THE LAND REGISTRY Summary of Statistics for 1st Half Year of 2006 & Comparison with preceding half yearly periods in 2005

	Comparison of Half-Yearly Statistics			1st Half Year of 2006 Increase (+) or Decrease (-) as compared with							
Item	2006 1.1.06 - 30.6.06	2005 1.7.05-31.12.05	2005 1.1.05-30.6.05	2nd Half Year of 2005			1st Half Year of 2005				
	1.1.00 - 30.0.00			No. or (Consideration	Percentage		No. or Consideration		Percentage	
 Agreements for Sale and Purchase of Building Units (a) No. (b) Consideration (\$ billion) 	47,914 162.52	49,885 162.11	73,812 233.40	- +	1,971 0.41	- +	4.0 0.3		898).88	-	35.1 30.4
2. Assignments of Building Units (a) No. (b) Consideration (\$ billion)	61,805 160.29	70,276 172.10	86,004 225.26	- -	8,471 11.81	-	12.1 6.9		199 I.97	- -	28.1 28.8
3. Assignments of Land (a) No. (b) Consideration (\$ billion)	2,748 16.26	3,234 17.72	2,573 18.63	- -	486 1.46		15.0 8.2		175 2.37	+	6.8 12.7
4. No. of Building Mortgages/Building Legal Charges	36	34	55	+	2	+	5.9	-	19	-	34.5
5. No. of Other Mortgages/Legal Charges	48,741	57,705	80,430	-	8,964	-	15.5	- 31,	689	-	39.4
6. No. of Public Search	1,941,258	2,015,101	2,227,847	-	73,843	-	3.7	- 286,	589	_	12.9