

# Human Rights Violation in Turkey

## Summary Table of 2006

### Violations of Right of Life

	Death	Injured
<b>Extrajudicial Executions</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>914</b>
<i>Using Excessive Power in Interference to Public Demonstrations</i>	12	869
<i>Disobey to "Stop Warning" and Violation of authority on arm use by officials</i>	32	45
<b>Unknown Killings/Attacks</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>105</b>
<b>Attacks by Illegal Organizations</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>63</b>
<b>Deaths in Custody</b>	<b>4</b>	-
<b>People, who attacked because of their Beliefs</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>Deaths/Injured People in Prisons</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>Clashes</b>	<b>345</b>	<b>321</b>
<i>Security Force Members</i>	196	274
<i>Armed militants</i>	147	1
<i>Civilians</i>	2	46
<b>Incidents of Landmine and Unidentified Ordinance</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>138</b>
<b>Violence against Children</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>175</b>
<b>Attacks based on honour reasons</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>58</b>
<b>Doubtful Deaths</b>	<b>82</b>	-
<i>Women</i>	32	-
<i>Men</i>	27	-
<i>Children</i>	23	-
<b>Official Negligence and Fault</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>1582</b>
<b>Women, who subjected domestic violence</b>	<b>126</b>	<b>108</b>
<b>Suicide of Police and Gendarmerie and Attempts to Suicide</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>927</b>	<b>3472</b>

### ATTACKS BASED ON HONOUR REASONS

	Death	Injured
<b>Women</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>15</b>
<b>Men</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>30</b>
<b>Children</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>13</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>58</b>

### Violations against Women Rights

	Death	Injured
<b>Numbers of women, who subjected to violence 429</b>	<b>159</b>	<b>212</b>
<i>a- Domestic violence Total: 265</i>	126	108
<i>b-In Social Fields (work place, street, school etc...) Total: 164</i>	33	101
<i>c-Women, who subjected to violence by Security Forces</i>	-	3
<b>Other victims because of domestic violence</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>79</b>

<i>Children: 94</i>	27	28
<i>Men: 136</i>	81	51
<b>Women Suicides (Attempts to Suicide)</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>42</b>
<b>Rape and Sexual Harassment against Women</b>	<b>121</b>	
<i>a-Domestic</i>	7	
<i>b-By Security Forces</i>	-	
<i>c-In Social Fields (work place, street, school etc...)</i>	114	
<b>Doubtful Deaths of Women</b>	<b>42</b>	
<b>Women, who compelled to engage in prostitution</b>	<b>98</b>	

## Violation against Children Rights

	Deaths	Injured
<b>Violence Against Children</b> <i>Total: 343</i>	<b>58</b>	<b>175</b>
<b>Suicides of Children and Attempts to Suicide</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>38</b>
<b>Rape and Sexual Harassment against Children</b>	<b>134</b>	
<i>Domestic Rape</i>	10	
<b>Children, who compelled to engage in prostitution</b>	<b>14</b>	
<b>Doubtful Deaths of Children</b>	<b>23</b>	

## INCIDENTS of LANDMINE and UNIDENTIFIED ORDINANCE

	Death	Injured
<b>Children</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>32</b>
<b>Women</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>5</b>
<b>Men</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>101</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>138</b>

## Violations against Personal Security and Liberty

<b>Person, who taken into custody</b>	<b>5560</b>
<b>Allegations for Disappearances</b>	<b>67</b>
<i>a-Disappearance Allegations in custody</i>	5
<i>c-Other Disappearances</i>	62
<b>Violation of Custody Period</b>	-
<b>Allegation for Sexual Harassment/Rape in Custody</b>	-
<b>Kidnapping, Threat, Compel to Paid Village Guard and Offer for Agency</b>	<b>226</b>
<b>Arrests</b>	<b>1545</b>
<b>House Raids</b>	<b>277</b>
<b>People, who attacked</b>	<b>52</b>
<i>Journalists</i>	29
<i>Members and Executives of Political Party</i>	7
<i>Members and Executives of Syndicate and Association</i>	6
<i>Local Executives</i>	10

## Allegations for Torture and Ill-treatments

<b>Allegations of Torture, Ill-treatments and Sexual Harassments in Custody</b>	<b>179</b>
<i>a-By Gendarmerie</i>	39
<i>b-By Officers of Security Directorate (Police)</i> <i>(Children: 26)</i>	140
<b>Torture and Ill-treatments in Unofficial Detention Places</b>	<b>261</b>
<i>a-By Gendarmerie(Children:4)</i>	49
<i>b- Officers of Security Directorate (Children:16)</i>	212
<b>Torture and Ill-treatments by Temporary Village Guard</b> <i>(Children:6)</i>	<b>28</b>
<b>Torture and Ill-treatments in Prisons</b>	<b>173</b>
<b>Torture and Ill-treatments in Institutions of Education, Care and Health</b> <i>(Violence in School:43)</i>	<b>67</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>708</b>

<b>Concluded Torture Trials</b> <i>1Person was acquitted in one case. Decision of lack of jurisdiction was made in one case. A case resulted as lack of jurisdiction. In one case 26 years and 8 months were given as a total punishment.</i>	<b>4</b>
<b>Trials that going on</b>	<b>11</b>
<b>Launched Torture Trials</b>	<b>1</b>

### Violations in Prisons

<b>1-Violations of Right of Health</b>	<b>44</b>
<b>2-Arbitrary and Ill-treatments</b>	<b>491</b>
<b>3-Violations of Sending to Medical</b>	<b>88</b>
<b>4-Violations of Right of Communication</b>	<b>615</b>
<b>5-Preventing meetings with Lawyers</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>6-Disciplinary Punishments</b>	<b>1525</b>
<i>a-Cell Punishments</i>	57
<i>b-Ban on Family Interview</i>	588
<i>c-Prohibitions on Publish</i>	391
<i>d-Prohibitions on Social Activities</i>	489
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>2764</b>

### Violations against Freedoms of Opinion-Expression and Belief

<b>I. Launched Investigations</b>	
<i>a-Numbers of Investigations</i>	<b>113</b>
<i>b. Numbers of people, who are under investigations</i>	<b>430</b>

	<b>Numbers of Court Cases</b>	<b>Numbers of People</b>
<b>II. Numbers of Launched Court Cases</b>	<b>107</b>	<b>513</b>
<b>III. Numbers of Resulted Court Cases</b>	<b>144</b>	<b>330</b>
<i>a. Acquittals</i>	41	99
<i>b. Dropped cases</i>	5	5
<i>c. Sentences</i>	98	226

<i>Distribution of Sentences</i>		
<i>Anti-Terror Law- Article 7</i>	9	17
<i>(Turkish Penal Code)TPC 301</i>	10	12
<i>TPC 125</i>	2	2
<i>TPC 314</i>	2	4
<i>TPC 215</i>	25	37
<i>TPC 222</i>	2	2
<i>Insult against Atatürk</i>	1	1
<i>Former TPC 169</i>	2	10
<i>Public Wrongs Law</i>	1	2
<i>Press Law numbered 5187</i>	5	3
<i>TPC 220</i>	8	36
<i>Insistence on Disobey for Order</i>	1	1
<i>Other cases</i>	22	63

### **Violations against Freedom of Beliefs**

	<b>Persons</b>
<b>Victims based on their beliefs</b>	<b>20</b>
<b>People Killed based on their beliefs</b>	<b>3</b>

### **Publications Banned and Seized**

	<b>Numbers</b>
<b>Seized Publications (posters, books, novels etc...)</b>	<b>22</b>
<b>Banned Activities</b>	<b>25</b>
<b>Attacked Publication Companies</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>Blocked Internet Sites</b>	<b>1</b>

### **Decisions by RTÜK (High Council for Radio and TV)**

	<b>Numbers</b>
<b>Warning gives for radio and TV Channels</b>	<b>5*</b>
<b>Radio and TV Channels that banned from broadcasting</b>	<b>2</b>

\*5 Warnings given to the same

### **Violations against Freedom of Association**

<b>Institutions that attacked by Security Forces</b>	<b>48</b>
<b>Trials to close down Institutions</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>Institutions that closed down by Administrative Decision</b>	<b>4</b>
<b>Attacked Institutions</b>	<b>36</b>

### **Violations against Freedoms of Meeting and Demonstration**

<b>Suspended /Banned Meeting s and Demonstrations</b>	<b>48</b>
<b>Meetings and Demonstrations that interfered by Security Forces</b>	<b>179</b>
<b>Attacked Meetings and Demonstrations</b>	<b>12</b>
<b>Opposing to Article 2911</b>	
<i>a. Numbers of launched Investigations</i>	<b>30</b>
<i>b. Numbers of person against whom trials launched</i>	<b>687</b>

	<b>Numbers of Case</b>	<b>Numbers of People</b>
<b>Launched Cases</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>534</b>
<b>Resulted Cases</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>205</b>
<i>a. Acquittals</i>	5	27
<i>b. Sentences</i>	14	178

### **Violations against Economic, Social and Cultural Rights**

<b>Violations of Right of Social Security</b>	<b>240</b>
<b>People, who thrown out of works</b>	<b>3876</b>
<b>Relegated People</b>	<b>598</b>
<b>Violations of Profession Health and Security</b>	<b>533</b>
<i>Deaths</i>	123
<i>Injured</i>	410
<b>Violations of Establishing Syndicate and Membership</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>People, who subjected to Oppression because of being member of a Syndicate</b>	<b>165</b>
<b>Violations of Rights of House</b>	<b>170</b>
<b>Ban on Feeding Ground and Grass</b>	<b>11</b>
<b>Village Evacuations</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>Fires of Forest and Land</b>	<b>18</b>
<b>Violations of Right of Health</b>	<b>465</b>
<b>Violations of Right of Fundamental Education</b>	<b>498</b>
<b>Students, who subjected to investigations</b>	<b>521</b>
<b>Students, who suspended from Schools (University)</b>	<b>258</b>
<b>Students, who got censure punishment</b>	<b>6</b>
<b>Dismissed Students</b>	<b>99</b>
<b>Violations of Cultural Rights</b>	<b>10</b>

### **Violations against Rights of Disabled People**

<b>Violation of Right of Health</b>	<b>12</b>
<b>People, whose right of education was violated</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>Violations of Right of Work</b>	<b>11</b>
<b>Rapes/Sexual Harassments against Disabled People</b>	<b>6</b>
<b>Suicide and Attempts to Suicide by Disabled People</b>	<b>4</b>
<i>Deaths</i>	3
<i>Injured</i>	1
<b>Discrimination against Disabled People</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>Violations of Economic/Social Rights of Disabled People</b>	<b>5</b>
<b>Violence against Disabled People</b>	<b>15</b>
<i>Deaths</i>	5
<i>Injured</i>	2
<i>Other</i>	8

### **Violations against Asylum Seekers and Immigrants**

<b>Deaths</b>	<b>56</b>
<b>People, who attacked by Security Forces</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>People, who taken into Custody</b>	<b>2684</b>
<b>People, who deported</b>	<b>536</b>

### **Negligence because of Individual Arms**

	<b>Deaths</b>	<b>Injured</b>
<b>Children</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>48</b>
<b>Women</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>17</b>
<b>Men</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>28</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>90</b>

Note: Data in the Balance Sheet reached through applications for Human Rights Association (IHD), findings by IHD's Branches and Scanning of Newspapers