

Number of persons prosecuted and convicted⁵
under sections 26 and 27 of the Offences against the Person Ordinance
in the past five years

Ordinance	Figure	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Section 26	Number of persons prosecuted	1	0	0	0	0
	Number of persons convicted	1	0	0	0	0
	Sentence					
	Community service order	1	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable
Section 27	Number of persons prosecuted	92	95	112	132	86
	Number of persons convicted	63	64	74	74	48
	Sentence					
	Immediate imprisonment (Term of imprisonment)	6 (14 days to 7 months)	14 (14 days to 2 years)	11 (14 days to 9 years 6 months)	12 (21 days to 2 years 8 months)	4 (14 days to 1 year 4 months)
	Fine (Amount)	9 (\$500 to \$5,000)	7 (\$1,000 to \$4,000)	0	4 (\$1,000 to \$5,000)	2 (\$1,500 to \$2,000)
	Probation order	29	27	48	46	34
	Community service order	3	3	3	2	1
	Suspended imprisonment	13	9	8	7	7
	Others ⁶	3	4	4	3	0

⁵ The respective year shown in the above figures represents the year in which the trial was concluded. As some trials might take longer time, the year in which the Police received the case might be different from the year in which the trial was concluded.

⁶ Others include drug addiction treatment centre order, bind-over or conditional discharge and hospital order.