

**No. of charges
concerning property fraud between 2003 and 2005
(as at 18 April 2006)**

Offence	No. of charges		
	2003	2004	2005
Obtaining pecuniary advantage by deception (s.18, Theft Ordinance, Cap 210)	6	12	-
Conspiracy to defraud (s.159C(6) and 159E, Crimes Ordinance, Cap 200)	36	2	-
False accounting (s.19, Theft Ordinance, Cap 210)	5	-	-
Perverting the course of public justice (Common Law offence)	1	-	-
Obtaining property by deception (s.17, Theft Ordinance, Cap 210)	6	1	2
Using a false instrument (s.73, Crimes Ordinance, Cap 200)	6	3	-
Money laundering (s.25, Organized and Serious Crimes Ordinance, Cap 455)	-	15	-
Conspiracy to steal (s.159C(6), Crimes Ordinance, Cap 200 and s.9, Theft Ordinance, Cap 210)	-	1	-
Procuring entry in certain records by deception (s.18D, Theft Ordinance, Cap 210)	-	9	-
Theft (s.9, Theft Ordinance, Cap 210)	2	7	-
Possessing a false instrument (s.75, Crimes Ordinance, Cap 200)	-	1	-
Fraud (s.16A, Theft Ordinance, Cap 210)	1	-	-
Annual Total	63	51	2
Total	116		

Note

- (1) The above information is provided by Police.
- (2) Information covers the total number of charges involving property fraud offence. Breakdown by detailed category (such as dissemination of misrepresented or false information) is not available.