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Board of Probation and Parole

MONTHLY PROGRAM REPORT

October 2008



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On September 29, 2008, the parole release of all offenders was suspended pending an independent review of the Department of Corrections and PA Board of Probation and Parole's procedures regarding parole preparation and release. The suspension was lifted on December 1, 2008. Information contained in this report reflects the impact of this suspension.

Table 1
WORKLOAD AND POPULATION CHANGES BY REGION / DISTRICT
October 2008

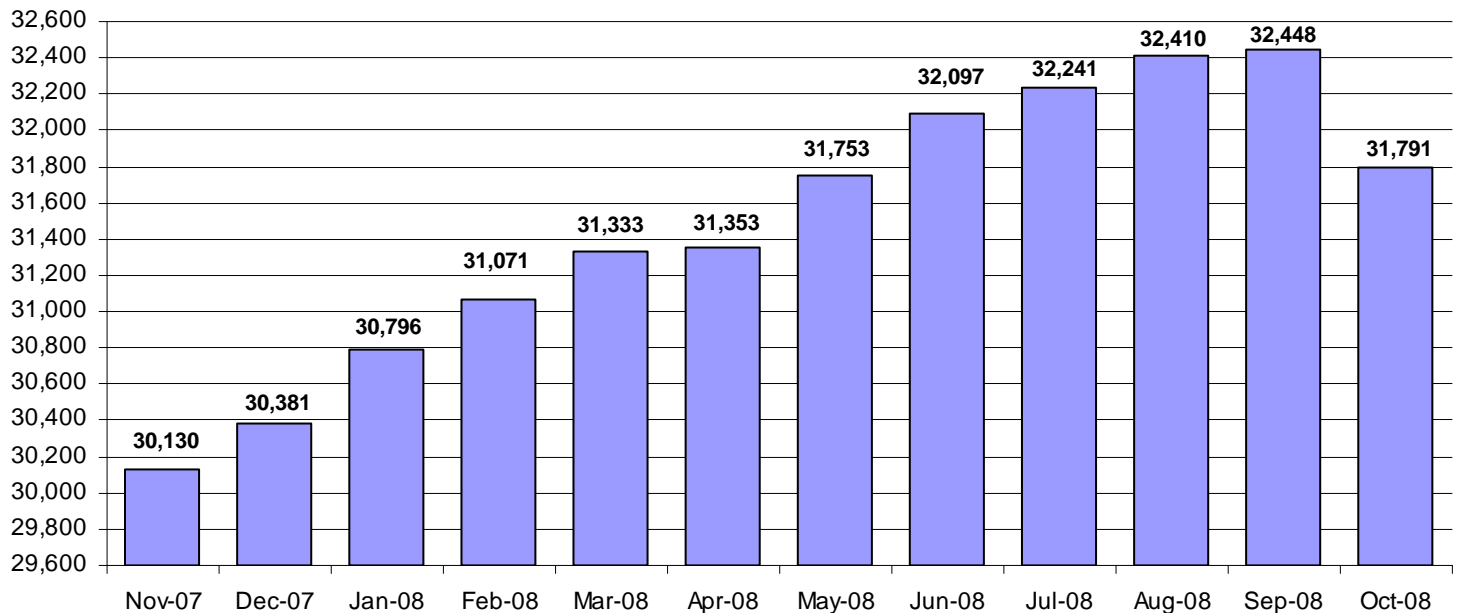
REGION / DISTRICT	Beginning Fiscal Yr ¹ July 2008	Current Month Population	Fiscal YTD Index	Additions	Deletions		Number of Agents ²	Average Workload	Total Workload
					Recommits/ Revocations	Other Deletions			
CHESTER	2,504	2,562	102	55	32	61	35	119	4,166
PHILADELPHIA	9,410	9,348	99	202	154	210	125	120	14,964
EASTERN REGION	11,914	11,910	100	257	186	271	160	120	19,130
ALLENTOWN	3,578	3,564	100	54	53	95	49	126	6,159
HARRISBURG	4,162	4,096	98	49	62	92	54	130	7,036
SCRANTON	1,658	1,652	100	35	29	49	26	117	3,043
WILLIAMSPORT	930	906	97	18	18	28	14	121	1,687
CENTRAL REGION	10,328	10,218	99	156	162	264	143	125	17,926
ALTOONA	1,300	1,257	97	16	16	35	19	130	2,465
MERCER	2,886	2,910	101	144	21	143	42	128	5,396
ERIE	1,443	1,409	98	27	18	41	23	113	2,601
PITTSBURGH	4,226	4,087	97	46	70	79	64	116	7,408
WESTERN REGION	9,855	9,663	98	233	125	298	148	121	17,870
TOTAL Supervised	32,097	31,791	99	646	473	833	451	122	54,925

¹ effective June 30

² Filled agent positions

PA Offenders in Other States	2,884	2,852	99	27	1	40
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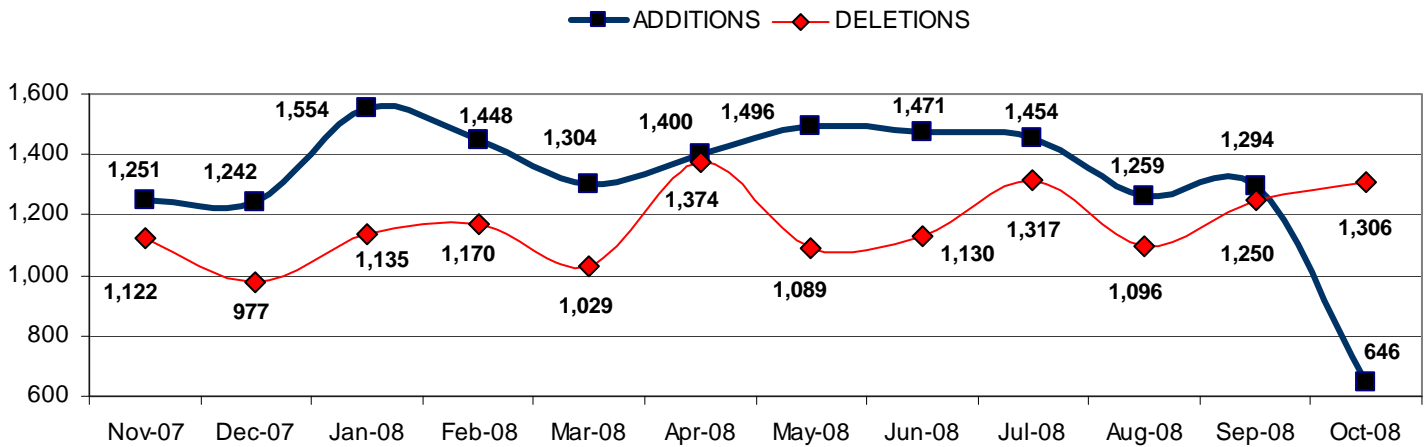
Population - Retrospective Year View



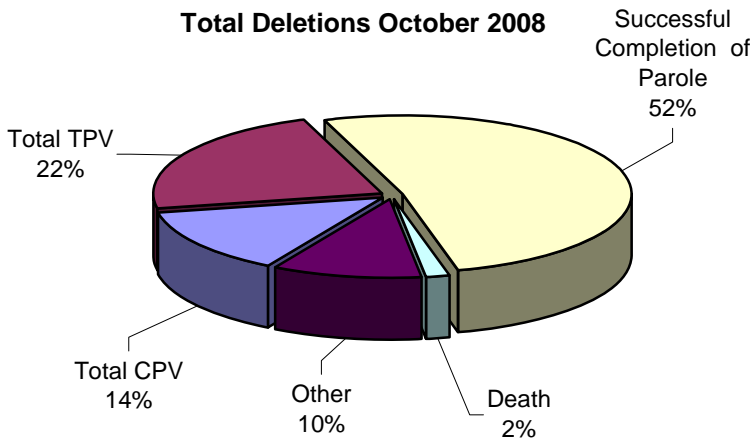
**Table 2
SUPERVISED POPULATION ADDITIONS AND DELETIONS
October 2008**

Population Additions and Deletions	Parole	ReParole	Special County Probation	Special County Parole	Other States' Parole	Other States' Probation	Monthly Total	Fiscal YTD Total
ADDITIONS	150	38	248	69	23	118	646	4,653
DELETIONS-RECOMMITMENTS								
<i>Convicted Parole Violator</i>								
State Corrections	110	36	5	0	0	0	151	585
County Corrections	6	1	17	3	0	0	27	114
Other States	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	6
Total Convicted Parole Violator	116	37	22	3	0	1	179	705
<i>Technical Parole Violator</i>								
State Corrections	172	83	4	0	0	0	259	1,038
County Corrections	11	0	15	7	0	0	33	179
Other States	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	5
Total Technical Parole Violator	183	83	19	7	1	1	294	1,222
TOTAL RECOMMITMENTS	299	120	41	10	1	2	473	1,927
Deletion Successful Completion	304	82	140	46	3	100	675	2,401
Deletion Death	10	4	4	1	1	1	21	89
Deletion Other	8	2	44	6	10	67	137	552
TOTAL DELETIONS	621	208	229	63	15	170	1,306	4,969

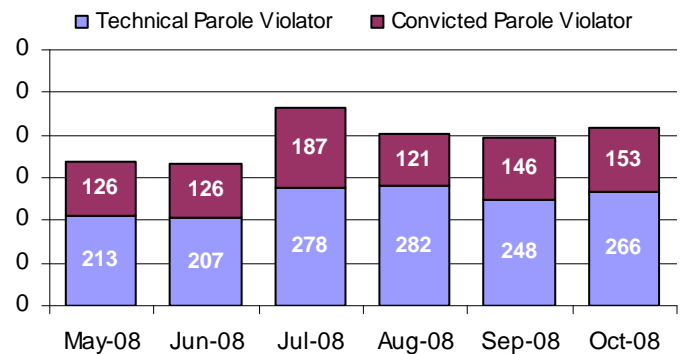
Population Additions & Deletions-Retrospective Year View



Total Deletions October 2008



State Sentence Parole Revocations*



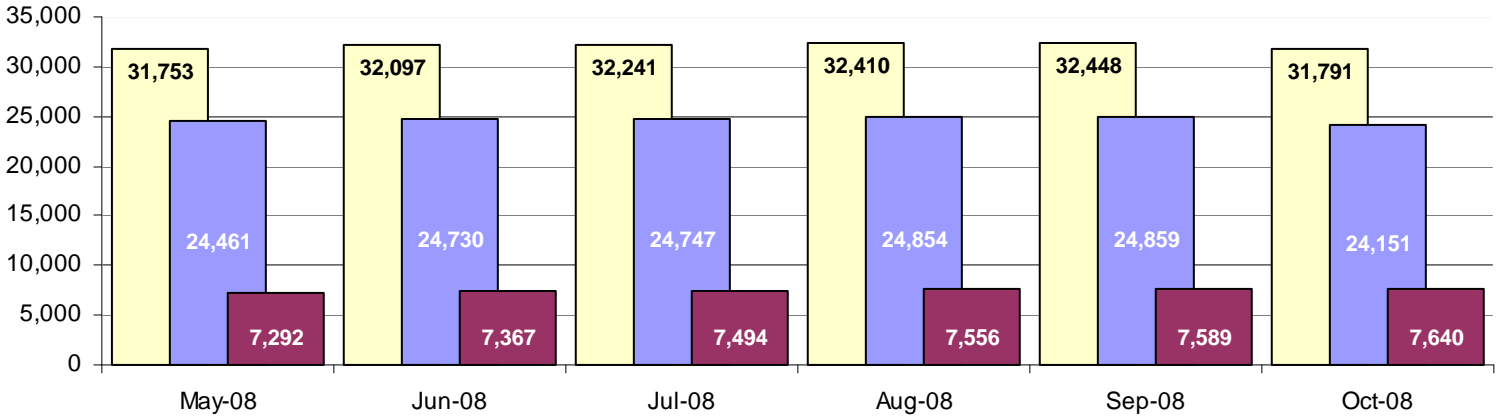
* These revocations represent field case closure records and are dependent on case processing.

Table 3
SUPERVISED POPULATION BY ORIGINATING JURISDICTION and REGION / DISTRICT
October 2008

Region / District	PA Parole State Sentence				County		Other States		Total Population
	State Prisons	Boot Camp	County Prisons	Subtotal	Special Probation	Special Parole	Parole	Probation	
Chester	1,427	62	210	1,699	470	3	59	331	2,562
Philadelphia	6,846	205	370	7,421	1,071	13	159	684	9,348
Eastern Region	8,273	267	580	9,120	1,541	16	218	1,015	11,910
Allentown	2,228	127	406	2,761	292	2	87	422	3,564
Harrisburg	2,917	195	186	3,298	404	5	58	331	4,096
Scranton	907	8	237	1,152	109	2	78	311	1,652
Williamsport	584	17	53	654	131	9	24	88	906
Central Region	6,636	347	882	7,865	936	18	247	1,152	10,218
Altoona	764	23	67	854	264	33	19	87	1,257
Mercer	646	16	26	688	1,289	806	25	102	2,910
Erie	948	32	91	1,071	191	43	19	85	1,409
Pittsburgh	2,714	187	77	2,978	710	57	74	268	4,087
Western Region	5,072	258	261	5,591	2,454	939	137	542	9,663
Total	19,981	872	1,723	22,576	4,931	973	602	2,709	31,791
Percent of Total	63%	3%	5%	71%	16%	3%	2%	8%	100%

Parole and Probation Supervised Populations

□ Total Population □ Parole ■ Probation



Supervised State Sentence Cases

□ Total State Sentence Cases ■ State Prison Cases □ County Prison Cases ■ Boot Camp Cases

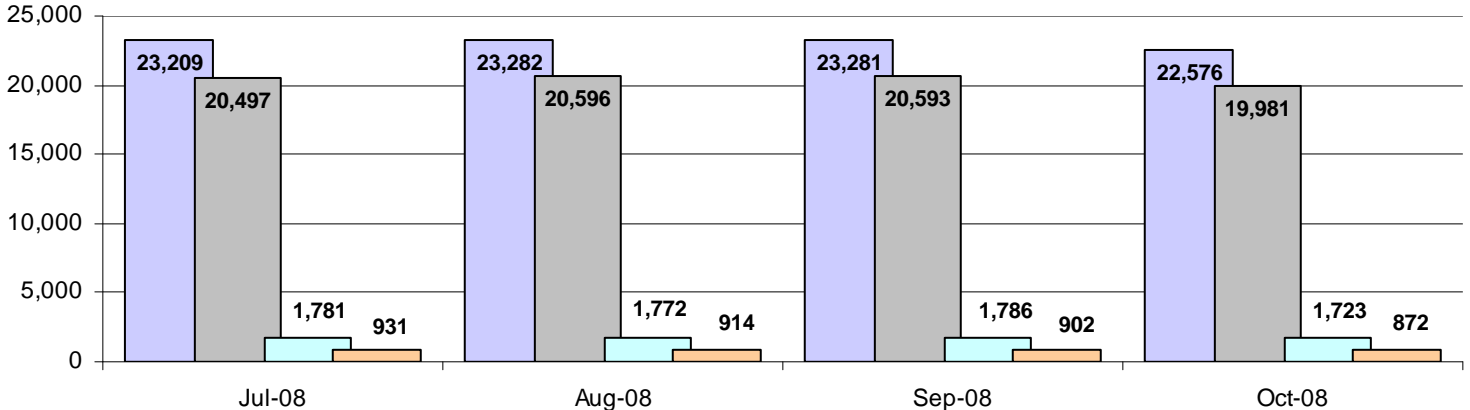


Table 4
SUPERVISED POPULATION BY GRADE OF SUPERVISION and REGION / DISTRICT
October 2008

Region / District	Reporting						Non-Reporting		Total Population
	Enhanced	Maximum	Medium	Minimum	Not Classified	Subtotal	Absconder	Detainees	
Chester	11	177	580	1,259	14	2,041	44	477	2,562
Philadelphia	31	1,564	1,135	4,009	32	6,771	569	2,008	9,348
Eastern Region	42	1,741	1,715	5,268	46	8,812	613	2,485	11,910
Allentown	14	605	593	1,548	4	2,764	222	578	3,564
Harrisburg	42	602	733	1,738	44	3,159	199	738	4,096
Scranton	18	190	303	864	7	1,382	29	241	1,652
Williamsport	1	80	184	508	14	787	12	107	906
Central Region	75	1,477	1,813	4,658	69	8,092	462	1,664	10,218
Altoona	3	208	345	484	0	1,040	30	187	1,257
Mercer	5	131	665	1,694	3	2,498	80	332	2,910
Erie	5	244	355	600	0	1,204	30	175	1,409
Pittsburgh	31	895	886	1,248	0	3,060	143	884	4,087
Western Region	44	1,478	2,251	4,026	3	7,802	283	1,578	9,663
Total	161	4,696	5,779	13,952	118	24,706	1,358	5,727	31,791
Percent of Total	1%	14%	18%	44%	1%	78%	4%	18%	100%

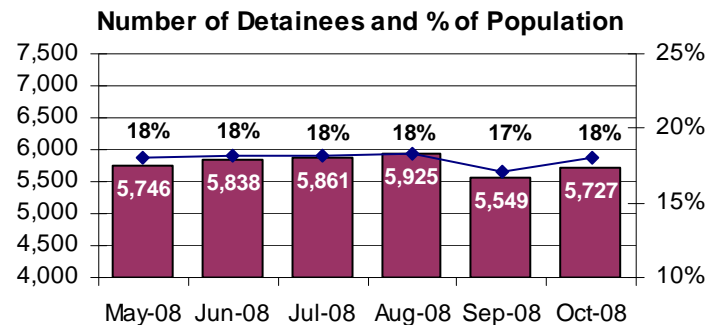
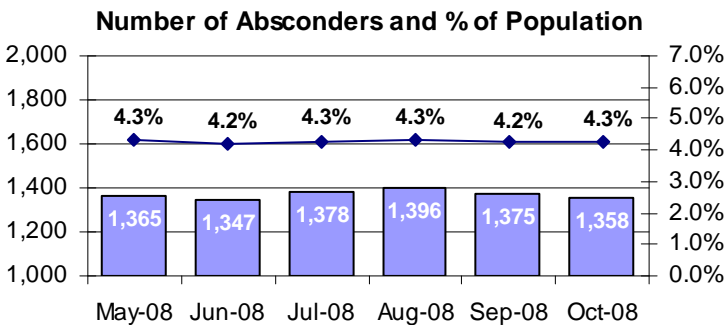
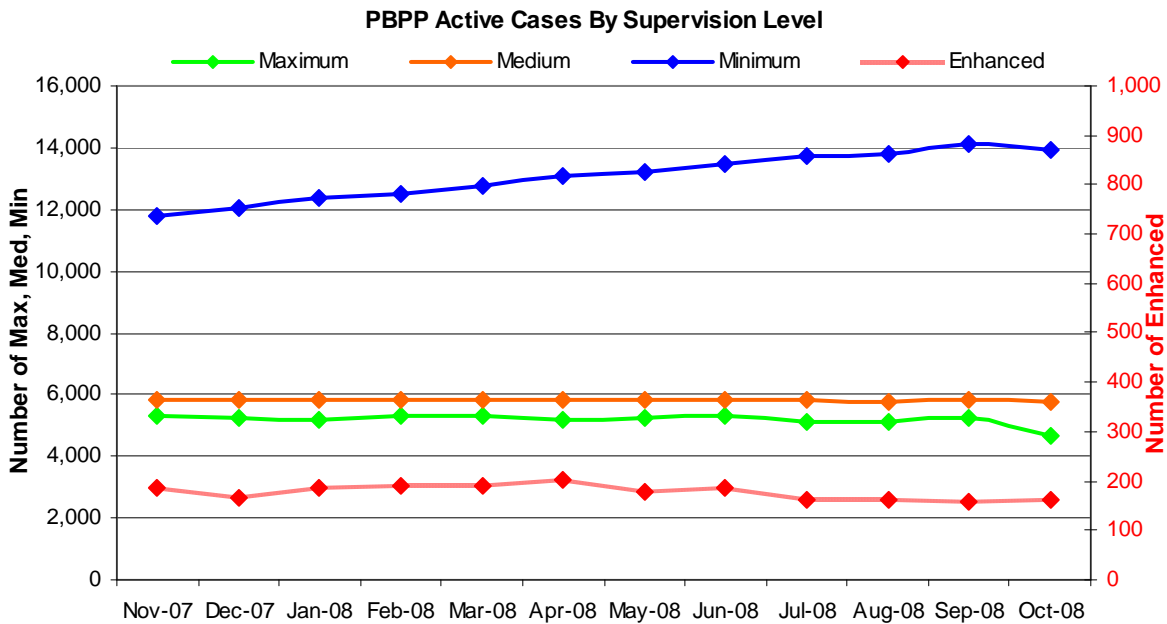


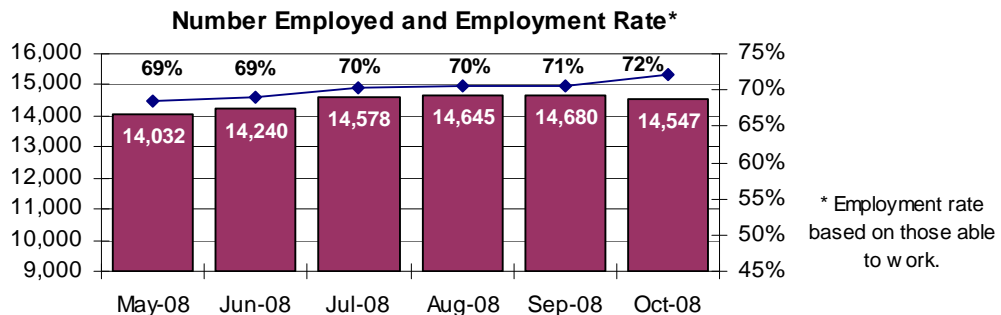
Table 5
SUPERVISED POPULATION BY GENDER, RACE and REGION / DISTRICT
October 2008

Region / District	Male					Female					% Male	Total Population
	White	Black	Hispanic	Other^	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Other^	Total		
Chester	1,055	1,187	106	29	2,377	132	53	0	0	185	93%	2,562
Philadelphia	1,080	6,353	1,168	121	8,722	131	399	91	5	626	93%	9,348
EASTERN REGION	2,135	7,540	1,274	150	11,099	263	452	91	5	811	93%	11,910
Allentown	1,501	730	874	61	3,166	245	73	72	8	398	89%	3,564
Harrisburg	1,748	1,381	487	27	3,643	291	108	46	8	453	89%	4,096
Scranton	1,052	258	88	9	1,407	214	15	11	5	245	85%	1,652
Williamsport	631	74	4	1	710	169	26	1	0	196	78%	906
CENTRAL REGION	4,932	2,443	1,453	98	8,926	919	222	130	21	1,292	87%	10,218
Altoona	925	123	9	9	1,066	177	12	1	1	191	85%	1,257
Mercer	1,958	352	13	8	2,331	491	78	5	5	579	80%	2,910
Erie	829	333	49	8	1,219	148	36	3	3	190	87%	1,409
Pittsburgh	1,735	1,911	17	11	3,674	276	130	3	4	413	90%	4,087
WESTERN REGION	5,447	2,719	88	36	8,290	1,092	256	12	13	1,373	86%	9,663
TOTAL	12,514	12,702	2,815	284	28,315	2,274	930	233	39	3,476	89%	31,791

^ "Other" includes Asian, Pacific Islander, Indian (American and Alaskan Native), and cases not elsewhere classified.

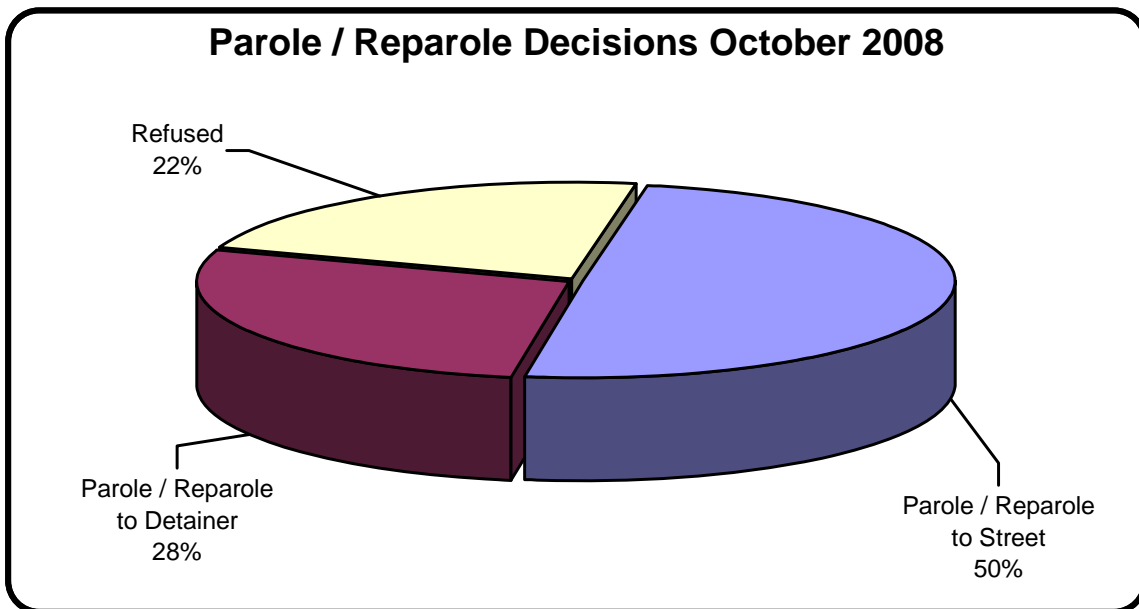
Table 6
SUPERVISED POPULATION BY EMPLOYMENT STATUS and REGION / DISTRICT
October 2008

Region / District	Employed	Unemployed	Unemployment Rate	Unable to Work	Unknown	Non-Reporting	Total Population
Chester	1,358	385	22%	297	1	521	2,562
Philadelphia	3,238	2,440	43%	1,084	9	2,577	9,348
EASTERN REGION	4,596	2,825	38%	1,381	10	3,098	11,910
Allentown	1,927	365	16%	469	3	800	3,564
Harrisburg	2,008	730	27%	415	6	937	4,096
Scranton	1,035	74	7%	268	5	270	1,652
Williamsport	547	107	16%	132	1	119	906
CENTRAL REGION	5,517	1,276	19%	1,284	15	2,126	10,218
Altoona	658	157	19%	225	0	217	1,257
Mercer	1,325	652	33%	516	5	412	2,910
Erie	695	152	18%	356	1	205	1,409
Pittsburgh	1,756	567	24%	737	0	1,027	4,087
WESTERN REGION	4,434	1,528	26%	1,834	6	1,861	9,663
TOTAL	14,547	5,629	28%	4,499	31	7,085	31,791



**Table 7
BOARD DECISIONS
October 2008**

Type of Decision	Total
Parole / Reparole to Street	62
Parole / Reparole to Detainer	35
Refused	28
Total Considered	125
Recommitments as TPV	330
Recommitments as CPV	127
Recommitments as CPV and TPV	30
Total Recommitments	487
Refer to Prior Action	112
Assigned by Courts	186
Other Decisions	692
Total Decisions	1,602

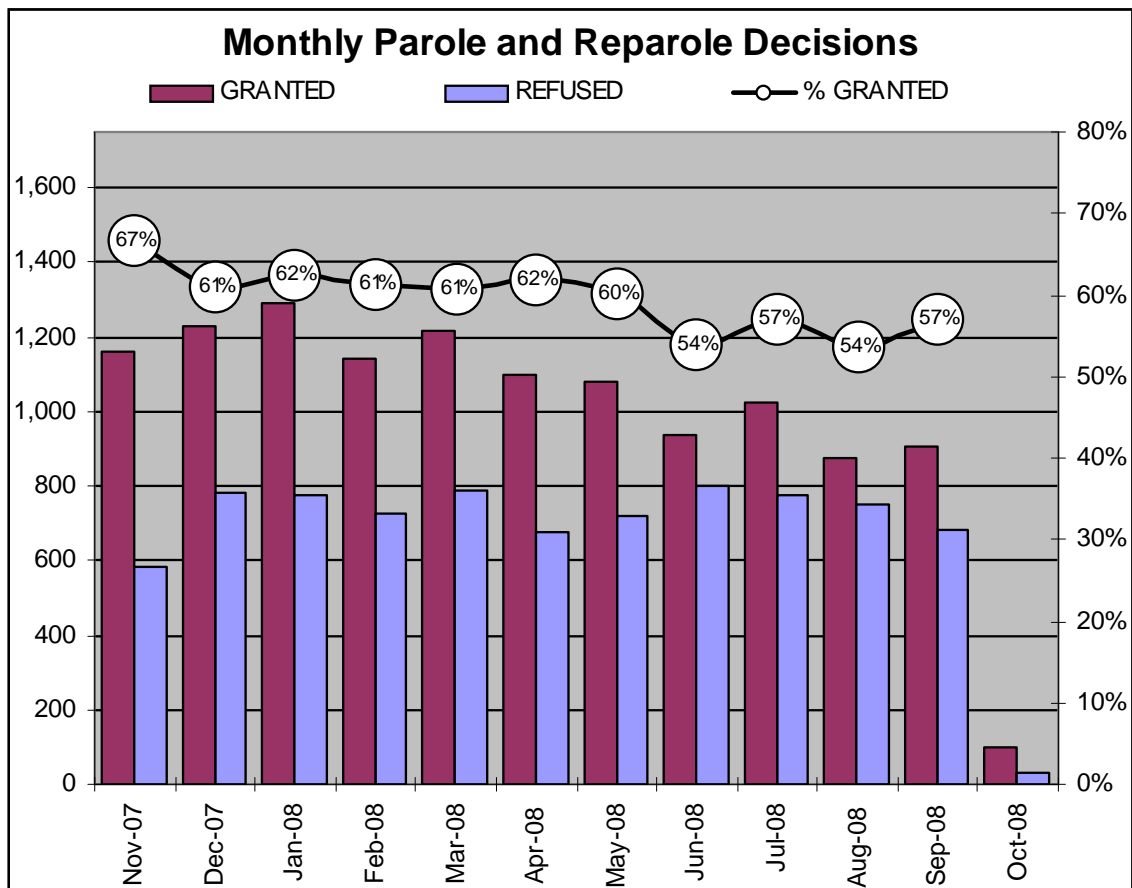


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Table 8
MONTHLY PAROLE and REPAROLE DECISIONS
October 2008

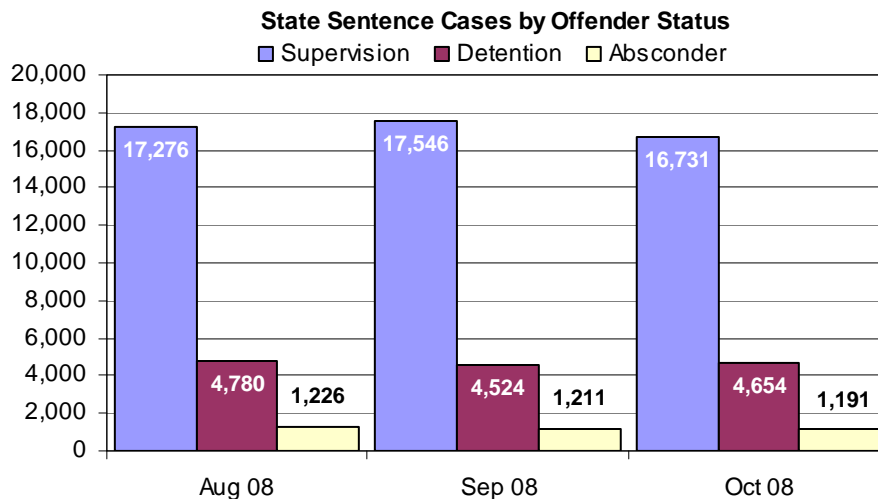
MONTH-YEAR	GRANTED	REFUSED	CONSIDERED	% GRANTED
Nov-07	1,163	583	1,746	67%
Dec-07	1,226	782	2,008	61%
Jan-08	1,288	773	2,061	62%
Feb-08	1,144	727	1,871	61%
Mar-08	1,215	789	2,004	61%
Apr-08	1,099	674	1,773	62%
May-08	1,082	718	1,800	60%
Jun-08	934	800	1,734	54%
Jul-08	1,022	773	1,795	57%
Aug-08	872	752	1,624	54%
Sep-08	903	683	1,586	57%
Oct-08	97	28	125	*
Monthly Average Over 12 Months	1,004	674	1,677	*

* Data after September 2008 reflects the number of grants and refuses but not a parole rate as a consequence of the suspension of parole imposed on 9/29/2008, and then lifted on 12/1/2008



Offender Status - October 2008					
Status	State Prison	County Prison	County Sentence	Other States Cases	Total
Supervision	15,395	1,336	4,852	3,123	24,706
Absconder	1,133	58	167	0	1,358
Detention	4,325	329	885	188	5,727
Total	20,853	1,723	5,904	3,311	31,791

PBPP Monthly Population Profile						
Offender Status	May 08	Jun 08	Jul 08	Aug 08	Sep 08	Oct 08
State sentence from state institution	21,203	21,408	21,428	21,510	21,495	20,853
<i>Supervision</i>	15,696	15,836	15,868	15,898	16,138	15,395
<i>Absconder</i>	1,156	1,144	1,166	1,169	1,155	1,133
<i>Detention</i>	4,351	4,428	4,394	4,443	4,202	4,325
State sentence from county prison	1,733	1,782	1,781	1,772	1,786	1,723
<i>Supervision</i>	1,325	1,381	1,372	1,378	1,408	1,336
<i>Absconder</i>	57	56	59	57	56	58
<i>Detention</i>	351	345	350	337	322	329
County sentence Prob & Parole	5,510	5,600	5,699	5,786	5,826	5,904
<i>Supervision</i>	4,524	4,597	4,640	4,692	4,799	4,852
<i>Absconder</i>	152	147	153	170	164	167
<i>Detention</i>	834	856	906	924	863	885
Other state's sentence Prob & Parole	3,307	3,307	3,333	3,342	3,341	3,311
<i>Supervision</i>	3,097	3,098	3,122	3,121	3,179	3,123
<i>Absconder</i>	0	0	0	0	0	0
<i>Detention</i>	210	209	211	221	162	188
PBPP Population end of month	31,753	32,097	32,241	32,410	32,448	31,791



Monthly Count of Board Actions							
Type of Decision	County Prison			State Prison			Total Board Actions
	Grant	Refuse	Total	Grant	Refuse	Total	
November 2007	92	25	117	1,071	558	1,629	1,746
December 2007	67	30	97	1,159	752	1,911	2,008
January 2008	85	48	133	1,203	725	1,928	2,061
February 2008	82	41	123	1,062	686	1,748	1,871
March 2008	83	34	117	1,132	755	1,887	2,004
April 2008	69	31	100	1,030	643	1,673	1,773
May 2008	108	41	149	974	677	1,651	1,800
June 2008	52	29	81	882	771	1,653	1,734
July 2008	79	50	129	943	723	1,666	1,795
August 2008	66	37	103	806	715	1,521	1,624
September 2008	60	47	107	843	636	1,479	1,586
October 2008	10	0	10	87	28	115	125
2008 Total	609	310	919	7,759	5,634	13,393	16,373

Additions and Deletions						
	May-08	Jun-08	Jul-08	Aug-08	Sep-08	Oct-08
Total Additions	1,496	1,471	1,454	1,259	1,294	646
State sentence - State Prison	915	923	891	787	763	161
State sentence - County Prison	76	97	72	70	71	27
County sentence Prob & Parole	310	293	302	252	293	317
Other state's sentence	195	158	189	150	167	141
Total Deletions	1,089	1,130	1,317	1,096	1,250	1,306
State sentence - State Prison	686	672	837	685	728	766
<i>Technical Violator</i>	205	198	256	268	233	255
<i>Convicted Violator</i>	113	117	175	111	136	146
<i>Successful Completion</i>	335	331	375	270	335	344
<i>Other Case Closure</i>	33	26	31	36	24	21
State sentence - County Prison	66	55	74	76	70	63
<i>Technical Violator</i>	8	9	22	14	15	11
<i>Convicted Violator</i>	13	9	12	10	10	7
<i>Successful Completion</i>	42	34	38	50	42	42
<i>Other Case Closure</i>	3	3	2	2	3	3
County sentence Prob & Parole	195	242	238	194	287	292
<i>Technical Violator</i>	22	23	42	33	41	26
<i>Convicted Violator</i>	14	26	23	16	28	25
<i>Successful Completion</i>	103	139	125	103	148	186
<i>Other Case Closure</i>	56	54	48	42	70	55
Other state's sentence	142	161	168	141	165	185
<i>Technical Violator</i>	1	1	0	1	3	2
<i>Convicted Violator</i>	1	0	2	2	1	1
<i>Successful Completion</i>	63	83	82	84	74	103
<i>Other Case Closure</i>	77	77	84	54	87	79
PBPP Population end of month	31,753	32,097	32,241	32,410	32,448	31,791