Type of agency							Percent change	
and	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	1997-	2001-
personnel classification							2002	2002
Total ¹	176,865	183,998	190,362	194,377	200,837	200,219	13.2	-0.3
Law enforcement	96,322	98,495	102,769	103,579	108,208	115,552	20.0	6.8
Prosecution ^{2,3}	14,826	15,876	16,476	18,481	17,296	10,069	-32.1	-41.8
Attorneys	3,750	3,870	4,023	4,202	4,194	3,872	3.3	-7.7
Investigators	1,476	1,578	1,648	1,795	1,664	1,699	15.1	2.1
Clerical and all other ³	9,600	10,428	10,805	12,484	11,438	4,498	-53.1	-60.7
Public defense ^{2,4}	3,622	3,651	3,857	3,950	3,686	3,773	4.2	2.4
Attorneys	2,269	2,270	2,392	2,402	2,208	2,294	1.1	3.9
Investigators	484	477	491	519	476	510	5.4	7.1
Clerical and all other	869	904	974	1,029	1,002	969	11.5	-3.3
Courts ⁵	1,844	1,868	1,880	1,880	1,906	1,913	3.7	0.4
Judgeship	1,480	1,480	1,479	1,479	1,498	1,498	1.2	0.0
Auxiliary ⁶	364	388	401	401	408	415	14.0	1.7
Corrections	60,251	64,108	65,380	66,487	69,741	68,912	14.4	-1.2
Probation departments ²	14,562	15,819	16,202	16,122	18,460	18,814	29.2	1.9
Probation officers	6,708	7,368	7,443	7,781	8,736	9,246	37.8	5.8
All other	7,854	8,451	8,759	8,341	9,724	9,568	21.8	-1.6
Department of Corrections	40,263	43,085	44,041	45,179	46,114	45,024	11.8	-2.4
Youth Authority	5,426	5,204	5,137	5,186	5,167	5,074	-6.5	-1.8

Table 51 CRIMINAL JUSTICE FULL-TIME PERSONNEL, 1997-2002 By Type of Agency and Personnel Classification

Sources: Law enforcement, district attorney, public defender, and probation personnel surveys (CJSC); Annual Report of the Administrative Office of the California Courts (California Judicial Council); and the State of California's Governor's Budget.

Notes: Personnel in the Department of Justice and state regulatory agencies are not included.

Counts may not match previously published data due to changes in categories and/or file adjustments.

¹ Law enforcement personnel counts are obtained from a one-day survey taken on October 31. All other personnel counts are taken on June 30. Department of Corrections and Youth Authority personnel are fiscal year counts obtained from the *Governor's Budget*.

² Prosecution, public defense, and probation department survey forms have been revised; beginning in 1996, counts reflect all full-time personnel, regardless of funding.

³The passage of Assembly Bill 196 required that county-level child support programs, previously administered by district attorneys, be operated by local child support agencies. This accounts for the large decrease in prosecution personnel from 2001 to 2002.

⁴ 1999 data includes private attorneys serving under contract as full-time public defenders.

⁵ Due to court unifications, the counts for the superior, municipal, and justice courts have been combined.

⁶ Includes court commissioners and referees.