

UTAH DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY



BUREAU OF CRIMINAL
IDENTIFICATION

FIREARMS STATISTICAL REVIEW

FOURTH QUARTER 2005

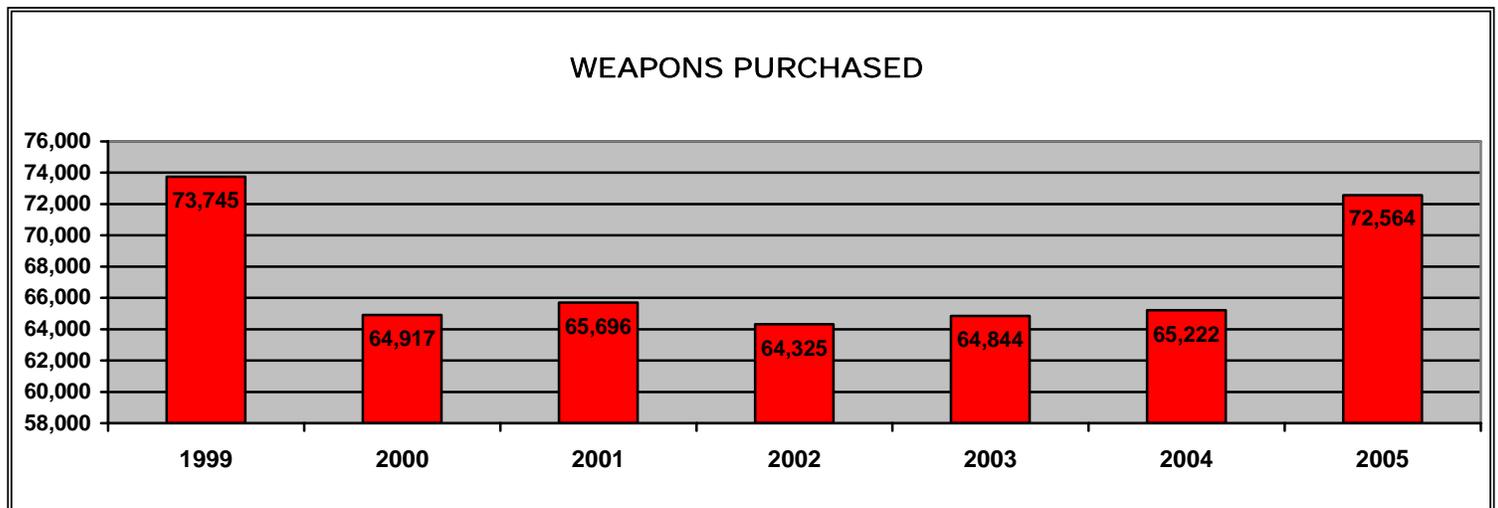


Brady Monthly Totals (12 Months)

Month	Total	Denials	Denial Reasons					Denial %
			WARRANT	RECORD	*D V	*P O	*OTHER	
DEC '05	13,337	230	82	55	51	24	18	1.7%
NOV '05	7,719	212	73	47	56	26	10	2.7%
OCT '05	6,794	297	84	87	65	36	25	4.4%
SEP '05	7,442	247	62	68	61	34	22	3.3%
AUG '05	4,746	175	53	43	49	21	9	3.7%
JUL '05	3,804	127	37	34	24	7	25	3.3%
JUN '05	4,246	140	38	44	34	18	6	3.3%
MAY '05	4,083	136	30	46	35	9	16	3.3%
APR '05	4,808	183	50	50	41	21	21	3.8%
MAR '05	5,412	219	63	56	62	29	9	4.0%
FEB '05	5,522	223	62	71	56	17	17	4.0%
JAN '05	4,651	143	44	41	22	15	21	3.1%
TOTALS	72,564	2,332	678	642	556	257	199	3.2%

* Note D V = Domestic Violence P O = Protective Order

* OTHER = Drug addiction, Mental Incompetent, Illegal Alien, Renounced Citizenship, Dishonorable Discharge, National Instant Check Denial (NICS)



FIREARM TRANSFERS BY COUNTY

FOURTH QUARTER 2005

There were 27,850 requests to purchase weapons during the 4TH quarter of 2005. 739 requests were denied. The following tables reflect transfer requests by county, and the reason purchases were denied.

COUNTY	REQUESTS	PERCENT	COUNTY	REQUESTS	PERCENT
BEAVER	193	0.7%	PIUTE	1	0.0%
BOX ELDER	65	0.2%	RICH	1	0.0%
CACHE	1,225	4.4%	SALT LAKE	6,234	22.4%
CARBON	385	1.4%	SAN JUAN	9	0.0%
DAGGETT	0	0.0%	SANPETE	139	0.5%
DAVIS	874	3.1%	SEVIER	497	1.8%
DUCHESNE	245	0.9%	SUMMIT	90	0.3%
EMERY	65	0.2%	TOOELE	777	2.8%
GARFIELD	20	0.1%	UINTAH	1,632	5.9%
GRAND	75	0.3%	UTAH	7,663	27.5%
IRON	1,094	3.9%	WASATCH	42	0.2%
JUAB	31	0.1%	WASHINGTON	1,923	6.9%
KANE	84	0.3%	WAYNE	5	0.0%
MILLARD	226	0.8%	WEBER	4,218	15.1%
MORGAN	37	0.1%	TOTAL	27,850	

* All percentages rounded

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1,626 Requests were pawn redemptions, of which 81 (5.0%) were denied.

26,224 Requests were sales of new or used weapons, of which 658 (2.5%) were denied.

CONCEALED WEAPONS 4TH QUARTER 2005

OVERVIEW

70,185 Total Valid Permits as of December 31, 2005

2,683 Permits Issued 4th Quarter

998 Permits Renewed 4th Quarter

35 Permits Revoked 4th Quarter

35 Applications Denied 4th Quarter

35 new concealed carry applications were denied during the 4th quarter of 2005. The applicant has the right to appeal to the Concealed Permit Review Board, which will review the reason for denial. Approximately 6 revocation and denial 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 4th QUARTER 2005

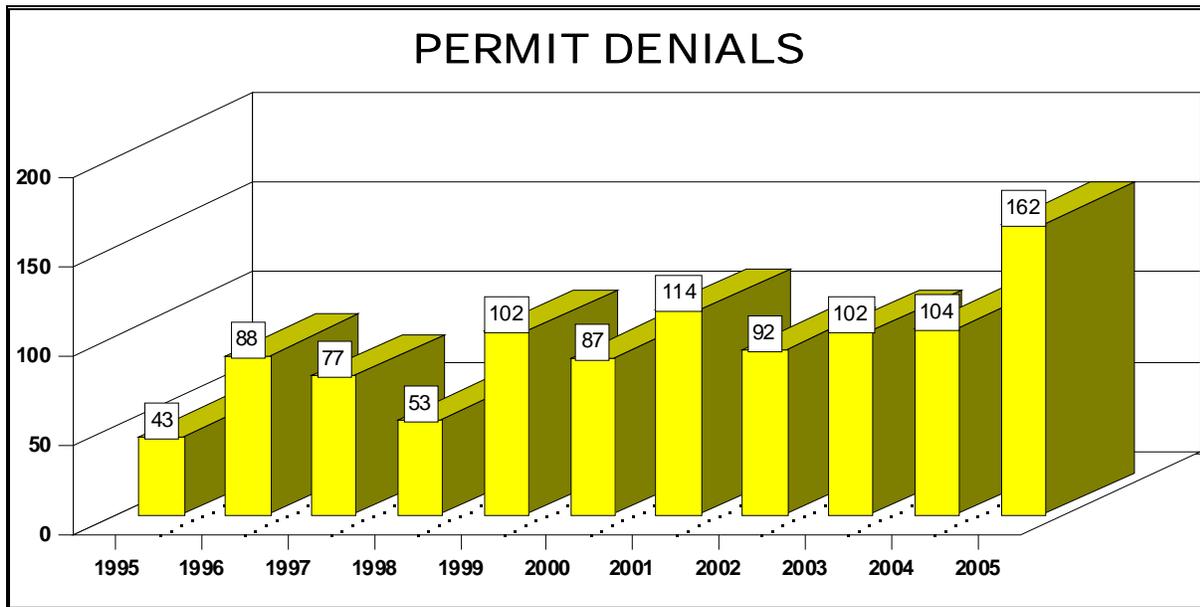
35 Concealed Carry Permit applications were denied during the 4th quarter of 2005. Listed below are the reasons for denial.

REASON	OCT '05	NOV '05	DEC '05
ALCOHOL VIOLATION	7	3	4
PROTECTIVE ORDER	1	1	1
WANTED PERSON	0	0	1
FIREARM OFFENSE	0	0	0
THREAT TO SELF/OTHERS	0	0	0
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE	3	1	1
MORAL TURPITUDE	3	4	2
CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE	1	1	1
FELONY	0	0	0
OTHER	0	0	0
TOTAL	15	10	10

Felonies included:

None

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REVOCATIONS 4th QUARTER 2005

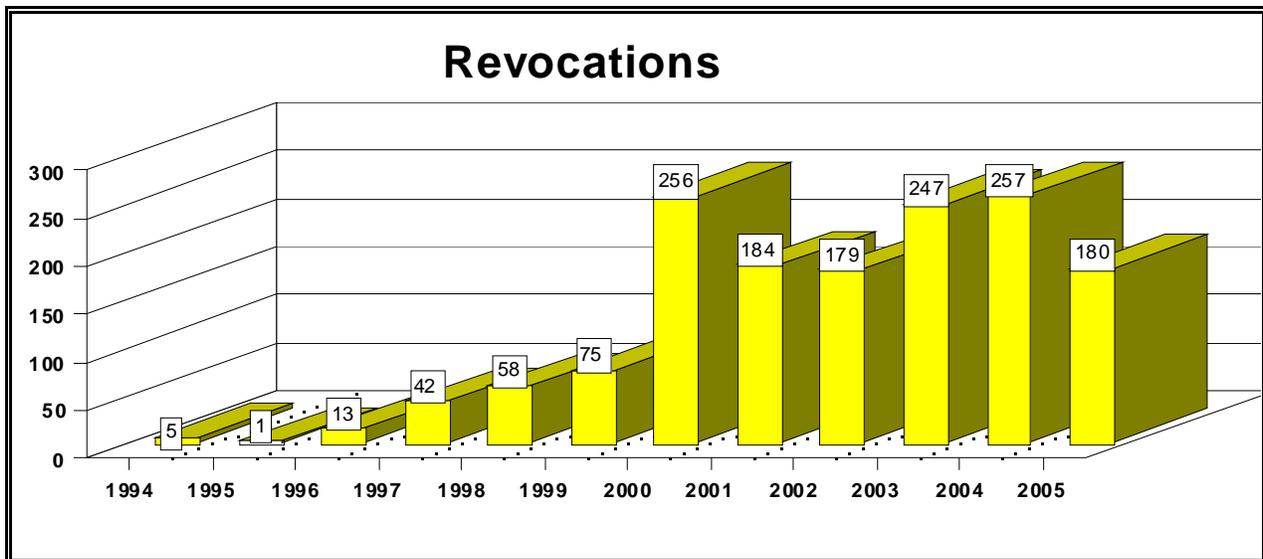
35 Concealed Carry Permits were revoked during the 4th quarter of 2005. Listed below are the reasons for revocation.

REASON	OCT '05	NOV '05	DEC '05
ALCOHOL VIOLATION	3	6	3
PROTECTIVE ORDER	1	3	1
WANTED PERSON	0	0	0
FIREARM OFFENSE	0	0	4
THREAT TO SELF/OTHERS	1	1	0
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE	1	1	1
MORAL TURPITUDE	1	2	0
CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE	1	0	1
FELONY	1	1	1
OTHER	0	0	1
TOTAL	9	14	12

Felonies included:

Attempted Rape
 Enticing a Minor over the Internet
 Aggravated Sex Abuse of a Child

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*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.