOYAT	19	18	20	7	0
BOTO	5	2	0	0	0
Deferred dec from Yth Crt	n/a	n/a	n/a	2	4
<b>Total</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>27</b>

**Adults:** a slight decrease (8%) overall in new adult supervisions:

	<b>Adults new supervisions - ¾ Year</b>				
<b>Supervision type:</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
Probation order (inc.combi.)	73	92	97	87	91
CSO (inc. combi.)	102	143	153	154	145
Custodial supvn. (18-21)	5	13	13	8	6
Custodial supervision	44	59	58	82	55
BOO with RJ	0	0	0	2	6
BOTO	28	19	4	5	6
Susp. Sent. supvn. order	0	2	2	2	3
Voluntary supvn.	1	2	4	11	12
<b>Total</b>	<b>253</b>	<b>330</b>	<b>331</b>	<b>351</b>	<b>324</b>

## Community Service Orders

There has been a 5% reduction in the number of CS hours ordered compared to 2011:

<b>CS Orders - ¾ Year</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
Hours ordered	11467	17262	17910	16050	15190
Hours worked		13438	16147	14789	15074
By:					
Mon work party		20	838	687	1532
Tue work party		1195	560	1752	1794
Wed work party		430	947	1657	1413
Thur work party		25	30	0	0
Fri work party		0	564	564	773
Sat work party		3440	4346	3115	3338
Sun work party		3475	4168	3458	3438
Individ. Placements:					
• Light duties		779	734	570	391
• Others		4074	3960	2986	2395
Average order length	97	107	104	100	100

28% of community service placements for the period this year have been on individual placements.

**Throughcare / Aftercare:** as at 30/9/12 caseload figures are down overall by 14% compared to last year:

<b>Caseload as at 30<sup>th</sup> Sept:</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
Custodial Supervisions - adult	no data	137	115	129	110
Custodial Supervisions – young people (aged 16 – 21)	“	10	14	10	7
Voluntary after-care cases	34	22	22	20	19

## Releases and assessments

79 prisoners were released up to Sept 2012 compared to 85 in 2011. Of these, 8 were released on YOI Licence and 8 on Home Curfew Licence (20%).

Of the remaining 63 releases, 15 accepted the offer of Voluntary After Care (24%).

ROTL reports have increased by 35% and Home Curfew's decreased by 53%, leaving the overall number of pre-release reports up slightly from 2011:

<b>Pre-release reports - ¾ Year</b>					
<b>Report type:</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
ROTL	40	31	41	37	50
TRMS	26	31	n/a	n/a	n/a
Home Curfew	n/a	n/a	10	15	7
<b>Total</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>57</b>

## Parish Halls

The number of Parish Hall cases are up by 15% to 264 compared to 230 for the same period last year (226 in 2010). Of these, 10 were sent to Youth Court and one to Magistrate's (4%).

According to our data, only 3 cases were sent direct to Youth Court from PHQ up to 30.9.12 and dealt with without any Probation involvement, compared to 22 in 2011, 41 in 2010 and 26 in 2009.

There has been a 36% overall decrease in Parish Hall RJ and VS supervisions, 44% when including Alcohol and Drug education:

<b>Parish Hall supervisions - ¾ Year</b>				
<b>Supervision type:</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
Deferred dec with RJ	15	16	14	8
Deferred dec with VS	14	17	11	8
Deferred dec with A&D	1	6	7	2
<b>Total</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>18</b>

## **Basic skills**

During 2012 to date, 12 clients have received tutor support with another due to start. A total of 53 tutor sessions have been delivered. One client was successfully referred by her tutor on the 'Get Into Horses' course with the Princes Trust and is now doing the 12 week Princes Trust Team course. Literacy and numeracy options are also accessed in conjunction with Workwise and 3 clients have been referred to the Second Chance programme run by Highlands. The department is also part-funding a client on a GCSE evening course at Highlands.

## **Restorative Justice**

A summary of the contacts reveals RJ officer involvement in relation to 50 clients across the spectrum of supervision types. This includes 13 face to face direct apologies and 3 conferences plus several other initiatives involving secondary schools, letters of apology and work with other States departments. A work-shop was recently held in line with the Youth Justice Review recommendations following which dates have been set on the 5<sup>th</sup>, 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> November for a new RJ course for a number of agencies including Housing, Education and children's homes.

## **Snapshot caseload**

The snapshot caseload shows a continuing reduction in the total number of supervisions (10%), there being 427 on 30.9.12 based on 332 individual clients. This compares to 473 cases as at 30.9.11 and 498 cases on 30.9.10, both based on 375 individuals.