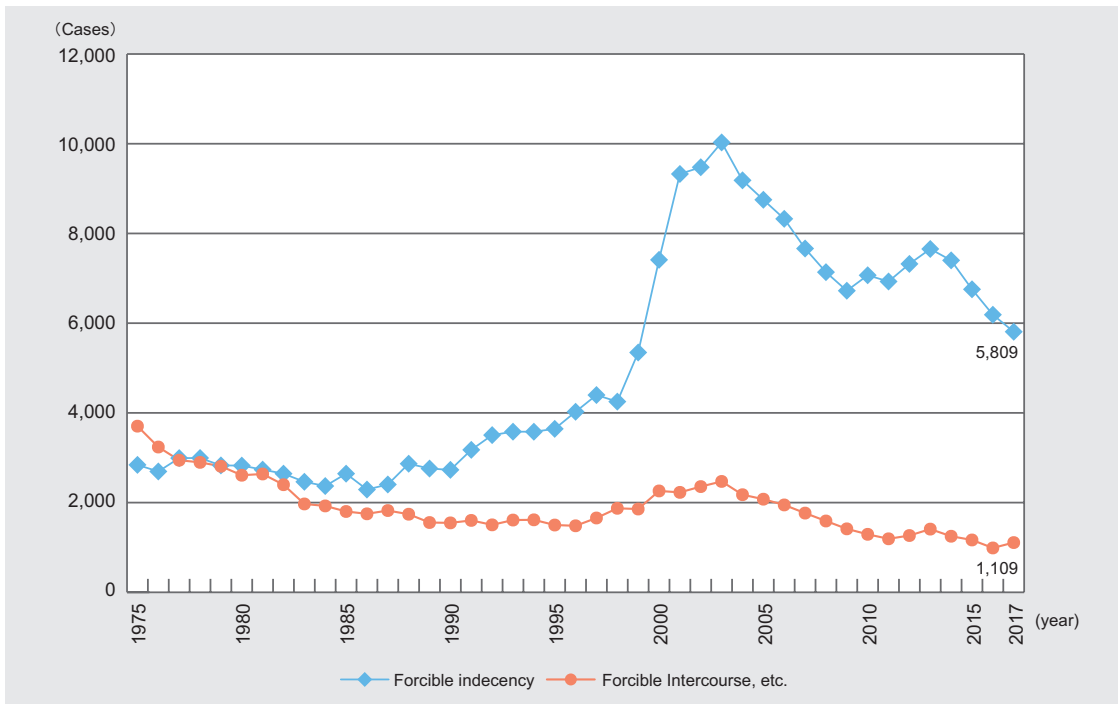


## 6. Violence against Women

### Sex Offences

#### Number of Reported Cases of Forcible Intercourse, etc. or Forcible Indecencies

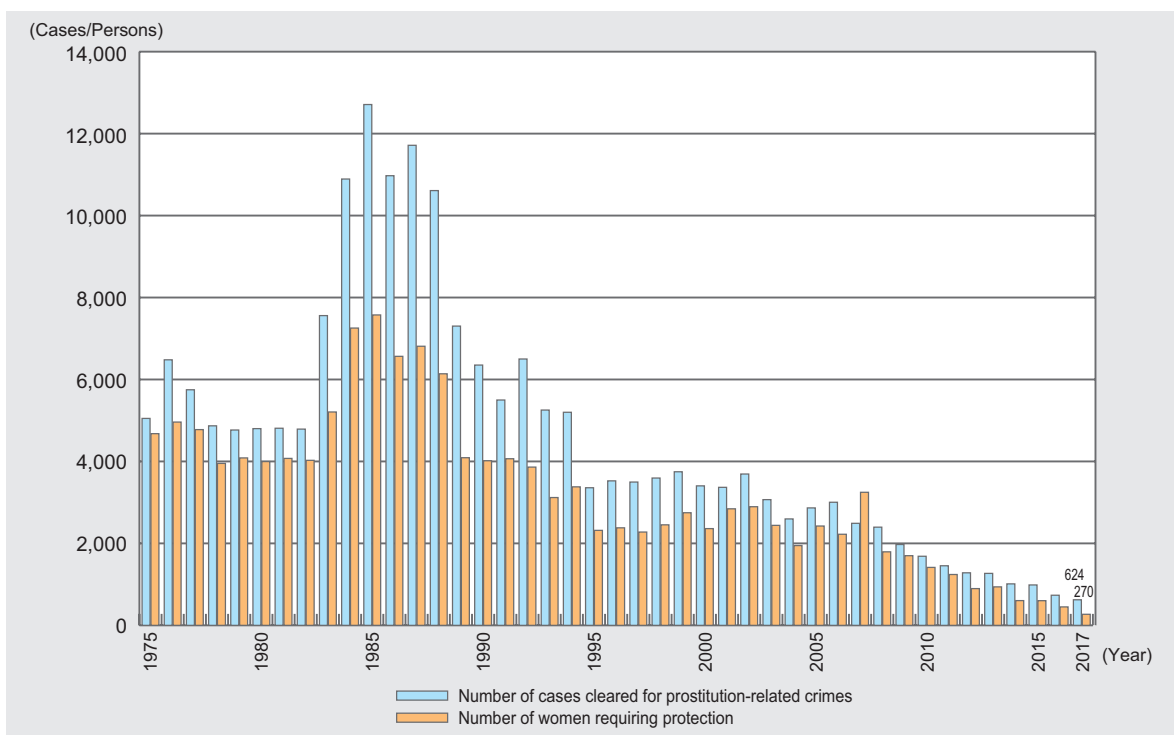


Source: Data from documents of the National Police Agency

### Prostitution

#### Number of Cases Cleared for Prostitution-related Crime and Number of Women Requiring Protection

The number of cases cleared for prostitution-related crimes has been declining since 2007 and there is a trend of declining in the number of women requiring protection since 2008.

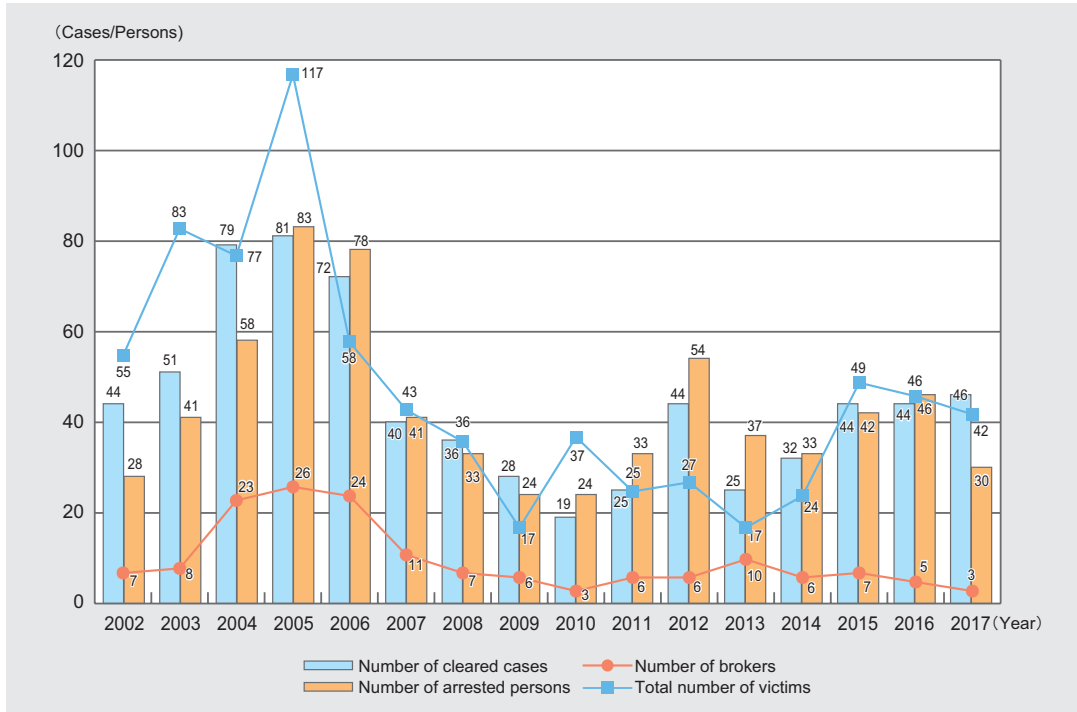


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## Trafficking in Persons (TIP)

### Number of Cases and Persons Cleared for TIP

Due to revisions of Penal Code in 2005, the Immigration Control and Refugee Recognition Act and the Act on Control and Improvement of Amusement Business, etc. since 2006 there was a trend of declining in the total number of TIP victims and number of cleared cases.

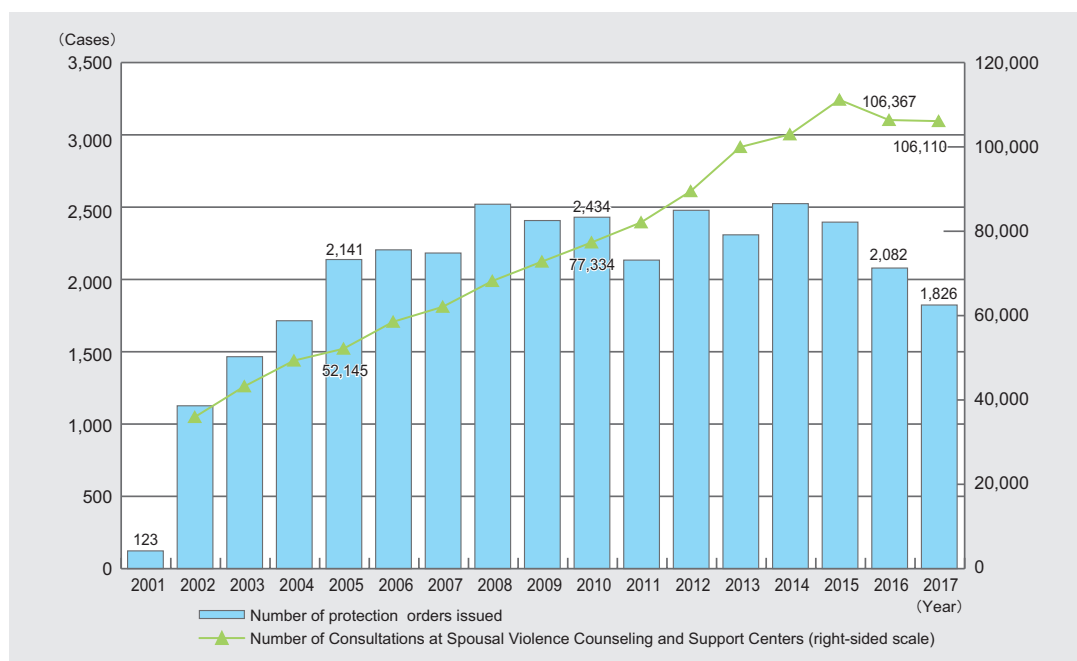


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## Spousal Violence

### Number of Consultations and Cases of Protection Orders Issued by Courts

The number of consultations at Spousal Violence Counseling and Support Centers have been over 100,000 cases since 2014.

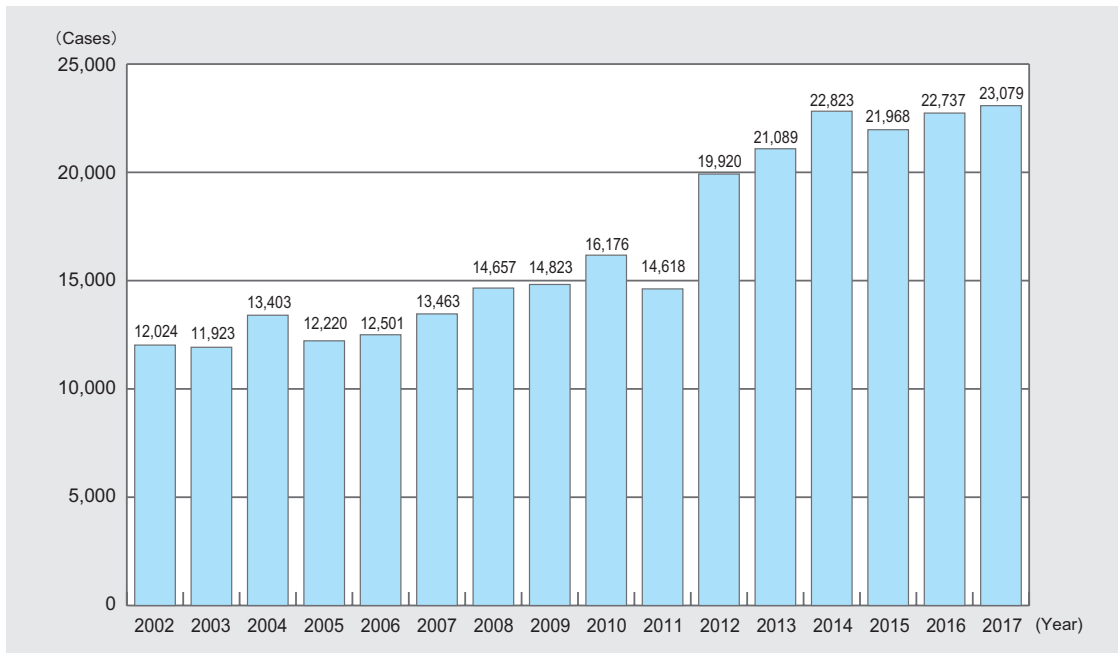


Source: Data from documents of the Cabinet Office and documents of the Supreme Court

## ■ Stalker Activity

### ● Number of Reported Cases Related to Stalker Incidents

The number of reported cases of stalker incidents in 2017 was 23,079, which was an increase of 342 from that of the previous year. 88.3% of the victims were women and 82.7% of the perpetrators were men. The number of cases cleared for violation of the Anti-Stalking Act in 2017 were 926, the highest since the enactment in 2000.

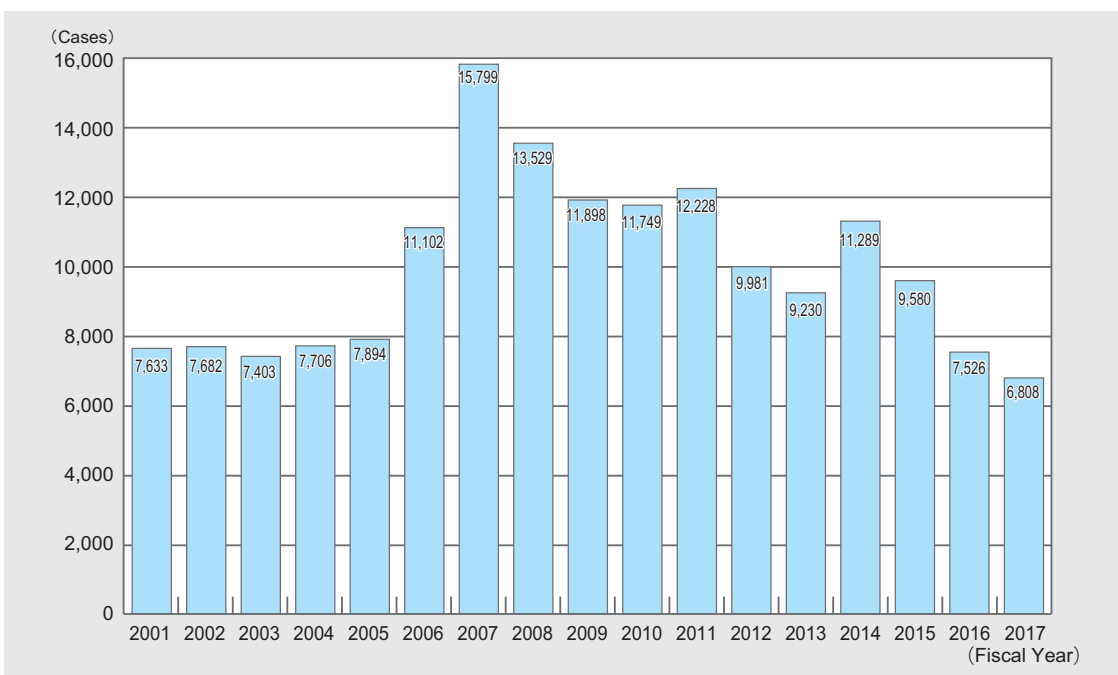


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## ■ Sexual Harassment

### ● Number of Consultations about Sexual Harassment

The number of sexual harassment consultations at the Employment Environment and Equal Employment Offices at the Prefectural Labour Bureaus in fiscal 2017 was 6,808.



Source: Data from the documents of MHLW