

WHAT THE NUMBERS SAY

I. Analysis of NCRB data related to children arrested for crimes in 2013

1. In 2013, children constituted 1.1% (38756) of all persons arrested under IPC crimes (35,23,577) (NCRB 2013).¹
2. In 2013, children constituted 3.09% (3304) of all persons arrested for rape and murder (106928²) (NCRB 2013).
3. In 2013, 0.1% (3304) of all arrests made under IPC crimes (3523577) were children arrested for rape and murder.

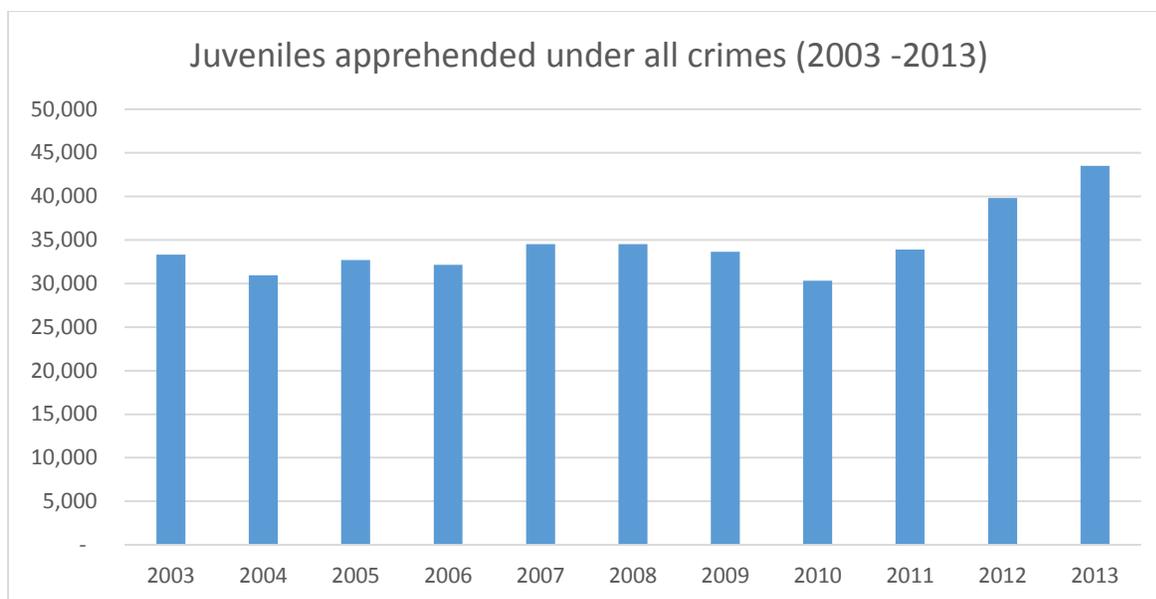
If the government goes ahead with this amendment, what they're saying is that they cannot even make an effort to rehabilitate as few as the 3304 children which is the number of children arrested for rape and murder in 2013, in a country that's over a billion people strong.

II. Comparative analysis of increase in arrests of children under IPC and SLL crimes over a decade (2003-2013)

Juveniles apprehended under IPC & SLL crimes 2003-2013	
	No.
2003	33,320
2004	30,943
2005	32,681
2006	32,145
2007	34,527
2008	34,507
2009	33,642
2010	30,303
2011	33,887
2012	39,822
2013	43,506

¹ <http://ncrb.gov.in/CD-CII2013/CII13-TABLES/Table%2012.8.pdf>

² <http://ncrb.gov.in/CD-CII2013/CII13-TABLES/Table%2012.8.pdf> (Murder Sec 302)= 64813 + Rape Sec 376= 42115)



III. Comparative analysis of children arrested for crimes against population: In order to make an accurate comparison to the population, NCRB data for 2011 is compared to Census data in 2011.

1. **Comparison of arrests made under Indian Penal Code (IPC) against population in 2011.**
 - A. In 2011, out of every million Indians, the number of 16-18 year olds that were arrested under Sec 302 and Sec 376 was just 1.³
 - B. In 2011, out of every million children, the number of 16-18 year olds that were arrested under Sec 302 and Sec 376 of IPC were just 3.⁴
2. **Comparison of arrests made under Indian Penal Code (IPC) and Special Laws (SLL) taken together, against population**
 - A. Of all children in 2011, only 0.007% were arrested for any type of crime.⁵
 - B. Of all 16-18 year olds, in 2011 only 0.0027% were arrested for any crime⁶.
 - C. On the other hand of all 19+ year olds in 2011, 1.0005% were arrested for any crime (which is 143 times the number of children and 35 times the 16-18 year olds arrested for any crime).

³ Murder= 781, Rape=839 (<http://ncrb.nic.in/CD-CII2011/cii-2011/Table%2010.8.pdf>)

Census Population 2011 = 1,210,854,977

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(0-18)Census Population 2011 = 472,111,477

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Individuals arrested below 18 years under IPC(30766) & SLL (3121)crimes = 33,887 (<http://ncrb.nic.in/CD-CII2011/cii-2011/Table%2012.8.pdf>)

⁶ (16-18yr) Census Population 2011 =73,767,907

Total no. of persons between 16-18 years arrested =21,657 (IPC =19840 SLL = 1817)

- D. In 2011, there were just 1620⁷ arrests of children between 16-18 years for crimes committed under sec 302 and sec 376 of IPC.
- E. Of all arrests under sec 302 and sec 376 of IPC in 2011, only 1.6% were 16-18 year olds and just 2.4% were below the age of 18⁸.

⁷ Persons arrested under murder and Rape between 16-18 years -Murder=781 Rape =839 (<http://ncrb.nic.in/CD-CII2011/cii-2011/Table%2010.8.pdf>)

⁸ Persons arrested for murder and rape in 2011 =99471 (70593 + 28878)

Persons arrested for murder and rape below 18 years =2399 (<http://ncrb.nic.in/CD-CII2011/cii-2011/Table%2012.8.pdf>)

Persons arrested for murder and rape between 16-18 yrs =1620 (<http://ncrb.nic.in/CD-CII2011/cii-2011/Table%2010.8.pdf>)