

The demand and supply of departmental quarters of the various disciplined services are as follows:

	As at January 2000		As at January 2003	
	Supply of quarters	Number of eligible applicants*	Supply of quarters	Number of eligible applicants*
Hong Kong Police Force	12 237	13 639	12 259	13 525
Fire Services Department	3 928	4 698	4 014	4 881
Correctional Services Department	2 466	2 958	2 340	3 486
Immigration Department	1 243	1 755	1 366	1 742
Customs and Excise Department	1 493	1 843	1 564	2 055
Government Flying Service	88	92	89	96
Total	21 455	24 985	21 632	25 785

* The number of eligible applicants includes those who are already accommodated in quarters and can apply for transfer to other quarters.