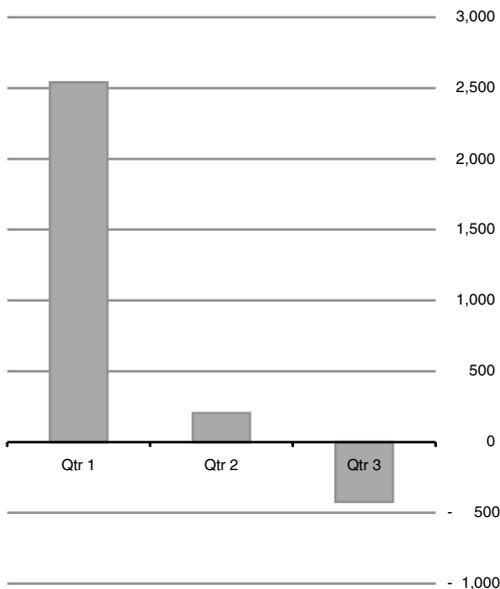




## Headline Crime Statistics

Quarter 3 2006 (Provisional)

**Change in the number of headline offences, 2005/2006**



**Total Headline Offences**

	2005	2006	Change	% Change
<b>Year to date</b>	75,288	77,610	2,322	3.1
<b>Third Quarter</b>	26,239	25,816	-423	-1.6

### Little change in recorded crime in recent months

There were relatively small year on year changes in the total number of recorded headline offences in the second and third quarters of 2006. The second quarter rose by just over 200 and the preliminary figure for the third quarter was down by approximately 400, compared with the corresponding quarters in 2005. However, this followed a significant increase of over 10% in the first quarter compared with the first quarter of 2005 and, as a result, the number of recorded headline offences increased from 75,288 in the first three quarters of 2005 to 77,610 in the corresponding period of 2006. This represents an increase of 2,322 or 3.1% over the year. *See tables 1a, 1b & graph opposite.*

When analysed according to headline offence group, the following trends can be observed between 2005 and 2006. *See table 2.*

#### Group 01 - Homicides

Offences classified as either *Murder* or *Manslaughter* were down year on year by 1 in the third quarter, but up by 2 overall in the year to date. *Murder attempts and threats* were down significantly from 40 to 19 in the third quarter thus cancelling out the increases recorded in the first half of 2006.

#### Group 02 - Assaults

The dominant headline offence in this group, *Assault causing harm*, was up by 65 (+7.0%) in the third quarter and by 93 (+3.3%) overall in the year to date.

#### Group 03 - Sexual Offences

Overall, offences in this group were down by 49 (-10.3%) in the third quarter and by 196 (-12.5%) in the first nine months of 2006.

#### Group 04 - Arson

*Arson* increased consistently by almost a quarter in the year to date with an increase of 95 (+23.6%) recorded in the third quarter compared with the corresponding quarter in 2005.

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**Group 05 - Drugs**

There was a sizeable increase of 153 (+25.8%) in the number of *Possession of drugs for sale or supply* offences recorded in the third quarter of 2006 compared with the third quarter of 2005. Overall, drug related offences were up by 203 (+8.6%) in the first nine months of the year.

**Group 06 - Thefts**

Offences in this group account for over half of all recorded headline offences. Within the group, *Theft from person* continued to decline with a year on year fall of 314 (-23.7%) in the third quarter and an accumulated decline of 691 (-19.8%) in the year to date. Compared with the situation in 2005, *Theft from M.P.V.* fell in the third quarter by 313 (-8.6%) but the total recorded so far this year was up by 684 (+7.1%). Recorded *Theft from shop* offences were up by over 14% in both the third quarter and in the year to date. Overall, headline theft offences were up by 2,135 (+5.1%) in the year so far despite a small decline of 96 (-0.6%) in the third quarter.

**Group 07 - Burglaries**

In total, offences in this group were down year on year by 713 (-10.9%) in the third quarter and by 481 (-2.5%) over the first nine months.

**Group 08 - Robberies**

*Robbery from the person* offences were up by 46 (+15.2%) in the third quarter compared with the third quarter of 2005 and by 73 (+7.3%) in the year to date. There was a decline of a third, from 36 to 24, in the number of *Robbery of cash/goods in transit* offences recorded so far this year compared with 2005.

**Group 09 - Frauds**

There were significant increases in the number of *Deception and False pretences* offences recorded in 2006, with the number in the third quarter up by 203 (+40.3%) and by 352 (+24.1%) on the year. Other fraud offences, however, were down on the 2005 situation.

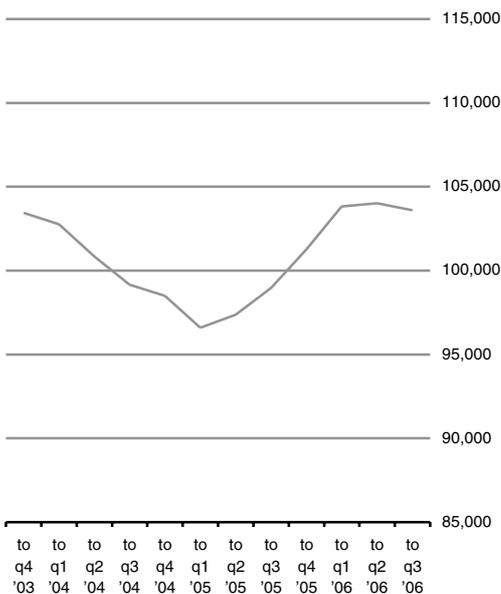
**Group 10 - Other Headline Offences**

Offences related to firearms were down compared with 2005 while serious driving related offences also fell significantly. Other headline offences recorded as *Abandoning a child, child neglect and cruelty* fell by 25 (-30.9%) in the third quarter compared with 2005 but there was virtually no change in the total number of these offences recorded so far this year compared with one year ago.

**Annualised trend in recorded crime continues to increase in 2006**

The annualised totals fell consistently from the fourth quarter of 2003 to the first quarter of 2005. In the 12 month period ending the fourth quarter of 2003, the total number of offences recorded was 103,447, compared to 96,602 in first quarter of 2005. This represents a decrease of almost 7%. Subsequently, there was a steady increase in the annualised number of recorded headline crimes to 104,022 in the second quarter of 2006, an increase of almost 8%. Provisional figures for year ending the third quarter of 2006 indicate a slight decrease to 103,599. See table 1b and graph opposite.

**Annualised trend in the total number of recorded headline crimes\***



\*The annualised figure for a given quarter is the total number of headline crimes recorded in the 12 months prior to end of that quarter

**Table 1a Headline Offences - 3rd quarter and year to date, 2005/2006**

	Third Quarter				Year to Date			
	2005	2006	Change	% Change	2005	2006	Change	% Change
Murder/Manslaughter:	17	16	-1	-5.9	44	46	2	4.5
<i>of which: murder</i>	16	14	-2	-12.5	38	44	6	15.8
<i>manslaughter</i>	1	2	1	100.0	6	2	-4	-66.7
Rape of a female	103	99	-4	-3.9	282	274	-8	-2.8
Rape section 4	15	17	2	13.3	67	58	-9	-13.4
Unlawful carnal knowledge	28	9	-19	-67.9	82	47	-35	-42.7
Aggravated sexual assault	3	5	2	66.7	6	11	5	83.3
Sexual assault	245	230	-15	-6.1	901	743	-158	-17.5
False imprisonment	8	14	6	75.0	35	43	8	22.9
Abduction	6	4	-2	-33.3	17	18	1	5.9
Assault causing harm	934	999	65	7.0	2,812	2,905	93	3.3
Theft from person	1,326	1,012	-314	-23.7	3,486	2,795	-691	-19.8
Theft from M.P.V.	3,632	3,319	-313	-8.6	9,633	10,317	684	7.1
Theft from shop	4,138	4,735	597	14.4	11,932	13,640	1,708	14.3
Theft of a pedal cycle	147	113	-34	-23.1	353	293	-60	-17.0
Theft (other)	5,308	5,307	-1	0.0	15,200	15,805	605	4.0
Burglary	6,459	5,673	-786	-12.2	18,710	18,132	-578	-3.1
Aggravated burglary	65	80	15	23.1	195	219	24	12.3
Robbery of an establishment / institution	197	211	14	7.1	849	850	1	0.1
Robbery of cash / goods in transit	14	8	-6	-42.9	36	24	-12	-33.3
Robbery from the person	302	348	46	15.2	862	925	63	7.3
Arson	403	498	95	23.6	1,001	1,248	247	24.7
Possession of drugs for sale or supply	593	746	153	25.8	1,976	2,129	153	7.7
Possession of firearms	115	101	-14	-12.2	341	305	-36	-10.6
Discharging a firearm	84	85	1	1.2	222	216	-6	-2.7
Other headline offences:	2,097	2,187	90	4.3	6,246	6,567	321	5.1
<i>of which:</i>								
<i>Dangerous driving causing death or serious</i>								
<i>bodily harm, manslaughter (traffic fatality)</i>	14	4	-10	-71.4	60	41	-19	-31.7
<i>Abandoning a child, child neglect and cruelty</i>	81	56	-25	-30.9	212	213	1	0.5
<i>Murder attempts and threats</i>	40	19	-21	-52.5	74	72	-2	-2.7
<i>Harrassment and endangerment</i>	126	100	-26	-20.6	352	335	-17	-4.8
<i>Deception and false pretences</i>	504	707	203	40.3	1,460	1,812	352	24.1
<i>Forgery/false instruments offences</i>	335	299	-36	-10.7	1,097	1,065	-32	-2.9
<i>Cultivation, manufacture or importation of drugs</i>	18	51	33	183.3	64	104	40	62.5
<i>Obstruction under Drugs Act</i>	117	104	-13	-11.1	314	324	10	3.2
<i>Handling, possession of stolen property</i>	376	354	-22	-5.9	1,148	1,109	-39	-3.4
<i>Miscellaneous other offences</i>	486	493	7	1.4	1,465	1,492	27	1.8
<b>Total</b>	<b>26,239</b>	<b>25,816</b>	<b>-423</b>	<b>-1.6</b>	<b>75,288</b>	<b>77,610</b>	<b>2,322</b>	<b>3.1</b>

**Table 1b** **Headline Offences 2003-2006, starting in 2003**

	2003					2004				
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Total	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Total
Murder/Manslaughter:	17	12	13	9	51	12	11	12	11	46
<i>of which: murder</i>	13	10	9	9	41	8	9	8	11	36
<i>manslaughter</i>	4	2	4	0	10	4	2	4	0	10
Rape of a female	96	58	62	55	271	123	82	95	59	359
Rape section 4	17	15	13	11	56	17	18	9	19	63
Unlawful carnal knowledge	30	16	15	31	92	25	32	39	12	108
Aggravated sexual assault	2	2	4	3	11	5	5	3	1	14
Sexual assault	584	292	296	161	1,333	443	196	211	168	1,018
False imprisonment	21	12	12	7	52	14	7	16	8	45
Abduction	17	8	13	6	44	10	9	7	4	30
Assault causing harm	1,145	1,010	951	833	3,939	1,045	911	980	888	3,824
Theft from person	1,640	1,686	1,727	1,605	6,658	1,551	1,460	1,391	1,283	5,685
Theft from M.P.V.	3,112	3,367	3,656	2,832	12,967	3,219	3,407	3,589	2,976	13,191
Theft from shop	3,851	3,867	3,931	4,040	15,689	3,821	3,449	3,532	3,945	14,747
Theft of a pedal cycle	97	113	152	88	450	79	102	145	93	419
Theft (other)	5,344	5,230	5,323	4,522	20,419	4,874	4,868	5,122	4,518	19,382
Burglary	6,425	6,087	6,161	6,530	25,203	6,853	5,476	5,966	6,083	24,378
Aggravated burglary	94	68	83	82	327	78	68	64	70	280
Robbery of an establishment / institution	327	237	241	224	1,029	282	232	241	320	1,075
Robbery of cash / goods in transit	15	18	9	11	53	21	15	9	15	60
Robbery from the person	474	433	418	396	1,721	440	416	326	294	1,476
Arson	342	358	350	369	1,419	360	413	357	365	1,495
→ Possession of drugs for sale or supply	576	680	562	502	2,320	497	537	571	549	2,154
Possession of firearms	128	77	77	91	373	117	92	90	64	363
Discharging a firearm	54	45	57	57	213	83	77	60	70	290
Other headline offences:	2,669	2,016	2,189	1,883	8,757	2,418	1,908	1,802	1,871	7,999
<i>of which:</i>										
<i>Dangerous driving causing death or serious bodily harm, manslaughter (traffic fatality)</i>	10	8	19	8	45	29	19	11	16	75
<i>Abandoning a child, child neglect and cruelty</i>	32	65	48	34	179	43	54	57	41	195
<i>Murder attempts and threats</i>	11	13	18	5	47	10	11	17	11	49
<i>Harrassment and endangerment</i>	157	117	113	87	474	148	116	93	75	432
<i>Deception and false pretences</i>	694	461	606	516	2,277	547	408	382	448	1,785
<i>Forgery/false instruments offences</i>	417	242	346	326	1,331	389	313	306	265	1,273
<i>Cultivation, manufacture or importation of drugs</i>	21	23	39	24	107	11	29	21	13	74
<i>Obstruction under Drugs Act</i>	62	89	87	64	302	94	62	95	73	324
<i>Handling, possession of stolen property</i>	472	388	382	290	1,532	445	385	373	328	1,531
<i>Miscellaneous other offences</i>	793	610	531	529	2,463	702	511	447	601	2,261
<b>Total</b>	<b>27,077</b>	<b>25,707</b>	<b>26,315</b>	<b>24,348</b>	<b>103,447</b>	<b>26,387</b>	<b>23,791</b>	<b>24,637</b>	<b>23,686</b>	<b>98,501</b>

**Table 1b Headline Offences 2003-2006, starting in 2003 (cont'd)**

	2005					2006		
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Total	Q1	Q2	Q3
Murder/Manslaughter:	9	18	17	18	62	14	16	16
<i>of which: murder</i>	7	15	16	14	52	14	16	14
<i>manslaughter</i>	2	3	1	4	10	0	0	2
Rape of a female	92	87	103	88	370	101	74	99
Rape section 4	23	29	15	17	84	21	20	17
Unlawful carnal knowledge	38	16	28	11	93	29	9	9
Aggravated sexual assault	0	3	3	1	7	6	0	5
Sexual assault	430	226	245	184	1,085	330	183	230
False imprisonment	16	11	8	16	51	16	13	14
Abduction	3	8	6	6	23	6	8	4
Assault causing harm	1,011	867	934	849	3,661	1,000	906	999
Theft from person	1,030	1,130	1,326	1,110	4,596	859	924	1,012
Theft from M.P.V.	2,894	3,107	3,632	3,299	12,932	3,653	3,345	3,319
Theft from shop	3,830	3,964	4,138	4,373	16,305	4,392	4,513	4,735
Theft of a pedal cycle	92	114	147	144	497	74	106	113
Theft (other)	4,782	5,110	5,308	4,933	20,133	5,356	5,142	5,307
Burglary	6,337	5,914	6,459	7,116	25,826	7,019	5,440	5,673
Aggravated burglary	65	65	65	80	275	76	63	80
Robbery of an establishment / institution	357	295	197	301	1,150	334	305	211
Robbery of cash / goods in transit	13	9	14	8	44	8	8	8
Robbery from the person	285	275	302	276	1,138	266	311	348
Arson	317	281	403	411	1,412	365	385	498
Possession of drugs for sale or supply	671	712	593	615	2,591	667	716	746
Possession of firearms	90	136	115	81	422	102	102	101
Discharging a firearm	63	75	84	88	310	60	71	85
Other headline offences:	2,040	2,109	2,097	1,964	8,210	2,274	2,106	2,187
<i>of which:</i>								
<i>Dangerous driving causing death or serious bodily harm, manslaughter (traffic fatality)</i>	26	20	14	12	72	24	13	4
<i>Abandoning a child, child neglect and cruelty</i>	46	85	81	53	265	74	83	56
<i>Murder attempts and threats</i>	12	22	40	28	102	34	19	19
<i>Harrassment and endangerment</i>	121	105	126	93	445	134	101	100
<i>Deception and false pretences</i>	447	509	504	569	2,029	550	555	707
<i>Forgery/false instruments offences</i>	379	383	335	325	1,422	418	348	299
<i>Cultivation, manufacture or importation of drugs</i>	23	23	18	19	83	23	30	51
<i>Obstruction under Drugs Act</i>	97	100	117	79	393	101	119	104
<i>Handling, possession of stolen property</i>	398	374	376	288	1,436	371	384	354
<i>Miscellaneous other offences</i>	491	488	486	498	1,963	545	454	493
<b>Total</b>	<b>24,488</b>	<b>24,561</b>	<b>26,239</b>	<b>25,989</b>	<b>101,277</b>	<b>27,028</b>	<b>24,766</b>	<b>25,816</b>

**Table 2 Headline Offences classified by headline offence group, 3rd quarter and year to date 2005/2006**

	Third Quarter				Year to Date			
	2005	2006	Change	% Change	2005	2006	Change	% Change
<b>Group 01 - Homicides</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>-22</b>	<b>-38.6</b>	<b>118</b>	<b>119</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0.8</b>
Murder/Manslaughter:	17	16	-1	-5.9	44	46	2	4.5
<i>of which: murder</i>	16	14	-2	-12.5	38	44	6	15.8
<i>manslaughter</i>	1	2	1	100.0	6	2	-4	-66.7
Murder attempts and threats	40	19	-21	-52.5	74	72	-2	-2.7
Other headline homicide offences	0	0	0	0.0	0	1	1	N/A
<b>Group 02 - Assaults</b>	<b>1,128</b>	<b>1,177</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>4.3</b>	<b>3,370</b>	<b>3,478</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>3.2</b>
Assault causing harm	934	999	65	7.0	2,812	2,905	93	3.3
False imprisonment	8	14	6	75.0	35	43	8	22.9
Abduction	6	4	-2	-33.3	17	18	1	5.9
Harrasment and endangerment	126	100	-26	-20.6	352	335	-17	-4.8
Other headline assault offences	54	60	6	11.1	154	177	23	14.9
<b>Group 03 - Sexual Offences</b>	<b>475</b>	<b>426</b>	<b>-49</b>	<b>-10.3</b>	<b>1,566</b>	<b>1,370</b>	<b>-196</b>	<b>-12.5</b>
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Rape Section 4	15	17	2	13.3	67	58	-9	-13.4
Aggravated sexual assault	3	5	2	66.7	6	11	5	83.3
Rape of a female	103	99	-4	-3.9	282	274	-8	-2.8
Other headline sexual offences	81	66	-15	-18.5	228	237	9	3.9
<b>Group 04 - Arson</b>	<b>403</b>	<b>498</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>23.6</b>	<b>1,001</b>	<b>1,248</b>	<b>247</b>	<b>24.7</b>
Arson	403	498	95	23.6	1,001	1,248	247	24.7
<b>Group 05 - Drugs</b>	<b>728</b>	<b>901</b>	<b>173</b>	<b>23.8</b>	<b>2,354</b>	<b>2,557</b>	<b>203</b>	<b>8.6</b>
Possession of drugs for sale or supply	593	746	153	25.8	1,976	2,129	153	7.7
Cultivation, manufacture or importation of drugs	18	51	33	183.3	64	104	40	62.5
Obstruction under Drugs Act	117	104	-13	-11.1	314	324	10	3.2
<b>Group 06 - Thefts</b>	<b>14,978</b>	<b>14,882</b>	<b>-96</b>	<b>-0.6</b>	<b>41,951</b>	<b>44,086</b>	<b>2,135</b>	<b>5.1</b>
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Handling, possession of stolen property	376	354	-22	-5.9	1,148	1,109	-39	-3.4
Other headline theft offences	51	42	-9	-17.6	199	127	-72	-36.2
<b>Group 07 - Burglaries</b>	<b>6,559</b>	<b>5,846</b>	<b>-713</b>	<b>-10.9</b>	<b>19,036</b>	<b>18,555</b>	<b>-481</b>	<b>-2.5</b>
Burglary	6,459	5,673	-786	-12.2	18,710	18,132	-578	-3.1
Aggravated burglary	65	80	15	23.1	195	219	24	12.3
Other headline burglary offences	35	93	58	165.7	131	204	73	55.7
<b>Group 08 - Robberies</b>	<b>513</b>	<b>567</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>10.5</b>	<b>1,747</b>	<b>1,799</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>3.0</b>
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Deception and false pretences	504	707	203	40.3	1,460	1,812	352	24.1
Forgery/false instruments offences	335	299	-36	-10.7	1,097	1,065	-32	-2.9
Other headline fraud offences	102	70	-32	-31.4	324	236	-88	-27.2
<b>Group 10 - Other Headline Offences</b>	<b>457</b>	<b>408</b>	<b>-49</b>	<b>-10.7</b>	<b>1,264</b>	<b>1,285</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>1.7</b>
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<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>26,239</b>	<b>25,816</b>	<b>-423</b>	<b>-1.6</b>	<b>75,288</b>	<b>77,610</b>	<b>2,322</b>	<b>3.1</b>

## Background Notes

**Introduction** The Headline Crime Statistics release provides provisional figures for the number of headline offences recorded by An Garda Síochána relating to the period from July to September 2006. A retrospective quarterly series is also given to the year 2003. Please note that due to the timing of extraction of data, the figures for Q3 2006 are provisional and are subject to revision.

**Crime recording** Incidents reported or which become known to members of An Garda Síochána are recorded when, on the balance of probability, a Garda determines that a criminal offence defined by law has taken place and there is no credible evidence to the contrary. If it is subsequently determined that a criminal offence did not take place the criminal offence recorded is invalidated and is not counted in the statistics. If a person makes a report and subsequently withdraws it by stating that the criminal act did not take place then this too is invalidated unless there is evidence to suggest that by reasonable probability the offence has taken place. For criminal offences where victim confirmation is required (e.g. assault, fraud), a criminal offence is recorded only where the victim confirms the offence or where there is evidence to suggest that by reasonable probability it occurred.

**Crime classification** A criminal offence is classified as a particular offence type at the initial recording of the offence. A re-classification only ever occurs in relation to homicide offences. A murder offence is reclassified as manslaughter when a charge of manslaughter commences or when a murder charge results in a conviction for manslaughter. Also, a re-classification to a homicide offence occurs when, for example a serious assault has been recorded and, some time later, the victim dies as a consequence of the assault.

**Headline offences** The quarterly figures consist of Headline Offences only, which is part of the classification used by the Gardaí since the year 2000. Included in the headline category are 99 offence types in all, which, in the Garda Annual Report come under the following headings: Homicides, Assaults, Sexual Offences, Arson, Drugs, Thefts, Burglaries, Robberies, Frauds and Other Headline Offences.

**General counting rules** Crime counting rules are applied to all criminal offences for the purposes of the statistics. The following are list of the rules relevant to the quarterly headline figures:

**Primary Offence Rule:** Where two or more criminal offences are disclosed in a single episode, it is the primary criminal offence that is counted. The primary offence is that offence which the greater penalty may apply. Where offences have similar penalties, offences against the person take precedence over offences against the property for the purpose of determining the primary offence.

**One Offence Counts Per Victim:** One offence counts per victim involved with the exceptions of cheque/credit card fraud and burglary. Under certain circumstances, the cheque/credit card exception necessitates that a series of these offences counts as one crime where the originating bank ultimately suffers the loss. The burglary exception dictates that one burglary offence is counted where property belonging to two or more victims is stolen (or damaged) during a single burglary.

**Continuous Series Involving the Same Victim and Same Offender:** A continuous series of offences against the same victim involving the same offender counts as one offence.

Further information can be obtained from the publications/annual report section on the website of An Garda Síochána - [www.garda.ie](http://www.garda.ie)

## Complete list of headline offences included in each group title

<b>Homicide</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Murder</li> <li>Murder – attempt</li> <li>Abortion</li> <li>Manslaughter</li> <li>Infanticide</li> <li>Murder – threats</li> <li>Procuring or assisting in abortion</li> </ul>
<b>Assault</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Assault causing harm</li> <li>Coercion</li> <li>Harassment</li> <li>Poisoning</li> <li>Assault/obstruction/resist arrest - Peace Officer</li> <li>Endangerment</li> <li>False imprisonment</li> <li>Abduction</li> </ul>
<b>Sexual Offences</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Sexual assault</li> <li>Sexual offence involving mentally impaired person</li> <li>Gross indecency</li> <li>Buggery</li> <li>Unlawful carnal knowledge</li> <li>Rape section 4</li> <li>Bestiality</li> <li>Aggravated sexual assault</li> <li>Indecency</li> <li>Rape of a female</li> <li>Incest</li> <li>Brothel keeping</li> <li>Prostitution</li> <li>Sex offenders act</li> </ul>
<b>Arson</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Arson</li> </ul>
<b>Drugs</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Cultivate or manufacture of drugs</li> <li>Importation</li> <li>Obstruction under drugs act</li> <li>Possession of drugs for sale or supply</li> </ul>
<b>Thefts</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Theft from person</li> <li>Theft from M.P.V. (mechanically propelled vehicle)</li> <li>Theft of M.P.V.</li> <li>Theft of a pedal cycle</li> <li>Theft from shop</li> <li>Blackmail / extortion</li> <li>Theft (other)</li> <li>Handling/possession of stolen property</li> <li>Post office offences</li> </ul>
<b>Burglaries</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Burglary</li> <li>Forcible entry</li> <li>Possession of an article with intent</li> <li>Aggravated burglary</li> </ul>
<b>Robberies</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Robbery of an establishment/institution</li> <li>Robbery of cash/goods in transit</li> <li>Robbery from the person</li> </ul>

**Frauds** Fraud/deception  
False pretences  
Falsification of accounts  
Companies act offences  
Investment intermediaries act offences  
Stock exchange act offences  
Money laundering  
Forgery/false instruments offences  
Corruption  
Embezzlement  
European Communities' fraud  
Counterfeiting notes and coins  
Possession of an article (fraud)  
Criminal Assets Bureau offences

**Other Headline  
Offences** Affray/riot/violent disorder  
Personation  
Pub mischief and sim off - Sc 12a CL Act and Sc 13.1 PO Act  
Prohibition/incitement to hatred - Section 2 of 1989 Act  
Air navigation transport-section 28, 33(5), 43 of 1988 Act  
Destroying-disposing of a dead body  
Manslaughter (traffic fatality)  
Endangering traffic - section 14 NFOAP Act 1997  
Hijacking-unlawful seizure of a vehicle/aircraft/vessel  
Dangerous driving causing death  
Dangerous driving causing serious bodily harm  
Fisheries act - penalty excess District Court Jurisdiction  
Broadcasting/radio - Section 9/10 Broadcasting Act 1990  
Child pornography - Section 3/4/5&6 of Child Pornography Act  
Concealment of birth  
Misprision of felony  
Conspiracy  
Embracery  
Bad debts criminal (Debtors Ireland)  
Abandoning a child  
Child neglect and cruelty  
Bigamy  
Escape (rescue) from custody  
Prison break  
Possession of firearms  
Discharging a Firearm  
Causing an explosion  
Making of explosives  
Possession of explosives  
Offences against the State  
Treason  
Official Secrets Act  
Chemical weapons  
Perjury  
Employment permit – employer