

**THE LAND REGISTRY**  
**Summary of Statistics for the Year of 2005**  
**& Comparison with the Year of 2004 and the Year of 2003**

| Item   | 2005<br>1.1.05-31.12.05 | 2004<br>1.1.04-31.12.04 | 2003<br>1.1.03-31.12.03 | 2005<br>Increase (+) or Decrease (-) as compared with |            |                      |            |
|--|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|---|------------|----------------------|------------|
|  |                         |                         |                         | 2004  |            | 2003                 |            |
|  |                         |                         |                         | No. or Consideration                                  | Percentage | No. or Consideration | Percentage |
| <b>1. Agreements for Sale and Purchase of Building Units</b> |                         |                         |                         |   |            |                      |            |
| (a) No.  | 123,697                 | 123,480                 | 87,309                  | + 217   | + 0.2      | + 36,388             | + 41.7     |
| (b) Consideration (\$ billion)                               | 395.51                  | 351.79                  | 189.42                  | + 43.72   | + 12.4     | + 206.09             | + 108.8    |
| <b>2. Assignments of Building Units</b>                      |                         |                         |                         |   |            |                      |            |
| (a) No.  | 156,280                 | 135,106                 | 110,052                 | + 21,174  | + 15.7     | + 46,228             | + 42.0     |
| (b) Consideration (\$ billion)                               | 397.36                  | 305.70                  | 207.29                  | + 91.66   | + 30.0     | + 190.07             | + 91.7     |
| <b>3. Assignments of Land</b>                                |                         |                         |                         |   |            |                      |            |
| (a) No.  | 5,807                   | 3,247                   | 2,433                   | + 2,560   | + 78.8     | + 3,374              | + 138.7    |
| (b) Consideration (\$ billion)                               | 36.35                   | 18.33                   | 9.88                    | + 18.02   | + 98.3     | + 26.47              | + 267.9    |
| <b>4. No. of Building Mortgages/Building Legal Charges</b>   | 89                      | 70                      | 103                     | + 19  | + 27.1     | - 14                 | - 13.6     |
| <b>5. No. of Other Mortgages/Legal Charges</b>               | 138,135                 | 124,183                 | 102,210                 | + 13,952  | + 11.2     | + 35,925             | + 35.1     |
| <b>6. No. of Public Search</b>                               | 4,242,948               | 3,664,730               | 2,826,025               | + 578,218   | + 15.8     | + 1,416,923          | + 50.1     |