THE LAND REGISTRY
Summary of Statistics for the Year of 2016
& Comparison with the Year of 2015 and the Year of 2014

	2016	2015	2014	2016 Increase (+) or Decrease (-) as compared with			
Item				2015		2014	
	1.1.16 - 31.12.16	1.1.15 - 31.12.15	1.1.14 - 31.12.14	No. or Consideration	Percentage	No. or Consideration	Percentage
1. Agreements for Sale and Purchase of Building Units(a) No.(b) Consideration (\$ billion)	73,004 532.86	76,159 548.65	81,489 547.46	- 3,155 - 15.79	- 4.1 - 2.9	- 8,485 - 14.60	- 10.4 - 2.7
2. Assignments of Building Units (a) No. (b) Consideration (\$ billion)	77,374 493.51	96,636 603.01	92,025 487.11	- 19,262 - 109.50	- 19.9 - 18.2	- 14,651 + 6.40	- 15.9 + 1.3
3. Assignments of Land (a) No. (b) Consideration (\$ billion)	5,211 38.11	6,758 47.68	6,733 25.56	- 1,547 - 9.57	- 22.9 - 20.1	- 1,522 + 12.55	- 22.6 + 49.1
4. No. of Building Mortgages/Building Legal Charges	56	65	103	- 9	- 13.8	- 47	- 45.6
5. No. of Other Mortgages/Legal Charges	81,923	95,626	90,262	- 13,703	- 14.3	- 8,339	- 9.2
6. No. of Public Search	4,703,827	4,809,259	4,588,403	- 105,432	- 2.2	+ 115,424	+ 2.5