

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA

Board of Probation and Parole

MONTHLY STATISTICAL REPORT

August 1997



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Table 1
CASELOAD, WORKLOAD, AND CHANGES BY DISTRICT AND TYPE OF UNIT
 August 1997

Type of Cases	Beginning FY Cases 7/1/96	Current Month Cases	Fiscal YTD Index	Additions	Deletions		Number of Agents	Average Caseload	Average Workload	Total Workload
					Recommits/ Revocation	Other Deletions				
General	1,149	973	85	35	10	28	16	61	150	2,400
Intensive	584	768	132	22	9	6	14	55	356	4,978
CHESTER DISTRICT	1,733	1,741	100	57	19	34	30	58	246	7,378
General	3,472	3,233	93	36	53	93	51	63	113	5,763
Intensive	2,186	2,197	101	66	48	24	56	39	234	13,091
Special	418	546	131	62	1	2	9	61	140	1,261
PHILADELPHIA DISTRICT	6,076	5,976	98	164	102	119	116	52	173	20,115
EASTERN REGION	7,809	7,717	99	221	121	153	146	53	188	27,493

General	1,402	1,327	95	48	20	46	19	70	120	2,289
Intensive	632	720	114	36	15	10	12	60	347	4,159
ALLENTOWN DISTRICT	2,034	2,047	101	84	35	56	31	66	208	6,448
General	1,770	1,791	101	47	19	32	26	69	136	3,534
Intensive	266	294	111	0	2	4	5	59	384	1,919
Special	129	111	86	13	5	2	3	37	111	333
HARRISBURG DISTRICT	2,165	2,196	101	60	26	38	34	65	170	5,786
General	607	520	86	21	3	7	10	52	109	1,089
Intensive	173	261	151	11	3	6	5	52	377	1,885
SCRANTON DISTRICT	780	781	100	32	6	13	15	52	198	2,974
WILLIAMSPORT DISTRICT	679	669	99	27	5	18	12	56	169	2,031
CENTRAL REGION	5,658	5,693	101	203	72	125	92	62	187	17,239

ALTOONA DISTRICT	710	720	101	25	8	10	11	65	192	2,115
BUTLER DISTRICT	661	651	98	28	9	18	11	59	181	1,995
General	2,300	2,222	97	100	20	71	26	85	193	5,030
Intensive	168	154	92	5	2	0	5	31	221	1,104
ERIE DISTRICT	2,468	2,376	96	105	22	71	31	77	198	6,134
General	2,997	2,986	100	44	37	76	48	62	129	6,170
Special	475	484	102	48	8	1	8	61	165	1,318
PITTSBURGH DISTRICT	3,472	3,470	100	92	45	77	56	62	134	7,488
WESTERN REGION	7,311	7,217	99	250	84	176	109	66	163	17,732

Total General	15,038	15,092	100	411	184	399	230	66	141	32,416
Total Intensive	4,718	4,394	93	140	79	50	97	45	280	27,136
Total Special	1022	1,141	112	123	14	5	20	57	146	2,912
TOTAL CASES SUPERVISED	20,778	20,627	99	674	277	454	347	59	180	62,464

Pa Cases in Other States	2,300	2,280	99	13	9	5				
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Table 2
 ADDITIONS & DELETIONS
 August 1997

	PAROLE	REPAROLE	SPECIAL COUNTY PAROLE	SPECIAL COUNTY PROBATION	OTHER STATES' PAROLE	OTHER STATES' PROBATION	MONTHLY TOTAL	FISCAL YTD TOTAL
ADDITIONS	408	113	40	69	6	38	674	1,471
DELETIONS								
RECOMMITMENTS								
CPV								
D.O.C.	68	29	0	2	0	0	99	194
COUNTY	10	6	1	11	0	1	29	56
TOTAL CPV	78	35	1	13	0	1	128	250
TPV								
D.O.C.	90	27	0	2	1	0	120	262
COUNTY	12	4	4	9	0	0	29	78
TOTAL TPV	102	31	4	11	1	0	149	340
TOTAL RECOMMITMENTS	180	66	5	24	1	1	277	590
MAXIMUM DISCHARGE	200	36	34	63	13	33	379	853
DEATH	9	2	0	1	1	2	15	29
OTHER DELETIONS	7	4	6	11	10	22	60	143
TOTAL DELETIONS	396	108	45	99	25	58	731	1,615

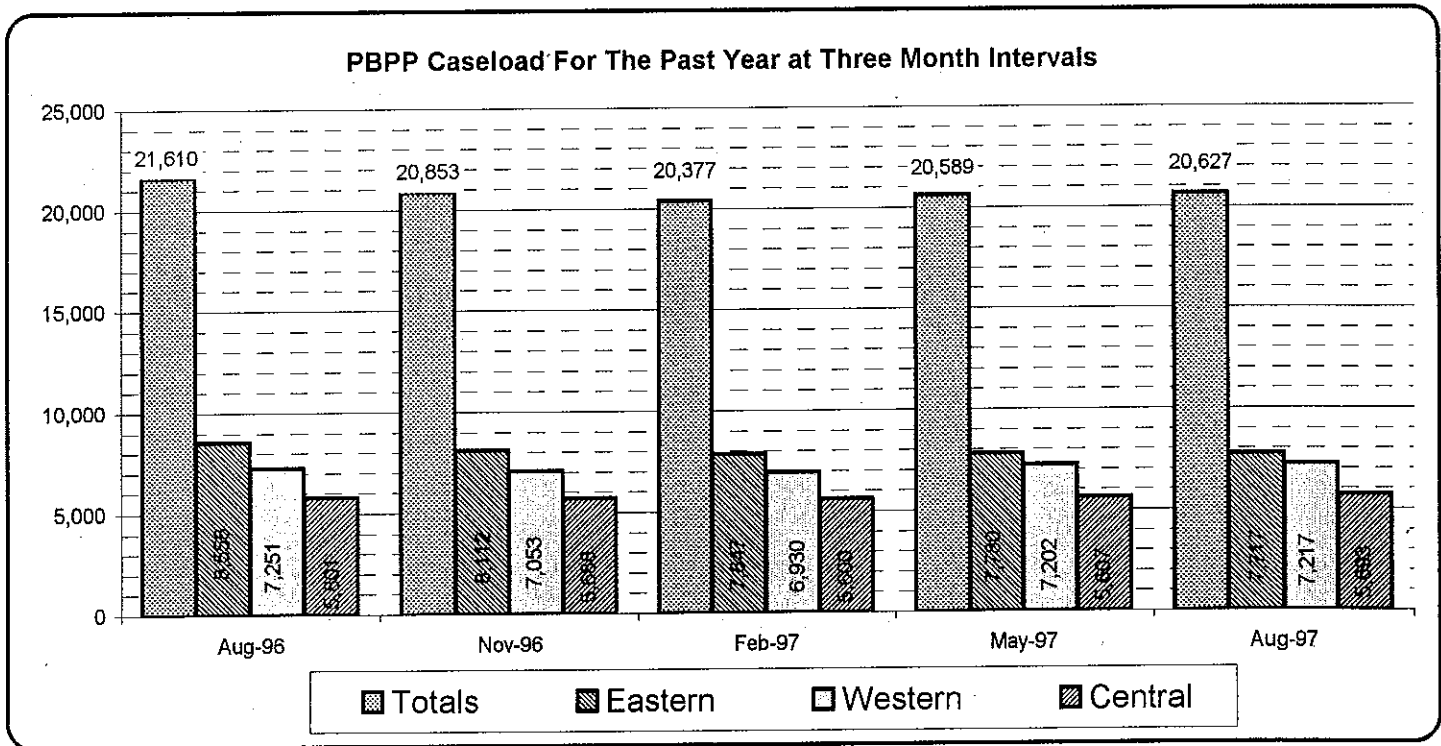


Table 3
**CASES BY ORIGINATING JURISDICTION
 BY REGION AND DISTRICT**
 August 1997

Region/District	Parole(Pa. Sentence)			County Special Parole	County Special Probation	Other States' Parole	Other States' Probation	TOTAL CASES
	from D.O.C.	from County Prisons	Total					
CHESTER DISTRICT	1,099	262	1,361	7	110	55	208	1,741
PHILADELPHIA DISTRICT	4,983	283	5,266	25	200	132	353	5,976
EASTERN REGION	6,082	545	6,627	32	310	187	561	7,717
ALLENTOWN DISTRICT	1,225	523	1,748	4	90	65	140	2,047
HARRISBURG DISTRICT	1,701	206	1,907	8	72	69	140	2,196
SCRANTON DISTRICT	346	214	560	1	65	44	111	781
WILLIAMSPORT DISTRICT	426	115	541	4	36	11	77	669
CENTRAL REGION	3,698	1,058	4,756	17	263	189	468	5,693
ALTOONA DISTRICT	347	103	450	69	148	13	40	720
BUTLER DISTRICT	424	27	451	44	87	16	53	651
ERIE DISTRICT	759	53	812	636	818	36	74	2,376
PITTSBURGH DISTRICT	2,166	132	2,298	106	847	82	137	3,470
WESTERN REGION	3,696	315	4,011	855	1,900	147	304	7,217
TOTAL CASES SUPERVISED	13,476	1,918	15,394	904	2,473	523	1,333	20,627
PERCENT OF TOTAL	66%	9%	75%	4%	12%	3%	6%	100%

Table 4
**CASES BY GRADE OF SUPERVISION
 BY REGION AND DISTRICT**
 August 1997

District/Region	Reporting					Non-Reporting		TOTAL CASES
	Intensive	Maximum	Medium	Minimum	Not Classified	Absconder	Detainees	
CHESTER DISTRICT	592	323	233	176	12	99	306	1,741
PHILADELPHIA DISTRICT	1,511	749	948	899	128	705	1,036	5,976
EASTERN REGION	2,103	1,072	1,181	1,075	140	804	1,342	7,717
ALLENTOWN DISTRICT	534	351	354	334	50	130	294	2,047
HARRISBURG DISTRICT	235	544	380	515	64	114	344	2,196
SCRANTON DISTRICT	217	85	190	155	10	9	115	781
WILLIAMSPORT DISTRICT	0	264	167	143	15	9	71	669
CENTRAL REGION	986	1,244	1,091	1,147	139	262	824	5,693
ALTOONA DISTRICT	0	232	206	125	63	21	73	720
BUTLER DISTRICT	0	220	212	67	54	26	72	651
ERIE DISTRICT	115	365	460	809	348	56	223	2,376
PITTSBURGH DISTRICT	0	892	940	664	200	201	573	3,470
WESTERN REGION	115	1,709	1,818	1,665	665	304	941	7,217
TOTAL CASES SUPERVISED	3,204	4,025	4,090	3,887	944	1,370	3,107	20,627

Table 5
CASES BY SEX AND RACE
BY REGION AND DISTRICT
 August 1997

District/Region	Male			Female			Percent Male	Percent Female	TOTAL CASES
	White	Non-White	Total	White	Non-White	Total			
CHESTER DISTRICT	741	869	1,610	73	58	131	92%	8%	1,741
PHILADELPHIA DISTRICT	926	4,653	5,579	69	328	397	93%	7%	5,976
EASTERN REGION	1,667	5,522	7,189	142	386	528	93%	7%	7,717
ALLENTOWN DISTRICT	950	862	1,812	115	120	235	89%	11%	2,047
HARRISBURG DISTRICT	1,017	961	1,978	120	98	218	90%	10%	2,196
SCRANTON DISTRICT	628	63	691	81	9	90	88%	12%	781
WILLIAMSPORT DISTRICT	513	57	570	82	17	99	85%	15%	669
CENTRAL REGION	3,108	1,943	5,051	398	244	642	89%	11%	5,693
ALTOONA DISTRICT	573	71	644	70	6	76	89%	11%	720
BUTLER DISTRICT	431	144	575	55	21	76	88%	12%	651
ERIE DISTRICT	1,544	475	2,019	245	112	357	85%	15%	2,376
PITTSBURGH DISTRICT	1,413	1,702	3,115	163	192	355	90%	10%	3,470
WESTERN REGION	3,961	2,392	6,353	533	331	864	88%	12%	7,217
TOTAL CASES SUPERVISED	8,736	9,857	18,593	1,073	961	2,034	90%	10%	20,627

Table 6
CASES BY EMPLOYMENT STATUS
BY REGION AND DISTRICT
 August 1997

District/Region	Employed	Unemployed	Unemployment Rate	Unable to Work	Unknown	Non-Reporting	TOTAL CASES
CHESTER DISTRICT	698	457	40%	103	78	405	1,741
PHILADELPHIA DISTRICT	2,431	1,403	37%	291	110	1,741	5,976
EASTERN REGION	3,129	1,860	37%	394	188	2,146	7,717
ALLENTOWN DISTRICT	294	262	47%	75	992	424	2,047
HARRISBURG DISTRICT	1,302	303	19%	91	42	458	2,196
SCRANTON DISTRICT	478	109	19%	67	3	124	781
WILLIAMSPORT DISTRICT	387	118	23%	71	13	80	669
CENTRAL REGION	2,461	792	24%	304	1,050	1,086	5,693
ALTOONA DISTRICT	394	104	21%	97	31	94	720
BUTLER DISTRICT	320	149	32%	62	22	98	651
ERIE DISTRICT	1,161	457	28%	251	228	279	2,376
PITTSBURGH DISTRICT	1,504	851	36%	265	76	774	3,470
WESTERN REGION	3,379	1,561	32%	675	357	1,245	7,217
TOTAL CASES SUPERVISED	8,969	4,213	32%	1,373	1,595	4,477	20,627

Table 7
Board Decisions
August 1997

Type of Decision	Total
Parole to Street	403
Parole to Detainer	36
Parole Refused	653
Total Considered	1,092
Percent Granted	40%
Recommitments	381
Refer to Prior Action	80
Assign by Courts	214
Other Decisions	634
Total Decisions	2,401

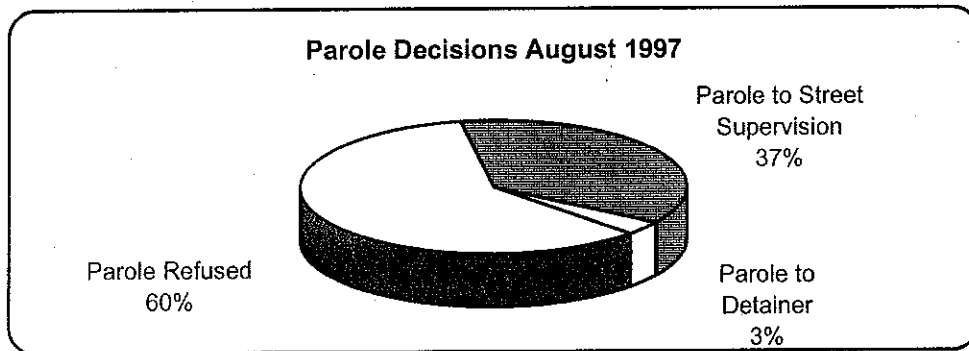
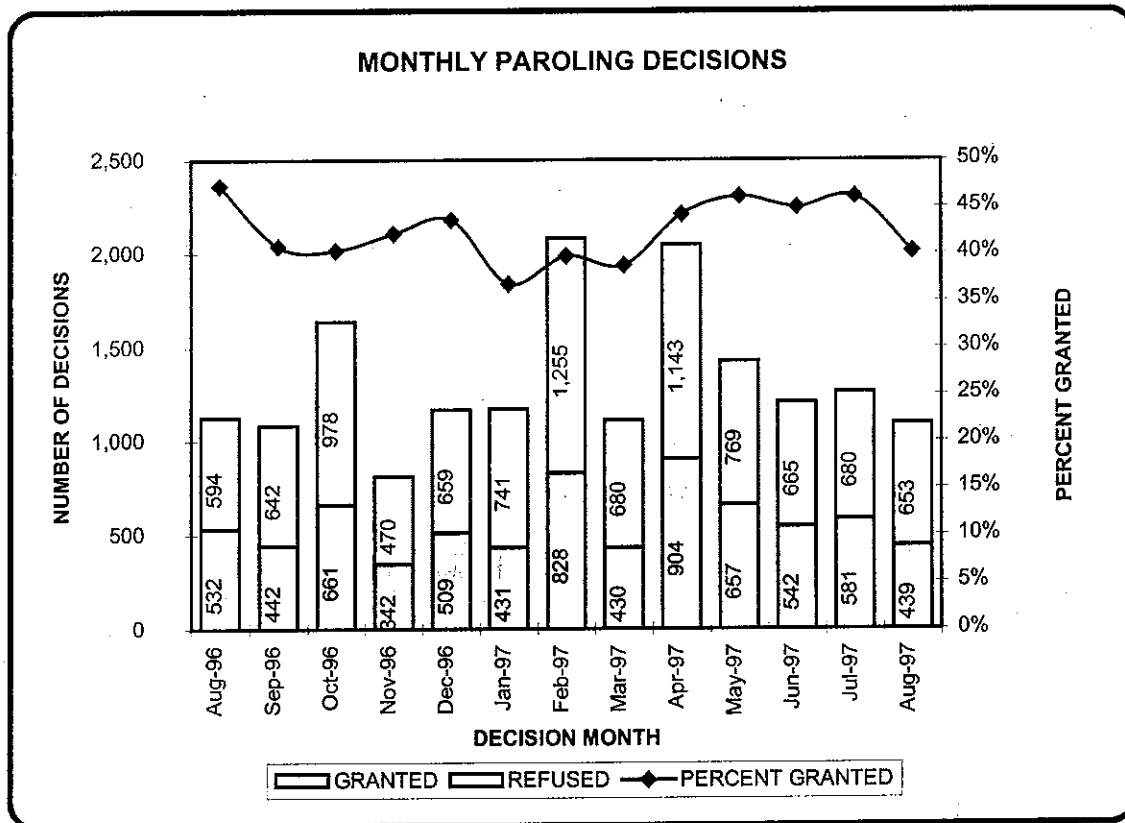


Table 8
Hearing and Interviews
August 1997

Type	Board Members	Hearing Examiners	Total
HEARINGS			
Preliminary	0	63	63
Preliminary/Detention	0	13	13
Violation	0	174	174
Violation/Detention	0	31	31
Detention	0	25	25
Revocation	0	56	56
Revocation/Violation	0	14	14
Probable Cause Out-of-State	0	10	10
Panel	43	0	43
Total Hearings	43	386	429
INTERVIEWS			
Parole/Minimum	90	537	627
Reparole/Review	123	571	694
Victim Input	0	25	25
Total Interviews	213	1,133	1,346

Table 9
MONTHLY PAROLING DECISIONS
August 1997

MONTH/YEAR	PAROLE GRANTED	PAROLE REFUSED	TOTAL CONSIDERED	PERCENT GRANTED
August 1996	532	594	1,126	47%
September 1996	442	642	1,084	41%
October 1996	661	978	1,639	40%
November 1996	342	470	812	42%
December 1996	509	659	1,168	44%
January 1997	431	741	1,172	37%
February 1997	828	1,255	2,083	40%
March 1997	430	680	1,110	39%
April 1997	904	1,143	2,047	44%
May 1997	657	769	1,426	46%
June 1997	542	665	1,207	45%
July 1997	581	680	1,261	46%
August 1997	439	653	1,092	40%
Monthly Average Prior 12 Months	564	778	1,342	42%



Total monthly paroling decisions consist of cases considered at minimum sentence date and at review date for prior refusals

Errata: Corrections were made to Table 8 for July 1997. Please substitute this page in the July Report.

Table 7
Board Decisions
July 1997

Type of Decision	Total
Parole to Street	529
Parole to Detainer	52
Parole Refused	680
Total Considered	1,261
Percent Granted	46%
Recommitments	357
Refer to Prior Action	131
Assign by Courts	109
Other Decisions	653
Total Decisions	2,511

Parole Decisions July 1997

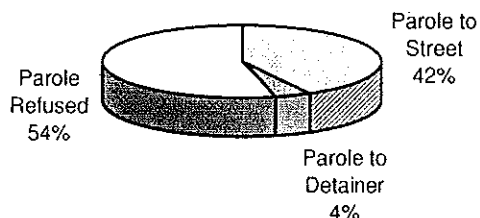
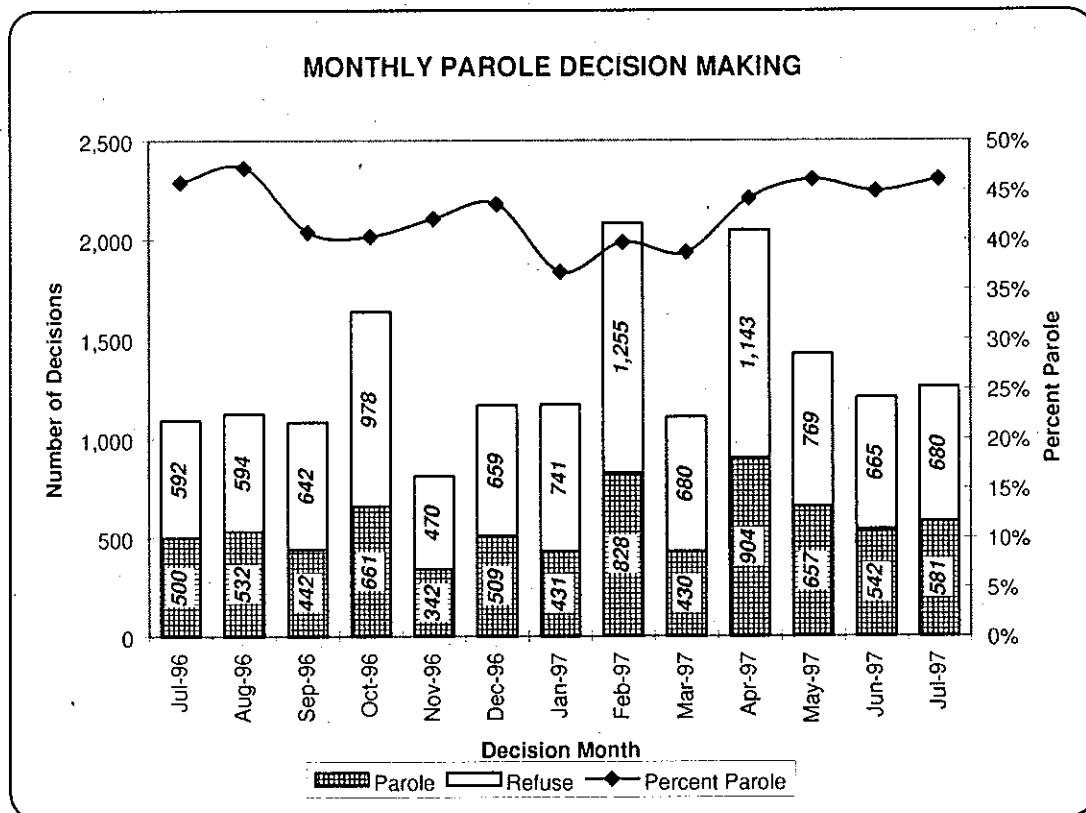


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July 1997

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HEARINGS			
Preliminary	0	57	57
Preliminary/Detention	0	21	21
Violation	0	155	155
Violation/Detention	0	28	28
Detention	0	20	20
Revocation	0	79	79
Revocation/Violation	0	14	14
Probable Cause Out-of-State	0	11	11
Panel	58	0	58
Total Hearings	58	385	443
INTERVIEWS			
Parole/Minimum	55	662	717
Reparole/Review	124	690	814
Victim Input	0	16	16
Total Interviews	179	1,368	1,547

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Prior 12 Months Monthly Average	572	773	1,345	43%



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