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MARTHA LAYNE COLLINS
GOVERNOR

MORGAN T. ELKINS
COMMISSIONER

July 1, 1987

The Honorable Martha Layne Collins
Governor of Kentucky
The Capitol
Frankfort, Kentucky 40601

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Dear Governor Collins:

ACQUISITIONS

It is with great pride that I submit to you and the citizens of the Commonwealth the 1986 Kentucky State Police Annual Report. The dedicated officers and employees of the KSP have made this department one of the most highly respected law enforcement agencies in the nation.

Under difficult budgetary constraints, our records reflect that positive results in all areas of statutory responsibility have been achieved. The delivery of total police service to all citizens of the Commonwealth has also been maintained.

The investigations into white collar crime, drug offenses, auto theft, and overall criminal arrests have increased significantly over the past year. Additionally, public sentiment has continued to mount against drunken and unsafe drivers largely because your office and the Kentucky General Assembly have supported law enforcement efforts to decrease fatalities by enacting much needed legislation. Vigorous enforcement of these laws will help bring about an ever better safety record on our roadways in the future.

The Kentucky State Police is staffed by highly committed employees who recognize the important role they play in preserving the peace and safety of the Commonwealth. I am sure you will find from this report that 1986 was a most productive year.

Sincerely,

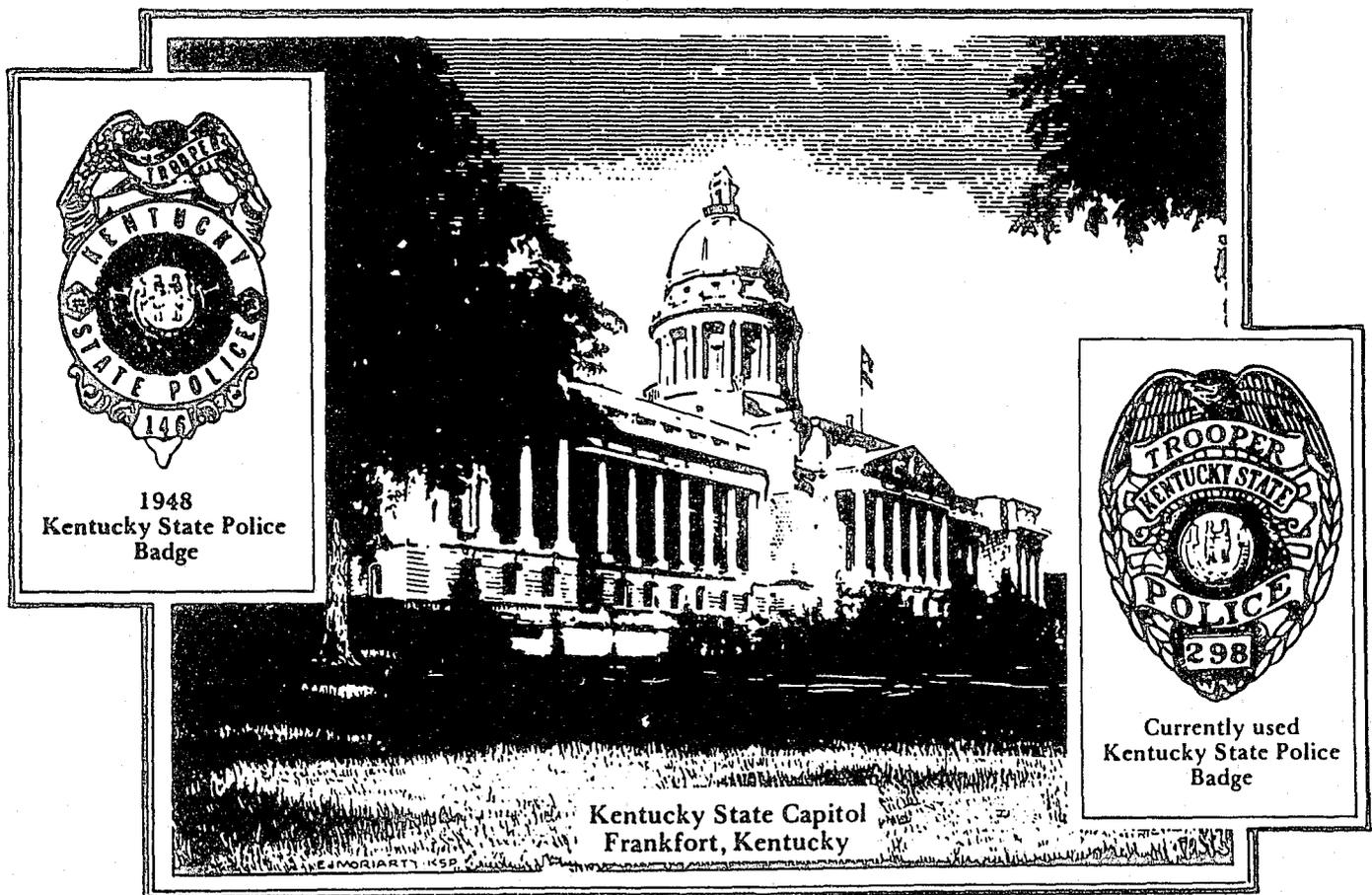
Morgan T. Elkins
Commissioner

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OUTSTANDING ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- The Kentucky State Police has developed and implemented a physical fitness program to meet the needs of the organization as well as individual personnel. The program is constructed to provide implementation phases in order to protect against health related injuries during the process. The program contains positive obtainable goals and begins with an initial examination and evaluation to determine the physical condition of the individual officer. Emphasis is placed on good individual health and fitness rather than strict standards applicable on a group basis.
- The Kentucky State Police has been made more efficient and responsive with the installation and utilization of the OAS, Office Automation System. Personnel were trained during 1986 and information was entered into the computer in a standardized manner. This system is accessible by all within established security restraints. OAS is a very powerful, yet easy to use tool. With it the user can create, revise, print and store any kind of typed communication or document. Electronic mail immediately allows reports and documents to be sent and received at all posts, branches and sections within the agency.
- During 1986, the Kentucky State Police Narcotics Section leased a Bell 206 helicopter for utilization in the Marijuana Eradication Program. The use of this equipment proved to be a tremendous success and will be a vital part of the eradication effort during the next growing season. As the marijuana season progressed, it became obvious how valuable the helicopter was to the Kentucky State Police. The helicopter flew 302 hours and located 568,000 plants. Marijuana was reported an average of every 20 minutes of flying time and 80% of all plants discovered were due to the use of the helicopter.
- In August 1986, the Kentucky Canine Unit was formally organized. The unit is staffed with 11 well-trained dogs, a command lieutenant and nine troopers who are certified handlers. The Kentucky State Police is proud to provide the service and protection of this new unit to the citizens of Kentucky.

A HISTORY

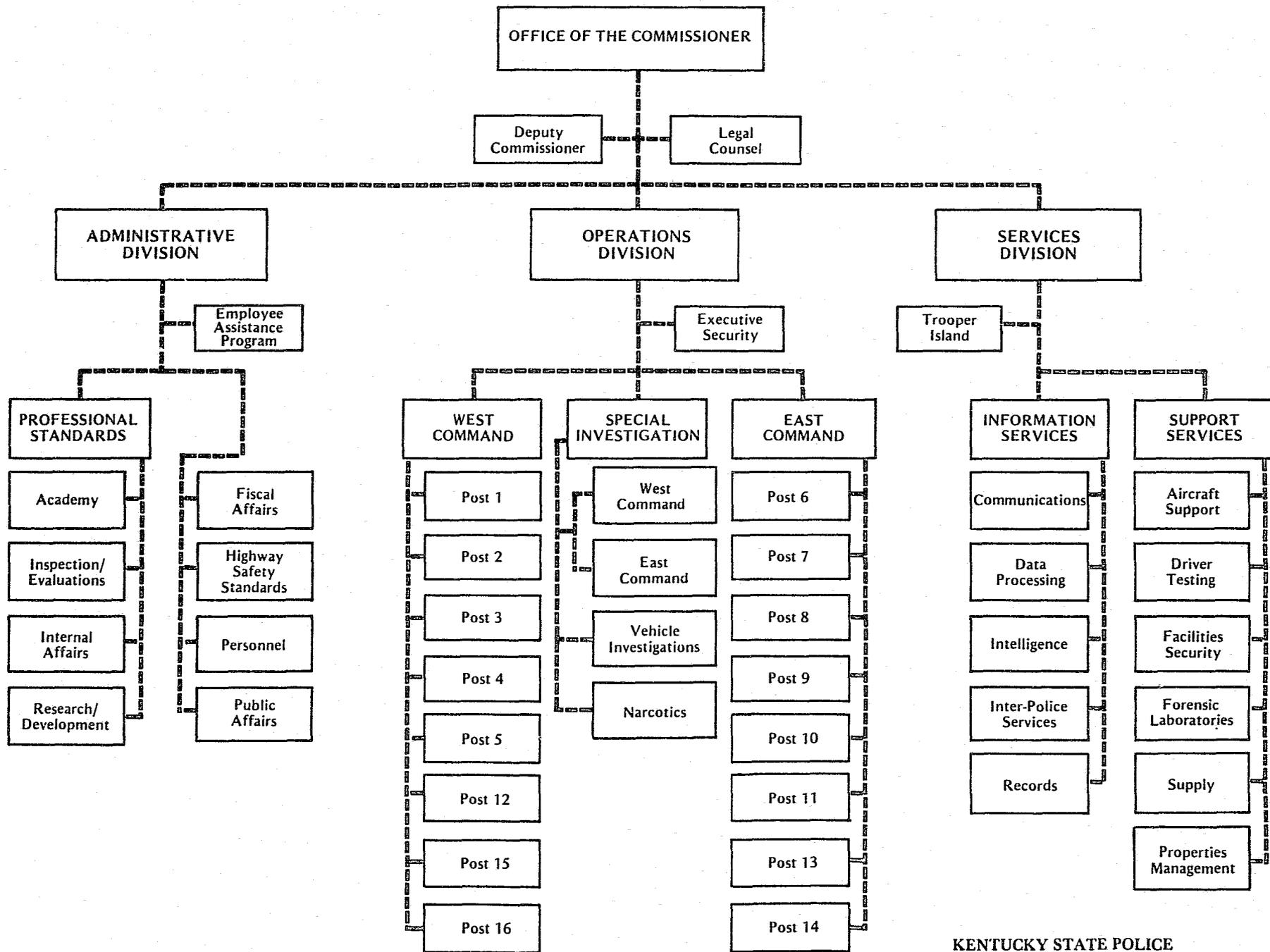


The Kentucky Highway Patrol had its beginning in 1936 when the State Highway Department was created with a Division of Highway Patrol with broad powers to regulate and enforce the traffic laws of Kentucky. Forty officers were employed to patrol the state's highways. By 1938, the force had increased to 200 officers.

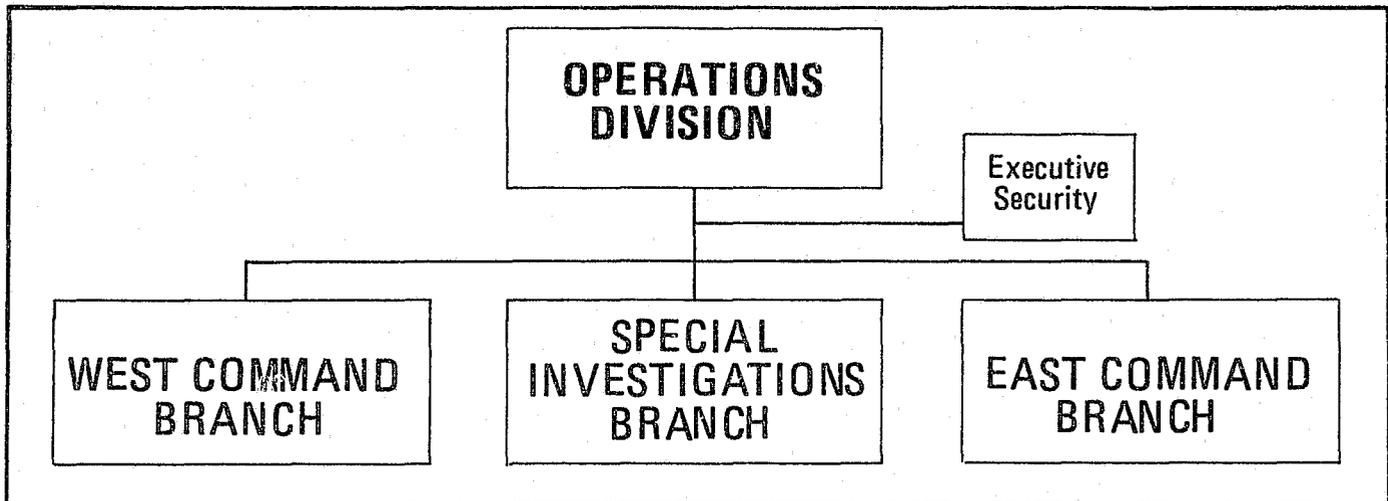
On July 1, 1948, the Kentucky State Police was formed when legislation was signed giving its officers full police powers, both traffic and criminal.

Pride is the mark of those who have earned the right to wear the emblem of the Kentucky State Police...men and women who have met the test for service in an organization that prides itself on a long and hard won reputation for courage, performance, integrity and professionalism.

Since 1948, the Kentucky State Police has fostered and served that tradition by demonstrating their readiness and ability to respond around the clock wherever they are needed, no matter how difficult or dangerous the job may be.



OPERATIONS DIVISION



The Operations Division provides total police service to the citizens of Kentucky, people traveling through the Commonwealth and officials of other law enforcement agencies. The focus of the division is to prevent traffic accidents and to protect our citizens through the detection, apprehension and conviction of criminal law violators. Additionally, the division investigates organized criminal activity, stolen motor vehicles, unlawful drug use, corruption and provides security for the governor, lieutenant governor and their families.

Assigned to the division are 16 posts under the East and West Command Branches; Vehicle Investigation; Narcotics; East and West Command Sections under the Special Investigations Branch; and the Executive Security Section.

The Operations Division is the very core of the Kentucky State Police because it provides the front-line protection and the services for the citizens of the state. For the Operations Division, 1986 proved to be an innovative year with improvement in services provided to the citizens of Kentucky.

During 1986, special emphasis was placed on DUI arrests which resulted in an increase of arrests by three percent.

The Special Response Team Program was reorganized from 16 post teams to five regional teams allowing for more and better training and equipment. The qualifications have been increased and the screening more thorough.

The Hazardous Devices Program underwent a major change this year with a more structured, and thus effective, operational plan.

Improvements in the area of issued equipment were made. The mixture of weapon types was eliminated making the ammunition interchangeable and the operation of all weapons uniform for officers. Take-down lights for violator stops are being installed for officer safety and all new marked cruisers will be gray in color.

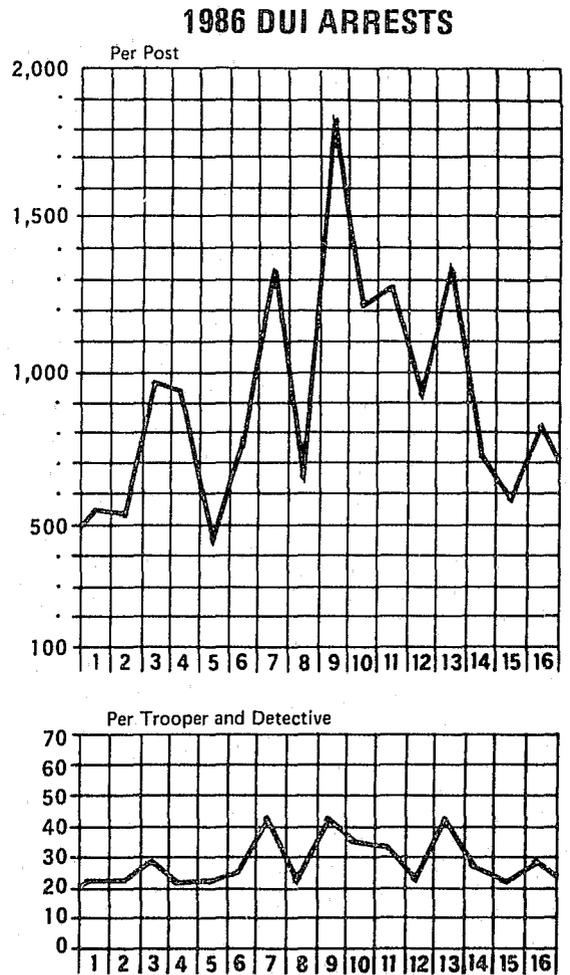
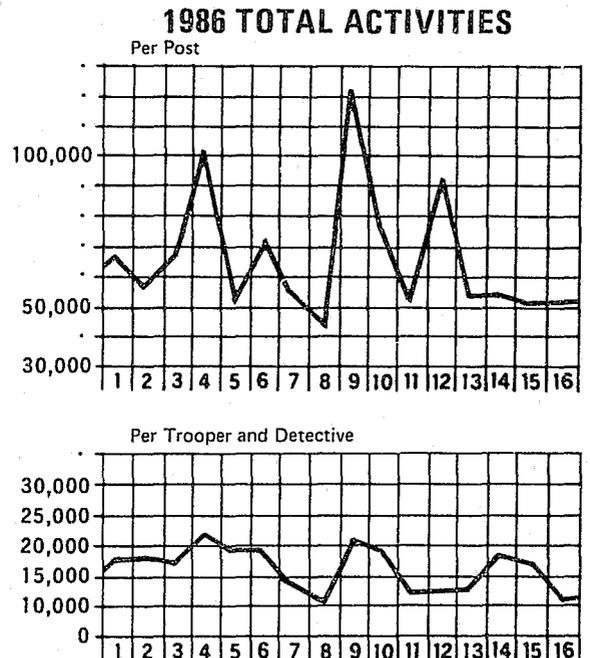
Phase 1 of the statewide State Police Computer System has been completed with each post having three computer stations installed and operational.

Operation Truck S.T.O.P. was implemented throughout the field in an attempt to focus activity toward traffic violations by heavy trucks.

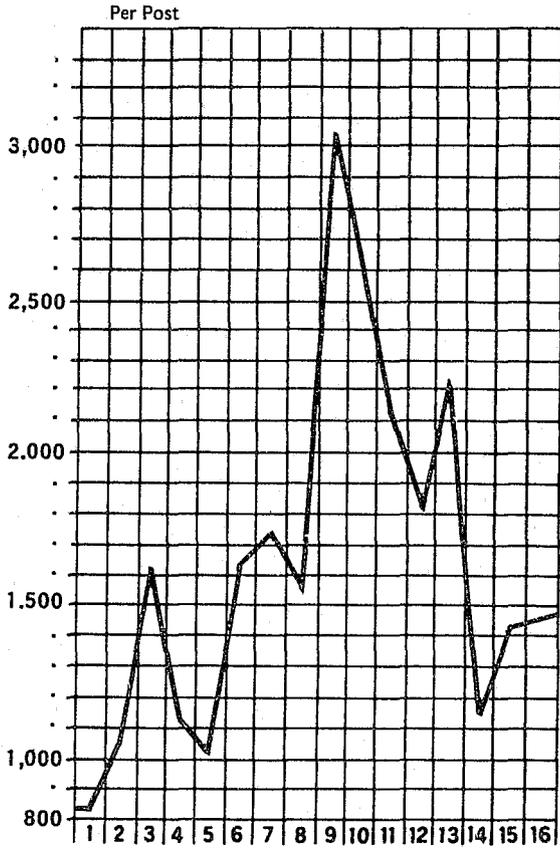
The Operations Division, in conjunction with the Public Affairs Branch, was involved in the C.A.R.E. Operation "D" Day Program. In the designated 13 hours, DUI enforcement was increased; 268 troopers made 136 DUI arrests. There were no fatal accidents recorded during this time.

Many other enforcement programs and services were provided throughout the year. The Mustang units were utilized to enforce the 55 MPH speed limit and saturated the area on I-75 and I-71 known as "Death Hill" in an effort to control accidents. The marijuana eradication effort was a tremendous success as the Kentucky State Police led the nation in the number of plants destroyed.

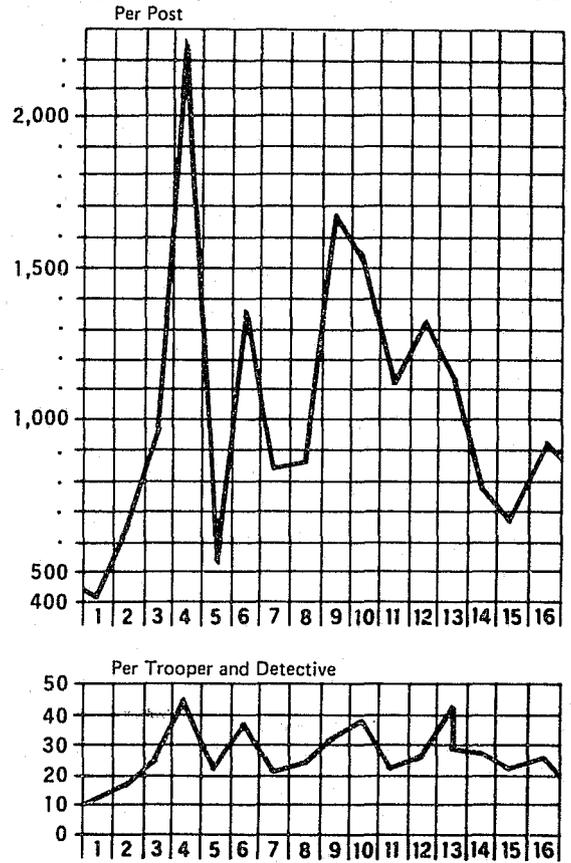
KSP TOTAL STRENGTH		
	1985	1986
COMMISSIONER	1	1
LT. COLONELS	2	2
MAJORS	5	5
CAPTAINS	29	30
LIEUTENANTS	51	50
SERGEANTS	109	107
DETECTIVES	164	163
TROOPERS	573	580
COMMISSIONED	934	938
ATTRITION RATE	6.61%	3.3%
NONCOMMISSIONED	671	661
ATTRITION RATE	13.96%	22.5%
TOTALS	1,605	1,599



1986 TOTAL CASES



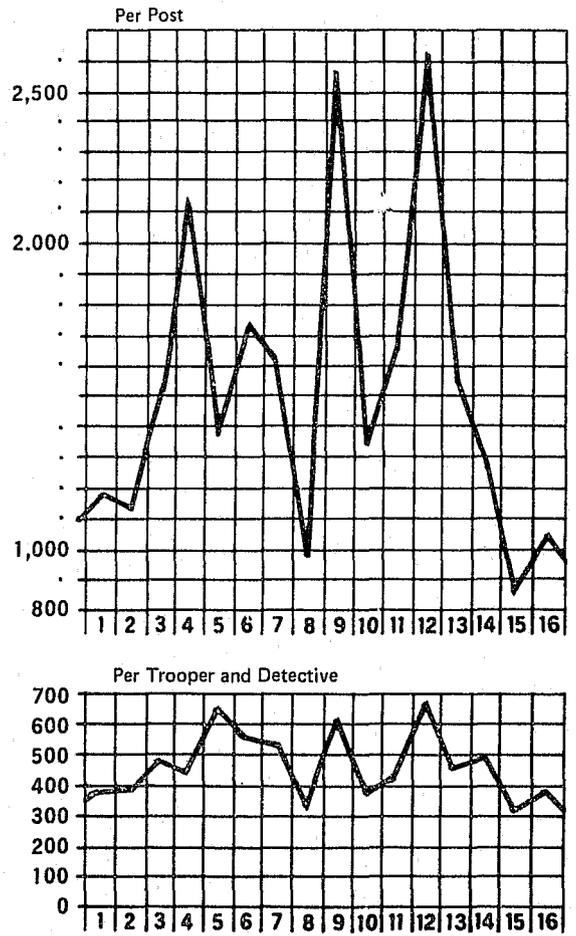
1986 TOTAL CRIMINAL ARRESTS



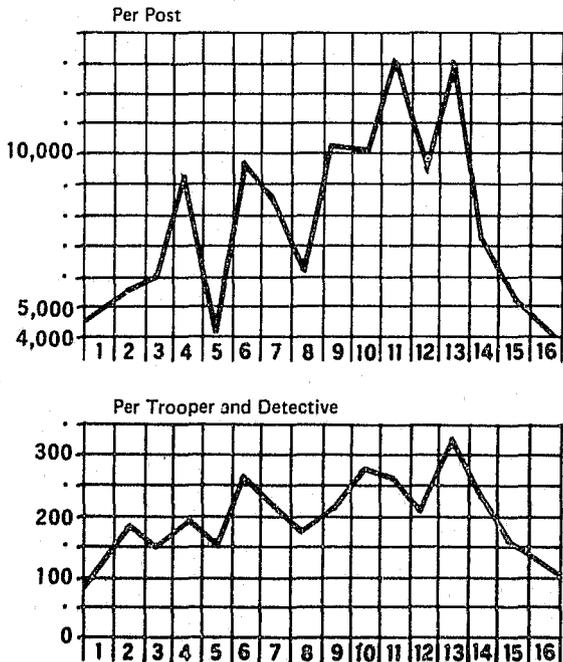
Per Trooper and Detective



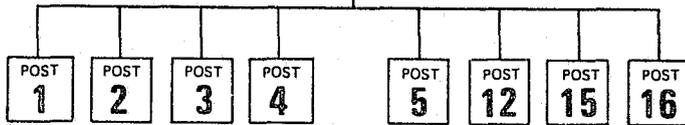
1986 TOTAL CITATIONS



1986 TOTAL COMPLAINTS



WEST COMMAND BRANCH



In 1986, the West Command Branch was staffed with 360 sworn personnel and was responsible for the following activity:

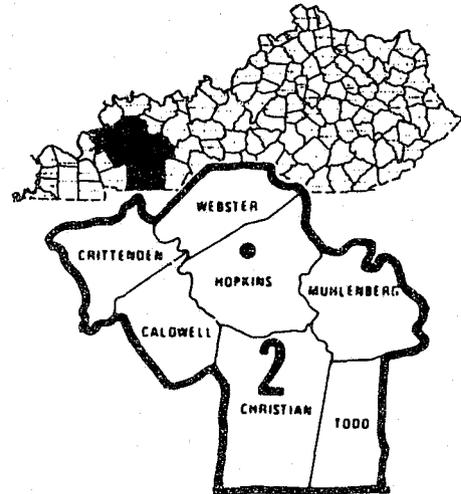
CITATIONS	119,851
DUI ARRESTS	6,029
CRIMINAL CASES	10,337
CRIMINAL ARRESTS	7,780

The West Command furnished manpower for the following details:

- 1986 KENTUCKY DERBY
- ROLEX INTERNATIONAL THREE DAY EVENT
- THE MADISON REGATTA ON THE OHIO RIVER
- KENTUCKY STATE FAIR DETAIL
- UK FOOTBALL AND BASKETBALL GAMES

●POST 2 MADISONVILLE

Caldwell, Christian, Crittenden, Hopkins, Muhlenberg, Todd, and Webster Cos.

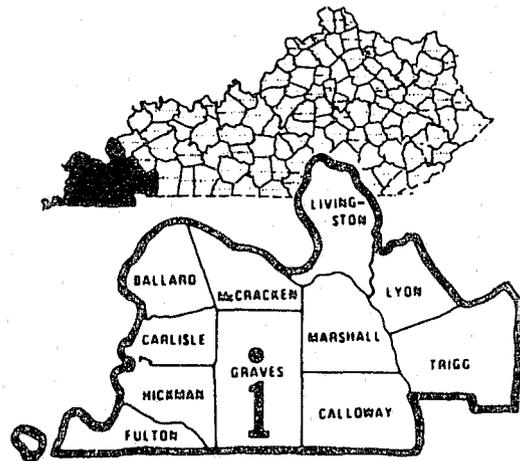


SQUARE MILES	3172
POPULATION	191,002
SWORN PERSONNEL	42
TOTAL PERSONNEL	55

TOTAL ACTIVITIES POST 2	58,304
COMPLAINTS	5,964
CITATIONS	11,496
CRIMINAL CASES	1,066
DUI ARRESTS	642
CRIMINAL ARRESTS	676

●POST 1 MAYFIELD

Ballard, Calloway, Carlisle, Fulton, Graves, Hickman, Lyon, Livingston, McCracken, Tripp, and Marshall Cos.

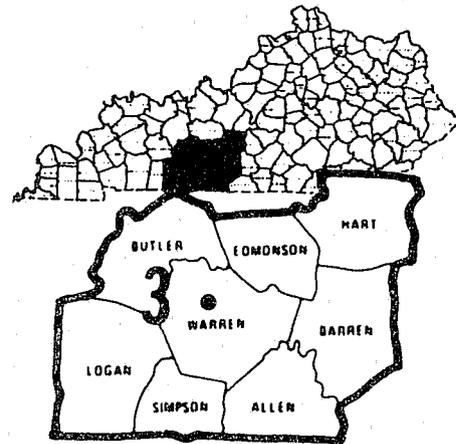


SQUARE MILES	3,341
POPULATION	203,429
SWORN PERSONNEL	43
TOTAL PERSONNEL	55

TOTAL ACTIVITIES POST 1	68,336
COMPLAINTS	4,990
CITATIONS	11,761
CRIMINAL CASES	825
DUI ARRESTS	644
CRIMINAL ARRESTS	406

●POST 3 BOWLING GREEN

Allen, Barren, Butler, Edmonson, Hart, Logan, Simpson, and Warren Cos.

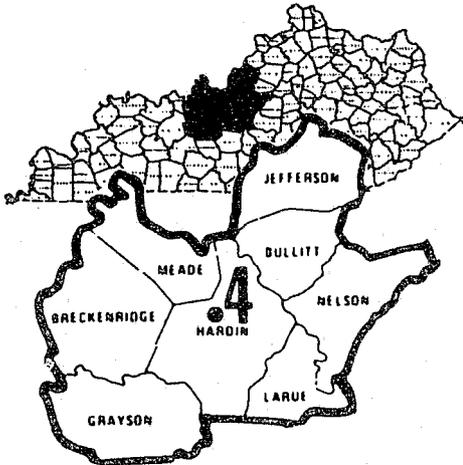


SQUARE MILES	3304
POPULATION	209,879
SWORN PERSONNEL	49
TOTAL PERSONNEL	62

TOTAL ACTIVITIES POST 3	69,210
COMPLAINTS	6,167
CITATIONS	16,347
CRIMINAL CASES	1,605
DUI ARRESTS	988
CRIMINAL ARRESTS	992

●POST 4 ELIZABETHTOWN

Breckenridge, Bullitt, Grayson, Hardin, Jefferson, Larue, Meade, and Nelson Cos.



SQUARE MILES	3367
POPULATION	920,086
SWORN PERSONNEL	60
TOTAL PERSONNEL	72
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TOTAL ACTIVITIES POST 4	109,753
COMPLAINTS	9,688
CITATIONS	21,062
CRIMINAL CASES	1,139
DUI ARRESTS	933
CRIMINAL ARPESTS	2,281

●POST 5 LA GRANGE

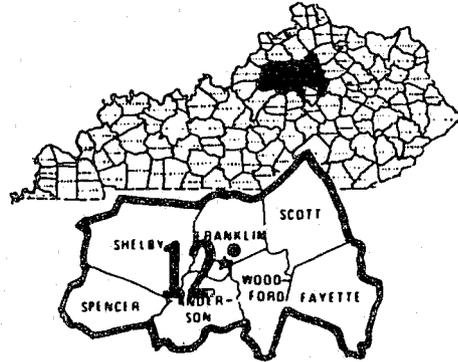
Carroll, Gallatin, Henry, Oldham, Owen, and Trimble Cos.



SQUARE MILES	1212
POPULATION	73,462
SWORN PERSONNEL	33
TOTAL PERSONNEL	46
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TOTAL ACTIVITIES POST 5	50,089
COMPLAINTS	4,330
CITATIONS	13,711
CRIMINAL CASES	1,016
DUI ARRESTS	461
CRIMINAL ARRESTS	535

●POST 12 FRANKFORT

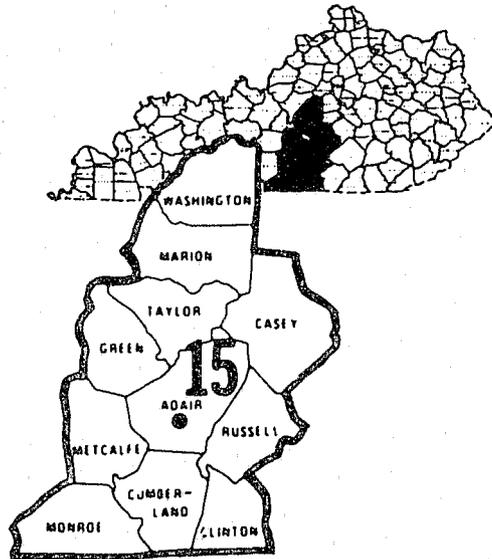
Anderson, Fayette, Franklin, Scott, Shelby, Spencer and Woodford, Cos.



SQUARE MILES	1756
POPULATION	337,963
SWORN PERSONNEL	57
TOTAL PERSONNEL	76
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TOTAL ACTIVITIES POST 12	96,331
COMPLAINTS	9,984
CITATIONS	26,131
CRIMINAL CASES	1,819
DUI ARRESTS	916
CRIMINAL ARRESTS	1,304

●POST 15 COLUMBIA

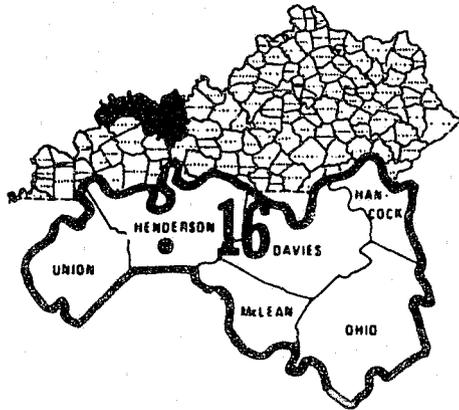
Adair, Casey, Clinton, Cumberland, Green, Marion, Metcalfe, Monroe, Russell, Taylor, and Washington Cos.



SQUARE MILES	3431
POPULATION	146,814
SWORN PERSONNEL	40
TOTAL PERSONNEL	53
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TOTAL ACTIVITIES POST 15	54,690
COMPLAINTS	5,163
CITATIONS	8,592
CRIMINAL CASES	1,428
DUI ARRESTS	595
CRIMINAL ARRESTS	699

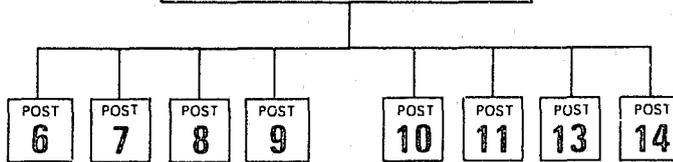
●POST 16 HENDERSON

Davies, Hancock, Henderson, McLean, Ohio, and Union



SQUARE MILES	2283
POPULATION	188,228
SWORN PERSONNEL	43
TOTAL PERSONNEL	56
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TOTAL ACTIVITIES POST 16	52,964
COMPLAINTS	4,135
CITATIONS	10,751
CRIMINAL CASES	1,439
DUI ARRESTS	816
CRIMINAL ARRESTS	921

EAST COMMAND BRANCH



In 1986, the East Command Branch was staffed with 368 sworn personnel and was responsible for the following activity:

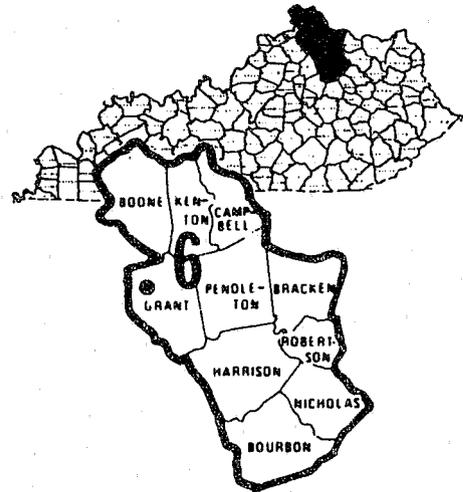
CITATIONS	126,243
DUI ARRESTS	9,185
CRIMINAL CASES	16,323
CRIMINAL ARRESTS	9,342

The East Command furnished manpower for the following details:

- 1986 KENTUCKY DERBY
- ROLEX INTERNATIONAL THREE DAY EVENT
- SECURITY AND CROWD CONTROL DURING THE RIVERFEST DETAIL
- ASSISTED WITH MANPOWER ASSIGNMENTS TO THE KENTUCKY STATE FAIR, UNIVERSITY FOOTBALL GAMES AND OTHER COUNTY FESTIVALS

●POST 6 DRY RIDGE

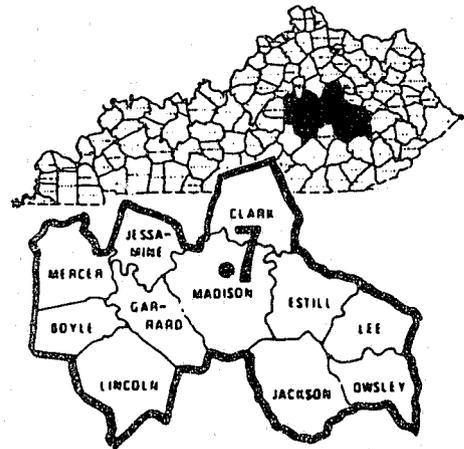
Boone, Bourbon, Bracken, Campbell, Grant, Harrison, Kenton, Nicholas, Pendleton, and Robertson Cos.



SQUARE MILES	2203
POPULATION	345,444
SWORN PERSONNEL	44
TOTAL PERSONNEL	57
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TOTAL ACTIVITIES POST 6	71,389
COMPLAINTS	9,657
CITATIONS	17,001
CRIMINAL CASES	1,631
DUI ARRESTS	792
CRIMINAL ARRESTS	1,397

●POST 7 RICHMOND

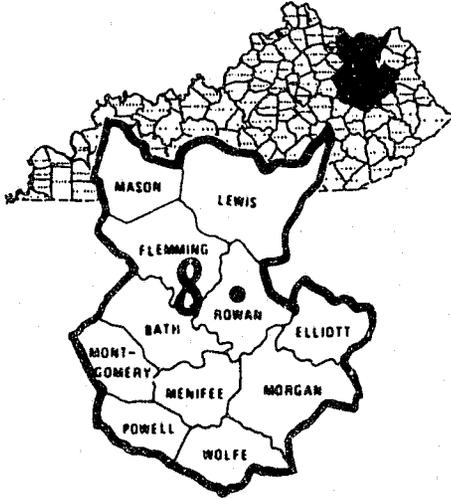
Boyle, Clark, Estill, Garrard, Jackson, Jessamine, Lee, Lincoln, Madison, Mercer and Owsley Cos.



SQUARE MILES	2885
POPULATION	227,422
SWORN PERSONNEL	46
TOTAL PERSONNEL	58
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TOTAL ACTIVITIES POST 7	55,265
COMPLAINTS	8,640
CITATIONS	16,078
CRIMINAL CASES	1,624
DUI ARRESTS	1,352
CRIMINAL ARRESTS	827

●POST 8 MOREHEAD

Bath, Elliott, Fleming, Lewis, Mason, Menifee, Montgomery, Morgan, Powell, Rowan, and Wolfe Cos.



SQUARE MILES	3057
POPULATION	136,980
SWORN PERSONNEL	44
TOTAL PERSONNEL	57
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TOTAL ACTIVITIES POST 8	44,019
COMPLAINTS	6,379
CITATIONS	9,742
CRIMINAL CASES	1,570
DUI CITATIONS	652
CRIMINAL ARRESTS	852

●POST 9 PIKEVILLE

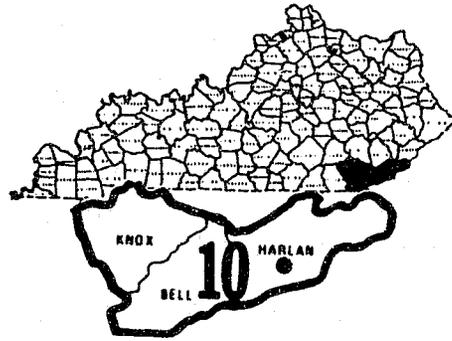
Floyd, Johnson, Magoffin, Martin, and Pike Cos.



SQUARE MILES	1983
POPULATION	188,388
SWORN PERSONNEL	63
TOTAL PERSONNEL	76
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TOTAL ACTIVITIES POST 9	123,044
COMPLAINTS	11,450
CITATIONS	25,960
CRIMINAL CASES	3,329
DUI ARRESTS	1,842
CRIMINAL ARRESTS	1,694

●POST 10 HARLAN

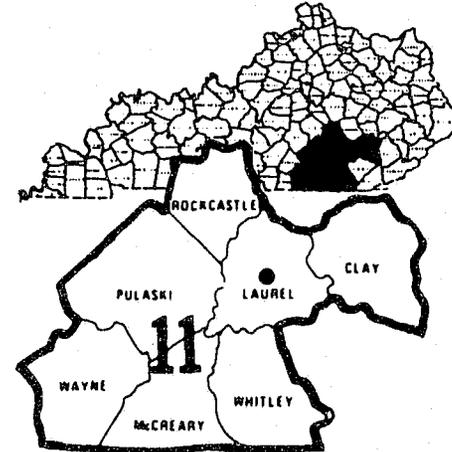
Bell, Harlan and Knox Cos.



SQUARE MILES	1217
POPULATION	106,556
SWORN PERSONNEL	47
TOTAL PERSONNEL	59
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TOTAL ACTIVITIES POST 10	76,675
COMPLAINTS	10,428
CITATIONS	12,650
CRIMINAL CASES	2,694
DUI ARRESTS	1,200
CRIMINAL ARRESTS	1,505

●POST 11 LONDON

Clay, Laurel, McCreary, Pulaski, Rockcastle, Wayne, and Whitley Cos.



SQUARE MILES	3199
POPULATION	197,243
SWORN PERSONNEL	58
TOTAL PERSONNEL	71
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TOTAL ACTIVITIES POST 11	60,544
COMPLAINTS	13,047
CITATIONS	16,673
CRIMINAL CASES	2,119
DUI ARRESTS	1,293
CRIMINAL ARRESTS	1,138

●POST 13 HAZARD

Breathitt, Knott, Leslie, Letcher and Perry Cos.

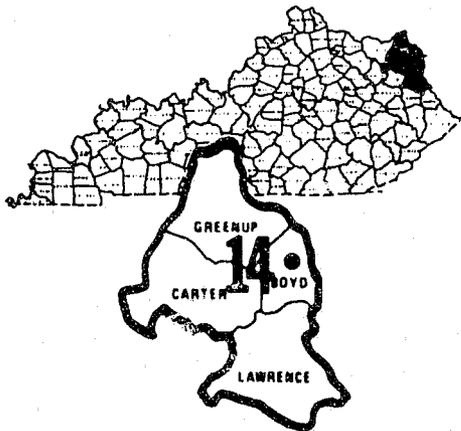


SQUARE MILES	1929
POPULATION	116,205
SWORN PERSONNEL	47
TOTAL PERSONNEL	59

TOTAL ACTIVITIES POST 13	57,426
COMPLAINTS	13,125
CITATIONS	15,327
CRIMINAL CASES	2,216
DUI ARRESTS	1,351
CRIMINAL ARRESTS	1,130

●POST 14 ASHLAND

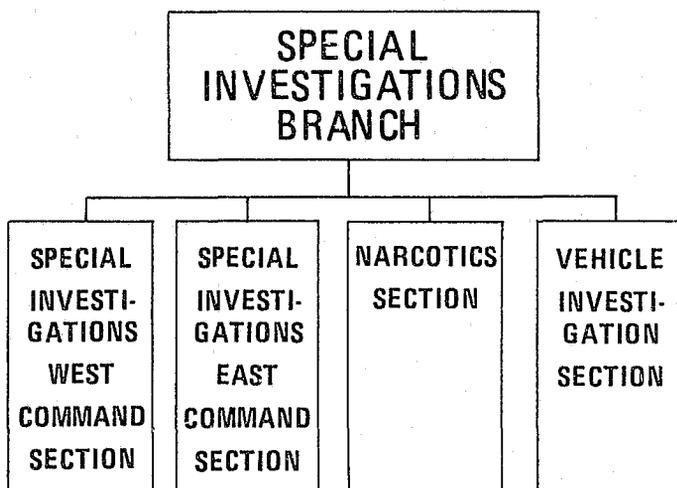
Boyd, Carter, Greenup and Lawrence Cos.



SQUARE MILES	1335
POPULATION	133,923
SWORN PERSONNEL	37
TOTAL PERSONNEL	49

TOTAL ACTIVITIES POST 14	56,016
COMPLAINTS	7,016
CITATIONS	12,812
CRIMINAL CASES	1,140
DUI ARRESTS	703
CRIMINAL ARRESTS	799

SPECIAL INVESTIGATIONS BRANCH



The Special Investigations Branch is responsible for directing the investigation of white collar crime, organized crime, fraud, corruption in business and government and maintaining liaison with other law enforcement agencies at local, state and federal levels.

In 1986, Special Investigations was staffed with 74 sworn personnel.

Special Investigations West Command Section

In 1986, the Special Investigations West Command initiated and investigated many extensive and time-consuming cases. Two of these cases involved state or local agencies and indictments have been brought against those involved. Other areas of investigation involved embezzlement and pawn shop operations dealing with drugs and stolen property. Another significant case was developed dealing with the manufacturing of "CRANK". The investigation was successful with the seizure and shutdown of the "CRANK" operation which was the largest operation in the nation.

Following is a breakdown of activities and properties recovered:

CASES	248
ARRESTS	252
DRUGS SEIZED OR DESTROYED	\$450,504
PROPERTY RECOVERED	\$427,354
TOTAL DRUGS/PROPERTY	\$877,858

ORGANIZED CRIME	131
WHITE COLLAR	86
POLITICAL CORRUPTION	12
MISCELLANEOUS	19

Special Investigations East Command Section

In 1986, Special Investigations East Command successfully investigated many complicated cases. An undercover investigation disclosed payments being made to officials to protect wildcat miners. A grand jury will be impaneled to expand this investigation. A confidence man was investigated concerning his fraudulent business transactions with members of the Amish faith. Other investigations dealt with drug related cases and investigations of public officials.

Following is a breakdown of activities and properties recovered:

CASES	327
ARRESTS	337
DRUGS SEIZED OR DESTROYED	\$4,234,243
PROPERTY RECOVERED	\$167,433
TOTAL DRUGS/PROPERTY	\$4,401,676

ORGANIZED CRIME	132
WHITE COLLAR	43
POLITICAL CORRUPTION	30
MISCELLANEOUS	122

Vehicle Investigation Section

The Vehicle Investigation Section is responsible for tabulating recoveries of stolen motor vehicles and arrests by field officers from all divisions, maintaining custody of the motor vehicle registration files and furnishing registration data and technical assistance to all law enforcement agencies upon request.

During 1986, the Vehicle Investigation Section provided assistance to all 16 posts, Special Investigations, the FBI and other state agencies in a large-scale operation that involved title washing, insurance fraud, false financial statements and suspected stolen jewelry. An investigation was conducted on false title applications that led to the indictment of a car dealer and a deputy sheriff. Assistance was also provided in the investigations of vehicle tax fraud scams and chop shop operations.

A great deal of time was devoted to locating altered odometer readings, forgery, false applications, counterfeit and other improprieties. The Vehicle Investigation Section also performed motor vehicle title searches for law enforcement agencies throughout the state.

1986 TOTAL KSP VEHICLE THEFT ACTIVITY

RECOVERIES	882
ARRESTS	303
VALUE OF RECOVERED PROPERTY	\$4,474,455

1986 MOTOR VEHICLE DOCUMENT EXAMINERS

SPECIAL ASSISTS	10,801
ASSISTS CONFIRMED FOR STOLEN	11
STOLEN VEHICLES ENTERED NCIC/LINK	6,891
MOTOR VEHICLE DOCUMENTS EXAMINED	200,975
DETECTED AS ALTERED/STOLEN COUNTERFEIT	708
DETECTED AS SUSPECT	2,359
HITS FROM TITLE APPLICATIONS	1,663
STOLEN VEHICLES RECOVERED	3

Narcotics Section

The Narcotics Section has a multifaceted mission within the Kentucky State Police. First and foremost, the Narcotics Section is the lead enforcement entity relative to the suppression of drug trafficking and production within the Commonwealth. The section is charged with directing these enforcement efforts. Additionally, the Narcotics Section provides technical and logistical support to Kentucky State Police posts, sections and other state, federal

and local agencies as they relate to drug enforcement. This support includes - but is not limited to - marijuana analysis, marijuana eradication, drug eradication and cocaine services (drug detection and tracking dogs).

The narcotic eradication effort was a tremendous success in 1986 with the Kentucky State Police leading the nation in the number of plants destroyed. This success can be traced to the cooperation demonstrated by the Kentucky State Police personnel, the use of a Bell 206 Helicopter, the support received from federal and local agencies and the support of the general public as they provided valuable information on marijuana fields and growers.

The efforts of the Narcotics Section proved to be a rewarding success throughout the year resulting in many buy-busts, arrests for trafficking in cocaine and other drugs and a methamphetamine lab was discovered and seized. An investigation led to the surrender of a physician's medical license for the illegal sale of prescriptions.

The Kentucky State Police Canine Unit was established in August 1986. In September 1986, the commander of the unit was sent to Germany for training and to acquire dogs. The dogs were trained in crime scene search, suspect apprehension, crowd control, drug detection and explosive detection.

1986 STATISTICS NARCOTICS SECTION

	1985	1986
AVERAGE MANPOWER	34	32
MAJOR VIOLATOR ARREST	NA	9
CASES OPENED	1,790	1,664
ARRESTS MADE	1,105	1,088
SIS	341	1,703
INTELLIGENCE REPORTS	6	114
SPECIAL DETAIL	784	1,359
COMPLAINTS	1,861	3,253

NARCOTICS DATA

	1985	1986
RESTITUTION	\$7,445.00	\$7,528.70
DRUGS/CONTRABAND SEIZED/ DESTROYED (TO INCLUDE MARIJUANA)	\$246,909,547.00	\$950,354,717.94

MARIJUANA ERADICATION

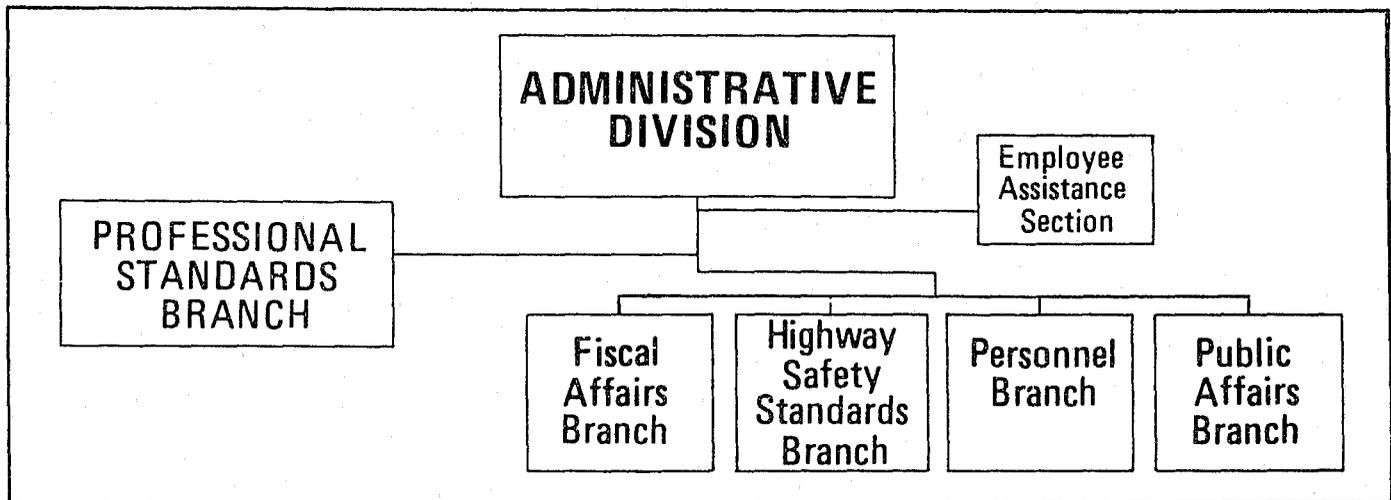
	1985	1986
PLANTS	305,907	1,185,887
PLOTS	1,315	1,529
ARRESTS	168	192

Executive Security

The Executive Security Officers have the primary responsibility for the safety of the governor, the lieutenant governor, their families, residences and possessions.

In 1986, Executive Security fulfilled their responsibilities with a staff of 30 sworn personnel.

ADMINISTRATIVE DIVISION



The Operations Division is responsible for providing the front line protection and services for the citizens of the state but this can only be accomplished through effective assistance by the Administrative Division.

Personnel must be provided with the highly professional and specialized training needed to accomplish the enormous obligations which must be met daily in the field. A vast array of statistical analysis and information must be made available to the field staff to aid in their successful patrol. A means of inspection and evaluation ensures the effectiveness of all personnel and programs.

The Kentucky State Police must have a budget prepared and monitored to ensure that monies are available to provide necessary equipment, training and personnel to provide protection and services to the citizens of Kentucky.

Manpower allocation must be studied and distributed to maximize the efficiency of the state police. An inter-relationship must exist between the Kentucky State Police and the news media. These functions, as well as assistance programs for all employees, are all managed by the Administrative Division.

PROFESSIONAL STANDARDS BRANCH

The Professional Standards Branch is responsible for the coordination, supervision, and management of the state police Academy, Inspections/Evaluations, Internal Affairs and the Research and Development Sections.



Academy

The Kentucky State Police Academy is responsible for administering cadet, in-service and specialized training programs within the department and for the development, administration, monitoring and periodic re-evaluation of those programs.

During 1986, the Kentucky State Police Academy conducted a wide range of training programs for the benefit of the state police as well as local departments and other state agencies. A total of 951 state police officers and civilians and 171 individuals, representing other local and state agencies, attended training programs.

Eighty-six cadets graduated as members of Cadet Classes 64 and 65. During the calendar year of 1986, these classes represented 36 weeks and 1500 hours of instruction.

In-service training and specialized programs were also offered in 22 areas.

In addition to the development, instruction and/or coordination of the training programs, the academy staff members were also involved in a number of related activities. Assistance was provided to the Operations Division personnel in accident and criminal investigations, reconstructing cases, diagramming and video taping. Personnel and equipment were also provided for the video taping of child abuse victim interviews. Personnel served as instructors at the Kentucky Sheriffs' Academy and at the Department of Criminal Justice Training.

Inspections/Evaluations Section

The Inspections/Evaluations Section is responsible for inspecting posts and sections, reviewing record-keeping, conducting inventories of supplies and evidence at each location and submitting written reports of these activities. The Section is responsible for evaluating all components of the state police to determine the level of management and recognizing potential problems. Recommendations are made to offset potential problems and improve professional management.

During 1986, the Inspections/Evaluations Section inspected the following posts and sections:

- Post 2 Madisonville
- Post 5 LaGrange
- Post 7 Richmond
- Post 8 Morehead
- Post 10 Harlan
- Post 15 Columbia

- Forensic Laboratory Section
- Narcotics Section
- Special Investigations East Section
- Intelligence Section

The overall condition of the posts and sections inspected in 1986 was very good. The average scores of posts inspected have risen during 1986 as they did in 1985.

In July 1984, Post 13, Hazard, became the first state police post to be inspected utilizing the new post rating system. In June 1986, the process of inspecting all 16 state police posts utilizing this new rating system was completed with the inspection of Post 7, Richmond.

The inspection team is very satisfied with the results of this rating system and feels it has established a uniform and effective method of evaluating our posts. During 1986, the inspection team conducted interviews with local officials and citizen recipients of state police service at six posts. The majority of these interviews was very favorable about the state police. Many of these officials expressed that our personnel are well-trained and professional in their behavior.

Internal Affairs Section

The Internal Affairs Section provides the commissioner with the assistance necessary to discharge his implicit duties relating to the maintenance of good order and discipline within the agency and to ensure that the police mission of the agency is executed within the constitutional limits imposed by the United States and the Commonwealth of Kentucky. The section also serves as a clearinghouse and central repository for all matters relating to the discipline of agency personnel.

In 1986, the Internal Affairs Section investigated 104 cases: 49 were cases originated internally and 55 were originated externally. Of these cases, 86% of the internal cases were sustained and 36% of the external cases were sustained.

Research And Development Section

The Research and Development Section serves as the agency's research staff for various studies including budgetary calculations, manual review and maintenance, innovative programs and efficiency research and analysis of policies and procedures within the department.

In 1986, the Research and Development Section responded to 65 questionnaires, routinely drafted memoranda for the commissioner's signature, completed a space-need study for the Legislative Research Commission and testified on a personal service contract. The section also drafted numerous general orders and revised and updated the Kentucky State Police manual periodically and distributed revisions.

Numerous statistical summaries were compiled and analyzed on a monthly, quarterly, semi-annual and

annual basis. The Manpower Allocation Study was conducted and proposed allocation for each cadet class was made. Assistance with certain phases of cadet training was also provided.

The personnel of the Research and Development Section were also responsible for conducting feasibility studies in 21 areas and administering and monitoring 14 federal grants.

Staff personnel were affiliated with the following activities:

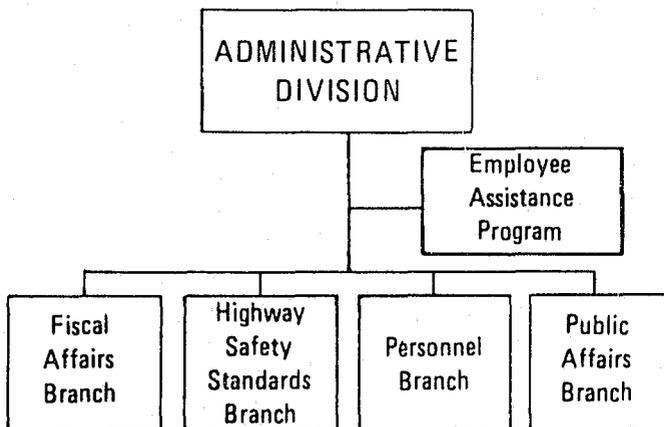
Served as liaison officer for the Kentucky State Police Administrative and Management Evaluation Committee.

Served on the tabulating committee for the Kentucky Retirement System.

Served on two promotional interview panels for Facilities Security.

Served on the Maryland State Police Promotional Interview Board.

Information was compiled for a task analysis for the rank of sergeant. This information is utilized in preparing the promotional exam for the rank of sergeant and to provide information needed for setting the curriculum for in-service training.



FISCAL AFFAIRS BRANCH

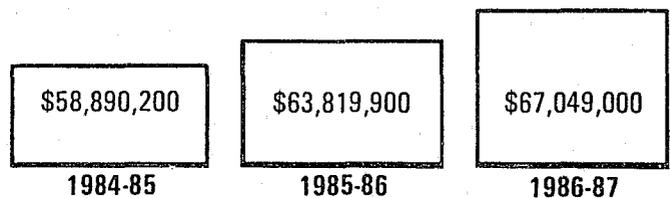
The Fiscal Affairs Branch is responsible for all agency budget-related functions, fund transfers, account monitoring, purchase approvals and for conducting special projects related to the budget.

In 1986, Fiscal Affairs provided detailed information justifying the agency's 1986-88 biennial budget

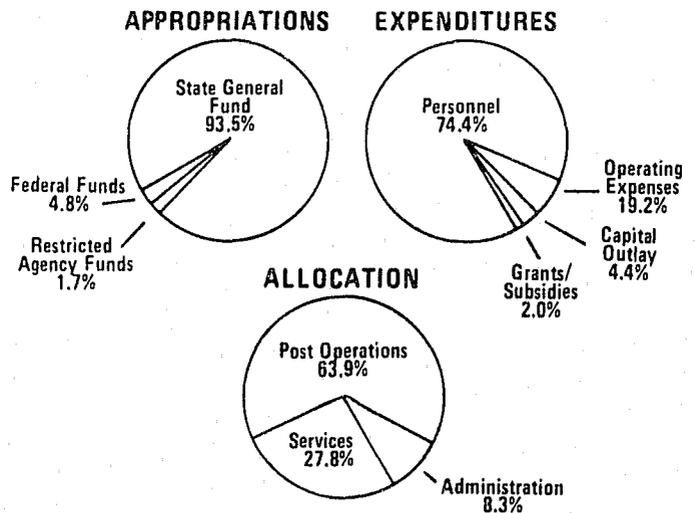
request to the governor's staff and the legislature during the course of the 1986 General Assembly.

Financial reports were prepared each month indicating expenditures for the month and cumulative expenditures for year-to-date. Personnel insured that all expenditures made during the year complied with applicable purchased regulations, both internal and external. The branch also established a detailed line-item budget for each month of the fiscal year which, when compared to the monthly financial report, provided state police management with the most current and up-to-date financial condition of the department.

FY APPROPRIATIONS



FY 1986-87 BUDGET



HIGHWAY SAFETY STANDARDS BRANCH

The mission of the Highway Safety Branch is to administer the United States Department of Transportation's National Highway Traffic Safety Administration and Federal Highway Administration 402 Highway Safety Program monies to state and local governments in a manner that provides for problem identification and countermeasure activities that will

reduce traffic accidents on Kentucky's streets and highways.

During 1986, the Highway Safety Standards Branch provided funds for the Traffic Alcohol Programs in 13 local jurisdictions and 10 state police posts. The

purpose of these programs was to increase enforcement of the present DUI law, to educate the public regarding the issue of drinking and driving and to reduce the number of alcohol-involved accidents in these areas. Funding and assistance were also made available in several programs emphasizing occupant and/or child restraint systems.

A state employee safety belt usage effort was carried out in the Frankfort area. The Highway Safety Branch provided funding to the Cabinet for Human Resources Health Services Branch for use in conducting state employee safety belt use surveys. The program resulted in a significant increase in safety belt usage.

A pilot project was successfully continued and expanded from 1985 when funding was provided for additional prosecuting attorneys in three counties in order to obtain the best DUI prosecution possible and to establish an expertise that might be disseminated throughout the state.

Funding was also provided for increased enforcement of the 55 MPH speed limit. This year's program covered 38 counties where new radar equipment was issued. Many other programs were funded and administered in an effort to make Kentucky highways safer.

PERSONNEL BRANCH

The Personnel Branch is responsible for the recruitment, screening and placement of qualified personnel to fill professional, administrative and technical positions within all divisions of the department. The Personnel Branch administers the agency's payroll and benefit programs. It is also responsible for the interpretation of Administrative and Personnel Rules and Laws and for the administration and maintenance of all personnel records and related documents. The Personnel Branch actively participates in reviewing changes in fringe benefits, wage administration, promotions, reclassifications, salary adjustments and issues all personnel orders.

In 1986, in an effort to reduce the number of "new hires" when filling vacant positions, 91 civilian

employees were promoted and/or transferred. Departmental personnel staffing increased by 46 employees.

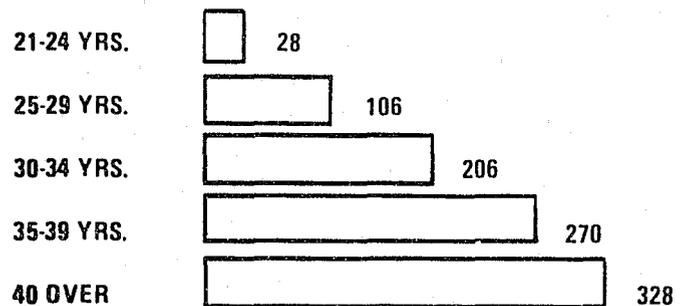
Revisions were made in the rules governing overtime, compensatory leave and time keeping to conform with the Fair Labor Standards Act. Revisions were also made in the application and background investigation forms for cadet troopers.

A cadet trooper recruitment process was completed with 41 cadet troopers being graduated June 1, 1986, and 45 being graduated September 14, 1986. A new class, entitled Police Communication Dispatcher Coordinator, was established and 16 new positions were filled.

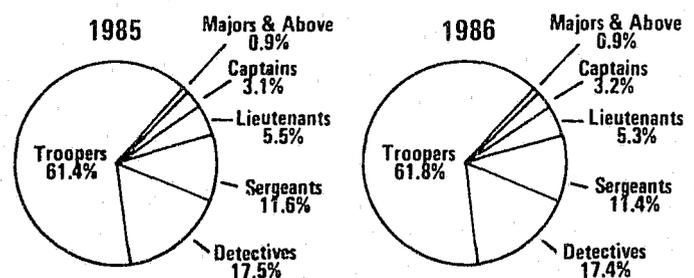
RETIREMENTS

	1985	1986
COMMISSIONED	45	23
NONCOMMISSIONED	11	10
TOTALS	56	33

KSP COMMISSIONED PERSONNEL AGE DISTRIBUTION 1986



PERCENT OF KSP COMMISSIONED PERSONNEL BY RANK



PUBLIC AFFAIRS BRANCH

The Public Affairs Branch provides technical assistance to the Public Affairs officers throughout the state and functions as a liaison between headquarters and the media.

During 1986, the Public Affairs Branch dedicated a great deal of effort to improving the department's relationship with the news media by providing timely and accurate reports on a daily basis. Other activities were also conducted to foster a positive working relationship with the media. During the year, a presentation was given on "Press and State Police Relations" at the Kentucky Press Association's Annual Meeting. Public Affairs officers attended bi-monthly police/media meetings in Lexington, Louisville and Northern Kentucky. Post level meetings with the press were organized and instruction on police/media relations was presented to cadets at the Academy.

The Public Affairs Branch successfully developed and publicized several major traffic safety programs. Included in these programs, was the coordination of Operation C.A.R.E. activities for each of the holiday weekends. Public Affairs assisted Kentuckians for S.A.F.E.T.Y. in their efforts to pass a mandatory safety belt use law and developed and publicized the National All American Buckle-Up Week in Kentucky. The branch planned and developed the third annual Operation C.A.R.E. "D" Day on Trafficways program and coordinated the "D" Day effort nationally. Operation Truck S.T.O.P. (Safe Trucking Our Priority) was developed and incorporated into the safety programs throughout the state.

Safety education continues to be a priority. The branch assisted the Department of Education and Highway Safety Standards Branch with "Project Graduation". Safety Town at the State Fair was extremely successful in 1986 with the attendance of approximately 13,000 children. Trooper C.A.S.P.E.R., the educational robot, attended various schools throughout the Commonwealth to present safety programs and was present at 15 other functions.

The Kentucky State Police History Mobile was viewed at many festivals with a total attendance of 57,000.

Employee Assistance Program

The Employee Assistance Program provides assistance, counseling, referral and guidance to all Kentucky State Police employees and their families.

The diversified assistance and supportive counseling offered by the chaplains are assets to the Kentucky State Police. A great effort has been made to keep all employees aware of the available services and programs as the chaplains strive to remain current as to the needs of the employees.

In 1986, the following services were offered:

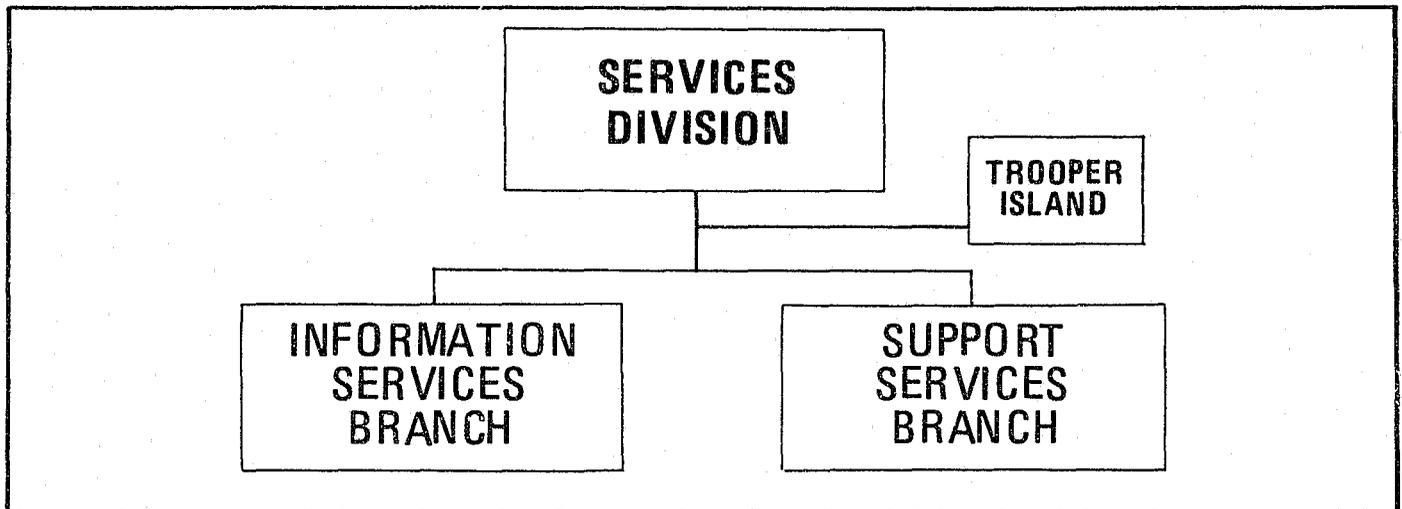
CONTACTS REQUIRING CASE NUMBER		DEVELOPMENT AND TRAINING	
ALCOHOL/DRUG	3	CLASSES TAUGHT	3
PSYCHOLOGICAL	2	CONFERENCES	
JOB RELATED	39	/SEMINARS	
MARITAL/DIVORCE	19	ATTENDED	6
FAMILY/CHILD	12	STAFF MEETINGS	6
FINANCIAL/LEGAL	2	OTHER	13
OTHER	4		<u>28</u>
	<u>81</u>		

DEATH AND ILLNESS SERVICES

FUNERALS ATTENDED	42	OTHER ACTIVITIES	
FUNERALS CONDUCTED	2	POST MEETINGS	1
FUNERAL VISITS	24	POST VISITS	207
OTHER ILLNESS	53	PUBLIC RELATIONS	17
OTHER	3	OTHER	97
	<u>124</u>		<u>322</u>

In 1986, Employee Assistance personnel received specialized training from the International Association of Police Chaplains in Topeka, Kansas, and attended the Officer in Trouble Seminar in Washington, D.C.

SERVICES DIVISION



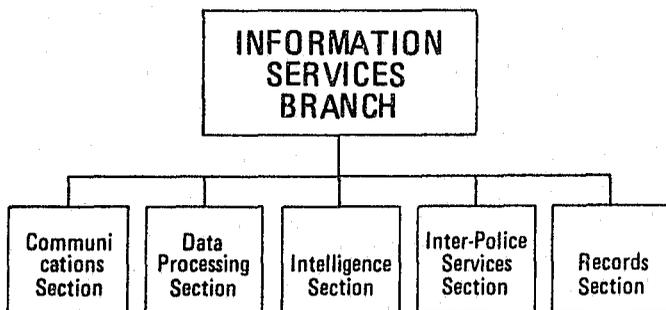
The Services Division is responsible to the commissioner and coordinates and manages the activities of the Information Services Branch, Support Services Branch and the Trooper Island Program.

The successful enforcement by the Kentucky State Police is dependent upon a strong Services Division. The information provided by the Services Division keeps the officer abreast of data necessary to his/her function. The division also provides all equipment utilized by the State Police along with a records keeping and communications system that is mandatory for the effective and safe patrol of all troopers.

The assistance and maintenance provided by the sections of the Support Services Branch accentuate the effectiveness of the patrol and criminal investigation of the Operations Division.

INFORMATION SERVICES BRANCH

The Information Services Branch is charged with providing technical assistance to functions of the department through its Communications, Data Processing, Intelligence, Inter-Police Services and Records Sections.



Communications Section

The Communications Section specifies purchases and maintains electronic equipment necessary for an efficient communications system. It is responsible for training dispatcher and office personnel in the proper operation of radio equipment and computer-related communications.

During 1986, preventive maintenance checks significantly improved the overall performance of the communications system. These checks significantly reduced breakdowns as well as emergency call outs. The post technicians performed 357 mobile preventative maintenance checks and approximately 390 new vehicles were equipped in the headquarters garage.

Technical training was conducted during 1986 which included section members instructing cadet sessions and breathalyzer training sessions. To keep abreast of the changes in equipment and repair, personnel attended various technical courses throughout the year.

Technical assistance was given to seven local agencies and six state agencies and special electronics and radio equipment was installed for several state agencies. The Kentucky State Police recognized over \$300,000 in annual savings due to recommendations and innovative actions of the personnel in this section.

Data Processing Section

The Data Processing Section stores and dispenses computerized criminal justice information and is the department's resource for the office automation system.

Major changes were recognized during 1986. The Data Processing staff was reconstructed to unify it with minimal supervisory levels and a second shift was started in Data Input to improve working conditions.

A system analyst was assigned to assist with the new systems. This position will be the foundation for further programming staff.

With assistance from a federal grant, an AT&T 3B15 Computer was purchased and installed. This will be the hub of a network that will gather information from the citation forms and the UOR (Uniform Offense Reports) from local and state police.

Intelligence Section

The Intelligence Section provides support to the department and other criminal justice agencies via the collection, analysis and dissemination of intelligence information.

During 1986, the Intelligence Section increased the exchange of intelligence information with other criminal justice agencies by 7% over 1985. This exchange of information kept all agencies better informed on the movement and activities of criminals. The number of requests for services from local police agencies increased 32% over those requested in 1985. This increase is attributed to more contact with the local agencies and more participation by the intelligence analysts in the local intelligence networks around the state.

The section began publishing bulletins on criminal activities throughout the state. Positive feedback was received on the quality and usefulness of this information that was disseminated to field operations.

During the year, requests for assistance increased by 28% from 1985 and the section continued to provide one day response time on routine inquiries. By providing local agencies and state police personnel with quality information that has greatly assisted them during their investigations, the section has proven itself a great resource and benefit.

In 1986, the section obtained from each post a list of long-term wanted persons. Utilizing information provided by Intelligence, the Kentucky State Police successfully located and apprehended many of these persons. Of all the programs that the Intelligence Section has designed to benefit the officer in the field, this program has given some of the most rewarding results.

The Missing Child Information Center, located within the Intelligence Section, had a successful year developing information for the prevention and return of missing children. A pamphlet was published outlining prevention and response information in missing persons cases and this information was published in the annual report for the Missing Child Information Center. This annual report was distributed to all police agencies throughout the Commonwealth of Kentucky as well as all legislative and court officials and others persons on the mailing list to whom the center provides information. The center also developed a program whereby Kentucky's missing children are shown on national and local television.

Inter-Police Services Section

The Inter-Police Services Section ensures the proper submission of quality, timely and complete criminal justice data to the Information Services Branch.

During 1986, the UCR Unit met a significant goal by reaching a 99.9% reporting figure for the 350 agencies served. Section personnel made 2,997 contacts which represented personal visits. In making these personal contacts, personnel drove over 100,000 accident free miles.

Records Section

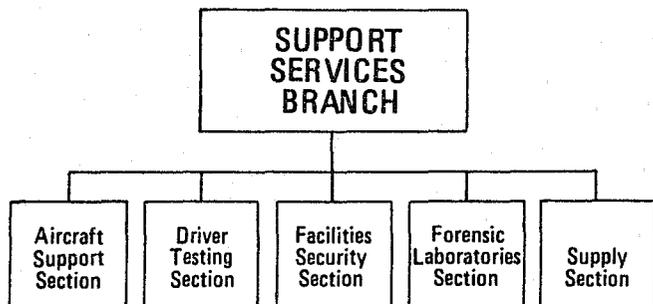
The Records Section receives, maintains and analyzes records of traffic accidents and traffic law activities, criminal cases and statistics, criminal history and identification documents.

During 1986, the section selected a vendor to furnish Kentucky's New Automated Fingerprint Identification System Computer. This system will be installed in 1987. The LINK auditing personnel were trained in record-keeping functions within the Records Section. This team will conduct audits of law enforcement agencies throughout Kentucky to aid in compliance by all agencies with state and federal laws and regulations dealing with proper record keeping functions associated with criminal activity.

The Records Section personnel drafted the revised copies of the new accident and citation forms and had them delivered to all law enforcement officials throughout Kentucky. Numerous seminars were held for law enforcement officials to explain the new report forms.

SUPPORT SERVICES BRANCH

The Support Services Branch is responsible for the coordination, supervision, and management of the Aircraft Support, Driver Testing, Facilities Security, Forensic Laboratories, and Supply Section.



Aircraft Support Section

The Aircraft Support Section is responsible for the operation, maintenance, coordination and management of all state police aircraft.

During 1986, operational improvements were made resulting in a more unified and effective section. Pilots rotated to all the section's aircraft on a regular basis to keep current with the operation of each craft. All aircraft were painted to match the state police gray cruisers. A Bell 206B Jet Ranger was leased for 90 days for use during the Marijuana Eradication Program.

Our pilots flew more for marijuana eradication in 1986 than ever before. All time records for hours flown, fields spotted and cultivated plants recovered were broken in 1986.

Hours flown totaled 499.3 with approximately 703,000 marijuana plants reported by section aircraft. The helicopter accounted for the majority of these findings with 302 hours flown and 568,000 plants reported. The helicopter reported marijuana on an average of every 20 minutes of flying time. It became obvious as the marijuana season progressed how valuable helicopters are to law enforcement and marijuana eradication in particular. Kentucky led the nation with marijuana eradication.

The Aircraft Support Section flew 115 transport and criminal flights for nine other state and federal agencies. An increased number of prisoners were transported, having a positive impact on field units and the court system.

The Aircraft Support Section safely completed all missions. The aircraft were flown in all types of weather conditions and hostile environments during criminal details and marijuana searches. The aircraft operated over a wide scope ranging from Texas to Canada and extensively throughout Kentucky without a mishap.

Driver Testing Section

The Driver Testing Section is responsible for Uniform Driver Testing Standards throughout the Commonwealth and ensuring that only qualified persons obtain a Kentucky operator's license.

To continue providing excellent service to the citizens of the Commonwealth, all members of the Driver Testing Section attended in-service training during 1986. A revision of the examiner's manual dealing with specifics of examiner's testing tasks was completed. Two testing stations were relocated to improve facilities to the public. During the year, some 335,000 individual driver-related examinations were given.

Facilities Security Section

The Facilities Security Section has the responsibility for maintaining security at designated state-owned or leased facilities and property.

During 1986, the position of lieutenant was added to the organizational structure creating a third level of supervision. This provided an increased number of supervisory personnel.

Equipment changes included the purchase of 12 new portable radios with a mounted charger rack. A new master alarm was installed in the office to monitor fire alarms in several state-owned buildings and the closed circuit monitoring system was repaired and updated.

Forensic Laboratories Section

The Forensic Laboratories Section has the responsibility to conduct scientific examinations of evidence submitted by state police personnel and local agencies in support of the state criminal justice system.

The Kentucky State Police, through the Forensic Laboratories Section, provides a vital service to all law enforcement agencies in Kentucky. State Police laboratories are the only forensic laboratories in the state available to police agencies, prosecutors and public defenders. Additionally, with the exception of a few of the larger police departments, the Polygraph Unit provides the only polygraph service in the state. Approximately 68% of the entire workload of the Forensic Laboratory Section was submitted by agencies other than the Kentucky State Police. The Polygraph Unit conducted 694 polygraph examinations.

During 1986, the central and regional laboratories experienced a 10.06% increase in the number of cases received over 1985. A total of 17,471 cases were submitted, analytical work on 17,334 cases was completed and 57,400 pieces of evidence were analyzed. The photo lab printed a total of 338,894 photographs during 1986. This represents a 40% increase over 1985 totals. Approximately 85% of these photographs were used in either civil or criminal court proceedings.

The laboratory personnel spent a total of 1,083 hours providing training to law enforcement personnel and made a total of 897 court appearances. The section personnel received over 5,800 hours of specialized or advanced training in 14 different areas of expertise in an effort to stay current with the ever changing technology.

Supply Section

The Supply Section is responsible for the acquisition, disposal, storage, maintenance and distribution of equipment and supplies necessary for the efficient operation of the agency and for maintaining such records as are necessary to accomplish this objective.

In addition to the various day-to-day routine functions of the Supply Section, the following accomplishments were completed in 1986:

New Vehicles Issued	306
Used Vehicles Reissued	378
Vehicles Sold at Auction	320
Sold to Other Agencies	17
Vehicle General Repairs	840
New Cars Prepped	275
Vehicles Stripped	155

A total of 2,649 requisitions for office supplies and forms were processed and delivered to all state police divisions, branches, posts and sections.

Trooper Island

Trooper Island Boys' Camp was developed by the Kentucky State Police as part of a long-range program designed to create a positive image of law enforcement in Kentucky's youth and to ultimately impact criminal behavior, obedience to traffic laws and to improve citizenship. Established in 1968, the camp provides free camping and educational opportunities for approximately 700 ten-to-twelve year-old boys each year. Each boy is selected by a trooper from his county and given the opportunity to attend camp. The camping program is dedicated toward developing the whole person, building the physical body through nutritious food and exercise, boosting mental capabilities with classroom study and providing spiritual growth through non-denominational chapel services. All of the growth experiences are shared with the troopers, that serve as counselors, bonding the young boys to their new found friends.