DIVISION OF INTERNAL INVESTIGATION FY2007 ANNUAL STATISTICAL REPORT

The Division of Internal Investigation (DII) opened 259 cases of Illinois State Police employee misconduct during Fiscal Year (FY) 2007. In 78 investigations completed by DII, 37 employees were exonerated; 38 employees received discipline and 3 cases are still open. Cases of less serious transgressions (181) were referred to the employee's division to investigate.

In FY07, there were 171 cases of employee misconduct reported by other agencies under the purview of the Governor. Of those cases initiated, 66 were investigated by DII and 105 were referred back to the originating agency for investigation. Of those cases investigated by DII, 29 were cleared, 15 were sustained and in 19 cases the prosecutor declined to prosecute the subject. There are three (3) cases still open.

In FY07, 1,445 background investigations were completed. The Retirees Hireback Program completed it eighth year with 68 retirees enrolled and available to conduct background investigations. Due to this program, full-time investigators were able to devote 3,885 hours or 486 work-days of time during the year to handle more critical investigations.