

National Bureau of Investigation 2011 Annual Report Executive Summary

The year 2011 was historical for the National Bureau of Investigation (NBI), as it celebrated its 75th year of foundation. Through the years, the Bureau had steadfastly pursued its mandate posting remarkable track records of achievements. Last year, too, the NBI accrued meaningful gains in its frontline services and related activities.

For 2011, the Investigative and Intelligence Services including regional and district offices of the bureau **received 11,783 crime cases**, a decrease of 6.4%, compared to last year's 12,594 cases. **Terminated crime cases**, however, **increased by 34.8% from 11,557 last year to 15,579 cases this year**. Including **service and miscellaneous cases**, **over-all output increased by 3.2%**. Of the **crime cases terminated 4,021 cases** were **recommended for prosecution**. This is a **1.6% increase** from last year's **3,956 cases** for prosecution.

Two hundred five **(205) subjects/persons** were also **located** by NBI agents and special investigators, by virtue of warrants/orders of arrests issued by different courts nationwide and through requests made to locate missing persons.

On the other hand, technical assistance rendered by the Bureau's experts in the fields of forensic medicine and chemistry, questioned documents, ballistics, polygraphy, dactyloscopy and investigative photography accounted for 15,276 cases with 1,682 court appearances nationwide. Laboratory examinations were also conducted on 30,111 specimens.

With regard to **clearance processing/issuance**, the bureau **processed 5,095,322 applications** for various purposes nationwide, or an **average of 20,713 clearances serviced a day**. This figure is 1.1% less, when compared to the 5,149,420 clearances processed issued in 2010.