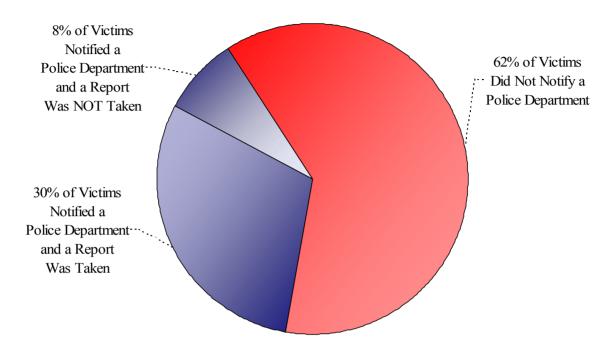


## Law Enforcement Contact<sup>1</sup>

*January 1 – December 31, 2006* 



<sup>1</sup>Percentages are based on the total number of identity theft complaints where victims indicated whether they had notified a police department (233,509). 98% of the identity theft victims who contacted the FTC directly reported law enforcement contact information. Less than one percent of victims who informed the FTC that they had contacted a police department did not indicate if a report was taken.

## Law Enforcement Contact Calendar Years 2004 through 2006

If the victim notified a police department,	CY-2004		CY-2005		CY-2006	
was a report taken?	Complaints	Percentages <sup>2</sup>	Complaints	Percentages <sup>2</sup>	Complaints	Percentages <sup>2</sup>
Yes	73,593	31%	74,613	30%	68,760	30%
No	19,096	8%	21,314	9%	18,484	8%
Not Reported	1,217	<1%	1,207	<1%	1,079	<1%
Total Who Notified a Police Department	93,906	39%	97,134	39%	88,323	38%
Total Who Did Not Notify a Police Department	146,222	61%	148,832	61%	145,186	62%
Total Reporting	240.128		245.966		233,509	
Law Enforcement Contact Information	240,128		243,900		233,309	

<sup>2</sup>Percentages are based on the total number of identity theft complaints where victims indicated whether they had notified a police department: CY-2004 = 240,128; CY-2005 = 245,966; and CY-2006 = 233,509. 98% of identity theft victims who contacted the FTC directly reported law enforcement contact information in CY-2006, as well as in CY-2004 and CY-2005.