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DEPEARTMENT RELEASES 2006 OFFENDER PROFILE

JUNEAU – The Alaska Department of Corrections has released online the 2006 Offender Profile. Because the last published Offender Profile reported data from 2002, the current profile includes data from 2004, 2005, and 2006.

The 2006 Offender Profile, in .pdf form, can be found at: <u>http://www.correct.state.ak.us/corrections/admin/docs/profile2006.pdf</u>

The 67-page 2006 Offender Profile includes demographic information on offenders incarcerated in Alaska, in out-of-state facilities, and in Community Residential Centers (CRCs).

The profile includes statistics which focus on sex offenders, repeat and long-term offenders, and social groups such as seniors, juveniles and Alaska Natives. Other sections include trends and probation and parole.

"Our staff placed a great deal of effort into the compilation of the data in this profile." The commissioner said. "Accurate data and the ability to view trends in our population are paramount as we look ahead and plan our population management, and ensure delivery of the best correctional practices available."

