



Report to: The Honorable Karen E. Spilka  
 Chair, Senate Committee on Ways and Means  
 The Honorable Brian S. Dempsey  
 Chair, House Committee on Ways and Means

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Date: March 11, 2016

Re: FY 2015 Disabled Persons Protection Commission (DPPC)  
 Case Referrals to the District Attorneys<sup>i</sup>

<i>District</i>	<i>DPPC Case Referrals</i>	<i>Closed Without Prosecution</i>	<i>Open Pending Investigation</i>	<i>Prosecutions: Open/Disposed</i>
Berkshire	41	27	34	1/4
Bristol	149	205	7	26/22
Cape & Islands	45	13	38	0/8
Essex	126	82	186	*
Hampden	116	55	64	28/18
Middlesex	237	163	47	29/14
Norfolk	177	122	38	27/29
Northwestern	73	55	21	20/15
Plymouth	116	55	98	4/4
Suffolk	-	-	-	-
Worcester	259	67	37	152/131
<i>Total FY 2015</i>	<i>1,339</i>	<i>844</i>	<i>570</i>	<i>287/245</i>
*system unable to retrieve this data.				

<sup>i</sup> The Suffolk District Attorney is unable to compile data for this report at this time due to the absence of an administrative assistant and computer maintenance issues. This report will be amended should data be made available to MDAA.