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Dear Juvenile Justice Colleague:

I am pleased to present the 2008 juvenile detention statistics prepared by the Compliance Monitoring Unit. Please note that there are two sets of statistics attached. Since May 2003, the population capacity for the Union County Juvenile Detention Center had been capped at 34 residents. On April 30, 2008, Union County moved into a new detention center resulting in the Commission rescinding the cap of 34 residents. Prior to that date, after reaching the cap, Union County transferred residents requiring secure detention to Middlesex, Morris and Sussex Counties.

Due to the physical plant limitations of the Bergen County Juvenile Detention Center, a soft cap of 14 was placed on the facility as of January 2006. The County has made arrangements with Morris County to house, as necessary, Bergen juveniles needing secure detention. An additional cause for adjustment had been the housing of Camden County female juveniles since August 1, 2004, in other detention facilities due to overcrowding. However, Camden County moved into a new detention center in December 2007, and no longer needs to send female residents out of county.

Due to these exceptional circumstances, the 2008 detention statistics are presented in two ways. The first set of statistical tables, beginning with Table I, document the actual number of admissions and related child care days for each detention facility. For reporting purposes, one child care day represents each day a juvenile spends in a detention facility. In addition, a set of adjusted tables identified by an "A", beginning with Table I-A (Adjusted), are being provided, where applicable, to depict the figures for Union and Bergen counties, as well as the counties noted above, had Union and Bergen Counties been operating under usual circumstances.

The statistics include information on admissions, child care days, average daily population, and average length of stay. Two-year comparisons are provided as well as five-year statewide comparisons, where appropriate. Also, statistics are provided for county juvenile detention facilities which have juvenile detention commitment programs.

Please note that Cape May, Hunterdon, Salem and Somerset counties do not operate juvenile detention centers. These counties send juveniles needing secure custody to neighboring county juvenile detention facilities. In the case of Somerset County, all juveniles needing secure detention are transferred to the Middlesex County Juvenile Detention Center. For statistical purposes, Somerset County's admissions and child care days are listed separately from the Middlesex County figures in adjusted tables I-A through IX-A.

In closing, I hope the statistics are helpful to you and thank you for your interest in this matter.

Sincerely,

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**TO:** All Juvenile Detention Administrators  
**FROM:** William M. Burke, Supervisor *WMB*  
Compliance Monitoring Unit  
**DATE:** October 30, 2009  
**SUBJECT:** Statistics on Juveniles in Detention Facilities - 2008

Attached are the statistics on juveniles placed in detention facilities in New Jersey during 2008, prepared by the Commission's Compliance Monitoring Unit. The data was collected through the completion of forms (Monthly Population Report for Juvenile Detention Facilities) received from each county facility and verified, if necessary, by phone.

The population capacity for the Union County Juvenile Detention Center had been capped at 34 residents since May 2003. On April 30, 2008, Union County moved into a new detention center resulting in the Commission rescinding the cap of 34 residents. Prior to that date, after reaching the cap, Union County transferred male residents requiring secure detention to Middlesex, Morris and Sussex Counties. For operational purposes in 2008, Union County male juveniles were first admitted to the Union County facility and counted as admissions, then transferred to the other detention facilities where the juveniles were again counted as admissions.

Due to the physical plant limitations of the Bergen County Juvenile Detention Center, a soft cap of 14 was placed on the facility as of January 2006. The County has made arrangements to house, as necessary, juveniles needing secure detention in Morris County. An additional cause for adjustment had been the housing of Camden County female juveniles since August 1, 2004 in other detention facilities due to overcrowding. However, Camden County moved into a new detention center in December 2007, and no longer needs to send female residents out of county.

Due to these exceptional circumstances, the 2008 detention statistics are presented in two ways. The first set of statistical tables, beginning with Table I, *documents the actual number of admissions and related child care days for each detention facility.* For reporting purposes, one child care day represents each day a juvenile spends in a detention facility. In addition, a set of adjusted tables identified by an "A", beginning with Table I-A (Adjusted), is being provided, where applicable, to *depict the figures for Union and Bergen Counties as well as the counties noted above, had Union and Bergen Counties been operating under usual circumstances.*



With regard to Union County, the adjusted tables differ from the regular tables in that admissions and related child care figures for Middlesex, Morris and Sussex Counties are lower on the adjusted tables, due to the subtraction of admissions and child care days of juveniles transferred to those counties from Union County. Consequently, the total child care days for those transferred are added to Union's total on the adjusted tables, while Union's admissions remain unchanged. Footnotes to the adjusted tables specify the nature of the differences as compared to the regular tables.

For Bergen County, the adjusted tables differ from the regular tables in that admissions and related child care day figures for Morris County are lower on the adjusted tables, due to the subtraction of admissions and related child care days of juveniles transferred to Morris County from Bergen County. Consequently, the total admissions and child care days for those transferred are added to Bergen's total on the adjusted tables.

The reports present two-year comparisons as well as five-year statewide comparisons where appropriate. Please note that the statistics in Tables I through VII and Tables I-A (Adjusted) through VII-A (Adjusted) *do not include juveniles admitted to juvenile detention commitment programs*. All statistics in Table X and Table X-A (Adjusted) and thereafter, include all juveniles admitted to detention, predispositional as well as commitment program admissions, for the purpose of presenting a true reflection of the number of juveniles in detention facilities.

Tables XIV and XV present juvenile detention rates for the period from 2004 to 2008. There are several methods of determining juvenile detention rates and for this report we have selected two methods. The first is based on delinquency complaints filed, in each year. The second is based on population figures for statewide estimates of juveniles age 10 -17.

Detention rates based on delinquency complaints filed are calculated by taking the number of juveniles admitted to detention statewide, dividing by the number of delinquency complaints filed in court statewide, and multiplying by 100 for each calendar year 2004 - 2008. Tables XIV and XIV-A (Adjusted) provide the figures for detention rates per 100 delinquency complaints filed.

Detention rates based on population are calculated by taking the number of juveniles admitted to detention statewide, dividing by the estimated number of juveniles age 10-17, and multiplying by 1,000. Tables XV and XV-A (Adjusted) provide the figures for statewide population estimates for juveniles age 10 -17, admissions to detention statewide, and the detention rates per one thousand juveniles age 10 -17.

Please note that Cape May, Hunterdon, Salem and Somerset counties do not operate juvenile detention centers. These counties send juveniles needing secure custody to neighboring county juvenile detention facilities. Cape May, Hunterdon and Salem counties are not listed in the statistical tables as a result. In the case of Somerset County, all juveniles needing secure detention in Somerset County are transferred to the Middlesex County Juvenile Detention Center. For statistical purposes, Somerset County's admissions and child care days are listed separately from the Middlesex County figures in adjusted tables I-A through IX-A.

I would like to thank all the juvenile detention staff for their efforts in providing the data necessary to develop these statistics. Your cooperation is very much appreciated. If there are any questions, please feel free to call me at (609) 341-5056.

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**TABLE I**  
**Juveniles in Detention Facilities in New Jersey\***  
**By Facility - Raw Data**  
**January through December**  
**2008**

<u>County**</u>	<u>Admissions</u>			<u>Child Care Days</u>		
	<u>Male</u>	<u>Female</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Male</u>	<u>Female</u>	<u>Total</u>
Atlantic	297	38	335	8,057	864	8,921
Bergen****	123	15	138	3,468	569	4,037
Burlington	253	31	284	6,040	539	6,579
Camden****	574	81	655	16,801	1,452	18,253
Cumberland	346	96	442	10,235	1,512	11,747
Essex	1,334	146	1,480	39,219	2,760	41,979
Gloucester	192	33	225	3,864	426	4,290
Hudson	846	101	947	21,015	1,248	22,263
Mercer	507	71	578	14,512	1,039	15,551
Middlesex	429	105	534	17,733	2,344	20,077
Monmouth	246	40	286	9,749	464	10,213
Morris	143	20	163	3,546	288	3,834
Ocean	149	36	185	6,823	1,105	7,928
Passaic	731	80	811	24,128	1,578	25,706
Sussex	126	26	152	2,085	314	2,399
Union***	390	48	438	10,590	636	11,226
Warren	70	8	78	2,416	123	2,539
<b>State Total</b>	<b>6,756</b>	<b>975</b>	<b>7,731</b>	<b>200,281</b>	<b>17,261</b>	<b>217,542</b>

\*Does not include juveniles admitted to juvenile detention commitment programs.

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\*\*\*The population capacity for the Union County Juvenile Detention Center had been capped by the Juvenile Justice Commission at 34 residents since May 20 2008. Subsequently, after reaching the cap, Union County had transferred male juveniles requiring secure detention to several neighboring county facilities. On April 30, 2008, Union County moved into a new detention center resulting in the Commission rescinding the cap of 34 residents. Prior to April 30, 2008, after reaching their cap, Union County transferred male residents needing secure detention to the following neighboring counties: Middlesex, Morris and Sussex. In Table 1, those juveniles transferred are counted as Union County admissions and also counted as admissions for the counties receiving them. Additionally, due to the transfer of juveniles from Union County, the number of child care days in Table 1 for the receiving counties is increased, while the Union County child care days are decreased. Therefore, Table 1 and subsequent non-adjusted tables, document the number of admissions (including duplicate admissions) and child care days for youth actually detained in each facility. In contrast, as noted in the cover letter, a set of adjusted tables depict the figures for Union County as well as the receiving counties, had there been no transfers from Union.

\*\*\*\* In January 2006, a "soft cap" of 14 was placed on the Bergen County Juvenile Detention Center. Subsequently, prior to reaching the "soft cap," Bergen has transferred juveniles requiring secure detention to Morris County. Table 1, and subsequent non-adjusted tables, document the number of admissions and child care days for youth actually detained in the Morris County facility. Due to the transfer of juveniles from Bergen County, the number of child care days in Table 1 for Morris County is increased, while the Bergen County child care days are decreased. In contrast, adjusted tables depict the figures for Bergen County as well as Morris County, had juveniles not been housed out of county. An additional cause for adjustment had been the housing of Camden County female juveniles since August 1, 2004 in other detention facilities due to overcrowding. However, Camden County moved into a new detention center in December 2007 and no longer needs to send female residents out of county.

**TABLE II**  
**Juveniles in Detention Facilities in New Jersey\* - Raw Data**  
**January through December**  
**2008**

<u>County</u>	<u>Admissions</u>			<u>Average Daily Population</u>			<u>Average Length of Stay (Days)</u>		
	<u>Male</u>	<u>Female</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Male</u>	<u>Female</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Male</u>	<u>Female</u>	<u>Total</u>
Atlantic	297	38	335	22.0	2.4	24.4	27.1	22.7	26.6
Bergen	123	15	138	9.5	1.6	11.0	28.2	37.9	29.3
Burlington	253	31	284	16.5	1.5	18.0	23.9	17.4	23.2
Camden	574	81	655	45.9	4.0	49.9	29.3	17.9	27.9
Cumberland	346	96	442	28.0	4.1	32.1	29.6	15.8	26.6
Essex	1,334	146	1,480	107.2	7.5	114.7	29.4	18.9	28.4
Gloucester	192	33	225	10.6	1.2	11.7	20.1	12.9	19.1
Hudson	846	101	947	57.4	3.4	60.8	24.8	12.4	23.5
Mercer	507	71	578	39.7	2.8	42.5	28.6	14.6	26.9
Middlesex	429	105	534	48.5	6.4	54.9	41.3	22.3	37.6
Monmouth	246	40	286	26.6	1.3	27.9	39.6	11.6	35.7
Morris	143	20	163	9.7	0.8	10.5	24.8	14.4	23.5
Ocean	149	36	185	18.6	3.0	21.7	45.8	30.7	42.9
Passaic	731	80	811	65.9	4.3	70.2	33.0	19.7	31.7
Sussex	126	26	152	5.7	0.9	6.6	16.5	12.1	15.8
Union	390	48	438	28.9	1.7	30.7	27.2	13.3	25.6
Warren	70	8	78	6.6	0.3	6.9	34.5	15.4	32.6
<b>State Total</b>	<b>6,756</b>	<b>975</b>	<b>7,731</b>	<b>547.2</b>	<b>47.2</b>	<b>594.4</b>	<b>29.6</b>	<b>17.7</b>	<b>28.1</b>

\* Does not include juveniles admitted to juvenile detention commitment programs.

Please see footnotes 3 & 4 on Table I regarding their relevance to the data provided in the current table.

**TABLE III**  
**Admissions to Juvenile Detention Facilities in New Jersey\***  
**Reported in Percent Change**  
**January through December**  
**2007 - 2008**

<u>County</u>	<u>Male</u>			<u>Female</u>			<u>Total</u>		
	<u>2007</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>Change</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>Change</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>Change</u>
Atlantic	384	297	-22.7%	57	38	-33.3%	441	335	-24.0%
Bergen	104	123	18.3%	14	15	7.1%	118	138	16.9%
Burlington	269	253	-5.9%	55	31	-43.6%	324	284	-12.3%
Camden	701	574	-18.1%	88	81	-8.0%	789	655	-17.0%
Cumberland	418	346	-17.2%	114	96	-15.8%	532	442	-16.9%
Essex	1,822	1,334	-26.8%	172	146	-15.1%	1,994	1,480	-25.8%
Gloucester	182	192	5.5%	65	33	-49.2%	247	225	-8.9%
Hudson	905	846	-6.5%	97	101	4.1%	1,002	947	-5.5%
Mercer	670	507	-24.3%	96	71	-26.0%	766	578	-24.5%
Middlesex	575	429	-25.4%	111	105	-5.4%	686	534	-22.2%
Monmouth	290	246	-15.2%	50	40	-20.0%	340	286	-15.9%
Morris	166	143	-13.9%	28	20	-28.6%	194	163	-16.0%
Ocean	198	149	-24.7%	35	36	2.9%	233	185	-20.6%
Passaic	707	731	3.4%	90	80	-11.1%	797	811	1.8%
Sussex	122	126	3.3%	34	26	-23.5%	156	152	-2.6%
Union	430	390	-9.3%	35	48	37.1%	465	438	-5.8%
Warren	94	70	-25.5%	11	8	-27.3%	105	78	-25.7%
<b>State Total</b>	<b>8,037</b>	<b>6,756</b>	<b>-15.9%</b>	<b>1,152</b>	<b>975</b>	<b>-15.4%</b>	<b>9,189</b>	<b>7,731</b>	<b>-15.9%</b>

\* Does not include juveniles admitted to juvenile detention commitment programs.

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**TABLE IV**  
**Average Length of Stay in Juvenile Detention Facilities in New Jersey\***  
**Reported in Percent Change**  
**January through December**  
**2007 - 2008**

County	Male			Female			Total		
	<u>2007</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>Change</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>Change</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>Change</u>
Atlantic	25.8	27.1	5.3%	20.4	22.7	11.5%	25.1	26.6	6.2%
Bergen	27.8	28.2	1.3%	26.4	37.9	43.9%	27.7	29.3	5.7%
Burlington	28.4	23.9	-16.0%	27.4	17.4	-36.6%	28.2	23.2	-18.0%
Camden	21.8	29.3	34.5%	10.3	17.9	74.9%	20.5	27.9	36.0%
Cumberland	27.7	29.6	6.9%	14.6	15.8	8.2%	24.9	26.6	6.9%
Essex	24.7	29.4	18.9%	11.1	18.9	70.9%	23.6	28.4	20.4%
Gloucester	23.6	20.1	-14.8%	15.7	12.9	-17.9%	21.6	19.1	-11.5%
Hudson	24.5	24.8	1.3%	8.7	12.4	41.6%	23.0	23.5	2.2%
Mercer	28.3	28.6	1.2%	19.3	14.6	-24.1%	27.2	26.9	-1.0%
Middlesex	32.5	41.3	27.4%	20.1	22.3	11.0%	30.5	37.6	23.4%
Monmouth	24.0	39.6	65.1%	20.2	11.6	-42.7%	23.4	35.7	52.3%
Morris	19.2	24.8	29.2%	19.8	14.4	-27.3%	19.3	23.5	21.9%
Ocean	39.8	45.8	15.2%	27.0	30.7	13.7%	37.9	42.9	13.2%
Passaic	31.9	33.0	3.4%	17.8	19.7	10.9%	30.3	31.7	4.6%
Sussex	23.4	16.6	-29.2%	8.4	12.1	43.6%	20.1	15.8	-21.5%
Union	20.5	27.1	32.7%	4.7	13.3	182.5%	19.3	25.6	32.9%
Warren	27.6	34.5	24.8%	11.6	15.4	32.1%	26.0	32.5	25.3%
<b>State Total</b>	<b>26.3</b>	<b>29.6</b>	<b>12.8%</b>	<b>15.8</b>	<b>17.7</b>	<b>12.4%</b>	<b>25.0</b>	<b>28.1</b>	<b>12.7%</b>

\* Does not include juveniles admitted to juvenile detention commitment programs.

Please see footnotes 3 & 4 on Table I regarding their relevance to the data provided in the current table.

**TABLE V**  
**Average Daily Population in Juvenile Detention Facilities in New Jersey\***  
**Reported in Percent Change**  
**January through December**  
**Two Year Comparison**  
**2007 - 2008**

<u>County</u>	<u>Male</u>			<u>Female</u>			<u>Total</u>		
	<u>2007</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>Change</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>Change</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>Change</u>
Atlantic	27.1	22.0	-18.8%	3.2	2.4	-25.8%	30.3	24.4	-19.5%
Bergen	7.9	9.5	19.5%	1.0	1.6	53.5%	8.9	11.0	23.4%
Burlington	20.9	16.5	-21.2%	4.1	1.5	-64.4%	25.1	18.0	-28.3%
Camden	41.8	45.9	9.8%	2.5	4.0	60.7%	44.3	49.9	12.6%
Cumberland	31.7	28.0	-11.7%	4.5	4.1	-9.2%	36.2	32.1	-11.4%
Essex	123.4	107.2	-13.2%	5.2	7.5	44.7%	128.6	114.7	-10.8%
Gloucester	11.8	10.6	-10.4%	2.8	1.2	-58.6%	14.6	11.7	-19.6%
Hudson	60.8	57.4	-5.6%	2.3	3.4	47.0%	63.1	60.8	-3.6%
Mercer	51.9	39.6	-23.6%	5.1	2.8	-44.0%	57.0	42.5	-25.5%
Middlesex	51.1	48.5	-5.2%	6.1	6.4	4.6%	57.3	54.9	-4.2%
Monmouth	19.1	26.6	39.7%	2.8	1.3	-54.2%	21.8	27.9	27.8%
Morris	8.7	9.7	11.0%	1.5	0.8	-48.0%	10.3	10.5	2.2%
Ocean	21.6	18.6	-13.6%	2.6	3.0	16.6%	24.2	21.7	-10.3%
Passaic	61.8	65.9	6.6%	4.4	4.3	-1.8%	66.2	70.2	6.1%
Sussex	7.8	5.7	-27.0%	0.8	0.9	10.3%	8.6	6.6	-23.6%
Union	24.1	28.9	20.0%	0.5	1.7	286.7%	24.6	30.7	24.9%
Warren	7.1	6.6	-7.3%	0.3	0.3	-2.9%	7.5	6.9	-7.1%
<b>State Total</b>	<b>578.8</b>	<b>547.2</b>	<b>-5.5%</b>	<b>49.7</b>	<b>47.2</b>	<b>-5.1%</b>	<b>628.5</b>	<b>594.4</b>	<b>-5.4%</b>



**TABLE VI**  
**Juveniles in Detention Facilities in New Jersey\***  
**Number and Percent of MALE Admissions by Race**  
**January through December**

2008

<u>County</u>	<u>White</u>		<u>Black</u>		<u>Hispanic</u>		<u>Other</u>		<u>Total</u>
	<u>Total</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>%</u>	
Atlantic	46	15.5%	224	75.4%	23	7.7%	4	1.3%	297
Bergen	22	17.9%	64	52.0%	35	28.5%	2	1.6%	123
Burlington	65	25.7%	177	70.0%	10	4.0%	1	0.4%	253
Camden	59	10.3%	373	65.0%	137	23.9%	5	0.9%	574
Cumberland	77	22.3%	223	64.5%	46	13.3%	0	0.0%	346
Essex	31	2.3%	1,165	87.3%	138	10.3%	0	0.0%	1,334
Gloucester	99	51.6%	77	40.1%	12	6.3%	4	2.1%	192
Hudson	34	4.0%	468	55.3%	327	38.7%	17	2.0%	846
Mercer	33	6.5%	422	83.2%	51	10.1%	1	0.2%	507
Middlesex	90	21.0%	199	46.4%	126	29.4%	14	3.3%	429
Monmouth	49	19.9%	152	61.8%	31	12.6%	14	5.7%	246
Morris	63	44.1%	40	28.0%	39	27.3%	1	0.7%	143
Ocean	86	57.7%	46	30.9%	17	11.4%	0	0.0%	149
Passaic	59	8.1%	366	50.1%	292	39.9%	14	1.9%	731
Sussex	100	79.4%	10	7.9%	15	11.9%	1	0.8%	126
Union	21	5.4%	277	71.0%	90	23.1%	2	0.5%	390
Warren	48	68.6%	15	21.4%	6	8.6%	1	1.4%	70
<b>Male Total</b>	<b>982</b>	<b>14.5%</b>	<b>4,298</b>	<b>63.6%</b>	<b>1,395</b>	<b>20.6%</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>1.2%</b>	<b>6,756</b>

\* Does not include juveniles admitted to juvenile detention commitment programs.

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**TABLE VII**  
**Juveniles in Detention Facilities in New Jersey\***  
**Number and Percent of FEMALE Admissions by Race**  
**January through December**

2008

County	White		Black		Hispanic		Other		Total
	Total	%	Total	%	Total	%	Total	%	
Atlantic	8	21.1%	21	55.3%	9	23.7%	0	0.0%	38
Bergen	4	26.7%	9	60.0%	2	13.3%	0	0.0%	15
Burlington	9	29.0%	21	67.7%	1	3.2%	0	0.0%	31
Camden	10	12.3%	54	66.7%	17	21.0%	0	0.0%	81
Cumberland	16	16.7%	73	76.0%	6	6.3%	1	1.0%	96
Essex	3	2.1%	135	92.5%	8	5.5%	0	0.0%	146
Gloucester	17	51.5%	15	45.5%	1	3.0%	0	0.0%	33
Hudson	8	7.9%	54	53.5%	39	38.6%	0	0.0%	101
Mercer	4	5.6%	63	88.7%	4	5.6%	0	0.0%	71
Middlesex	27	25.7%	49	46.7%	26	24.8%	3	2.9%	105
Monmouth	8	20.0%	25	62.5%	2	5.0%	5	12.5%	40
Morris	10	50.0%	4	20.0%	5	25.0%	1	5.0%	20
Ocean	29	80.6%	5	13.9%	2	5.6%	0	0.0%	36
Passaic	3	3.7%	48	60.0%	24	30.0%	5	6.3%	80
Sussex	25	96.2%	0	0.0%	1	3.8%	0	0.0%	26
Union	3	6.3%	36	75.0%	9	18.8%	0	0.0%	48
Warren	6	75.0%	1	12.5%	1	12.5%	0	0.0%	8
<b>Female Total</b>	<b>190</b>	<b>19.5%</b>	<b>613</b>	<b>62.9%</b>	<b>157</b>	<b>16.1%</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>1.5%</b>	<b>975</b>
<b>Male Total</b>	<b>982</b>	<b>14.5%</b>	<b>4,298</b>	<b>63.6%</b>	<b>1,395</b>	<b>20.6%</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>1.2%</b>	<b>6,756</b>
<b>Female Total</b>	<b>190</b>	<b>19.5%</b>	<b>613</b>	<b>62.9%</b>	<b>157</b>	<b>16.1%</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>1.5%</b>	<b>975</b>
<b>State Total</b>	<b>1,172</b>	<b>15.2%</b>	<b>4,911</b>	<b>63.5%</b>	<b>1,552</b>	<b>20.1%</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>1.2%</b>	<b>7,731</b>

\* Does not include juveniles admitted to juvenile detention commitment programs.

Please see footnotes 3 & 4 on Table I regarding their relevance to the data provided in the current table.

TABLE VIII  
 Juveniles in Detention Commitment Programs\*  
 By Facility - Raw Data  
 January through December  
 2008

<u>County</u>	<u>Admissions</u>			<u>Child Care Days</u>		
	<u>Male</u>	<u>Female</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Male</u>	<u>Female</u>	<u>Total</u>
Cumberland	29	2	31	642	16	658
Middlesex	57	12	69	1,287	276	1,563
Morris	27	2	29	544	4	548
Ocean	94	12	106	2,146	236	2,382
Sussex	27	8	35	445	68	513
Warren	53	7	60	823	58	881
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>287</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>330</b>	<b>5,887</b>	<b>658</b>	<b>6,545</b>

The figures above provide information on those Counties which operate a Juvenile Detention Commitment Program.

**TABLE IX**  
**Juveniles in Detention Commitment Programs\* - Raw Data**  
**January through December**  
**2008**

<u>County</u>	<u>Admissions</u>			<u>Average Daily Population</u>			<u>Average Length of Stay (Days)</u>		
	<u>Male</u>	<u>Female</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Male</u>	<u>Female</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Male</u>	<u>Female</u>	<u>Total</u>
<b>Cumberland</b>	29	2	31	1.8	0.0	1.8	22.1	8.0	21.2
<b>Middlesex</b>	57	12	69	3.5	0.8	4.3	22.6	23.0	22.7
<b>Morris</b>	27	2	29	1.5	0.0	1.5	20.1	2.0	18.9
<b>Ocean</b>	94	12	106	5.9	0.6	6.5	22.8	19.7	22.5
<b>Sussex</b>	27	8	35	1.2	0.2	1.4	16.5	8.5	14.7
<b>Warren</b>	53	7	60	2.2	0.2	2.4	15.5	8.3	14.7
<b>State Total</b>	<b>287</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>330</b>	<b>16.1</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>17.9</b>	<b>20.5</b>	<b>15.3</b>	<b>19.8</b>

\* The figures above provide information on those counties which operate a juvenile detention commitment program.

**TABLE X**  
**Average Daily Population as a Percent of Approved Capacity\***  
**January through December**  
**2008**

<u>County</u>	<u>Average Daily Population</u>	<u>Approved Capacity</u>	<u>Percent of Approved Capacity</u>
Atlantic	24.4	27	90.3%
Bergen**	11.0	41	26.9%
Burlington	18.0	24	74.9%
Camden	49.9	61	81.8%
Cumberland	33.9	46	73.7%
Essex	114.7	242	47.4%
Gloucester	11.7	15	78.1%
Hudson	60.8	79	77.0%
Mercer	42.5	64	66.4%
Middlesex	59.1	88	67.2%
Monmouth	27.9	40	69.8%
Morris	12.0	43	27.8%
Ocean	28.2	30	93.9%
Passaic	70.2	86	81.7%
Sussex	8.0	16	49.7%
Union	30.7	76	40.4%
Warren	9.3	28	33.4%
<b>Total</b>	<b>612.3</b>	<b>1006</b>	<b>60.9%</b>

\* Includes juveniles admitted to juvenile detention commitment programs.

\*\* Although a "soft cap" of 14 was placed on the Bergen County Juvenile Detention Center in January 2006, the facility's approved capacity remains at 41.

Please see footnotes 3 & 4 on-Table 1 regarding their relevance to the data provided in the current table.

**TABLE XI**  
**Admissions to Juvenile Detention Facilities in New Jersey\***  
**Reported in Percent Change**  
**Statewide 2004 - 2008**

<u>SEX</u>	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	<u>% CHANGE</u> <u>2004-2008</u>
MALE	10,171	9,283	8,643	8,314	7,043	-30.8%
FEMALE	1,695	1,542	1,358	1,187	1,018	-39.9%
TOTAL	11,866	10,825	10,001	9,501	8,061	-32.1%
% CHANGE	---	-8.8%	-7.6%	-5.0%	-15.2%	---

\* Includes juveniles admitted to juvenile detention commitment programs.

Please note there was an under-reporting of Atlantic County admissions for the years 2002-2005. As a result, the 2004-2005 admission figures for males, females and state total have been adjusted.

Please see footnotes 3 & 4 on Table I regarding their relevance to the data provided in the current table.

**TABLE XII**  
**Average Daily Population**  
**in Juvenile Detention Facilities in New Jersey\***  
**Reported in Percent Change**  
**January through December**

**Statewide 2004 - 2008**

<b>SEX</b>	<b>2004</b>	<b>2005</b>	<b>2006</b>	<b>2007</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>% Change 2004 - 2008</b>
<b>MALE</b>	725.2	653.0	580.2	596.4	563.3	-22.3%
<b>FEMALE</b>	80.1	75.0	58.2	51.4	49.0	-38.8%
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>805.2</b>	<b>728.0</b>	<b>638.4</b>	<b>647.8</b>	<b>612.3</b>	<b>-24.0%</b>
<b>% CHANGE</b>	----	<b>-9.6%</b>	<b>-12.3%</b>	<b>1.5%</b>	<b>-5.5%</b>	----

\* Includes juveniles admitted to juvenile detention commitment programs.

Please see footnotes 3 & 4 on Table I regarding their relevance to the data provided in the current table.

**TABLE XIII**  
**Average Length of Stay**  
**in Juvenile Detention Facilities in New Jersey\***  
**Reported in Percent Change**  
**Statewide 2004 - 2008**

<u>SEX</u>	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	<u>% CHANGE</u> <u>2004-2008</u>
MALE	26.0	25.6	24.5	26.2	29.3	12.7%
FEMALE	17.2	16.8	15.6	15.8	17.6	2.3%
TOTAL	24.8	24.3	23.3	24.9	27.8	12.2%
% CHANGE	---	-1.7%	-4.4%	6.9%	11.8%	---

\* Includes juveniles admitted to juvenile detention commitment programs.

Please note there was an under-reporting of Atlantic County admissions for the years 2002-2005. As a result, the 2004-2005 average length of stay figures for males, females and state total have been adjusted.

Please see footnotes 3 & 4 on Table I regarding their relevance to the data provided in the current table.



**TABLE XIV**  
**Juvenile Detention Rates \* Based on Delinquency Complaints\*\***

**Statewide 2004 - 2008**

<u>Year</u>	<u>Admissions</u>	<u>Delinquency Complaints Filed***</u>	<u>Detention Rate Per 100 Complaints</u>
2004	11,866	47,735	24.9
2005	10,825	45,467	23.8
2006	10,001	44,966	22.2
2007	9,501	44,381	21.4
2008	8,061	42,052	19.2

\* Detention rates were calculated by taking the number of juveniles admitted to detention statewide, dividing by the number of delinquency complaints filed statewide, and multiplying by 100 for each calendar year 2004-2008.

\*\* Includes juveniles admitted to juvenile detention commitment programs.

\*\*\* Each year the figures for delinquency complaints filed are obtained from the Family Division of the Administrative Office of the Courts (AOC).

Please note there was an under-reporting of Atlantic County admissions for the years 2002-2005. As a result, the 2004-2005 admission figures have been adjusted.

Please see footnotes 3 & 4 on Table I regarding their relevance to the data provided in the current table.

**TABLE XV**  
**Juvenile Detention Rates \* Based on Population\*\***

**Statewide 2004 - 2008**

<u>Year</u>	<u>Admissions</u>	<u>State Population Estimates for Juveniles Age 10-17</u>	<u>Detention Rate per 1,000 Juveniles Age 10-17</u>
2004	11,866	989,643	12.0
2005	10,825	998,334	10.8
2006	10,001	970,130	10.3
2007	9,501	952,969	10.0
2008	8,061	933,715	8.6

\* Detention rates were calculated by taking the number of juveniles admitted to detention statewide, dividing by the estimated number of juveniles age 10-17, and multiplying by 1,000. Source of Juvenile Population Figures: New Jersey Department of Labor's Division of Labor Market and Demographic Research.

\*\* Includes juveniles admitted to juvenile detention commitment programs.

Please note there was an under-reporting of Atlantic County admissions for the years 2002-2005. As a result, the 2004-2005 admission figures have been adjusted.

Please see footnotes 3 & 4 on Table I regarding their relevance to the data provided in the current table.

**TABLE I-A (Adjusted)\***  
**Juveniles in Detention Facilities in New Jersey\*\***  
**By Facility - Raw Data**  
**January through December**  
**2008**

County***	Admissions			Child Care Days		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Atlantic	297	38	335	8,057	864	8,921
Bergen	123	15	138	4,258	569	4,827
Burlington	253	31	284	6,040	539	6,579
Camden	574	81	655	16,801	1,452	18,253
Cumberland	346	96	442	10,235	1,512	11,747
Essex	1,334	146	1,480	39,219	2,760	41,979
Gloucester	192	33	225	3,864	426	4,290
Hudson	846	101	947	21,015	1,248	22,263
Mercer	507	71	578	14,512	1,039	15,551
Middlesex****	324	82	406	15,757	1,909	17,666
Monmouth	246	40	286	9,749	464	10,213
Morris	91	20	111	2,468	288	2,756
Ocean	149	36	185	6,823	1,105	7,928
Passaic	731	80	811	24,128	1,578	25,706
Somerset****	101	23	124	1,932	435	2,367
Sussex	118	26	144	1,958	314	2,272
Union	390	48	438	11,049	636	11,685
Warren	70	8	78	2,416	123	2,539
<b>State Total</b>	<b>6,692</b>	<b>975</b>	<b>7,667</b>	<b>200,281</b>	<b>17,261</b>	<b>217,542</b>

\*The population capacity for the Union County Juvenile Detention Center had been capped by the Juvenile Justice Commission at 34 residents since May 2003. On April 30, 2008, Union County moved into a new detention center resulting in the Commission rescinding the cap of 34 residents. Prior to that date, after reaching their cap, Union County transferred male residents needing secure detention to the following neighboring counties: Middlesex, Morris and Sussex. Also, in January 2006, a "soft cap" of 14 was placed on the Bergen County Juvenile Detention Center. Subsequently, prior to reaching the "soft cap," Bergen County has transferred juveniles requiring secure detention to Morris County. For operational purposes in 2008, Union and Bergen juveniles were first admitted to their respective facilities and counted as admissions, then transferred to the other facilities where they were again counted as admissions.

An additional cause for adjustment had been the housing of Camden County female juveniles since August 1, 2004, in other detention facilities due to overcrowding. However, Camden County moved into a new detention center in December 2007, and no longer needs to send female residents out of county. Table I and subsequent non-adjusted tables document the number of admissions and child care days for youth actually detained in each facility. All adjusted tables depict the figures for Union and Bergen Counties, as well as the counties noted above, had there been no transfer/alternate housing arrangements.

Adjustments to Table I in regard to Union County are as follows: Admission and related child care figures for Middlesex, Morris and Sussex Counties are lower here as compared with the Table I figures, due to the subtraction of admissions and child care days of juveniles transferred to these counties from Union County. In addition, the total child care days for those transferred are added to Union's total, while Union's admissions remain unchanged.

Adjustments to Bergen County are as follows: Admission and related child care figures for Morris County are lower here as compared with the Table I figures, due to the subtraction of admissions and child care days of juveniles transferred to Morris County from Bergen County. In addition, child care days for those housed in Morris County are added to Bergen's total, while Bergen's admissions remain unchanged. Overall, the statewide total for admissions is reduced, while the statewide total for child care days remains unchanged.

\*\*Does not include juveniles admitted to juvenile detention commitment programs.

\*\*\* Cape May, Hunterdon, Salem and Somerset counties do not operate juvenile detention centers. These counties send juveniles needing secure detention to neighboring county juvenile detention facilities.

\*\*\*\* For Somerset County, all juveniles requiring secure detention in Somerset County are transferred to the Middlesex County Juvenile Detention Center. For statistical purposes, Somerset County's admissions and child care days are listed separately. Subsequently, admission and child care figures for Middlesex County are lower here as compared with the Table I figures, due to the subtraction of admissions and child care days of juveniles transferred from Somerset County.

**TABLE II-A (Adjusted)\***  
**Juveniles in Detention Facilities in New Jersey\*\* - Raw Data**  
**January through December**  
**2008**

<u>County</u>	<u>Admissions</u>			<u>Average Daily Population</u>			<u>Average Length of Stay (Days)</u>		
	<u>Male</u>	<u>Female</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Male</u>	<u>Female</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Male</u>	<u>Female</u>	<u>Total</u>
Atlantic	297	38	335	22.0	2.4	24.4	27.1	22.7	26.6
Bergen	123	15	138	11.6	1.6	13.2	34.6	37.9	35.0
Burlington	253	31	284	16.5	1.5	18.0	23.9	17.4	23.2
Camden	574	81	655	45.9	4.0	49.9	29.3	17.9	27.9
Cumberland	346	96	442	28.0	4.1	32.1	29.6	15.8	26.6
Essex	1,334	146	1,480	107.2	7.5	114.7	29.4	18.9	28.4
Gloucester	192	33	225	10.6	1.2	11.7	20.1	12.9	19.1
Hudson	846	101	947	57.4	3.4	60.8	24.8	12.4	23.5
Mercer	507	71	578	39.7	2.8	42.5	28.6	14.6	26.9
Middlesex***	324	82	406	43.1	5.2	48.3	48.6	23.3	43.5
Monmouth	246	40	286	26.6	1.3	27.9	39.6	11.6	35.7
Morris	91	20	111	6.7	0.8	7.5	27.1	14.4	24.8
Ocean	149	36	185	18.6	3.0	21.7	45.8	30.7	42.9
Passaic	731	80	811	65.9	4.3	70.2	33.0	19.7	31.7
Somerset***	101	23	124	5.3	1.2	6.5	19.1	18.9	19.1
Sussex	118	26	144	5.3	0.9	6.2	16.6	12.1	15.8
Union	390	48	438	30.2	1.7	31.9	28.3	13.3	26.7
Warren	70	8	78	6.6	0.3	6.9	34.5	15.4	32.6
<b>State Total</b>	<b>6,692</b>	<b>975</b>	<b>7,667</b>	<b>547.2</b>	<b>47.2</b>	<b>594.4</b>	<b>29.9</b>	<b>17.7</b>	<b>28.4</b>

\*The reasons for adjustments to figures are discussed in first footnote for Table I-A. Adjustments to Table II are as follows: revisions to admissions, average daily population & average length of stay figures for Middlesex, Morris, and Sussex counties, as compared with the Table II figures, are due to the subtraction of admissions & child care days of juveniles housed in those counties from Union and Bergen counties. In addition, the revisions to average daily population & average length of stay for Union county as compared with Table II figures, are due to addition of child care days of juveniles housed in other counties. Union County's admissions remain unchanged. Revisions to Bergen County's average daily population and average length of stay are due to the increase of child care days from Morris County. Bergen County's admissions remain unchanged. Finally, the statewide figure for admissions is reduced because of the duplication of Union and Bergen county admissions, and the statewide figure for average length of stay is increased, while statewide average daily population is slightly different due to varying statistical calculating methods.

\*\* Does not include juveniles admitted to juvenile detention commitment programs.

\*\*\*All juveniles requiring secure detention in Somerset County are transferred to the Middlesex County Juvenile Detention Center. For statistical purposes, Somerset County's admissions and child care days are listed separately. Subsequently, revisions to admissions, average daily population and average length of stay figures for Middlesex County, as compared with the Table II figures, are due to the subtraction of admissions and child care days of juveniles transferred from Somerset County.

**TABLE III-A (Adjusted)\***  
**Admissions to Juvenile Detention Facilities in New Jersey\*\***  
**Reported in Percent Change**  
**January through December**  
**Two Year Comparison**  
**2007 - 2008**

<u>County</u>	<u>Male</u>			<u>Female</u>			<u>Total</u>		
	<u>2007</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>Change</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>Change</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>Change</u>
Atlantic	382	297	-22.3%	57	38	-33.3%	439	335	-23.7%
Bergen	107	123	15.0%	22	15	-31.8%	129	138	7.0%
Burlington	269	253	-5.9%	53	31	-41.5%	322	284	-11.8%
Camden	701	574	-18.1%	102	81	-20.6%	803	655	-18.4%
Cumberland	418	346	-17.2%	113	96	-15.0%	531	442	-16.8%
Essex	1,822	1,334	-26.8%	172	146	-15.1%	1,994	1,480	-25.8%
Gloucester	182	192	5.5%	41	33	-19.5%	223	225	0.9%
Hudson	905	846	-6.5%	97	101	4.1%	1,002	947	-5.5%
Mercer	670	507	-24.3%	96	71	-26.0%	766	578	-24.5%
Middlesex****	413	324	-21.5%	80	82	2.5%	493	406	-17.6%
Monmouth	290	246	-15.2%	50	40	-20.0%	340	286	-15.9%
Morris	120	91	-24.2%	20	20	0.0%	140	111	-20.7%
Ocean	198	149	-24.7%	35	36	2.9%	233	185	-20.6%
Passaic	707	731	3.4%	90	80	-11.1%	797	811	1.8%
Somerset***	96	101	5.2%	31	23	-25.8%	127	124	-2.4%
Sussex	103	118	14.6%	34	26	-23.5%	137	144	5.1%
Union	430	390	-9.3%	35	48	37.1%	465	438	-5.8%
Warren	94	70	-25.5%	11	8	-27.3%	105	78	-25.7%
<b>State Total</b>	<b>7,907</b>	<b>6,692</b>	<b>-15.4%</b>	<b>1,139</b>	<b>975</b>	<b>-14.4%</b>	<b>9,046</b>	<b>7,667</b>	<b>-15.2%</b>

\*The reasons for adjustments to figures are discussed in first footnote for Table I-A, adjustments to 2008 figures in Table III are as follows: revisions for admission figures for Middlesex, Morris and Sussex counties are due to the subtraction of admissions of juveniles housed in those counties from Union & Bergen counties. Union and Bergen County admissions remain unchanged. The calculation of percent of change from 2007 to 2008 for these counties as well as statewide figures is adjusted, as a result.

\*\* Does not include juveniles admitted to juvenile detention commitment programs.

\*\*\*All juveniles requiring secure detention in Somerset County are transferred to the Middlesex County Juvenile Detention Center. For statistical purposes, Somerset County's admissions and child care days are listed separately. Subsequently, revisions to 2008 admission figures and percent change for Middlesex County, as compared with the Table III figures, are due to the subtraction of admissions of juveniles transferred from Somerset County.

**TABLE IV-A (Adjusted)\***  
**Average Length of Stay in Juvenile Detention Facilities in New Jersey\*\***  
**Reported in Percent Change**  
**January through December**  
**Two Year Comparison**  
**2007- 2008**

<u>County</u>	<u>Male</u>			<u>Female</u>			<u>Total</u>		
	<u>2007</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>Change</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>Change</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>Change</u>
Atlantic	25.9	27.1	4.6%	20.4	22.7	11.3%	25.2	26.6	5.6%
Bergen	28.4	34.6	21.8%	31.2	37.9	21.5%	28.9	35.0	21.1%
Burlington	28.4	23.9	-15.8%	28.1	17.4	-38.1%	28.4	23.2	-18.3%
Camden	21.8	29.3	34.4%	10.6	17.9	68.9%	20.3	27.9	37.4%
Cumberland	27.7	29.6	6.9%	14.5	15.8	9.0%	24.9	26.6	6.8%
Essex	24.7	29.4	19.0%	11.1	18.9	70.3%	23.5	28.4	20.9%
Gloucester	23.6	20.1	-14.8%	19.4	12.9	-33.5%	22.8	19.1	-16.2%
Hudson	24.5	24.8	1.2%	8.7	12.4	42.5%	23.0	23.5	2.2%
Mercer	28.3	28.6	1.1%	19.3	14.6	-24.4%	27.2	26.9	-1.1%
Middlesex***	39.6	48.6	22.7%	21.5	23.3	8.4%	36.6	43.5	18.9%
Monmouth	24.0	39.6	65.0%	20.2	11.6	-42.6%	23.5	35.7	51.9%
Morris	20.2	27.1	34.2%	11.9	14.4	21.0%	19.0	24.8	30.5%
Ocean	39.8	45.8	15.1%	27.0	30.7	13.7%	37.8	42.9	13.5%
Passaic	31.9	33.0	3.4%	17.8	19.7	10.7%	30.3	31.7	4.6%
Somerset***	18.6	19.1	2.7%	16.5	18.9	14.5%	18.1	19.1	5.5%
Sussex	26.9	16.6	-38.3%	8.4	12.1	44.0%	22.3	15.8	-29.1%
Union	23.3	28.3	21.5%	4.7	13.3	183.0%	21.9	26.7	21.9%
Warren	27.6	34.5	25.0%	11.6	15.4	32.8%	26.0	32.6	25.4%
<b>State Total</b>	<b>26.7</b>	<b>29.9</b>	<b>12.0%</b>	<b>15.8</b>	<b>17.7</b>	<b>12.0%</b>	<b>25.3</b>	<b>28.4</b>	<b>12.3%</b>

\* The reasons for adjustments to figures are discussed in first footnote for Table I-A. Adjustments to 2008 figures in Table IV are as follows: revisions to average length of stay figures for Middlesex, Morris and Sussex counties, as compared with the Table IV figures, are due to subtraction of admissions and child care days of juveniles housed in those counties from Union and Bergen counties. Revisions to average length of stay figures for Union and Bergen counties are due to an increase in child care days. The admissions for Union and Bergen remain unchanged. The statewide figure for average length of stay is higher than in Table IV. The calculation of percent of change from 2007 to 2008 for these counties as well as statewide figures is adjusted, as a result.

\*\* Does not include juveniles admitted to juvenile detention commitment programs.

\*\*\*All juveniles requiring secure detention in Somerset County are transferred to the Middlesex County Juvenile Detention Center. For statistical purposes, Somerset County's admissions and child care days are listed separately. Subsequently, revisions to 2008 average length of stay figures and percent change for Middlesex County, as compared with the Table IV figures, are due to the subtraction of admissions and child care days of juveniles transferred from Somerset County.

**TABLE V-A (Adjusted)\***  
**Average Daily Population in Juvenile Detention Facilities in New Jersey\*\***  
**Reported in Percent Change**  
**January through December**  
**Two Year Comparison**  
**2007- 2008**

<u>County</u>	<u>Male</u>			<u>Female</u>			<u>Total</u>		
	<u>2007</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>Change</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>Change</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>Change</u>
Atlantic	27.1	22.0	-18.8%	3.2	2.4	-25.0%	30.3	24.4	-19.5%
Bergen	8.3	11.6	39.8%	1.9	1.6	-15.8%	10.2	13.2	29.4%
Burlington	20.9	16.5	-21.1%	4.1	1.5	-63.4%	25.0	18.0	-28.0%
Camden	41.8	45.9	9.8%	3.0	4.0	33.3%	44.8	49.9	11.4%
Cumberland	31.7	28.0	-11.7%	4.5	4.1	-8.9%	36.2	32.1	-11.3%
Essex	123.4	107.2	-13.1%	5.2	7.5	44.2%	128.6	114.7	-10.8%
Gloucester	11.8	10.6	-10.2%	2.2	1.2	-45.5%	14.0	11.7	-16.4%
Hudson	60.8	57.4	-5.6%	2.3	3.4	47.8%	63.1	60.8	-3.6%
Mercer	51.9	39.7	-23.5%	5.1	2.8	-45.1%	57.0	42.5	-25.4%
Middlesex***	44.8	43.1	-3.8%	4.7	5.2	10.6%	49.5	48.3	-2.4%
Monmouth	19.1	26.6	39.3%	2.8	1.3	-53.6%	21.8	27.9	28.0%
Morris	6.7	6.7	0.0%	0.6	0.8	33.3%	7.3	7.5	2.7%
Ocean	21.6	18.6	-13.9%	2.6	3.0	15.4%	24.2	21.7	-10.3%
Passaic	61.8	65.9	6.6%	4.4	4.3	-2.3%	66.2	70.2	6.0%
Somerset***	4.9	5.3	8.2%	1.4	1.2	-14.3%	6.3	6.5	3.2%
Sussex	7.6	5.3	-30.3%	0.8	0.9	12.5%	8.4	6.2	-26.2%
Union	27.5	30.2	9.8%	0.4	1.7	325.0%	27.9	31.6	14.3%
Warren	7.1	6.6	-7.0%	0.4	0.3	-25.0%	7.5	6.9	-8.0%
<b>State Total</b>	<b>578.8</b>	<b>547.2</b>	<b>-5.5%</b>	<b>49.5</b>	<b>47.2</b>	<b>-4.6%</b>	<b>628.2</b>	<b>594.4</b>	<b>-5.4%</b>

\*The reasons for adjustments to figures are discussed in first footnote for Table I-A. Adjustments to Table V are as follows: average daily population figures for Middlesex, Morris and Sussex counties are lower here, as compared with the Table V figures, due to the subtraction of child care days of juveniles transferred to those counties from Union and Bergen counties. Figures for Union and Bergen counties are higher here as compared with the Table V figures, due to the addition of child care days of juveniles transferred to above counties. The calculation of percent of change from 2007 to 2008 for these counties is adjusted, as a result. The statewide average daily population is slightly different due to varying statistical calculating methods.

\*\* Does not include juveniles admitted to juvenile detention commitment programs.

\*\*\*All juveniles requiring secure detention in Somerset County are transferred to the Middlesex County Juvenile Detention Center. For statistical purposes, Somerset County's admissions and child care days are listed separately. Subsequently, revisions to 2008 average daily population figures and percent change for Middlesex County, as compared with the Table V figures, are due to the subtraction of child care days of juveniles transferred from Somerset County.

**TABLE VI-A (Adjusted)\***  
**Juveniles in Detention Facilities in New Jersey\*\***  
**Number and Percent of MALE Admissions by Race**  
**January through December**  
**2008**

<u>County</u>	<u>White</u>		<u>Black</u>		<u>Hispanic</u>		<u>Other</u>		<u>Total</u>
	Total	%	Total	%	Total	%	Total	%	
Atlantic	46	15.5%	224	75.4%	23	7.7%	4	1.3%	297
Bergen	22	17.9%	64	52.0%	35	28.5%	2	1.6%	123
Burlington	65	25.7%	177	70.0%	10	4.0%	1	0.4%	253
Camden	59	10.3%	373	65.0%	137	23.9%	5	0.9%	574
Cumberland	77	22.3%	223	64.5%	46	13.3%	-	0.0%	346
Essex	31	2.3%	1,165	87.3%	138	10.3%	-	0.0%	1,334
Gloucester	99	51.6%	77	40.1%	12	6.3%	4	2.1%	192
Hudson	34	4.0%	468	55.3%	327	38.7%	17	2.0%	846
Mercer	33	6.5%	422	83.2%	51	10.1%	1	0.2%	507
Middlesex***	62	19.1%	146	45.1%	102	31.5%	14	4.3%	324
Monmouth	49	19.9%	152	61.8%	31	12.6%	14	5.7%	246
Morris	58	63.7%	17	18.7%	16	17.6%	-	0.0%	91
Ocean	86	57.7%	46	30.9%	17	11.4%	-	0.0%	149
Passaic	59	8.1%	366	50.1%	292	39.9%	14	1.9%	731
Somerset***	28	27.7%	49	48.5%	24	23.8%	-	0.0%	101
Sussex	100	84.7%	5	4.2%	12	10.2%	1	0.8%	118
Union	21	5.4%	277	71.0%	90	23.1%	2	0.5%	390
Warren	48	68.6%	15	21.4%	6	8.6%	1	1.4%	70
<b>State Total</b>	<b>977</b>	<b>14.6%</b>	<b>4,266</b>	<b>63.7%</b>	<b>1,369</b>	<b>20.5%</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>1.2%</b>	<b>6,692</b>

\*The reasons for adjustments to figures are discussed in first footnote for Table I-A. Adjustments to Table VI are as follows: the race/ethnicity breakdowns for admitted juveniles to Middlesex, Morris and Sussex counties are revised based on the subtraction of male juveniles transferred to these counties from Union and Bergen Counties. Figures for Union and Bergen Counties remain unchanged, while the statewide breakdown is revised.

\*\*Does not include juveniles admitted to juvenile detention commitment programs.

\*\*\*All juveniles requiring secure detention in Somerset County are transferred to the Middlesex County Juvenile Detention Center. For statistical purposes, Somerset County's admissions and child care days are listed separately. Subsequently, revisions to race/ethnicity figures for Middlesex County, as compared with the Table VI figures, are due to the subtraction of admissions of juveniles transferred from Somerset County.



**TABLE VII-A (Adjusted)**  
**Juveniles in Detention Facilities in New Jersey\***  
**Number and Percent of FEMALE Admissions by Race**  
**January through December**  
**2008**

County	White		Black		Hispanic		Other		Total
	Total	%	Total	%	Total	%	Total	%	
Atlantic	8	21.1%	21	55.3%	9	23.7%	-	0.0%	38
Bergen	4	26.7%	9	60.0%	2	13.3%	-	0.0%	15
Burlington	9	29.0%	21	67.7%	1	3.2%	-	0.0%	31
Camden	10	12.3%	54	66.7%	17	21.0%	-	0.0%	81
Cumberland	16	16.7%	73	76.0%	6	6.3%	1	1.0%	96
Essex	3	2.1%	135	92.5%	8	5.5%	-	0.0%	146
Gloucester	17	51.5%	15	45.5%	1	3.0%	-	0.0%	33
Hudson	8	7.9%	54	53.5%	39	38.6%	-	0.0%	101
Mercer	4	5.6%	63	88.7%	4	5.6%	-	0.0%	71
Middlesex**	19	23.2%	41	50.0%	19	23.2%	3	3.7%	82
Monmouth	8	20.0%	25	62.5%	2	5.0%	5	12.5%	40
Morris	10	50.0%	4	20.0%	5	25.0%	1	5.0%	20
Ocean	29	80.6%	5	13.9%	2	5.6%	-	0.0%	36
Passaic	3	3.8%	48	60.0%	24	30.0%	5	6.3%	80
Somerset**	8	34.8%	8	34.8%	7	30.4%	-	0.0%	23
Sussex	25	96.2%	-	0.0%	1	3.8%	-	0.0%	26
Union	3	6.3%	36	75.0%	9	18.8%	-	0.0%	48
Warren	6	75.0%	1	12.5%	1	12.5%	-	0.0%	8
<b>State Total</b>	<b>190</b>	<b>19.5%</b>	<b>613</b>	<b>62.9%</b>	<b>157</b>	<b>16.1%</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>1.5%</b>	<b>975</b>
<b>Male Total</b>	<b>977</b>	<b>14.6%</b>	<b>4,266</b>	<b>63.7%</b>	<b>1,369</b>	<b>20.5%</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>1.2%</b>	<b>6,692</b>
<b>Female Total</b>	<b>190</b>	<b>19.5%</b>	<b>613</b>	<b>62.9%</b>	<b>157</b>	<b>16.1%</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>1.5%</b>	<b>975</b>
<b>State Total</b>	<b>1,167</b>	<b>15.2%</b>	<b>4,879</b>	<b>63.6%</b>	<b>1,526</b>	<b>19.9%</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>1.2%</b>	<b>7,667</b>

\*\*Does not include juveniles admitted to juvenile detention commitment programs.

\*\*\*All juveniles requiring secure detention in Somerset County are transferred to the Middlesex County Juvenile Detention Center. For statistical purposes, Somerset County's admissions and child care days are listed separately. Subsequently, revisions to race/ethnicity figures for Middlesex County, as compared with the Table VII figures, are due to the subtraction of admissions of juveniles transferred from Somerset County.

**TABLE VIII-A (Adjusted)\***  
**Juveniles in Detention Commitment Programs**  
**By Facility - Raw Data**  
**January through December**  
**2008**

<u>County</u>	<u>Admissions</u>			<u>Child Care Days</u>		
	<u>Male</u>	<u>Female</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Male</u>	<u>Female</u>	<u>Total</u>
Bergen	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cumberland	29	2	31	642	16	658
Middlesex**	41	9	50	987	193	1,180
Morris	27	2	29	544	4	548
Ocean	94	12	106	2,146	236	2,382
Somerset**	16	3	19	300	83	383
Sussex	27	8	35	445	68	513
Warren	53	7	60	823	58	881
<b>Total</b>	<b>287</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>330</b>	<b>5,887</b>	<b>658</b>	<b>6,545</b>

\* The figures above provide information on those counties which operate a juvenile detention commitment program.

\*\* All juveniles requiring secure detention in Somerset County are transferred to the Middlesex County Juvenile Detention Center. Since Middlesex County operates a commitment program, some of the juveniles transferred from Somerset County are sentenced to this program. For statistical purposes, Somerset County's admission and child care figures for the commitment program are listed separately. Subsequently, revisions to admission and child care figures for Middlesex County, as compared to the Table VIII figures, are due to the subtraction of admissions and child care days of juveniles transferred from Somerset County.

**TABLE IX-A (Adjusted)\***  
**Juveniles in Detention Commitment Programs**  
**By Facility - Raw Data**  
**January through December**  
**2008**

<u>County</u>	<u>Admissions</u>			<u>Average Daily Population</u>			<u>Average Length of Stay (Days)</u>		
	<u>Male</u>	<u>Female</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Male</u>	<u>Female</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Male</u>	<u>Female</u>	<u>Total</u>
Bergen	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Cumberland	29	2	31	1.8	0.0	1.8	22.1	8.0	21.2
Middlesex**	41	9	50	2.7	0.5	3.2	24.1	21.4	23.6
Morris	27	2	29	1.5	0.0	1.5	20.1	2.0	18.9
Ocean	94	12	106	5.9	0.6	6.5	22.8	19.7	22.5
Somerset**	16	3	19	0.8	0.2	1.0	18.8	27.7	20.2
Sussex	27	8	35	1.2	0.2	1.4	16.5	8.5	14.7
Warren	53	7	60	2.2	0.2	2.4	15.5	8.3	14.7
<b>Total</b>	<b>287</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>330</b>	<b>16.1</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>17.9</b>	<b>20.5</b>	<b>15.3</b>	<b>19.8</b>

\* The figures above provide information on those counties which operate a juvenile detention commitment program.

\*\*All juveniles requiring secure detention in Somerset County are transferred to the Middlesex County Juvenile Detention Center. Since Middlesex County operates a commitment program, some of the juveniles transferred from Somerset County are sentenced to this program. For statistical purposes, Somerset County's admission and child care figures for the commitment program are listed separately. Subsequently, revisions to admissions, average daily population and average length of stay figures for Middlesex County, as compared with Table IX figures, are due to the subtraction of admissions and child care days of juveniles transferred from Somerset County.

**TABLE X-A (Adjusted)\***  
**Average Daily Population as a Percent of Approved Capacity\*\***  
**January through December**  
**2008**

<u>County</u>	<u>Average Daily Population</u>	<u>Approved Capacity</u>	<u>Percent of Approved Capacity</u>
Atlantic	24.4	27	90.4%
Bergen***	13.2	41	32.2%
Burlington	18.0	24	75.0%
Camden	49.9	61	81.8%
Cumberland	33.9	46	73.7%
Essex	114.7	242	47.4%
Gloucester	11.7	15	78.0%
Hudson	60.8	79	77.0%
Mercer	42.5	64	66.4%
Middlesex****	59.0	88	67.0%
Monmouth	27.9	40	69.8%
Morris	9.0	43	20.9%
Ocean	28.2	30	94.0%
Passaic	70.2	86	81.6%
Sussex	7.6	16	47.5%
Union	31.9	76	42.0%
Warren	9.3	28	33.2%
<b>Total</b>	<b>612.3</b>	<b>1006</b>	<b>60.9%</b>

\*The reasons for adjustments to figures are discussed in first footnote for Table I-A. Adjustments to Table X-A are as follows: average daily population figures for Middlesex, Morris and Sussex counties are lower here, as compared with the Table X figures, due to the subtraction of child care days of juveniles transferred to those counties from Union and Bergen counties. Figures for Union and Bergen counties are higher here as compared with the Table X figures, due to the addition of child care days of juveniles transferred to relevant counties. The calculations of percent of approved capacity for the above facilities are adjusted as a result. The statewide figures are slightly different due to varying statistical calculating methods.

\*\*Includes juveniles admitted to juvenile detention commitment programs.

\*\*\*Although a "soft cap" of 14 was placed on the Bergen County Juvenile Detention Center in January 2006, the approved capacity for the facility remains at 41.

\*\*\*\*All juveniles requiring secure detention in Somerset County are transferred to the Middlesex County Juvenile Detention Center. For statistical purposes, Somerset County's figures were listed separately in previous tables. However, for Table X, figures are provided only for those counties which operate juvenile detention centers to determine the percent of approved capacity for each facility.

**TABLE XI-A (Adjusted)\***  
**Admissions to Juvenile Detention Facilities in New Jersey\*\***  
**Reported in Percent Change**  
**Statewide 2004 - 2008\*\*\***

<u>Sex</u>	<u>2004</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>% Change 2004-2008</u>
<b>MALE</b>	9,956	9,112	8,583	8,184	6,979	-29.9%
<b>FEMALE</b>	1,695	1,554	1,353	1,174	1,018	-39.9%
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>11,651</b>	<b>10,666</b>	<b>9,936</b>	<b>9,358</b>	<b>7,997</b>	<b>-31.4%</b>
<b>% CHANGE</b>		<b>-8.5%</b>	<b>-6.8%</b>	<b>-5.8%</b>	<b>-14.5%</b>	

\*The reason for adjustments to figures is discussed in first footnote for Table I-A. Adjustments to Table XI are as follows: the number of 2008 statewide male admissions are lower, as is the figure for statewide total. The calculation of percent of change figures involving 2008 is adjusted, as a result.

\*\*Includes juveniles admitted to juvenile detention commitment programs.

\*\*\*There was an under-reporting of Atlantic County admissions for the years 2002-2005. As a result, the 2004-2005 admission figures for males, females and state total have been adjusted.

**TABLE XIII-A (Adjusted)\*  
Average Length of Stay  
in Juvenile Detention Facilities in New Jersey\*\*  
Reported in Percent Change  
Statewide 2004 - 2008\*\*\***

<u>Sex</u>	<u>2004</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>% Change 2004-2008</u>
<b>MALE</b>	26.6	26.2	24.7	26.6	29.5	10.9%
<b>FEMALE</b>	17.5	16.6	15.7	15.9	17.6	0.6%
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>25.3</b>	<b>24.8</b>	<b>23.5</b>	<b>25.3</b>	<b>28.0</b>	10.7%
<b>% CHANGE</b>		<b>-2.0%</b>	<b>-5.2%</b>	<b>7.7%</b>	<b>10.7%</b>	

\*The reason for adjustments to figures is discussed in first footnote for Table I-A. Adjustments to Table XIII are as follows: the 2008 statewide figures for average length of stay for male and total are higher. The calculation of percent of change figures involving 2008 is adjusted, as a result.

\*\*Includes juveniles admitted to juvenile detention commitment programs.

\*\*\*There was an under-reporting of Atlantic County admissions for the years 2002-2005. As a result, the 2004-2005 average length of stay figures for males, females and state total have been adjusted.

**TABLE XIV-A (Adjusted)\*  
Juvenile Detention Rates\*\* Based on Delinquency Complaints**

**Statewide 2004-2008\*\*\***

<u>Year</u>	<u>Admissions****</u>	<u>Delinquency Complaints Filed*****</u>	<u>Detention Rate Per 100 Complaints</u>
2004	11,651	47,735	24.4
2005	10,666	45,467	23.5
2006	9,936	44,966	22.1
2007	9,358	44,381	21.1
2008	7997	42,052	19.0

\*The reason for adjustments to figures is discussed in first footnote for Table I-A. Adjustments to Table XIV are as follows: the 2008 statewide figure for admissions is lower. The calculation for the 2008 detention rate based on delinquency complaints is adjusted, as a result.

\*\*Detention rates were calculated by taking the number of juveniles admitted to detention statewide, dividing by the number of delinquency complaints filed statewide, and multiplying by 100 for each calendar year 2004 through 2008.

\*\*\*There was an under-reporting of Atlantic County Admissions for the years 2002-2005. As a result, the 2004-2005 admission figures have been adjusted.

\*\*\*\*Includes juveniles admitted to juvenile detention commitment programs.

\*\*\*\*\*Each year the figures for delinquency complaints filed are obtained from the Family Division of the Administrative Office of the Courts (AOC).

**TABLE XV-A (Adjusted)\*  
Juvenile Detention Rates\*\* Based on Population**

**Statewide 2004-2008\*\*\***

<u>Year</u>	<u>Admissions****</u>	<u>State Population Estimates for Juveniles Age 10-17</u>	<u>Detention Rate per 1,000 Juveniles Age 10-17</u>
2004	11,651	989,643	11.8
2005	10,666	998,334	10.7
2006	9,936	970,130	10.2
2007	9,358	952,969	9.8
2008	7,997	933,715	8.6

\*The reason for adjustments to figures is discussed in first footnote for Table I-A. Adjustments to Table XV are as follows: the 2008 statewide figure for admissions is lower. However, the calculation for the 2008 detention rate based on population is essentially the same.

\*\*Detention rates were calculated by taking the number of juveniles admitted to detention statewide, dividing by the estimated number of juveniles age 10 to17, and multiplying by 1,000. Source of Juvenile Population Figures: New Jersey Department of Labor's Division of Labor Market and Demographic Research.

\*\*\*There was an under-reporting of Atlantic County admissions for the years 2002-2005. As a result, the 2004-2005 admission figures have been adjusted.

\*\*\*\*includes juveniles admitted to juvenile detention commitment programs.