StatsUpdate

Topic: Youth Court Statistics

2014/2015

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Background: In Nunavut, there were 141 youth court cases completed during the 2014/2015

fiscal year, a decrease of 22.5% or 41 less cases from 2013/2014.

In Canada, the youth court caseload **declined 18.7%** over the same period.

Details:

Cases in Youth Court			
	2014/2015	2013/2014	2014/2015 Compared to 2013/2014
	Number of Cases		% change
Nunavut	141	182	-22.5
Canada	32,835	40,374	-18.7
Newfoundland and Labrador	356	503	-29.2
Prince Edward Island	148	168	-11.9
Nova Scotia	1,053	1,036	1.6
New Brunswick	651	768	-15.2
Quebec	6,548	7,868	-16.8
Ontario	11,341	14,681	-22.8
Manitoba	2,667	3,129	-14.8
Saskatchewan	3,653	3,782	-3.4
Alberta	4,076	5,727	-28.8
British Columbia	2,054	2,315	-11.3
Yukon	63	75	-16.0
Northwest Territories	84	140	-40.0

Note to Readers:

The data presented in this article are drawn from the youth portion of the Integrated Criminal Court Survey. People involved were aged 12 to 17 at the time of the offence. Youth court cases that involve more than one charge are represented by the most serious offence. A completed case is defined as one or more charges against an accused person or company that were processed by the courts at the same time and received a final decision.

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