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## MEMORANDUM

TO: Interested Parties

FROM: Susan W. Shaffer

DATE: September 13, 2007

RE: August 2007 Drug Test Statistics (Adult Arrestees)

Drug testing of adult arrestees for August 2007 revealed a decrease in the levels of substance abuse detected for cocaine, PCP and amphetamines, which were down 1% each from July, to 37%, 9% and 3%, respectively. The level of substance abuse detected for opiates remained the same as the previous month at 10%.

The overall number of adult arrestees testing positive for at least one drug was 1,019 of the 2,161 screened, or 47% -- down 3% from the previous month.

The breakdown of August 2007 test results is as follows:

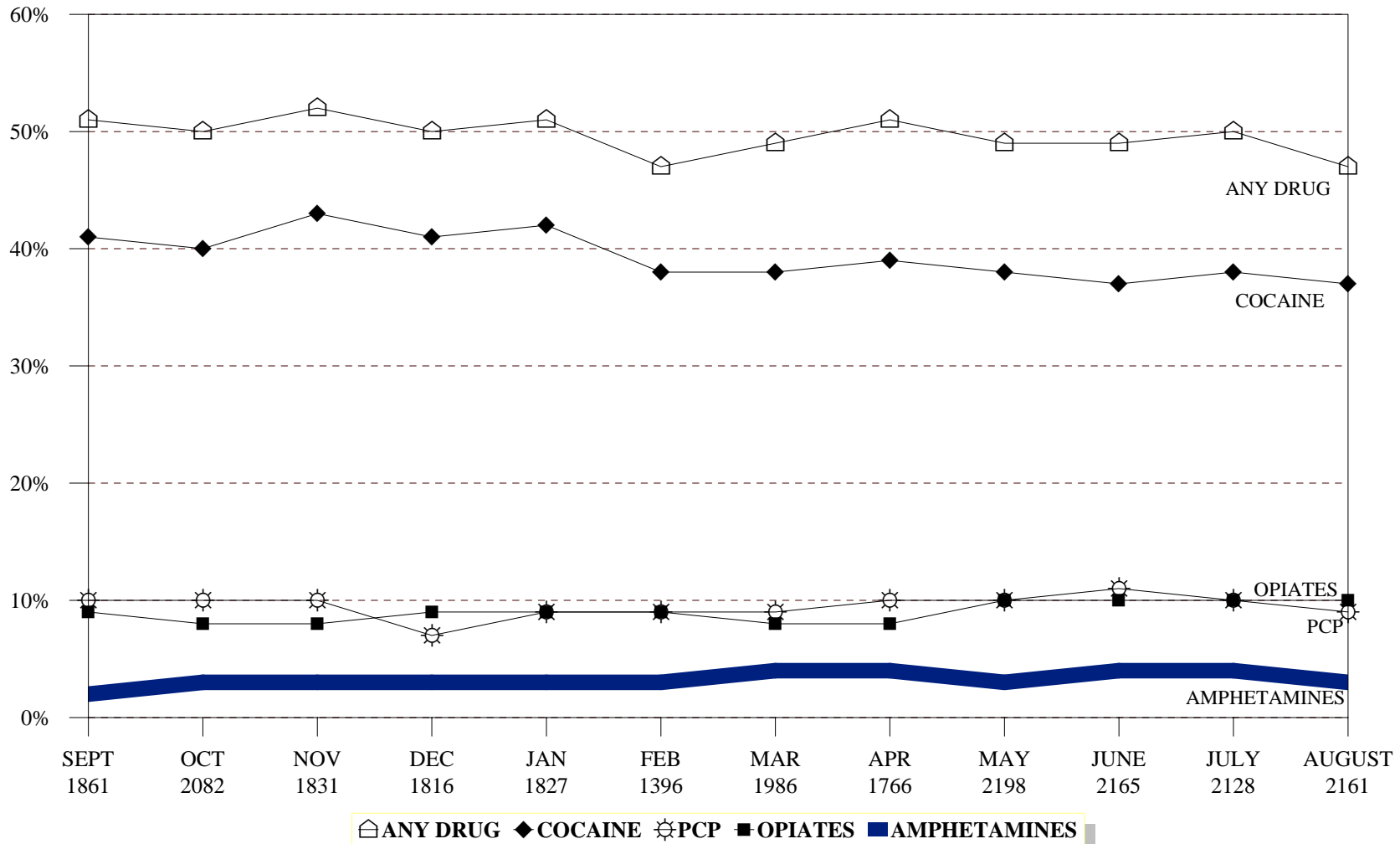
Total positive for PCP	--	190 (9% of those tested, 19% of all positive)
Total positive for Opiates	--	211 (10% of those tested, 21% of all positive)
Total positive for Cocaine	--	807 (37% of those tested, 79% of all positive)
Total positive for Amphetamines	--	73 (3% of those tested, 7% of all positive)

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# DRUG TESTING OF ADULT ARRESTEES

## September 2006 - August 2007



The D.C. Pretrial Services Agency resumed reporting on amphetamines in August 2006.