



**STATE OF NEW JERSEY  
DEPARTMENT OF LAW AND PUBLIC SAFETY  
OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL**

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA**

**v.**

**STATE OF NEW JERSEY and  
DIVISION OF STATE POLICE OF  
THE NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT  
OF LAW AND PUBLIC SAFETY**

**CIVIL ACTION NO. 99-5970 (MLC)**

**FIRST SEMIANNUAL PUBLIC REPORT OF AGGREGATE DATA  
SUBMITTED PURSUANT TO THE CONSENT DECREE  
ENTERED INTO BY THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
AND THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY REGARDING  
THE NEW JERSEY DIVISION OF STATE POLICE**

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**EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

On December 30, 1999, the State of New Jersey and the United States of America agreed upon the terms of a Consent Decree in Civil No. 99-5970 (MLC) ("Consent Decree"). Pursuant to Consent Decree ¶114, this is the first semiannual public report of aggregate data ("Data Report"). This Data Report contains information in Motor Vehicle Tables (Exhibits A-G) and Misconduct Investigation Table (Exhibit H) for the period January 1, 2000 through April 30, 2000 which is retrievable through presently existing technology and procedures. As required by Consent Decree ¶114, the Motor Vehicle Tables contain data for each troop and station within the Division of State Police. On these tables, the race or ethnicity of the motorist is listed horizontally and the motor vehicle enforcement action or procedure is listed vertically.

More specifically, the vertical axis of the Motor Vehicle Tables lists summonses, warnings, and summonses & warnings. This information was obtained through the Computer Aided Dispatch ("CAD") system. This data reflects the race or ethnicity of the motorist as observed by the Trooper. The information regarding summonses and warnings reflects whether a summons or warning was issued, but not the number of summonses or warnings issued. Moreover, under the CAD reporting system if an arrest occurs and a summons is issued in connection with the motor vehicle stop, then only the arrest would be reflected.

The vertical axis of the Motor Vehicle Tables also lists total criminal arrests and patrol-related arrests as compiled utilizing Uniform Crime Report (UCR) methodology. Patrol-related arrests are, in turn, more specifically listed as arrests for drugs, weapons, and other patrol-related arrests. The vertical axis also lists arrests for driving under the influence, listed as "DUI."

As previously noted, the motor vehicle data supplied in this report is based upon existing technology and procedures. It is anticipated that, in the next semiannual public report, progress in technology and procedures will enable the State to disclose additional motor vehicle information, including the reason for the stop (i.e., moving, non-moving, other) and the procedures utilized during the course of a stop (i.e., requests occupant to exit vehicle, frisk, requests for consent to search, consent searches, non-consensual searches, uses of force, employing a drug detecting canine). It is anticipated that this technology will also enable the State to disclose whether summonses and warnings were issued for moving or non-moving violations. As reflected in Exhibit E, the CAD system was not operational on the Garden State Parkway during the period addressed in this Data

Report. Earlier this month, the CAD system became operational on two of the three stations located on the Garden State Parkway. It is anticipated that the CAD system will become fully operational on the Garden State Parkway within a matter of weeks. Accordingly, it is anticipated that this data will be available for the next semiannual Data Report.

As required by Consent Decree ¶114, Exhibit H contains misconduct investigation data on a statewide basis for the period January 1, 2000 through April 30, 2000. Exhibit H discloses whether an investigation was initiated by virtue of an internal (i.e., from a State Police member) or external (i.e., from a citizen who is not a State Police member) complaint. Exhibit H reflects misconduct investigations initiated on or after January 1, 2000 and does not reflect the progress of investigations previously initiated. This exhibit discloses the total number of misconduct investigations and their disposition -- substantiated, unsubstantiated, and unfounded. This exhibit also lists the categories of violations vertically.

While the State is encouraged with its progress in gathering data as reflected in this Data Report, the State acknowledges that it must continue to develop and implement technology and procedures referenced in this Data Report. This progress is the result of the commitment of substantial resources and effort by State Police members. The State remains committed to continuing this progress and implementing the provisions of the Consent Decree to the extent that such implementation is consistent with the safety of the public and the members of the New Jersey State Police.

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**CONCLUSION**

The foregoing Data Report has been submitted pursuant to ¶114 of the Consent Decree.

Respectfully submitted,

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Bellmawr	
Other	

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Other	

**TROOP C**

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Hightstown	
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Other	

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Other

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**MISCONDUCT INVESTIGATION DATA**

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New Jersey State Police  
January-April 2000  
Troop A  
Totals

	Troop A Totals							
	Total	White	Black	W. Hisp.	B. Hisp.	Asian	A. Indian	Other
<b>Stops</b>	<b>28397</b>	<b>22080</b>	<b>4638</b>	<b>1102</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>494</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>0</b>
		0.78	0.16	0.04	0.00	0.02	0.00	0.00
<b>Summons * 7231</b>	<b>7231</b>	<b>5384</b>	<b>1228</b>	<b>348</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>239</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>0</b>
	0.25	0.74	0.17	0.05	0.00	0.03	0.00	0.00
<b>Warnings * 10134</b>	<b>10134</b>	<b>8068</b>	<b>1620</b>	<b>311</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>113</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>0</b>
	0.36	0.80	0.16	0.03	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.00
<b>Summons &amp; Warnings * 6391</b>	<b>6391</b>	<b>5083</b>	<b>963</b>	<b>242</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>0</b>
	0.23	0.80	0.15	0.04	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.00
<b>Total Criminal Arrests 3225</b>	<b>3225</b>	<b>1494</b>	<b>1424</b>	<b>285</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
		0.46	0.44	0.09	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Patrol Related Arrests 2414</b>	<b>2414</b>	<b>1041</b>	<b>1137</b>	<b>217</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
	0.75	0.43	0.47	0.09	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Drugs 313</b>	<b>313</b>	<b>186</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
	0.13	0.59	0.32	0.07	0.02	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Weapons 12</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
	0.00	0.58	0.25	0.17	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Other 2089</b>	<b>2089</b>	<b>848</b>	<b>1034</b>	<b>193</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
	0.87	0.41	0.49	0.09	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>DUI 633</b>	<b>633</b>	<b>425</b>	<b>124</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>
		0.67	0.20	0.12	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

**Exhibit A**

*\* Data do not include multiple summonses or warnings issued during a motor vehicle stop; nor do the data reflect summonses or warnings issued if additional dispositions were present due to disposition heirarchy.*

New Jersey State Police  
January-April 2000  
Troop A  
Bridgeton Station

	A040	Bridgeton Station						
	Total	White	Black	W. Hisp.	B. Hisp.	Asian	A. Indian	Other
<b>Total Stops</b>	3025	1800	940	269	2	10	2	0
		0.60	0.31	0.09	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Summonses *</b>	521	286	152	79	1	2	1	0
	0.17	0.55	0.29	0.15	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Warnings *</b>	1426	901	432	87	0	5	1	0
	0.47	0.63	0.30	0.06	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Summonses &amp; Warnings *</b>	554	328	172	51	1	2	0	0
	0.18	0.59	0.31	0.09	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Total Criminal Arrests</b>	934	214	648	69	2	1	0	0
		0.23	0.69	0.07	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Patrol Related Arrests</b>	680	130	495	53	2	0	0	0
	0.73	0.19	0.73	0.08	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Drugs</b>	73	25	42	5	1	0	0	0
	0.11	0.34	0.58	0.07	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Weapons</b>	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
	0.00	0.00	1.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Other</b>	605	105	451	48	1	0	0	0
	0.89	0.17	0.75	0.08	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>DUI</b>	103	43	27	32	0	0	1	0
		0.42	0.26	0.31	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.00

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New Jersey State Police  
January-April 2000  
Troop A  
Woodbine Station

	A050	Woodbine Station						
	Total	White	Black	W. Hisp.	B. Hisp.	Asian	A. Indian	Other
Stops	2148	1899	176	63	3	6	0	0
		0.88	0.08	0.03	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Summonses *	443	393	29	17	1	3	0	0
	0.21	0.89	0.07	0.04	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.00
Warnings *	859	767	70	20	1	1	0	0
	0.40	0.89	0.08	0.02	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Summonses & Warnings *	524	458	50	16	0	0	0	0
	0.24	0.87	0.10	0.03	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Total Criminal Arrests	250	116	96	33	5	0	0	0
		0.46	0.38	0.13	0.02	0.00	0.00	0.00
Patrol Related Arrests	135	57	64	10	4	0	0	0
	0.54	0.42	0.47	0.07	0.03	0.00	0.00	0.00
Drugs	19	13	4	1	1	0	0	0
	0.14	0.68	0.21	0.05	0.05	0.00	0.00	0.00
Weapons	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Other	116	44	60	9	3	0	0	0
	0.86	0.38	0.52	0.08	0.03	0.00	0.00	0.00
DUI	35	28	5	2	0	0	0	0
		0.80	0.14	0.06	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

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New Jersey State Police  
January-April 2000  
Troop A  
Buena Vista Station

	A090	Buena Vista Station							
	Total	White	Black	W. Hisp.	B. Hisp.	Asian	A. Indian	Other	
<b>Stops</b>	<b>2831</b>	<b>2264</b>	<b>355</b>	<b>166</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	
		0.80	0.13	0.06	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.00	
<b>Summonses *</b>	<b>658</b>	<b>519</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	
	0.23	0.79	0.11	0.07	0.00	0.03	0.00	0.00	
<b>Warnings *</b>	<b>1091</b>	<b>881</b>	<b>145</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	
	0.39	0.81	0.13	0.05	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.00	
<b>Summonses &amp; Warnings *</b>	<b>588</b>	<b>479</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	
	0.21	0.81	0.12	0.06	0.01	0.01	0.00	0.00	
<b>Total Criminal Arrests</b>	<b>314</b>	<b>159</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	
		0.51	0.32	0.17	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
<b>Patrol Related Arrests</b>	<b>217</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	
	0.69	0.45	0.35	0.20	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
<b>Drugs</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	
	0.10	0.59	0.27	0.14	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
<b>Weapons</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	
	0.02	0.80	0.00	0.20	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
<b>Other</b>	<b>190</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	
	0.88	0.42	0.37	0.21	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.00	
<b>DUI</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	
		0.63	0.10	0.28	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	

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New Jersey State Police  
January-April 2000  
Troop A  
Port Norris Station

	A100	Port Norris Station						
	Total	White	Black	W. Hisp.	B. Hisp.	Asian	A. Indian	Other
<b>Stops</b>	<b>2102</b>	<b>1698</b>	<b>317</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>
		0.81	0.15	0.04	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Summonses *</b>	<b>577</b>	<b>473</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>
	0.27	0.82	0.12	0.05	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Warnings *</b>	<b>770</b>	<b>629</b>	<b>118</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
	0.37	0.82	0.15	0.03	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Summonses &amp; Warnings *</b>	<b>444</b>	<b>357</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
	0.21	0.80	0.16	0.04	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Total Criminal Arrests</b>	<b>463</b>	<b>292</b>	<b>155</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
		0.63	0.33	0.03	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Patrol Related Arrests</b>	<b>329</b>	<b>191</b>	<b>129</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
	0.71	0.58	0.39	0.03	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Drugs</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
	0.09	0.60	0.33	0.07	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Weapons</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
	0.00	1.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Other</b>	<b>298</b>	<b>172</b>	<b>119</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
	0.91	0.58	0.40	0.02	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>DUI</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
		0.73	0.23	0.04	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

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