

Department statistics relating to applications under the Convention for 2007 to 2011 by calendar year

Number of Convention applications received

Year	Total number of applications	Abduction applications	Access/contact applications
1 January 2007 – 31 December 2007	217	185 (82 IN and 103 OUT)	32 (20 IN and 12 OUT)
1 January 2008 – 31 December 2008	211	171 (76 IN and 95 OUT)	40 (19 IN and 21 OUT)
1 January 2009 – 31 December 2009	154	129 (59 IN and 70 OUT)	25 (15 IN and 10 OUT)
1 January 2010 – 31 December 2010	196	164 (70 IN and 94 OUT)	32 (13 IN and 19 OUT)
1 January 2011 – 30 June 2011	71	64 (27 IN and 37 OUT)	13 (7 IN and 6 OUT)

Number of children wrongfully removed from Australia and returned

Year	Number of children wrongfully removed from Australia	Number of children returned to Australia
1 January 2007 – 31 December 2007	147	97
1 January 2008 – 31 December 2008	136	70
1 January 2009 – 31 December 2009	95	68
1 January 2010 – 31 December 2010	125	74
1 January 2011 – 30 June 2011	50	9

Number of children wrongfully removed and returned to and from Australia

Year	Number of children wrongfully removed (total)	Number of children returned (total)
1 January 2007 – 31 December 2007	259	152
1 January 2008 – 31 December 2008	236	126
1 January 2009 – 31 December 2009	178	99
1 January 2010 – 31 December 2010	214	123
1 January 2011 – 30 June 2011	83	19

