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Annex

**Numbers of animal cruelty reports received by the Police
and prosecutions initiated by the relevant departments
under the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Ordinance**

	Number of reports received by the Police	Number of prosecutions*
2012	63	19
2013	120	20
2014	77	29
2015	58	11
2016 (January to June)	32	4

Remark: Due to progress of investigation and other factors, the year of reports received and that of prosecutions instituted by the Police may be different.*