

# Table 1 Statistics on Disciplinary Cases Handled by the Dental Council

## Complaints Received by the Dental Council

Nature	No. of Cases		
	2003	2004	2005
1. Conviction punishable with imprisonment	2	1	1
2. Disregard of professional responsibilities to patients	61	73	58
3. Abuse of alcohol or drugs	-	-	-
4. Abuse of dangerous or scheduled drugs	-	-	-
4A. Mandatory labeling of all dispensed medicines	-	-	-
5. Abuse of professional position in order to further an improper association or commit adultery	-	1	-
6. Abuse of professional confidence	-	-	-
7. Advertising	10	4	6
8. Depreciation of other dental practitioners	1	2	-
9. Canvassing	5	13	18
10. Misleading and unapproved descriptions and announcements	5	2	3
11. Improper financial transactions	-	-	-
12. Untrue or misleading certificates and other professional documents	-	-	-
13. Covering	-	-	-
14. Improper delegation of dental duties	-	-	-
15. Responsibility of partners and directors	-	-	-
16. Miscellaneous	2	8	11
<b>Total :</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>104</b>	<b>97</b>