

UTAH DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY



BUREAU OF CRIMINAL
IDENTIFICATION

FIREARM STATISTICAL REVIEW

FIRST QUARTER 2007



CONCEALED WEAPONS 1ST QUARTER 2007

OVERVIEW

83,592 Total Valid Permits as of March 31,2007
4,017 Permits Issued 1st Quarter
1,793 Permits Renewed 1st Quarter
103 Permits Revoked 1st Quarter
79 Applications Denied 1st Quarter
73 Applications Suspended 1st Quarter

79 new concealed carry applications were denied during the 1st quarter of 2007. The applicant has the right to appeal to the Concealed Permit Review Board, which will review the reason for denial. Approximately 14 revocation, denial, and suspension appeals are reviewed by the Concealed Permit Board each quarter, the Board overturns approximately 1% after review.

A permit application may be denied for any of the following reasons:

1. Felony conviction
2. Convicted of an offense involving the use of alcohol
3. Convicted of a crime of violence
4. Convicted of any offenses involving controlled substance
5. Convicted of an offense of moral turpitude (fraud, theft, tax evasion, issuing bad checks, robbery, bribery, perjury, extortion, arson, criminal mischief, falsifying government records, forgery, receiving stolen property, burglary, vandalism, kidnapping)
6. Convicted of an offense involving domestic violence
7. Has been adjudicated as mentally incompetent
8. Is not qualified to purchase and possess a dangerous weapon or handgun pursuant to federal law
9. Cause to believe applicant may be a danger to self or others by evidence including but not restricted to:
 - A. Past pattern of behavior involving unlawful violence or threats of unlawful violence
 - B. Past participation in incidents involving unlawful violence or threats of unlawful violence
 - C. Conviction of any offense in involving weapons violations

When assessing good character the bureau may consider mitigating circumstances. Mitigating circumstances may include length of time since an offense, number of offenses, and type of offenses.

DENIALS 1ST QUARTER 2007

79 Concealed Carry Permit applications were denied during the 1st quarter of 2007. Listed below are the reasons for denial.

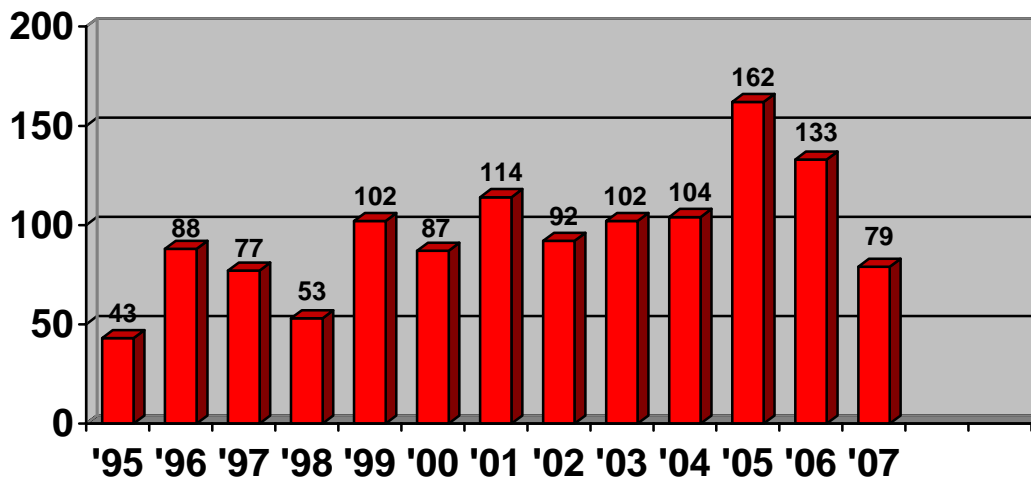
REASON	JAN '07	FEB '07	MAR '07
ALCOHOL VIOLATION	2	9	21
PROTECTIVE ORDER	2	0	3
WANTED PERSON	0	0	1
FIREARM OFFENSE	0	0	2
THREAT TO SELF/OTHERS	1	1	0
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE	3	3	1
MORAL TURPITUDE	3	2	5
CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE	0	1	1
FELONY	6	6	4
OTHER	0	0	2
TOTAL	17	22	40

Felonies included:

- Possession of an unregistered firearm
- Possession/manufacture firebomb
- Burglary of a dwelling
- Sex abuse
- Prescription Fraud
- Grand theft auto
- Larceny

*Some permit holders had multiple charges, however only the most serious charge is represented.

DENIALS



REVOCATIONS 1ST QUARTER 2007

103 Concealed Carry Permits were revoked during the 1st quarter of 2007. Listed below are the reasons for revocation.

REASON	JAN '07	FEB '07	MAR '07
ALCOHOL VIOLATION	9	9	10
PROTECTIVE ORDER	6	2	8
WANTED PERSON	0	0	0
FIREARM OFFENSE	1	1	4
THREAT TO SELF/OTHERS	6	1	3
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE	4	1	4
MORAL TURPITUDE	6	1	6
CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE	2	0	0
FELONY	6	8	5
OTHER	0	0	0
TOTAL	40	23	40

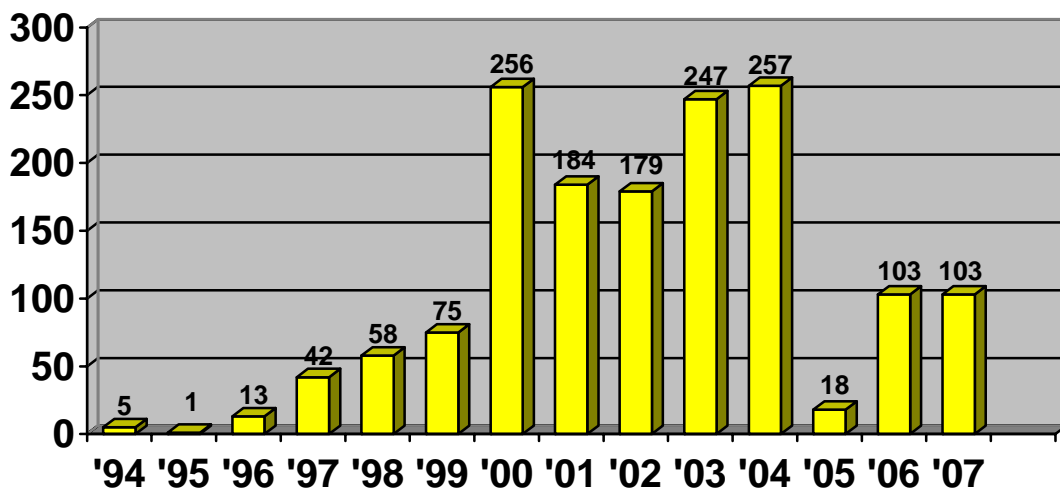
Felonies included:

Aggravated Assault
 Sex abuse of a child
 Enticing a minor over the internet
 Violation of a protective order
 Theft
 DUI
 Public Assist Disclosure Required
 Uttering/forgo prescription

Burglary
 Unlawful use of a weapon
 Possession of a controlled substance
 Fraudulent insurance claim
 Forgery
 False statements
 Smuggling aliens into the U.S.

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REVOCATIONS



*In February of 2000, BCI implemented a new program to ensure the integrity of the Utah Concealed Carry Permit by checking arrest records on a daily basis, this accounts for the dramatic 241.3% increase seen in 2000.

SUSPENSIONS 1ST QUARTER 2007

73 Concealed Carry Permits were suspended during the 1st quarter of 2007. Listed below are the reasons for suspension.

REASON	JAN '07	FEB '07	MAR '07
ALCOHOL VIOLATION	0	1	0
PROTECTIVE ORDER	0	2	0
WANTED PERSON	0	2	2
FIREARM OFFENSE	0	0	0
THREAT TO SELF/OTHERS	3	3	3
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE	6	7	3
MORAL TURPITUDE	0	2	1
CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE	1	0	0
FELONY	11	13	12
OTHER	0	0	1
TOTAL	21	30	22

Felonies included:

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| Firing a weapon | Communications fraud |
| Clandestine lab | Burglary |
| Aggravated assault w/weapon | Sex abuse of a child |
| Aggravated sex abuse | Sexual exploitation of minor/child porn |
| Theft | Possession of cocaine |
| Pattern of unlawful activity | Weapon violation by a restricted person |
| Uttering/forged prescription | Theft by deception |
| Enticing a minor | Racketeering |
| Fraudulently obtaining workman compensation | Securities fraud |

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