



Presentation of February 2025

Human Rights Dashboard

Introduction

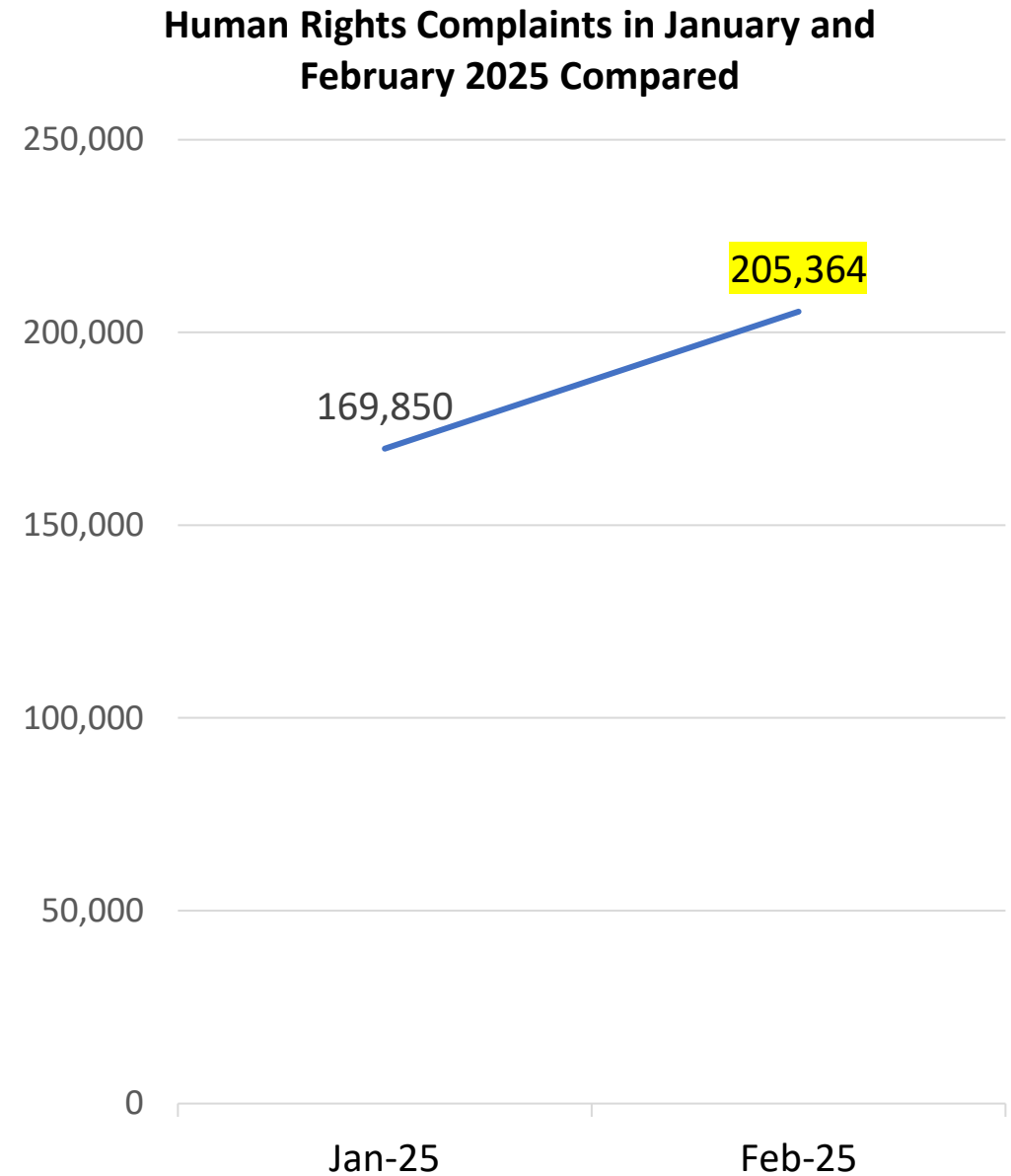
- NHRC has the mandate to promote and protect human rights in Nigeria.
- NHRC has the powers to monitor, investigate and report human rights violations in Nigeria.
- Since January 2024, NHRC in partnership with UNDP, OHCHR and GANHRI has produced monthly dashboard on human rights situation.
- The Dashboards contain data from complaints lodged at the NHRC 38 offices across Nigeria and human rights violations monitored through NHRC Human Rights Observatory.

General Human Rights Situation

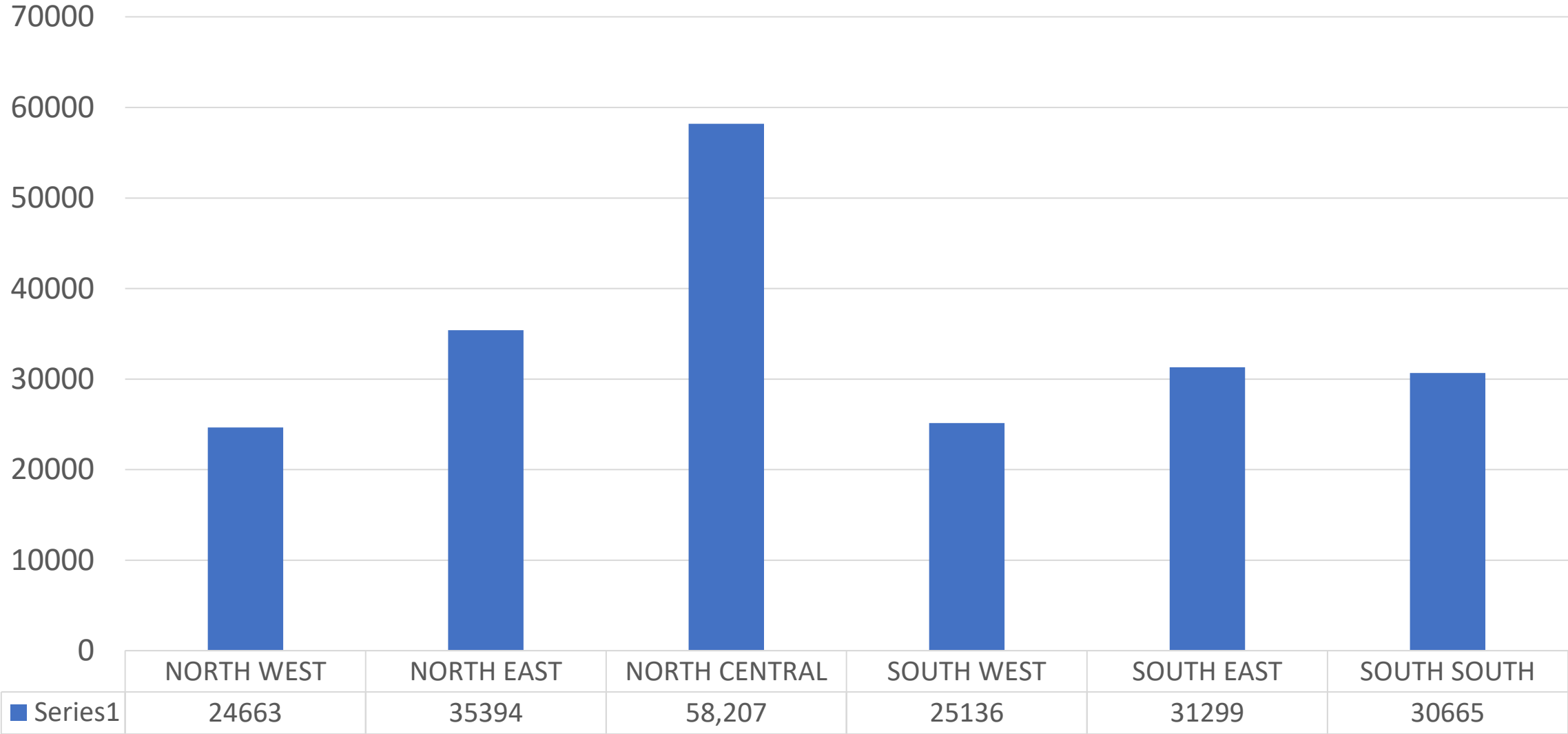
- Human rights complaints to the NHRC continue to be on the high.
- Mass killings and abductions in the North West and North Central
- Cult-related killings
- Inter and Intra communal violence
- Extra-judicial killings by the Police and the Armed Forces
- The resurgence of Boko Haram related attacks
- Increased in rape

NHRC February 2025 Human Rights Complaints

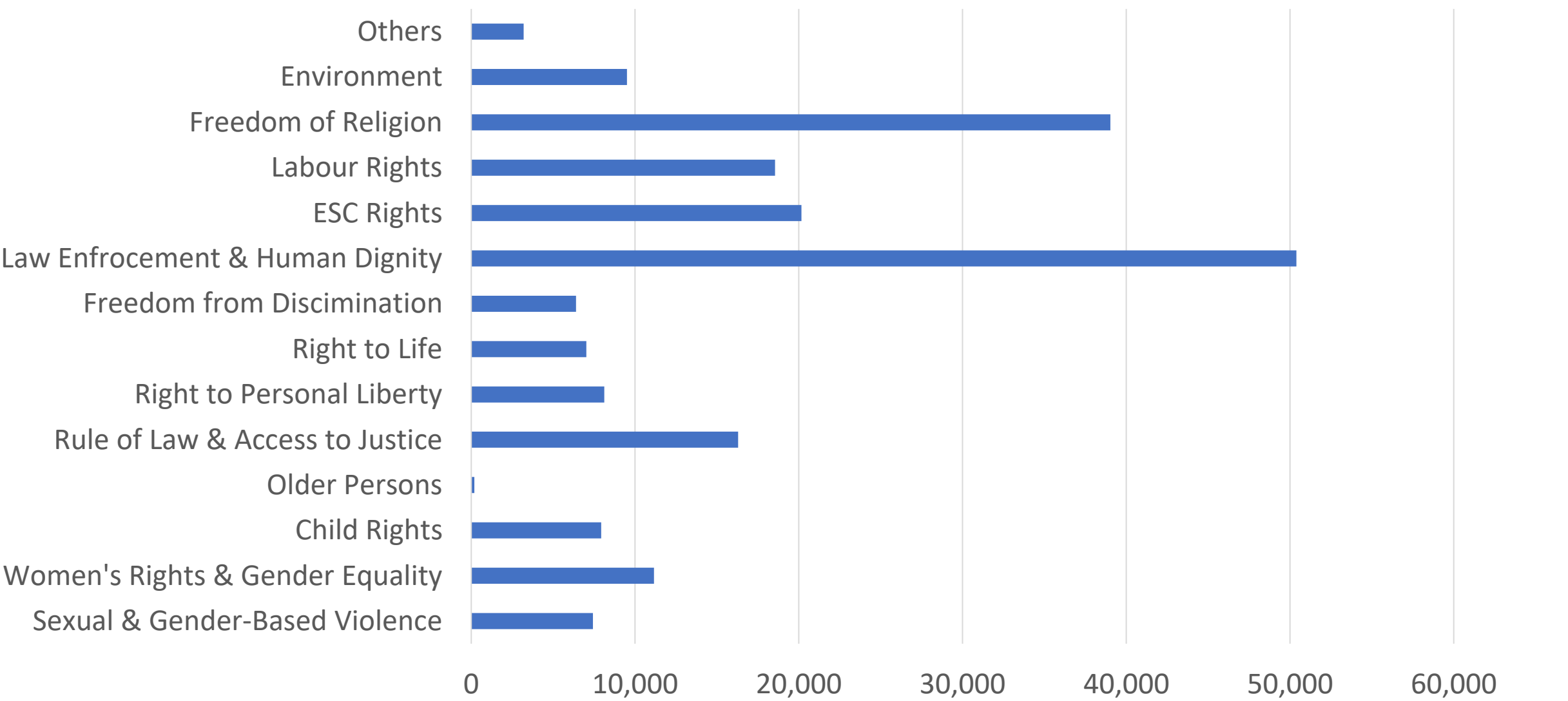
- Total Number of Complaints: **205,364**
 - An increase of 25% compared to January 2025



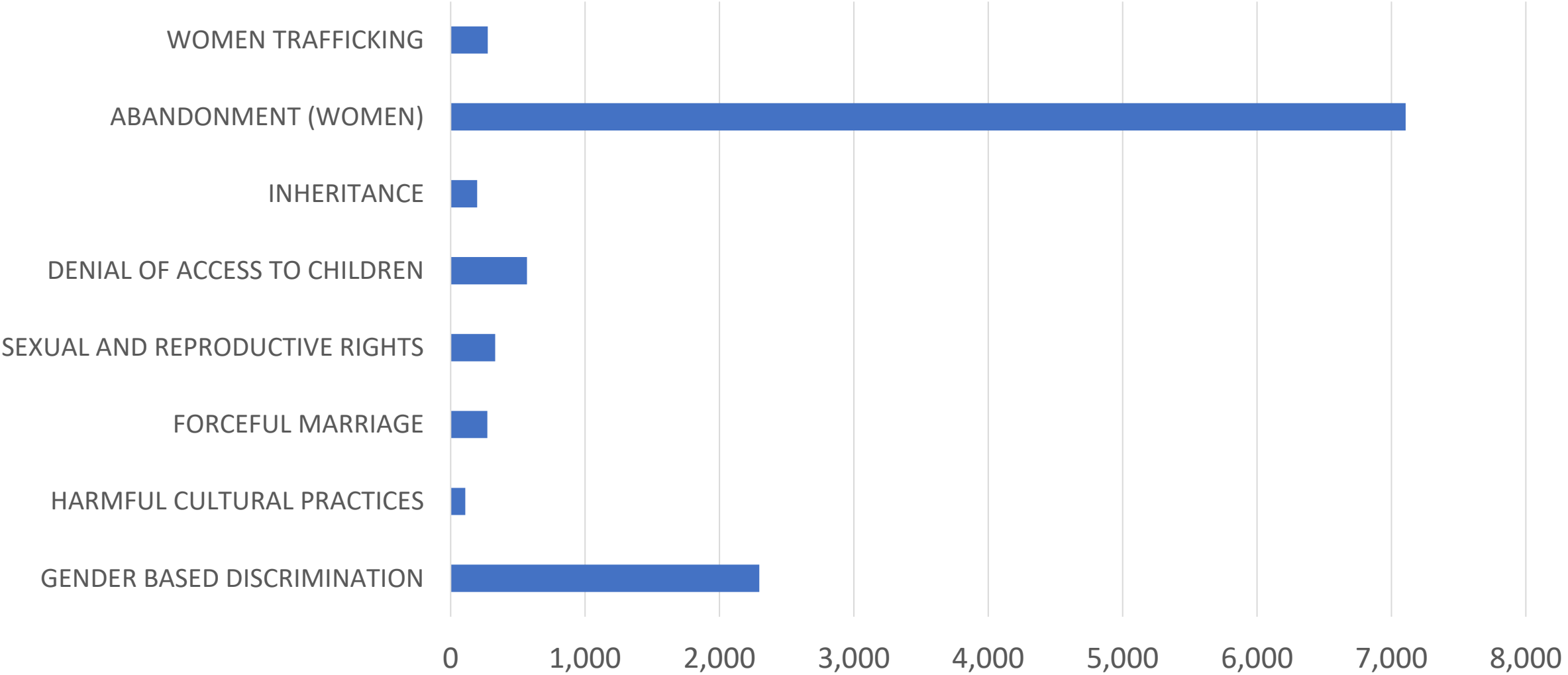
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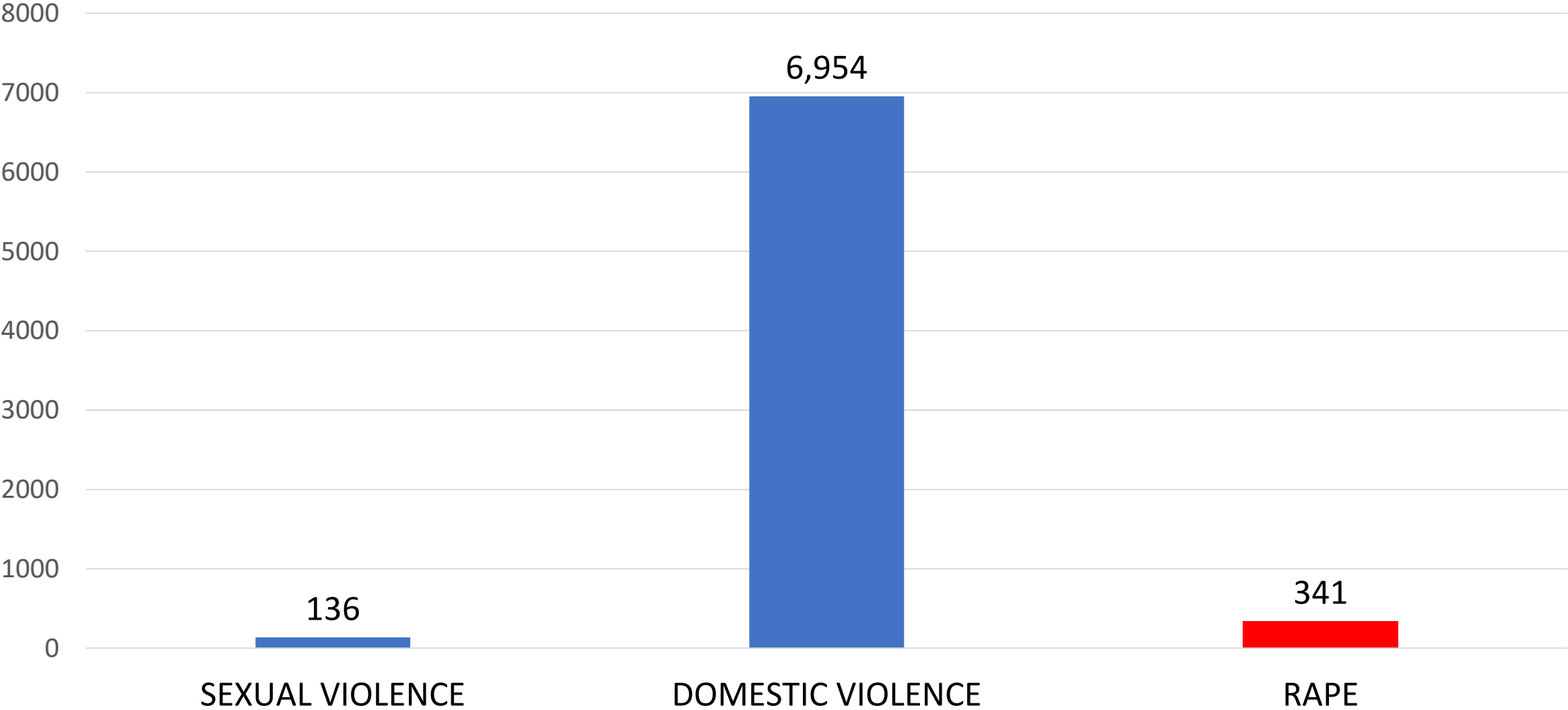
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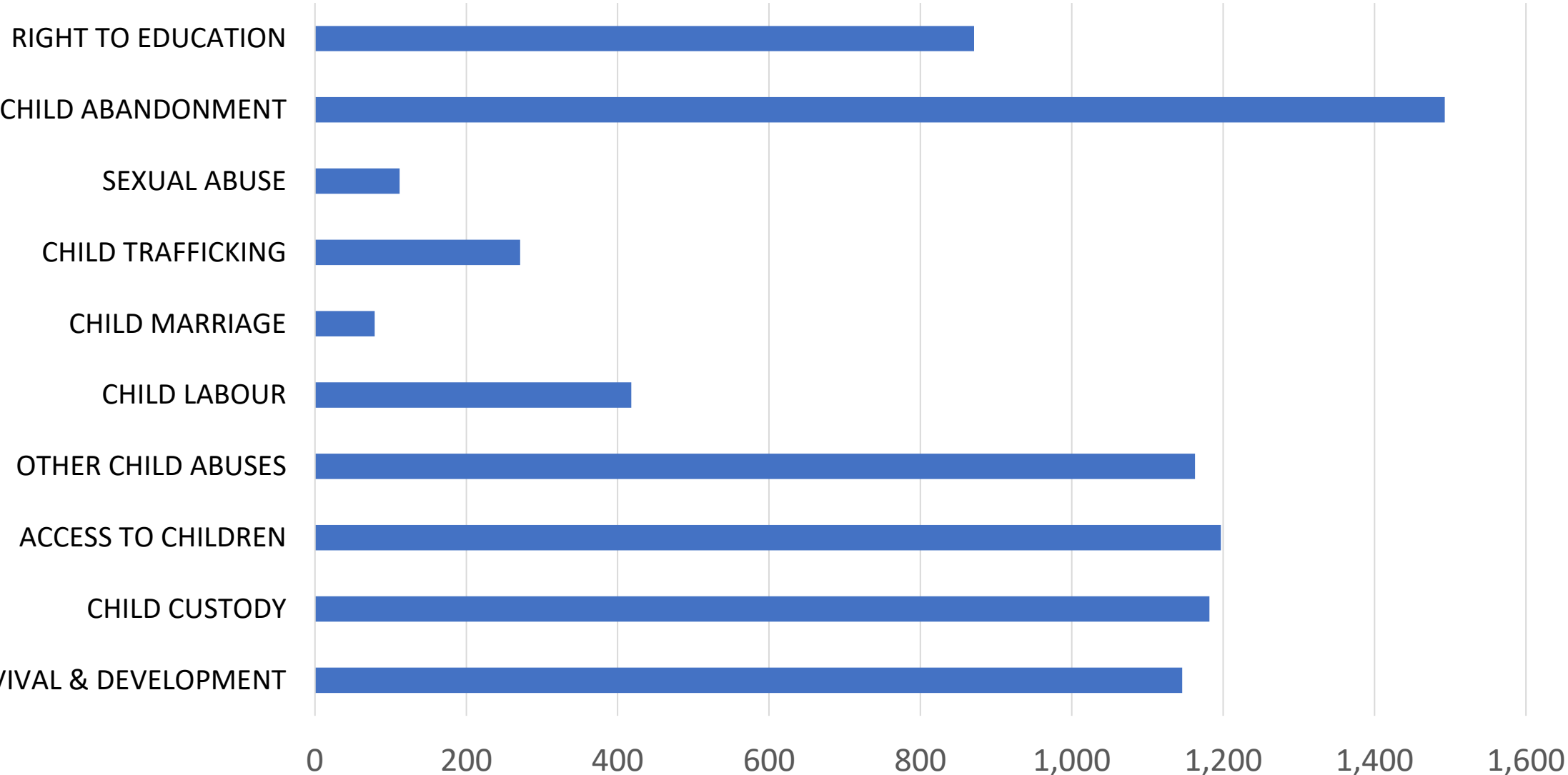
February 2025 Violation of Womens' Rights



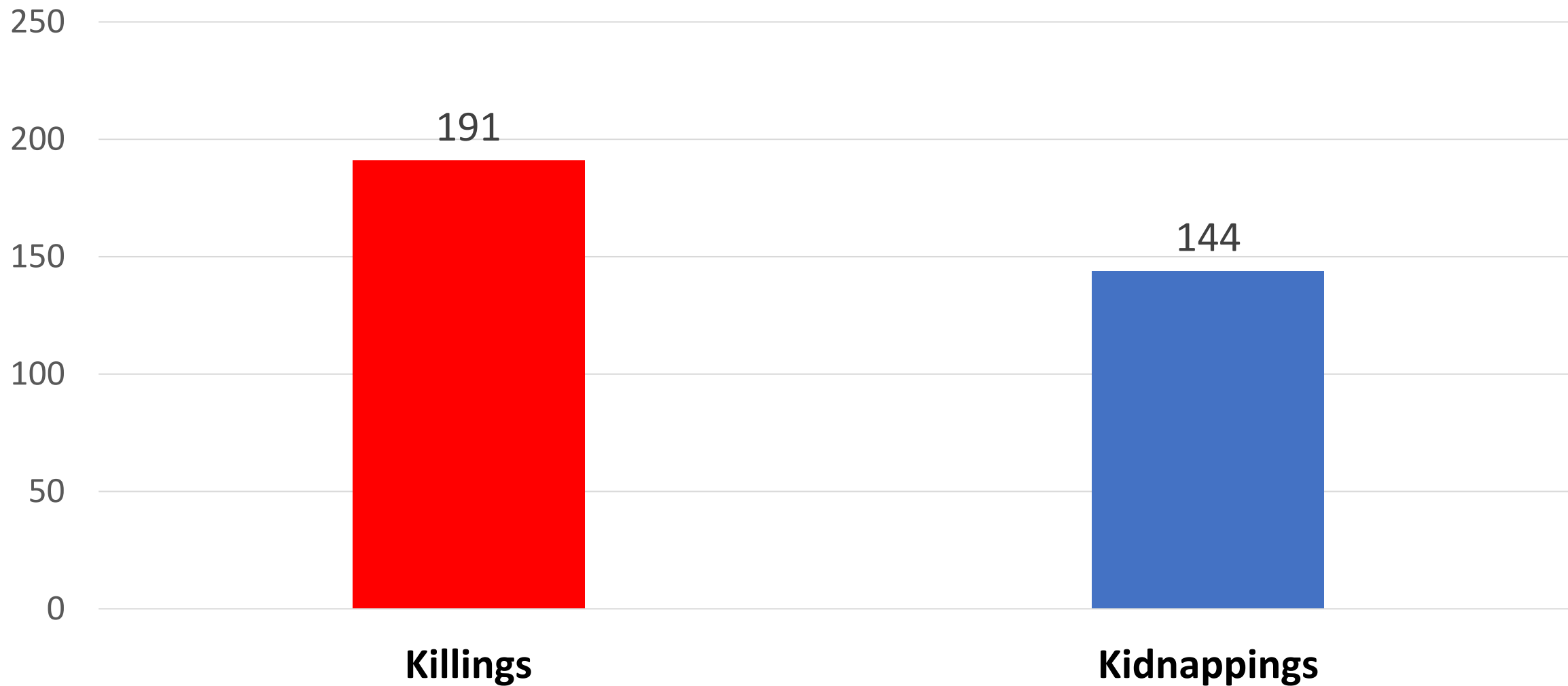
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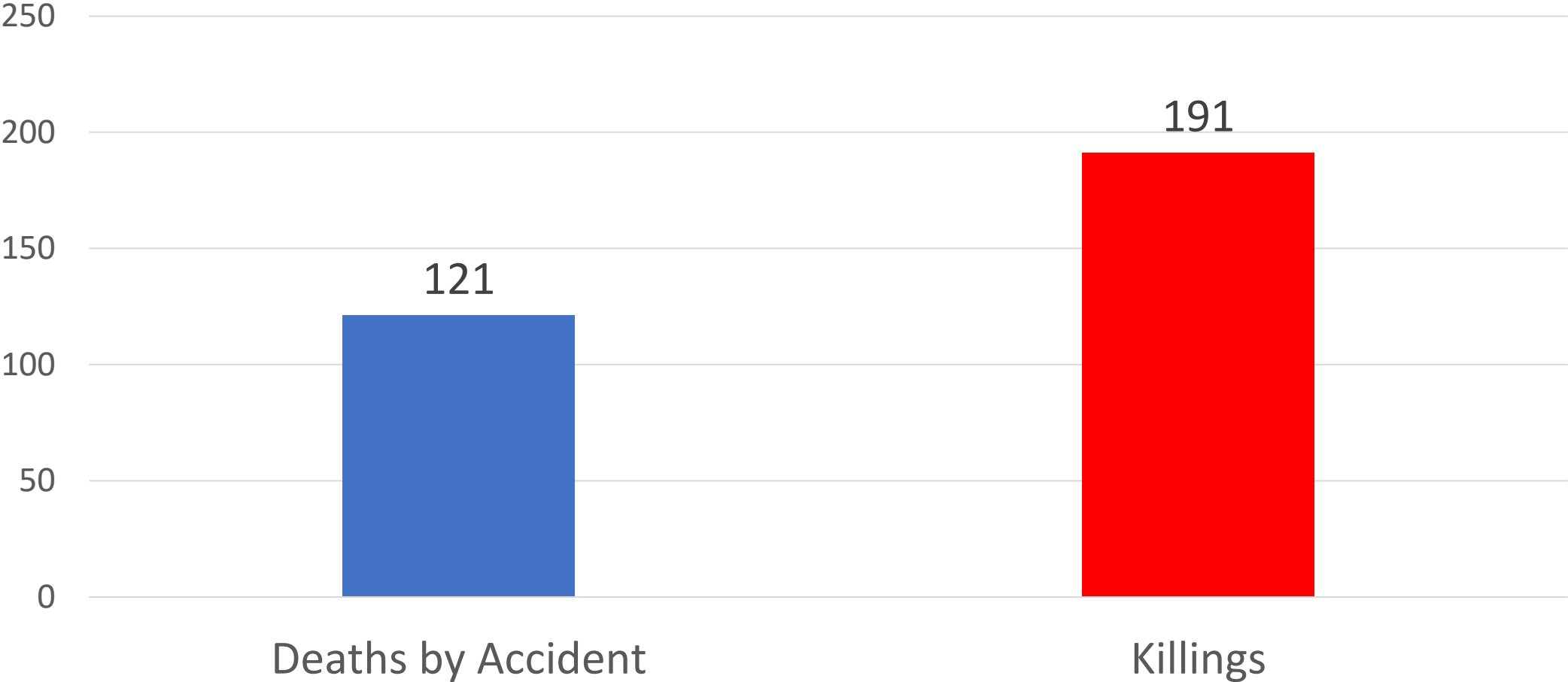
February 2025 Violations of Child Rights



Killings and Kidnappings February 2025



Deaths in February 2025



Issues in Focus

Rise in Suicide cases

- 2 Police officers
- 3 students

Cultism

- 5 Killed in Port Harcourt
- 4 Killed in Markurdi

Deaths by Accidents

- 121 Deaths by vehicle related accidents in February

Extra-judicial killings

- Military strike killed 6 family members in Katsina
- Policeman killed a civilian in Omagwa, Rivers state.

Attacks on Academic Communities

• Abduction

- 3 students of Federal University of Agriculture, Akure
- 4 female students of JS Tarka University, Markurdi

• Killings:

- 16 children killed in Islamic school in Zamfara
- Student of Rufus Giwa Polytechnic, Owo
- Student of Federal University of Education, Zaria
- Graduate of M.I Okpara University of Agriculture

Communal Clashes/Killings

- Ebonyi – 20
- Nasarawa– 2
- Cross River- 23

Developments in Human Rights Law and Policy

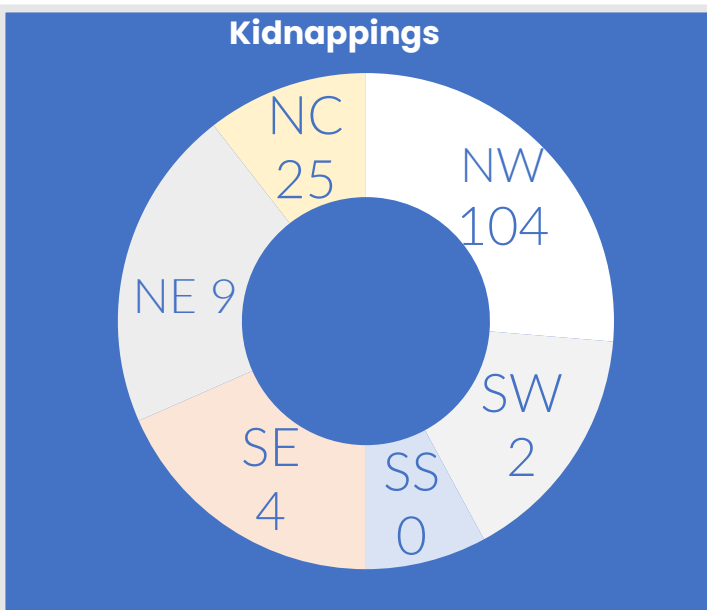
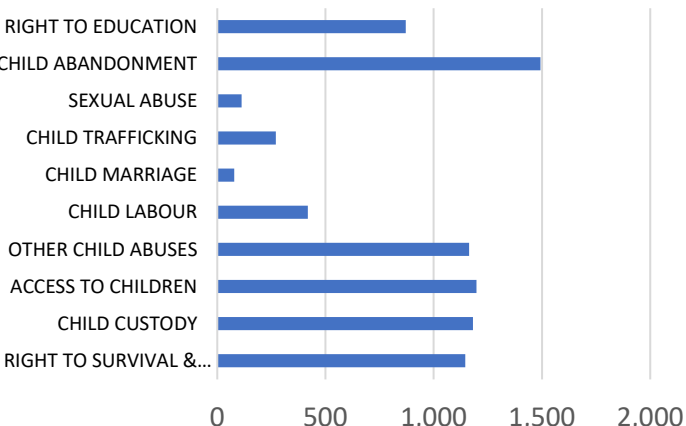
- Edo State Secret Cult and Similar Activities (Prohibition) Law 2025,
- Anambra Homeland Security Law 2025, and the Edo State Kidnapping Prohibition Law 2025.
- Proposed death penalty for drug offences by NAFDAC



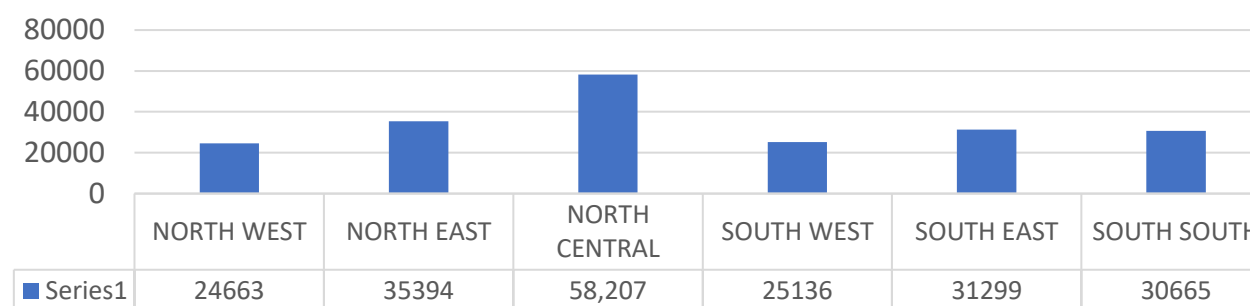
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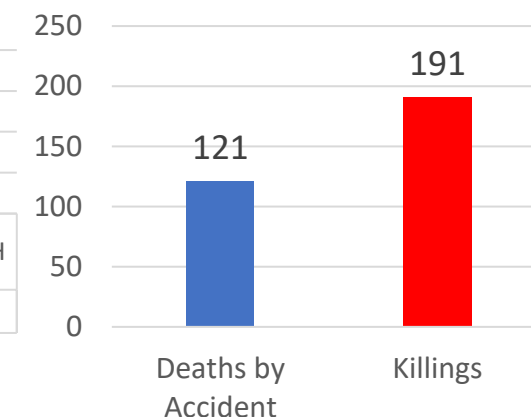
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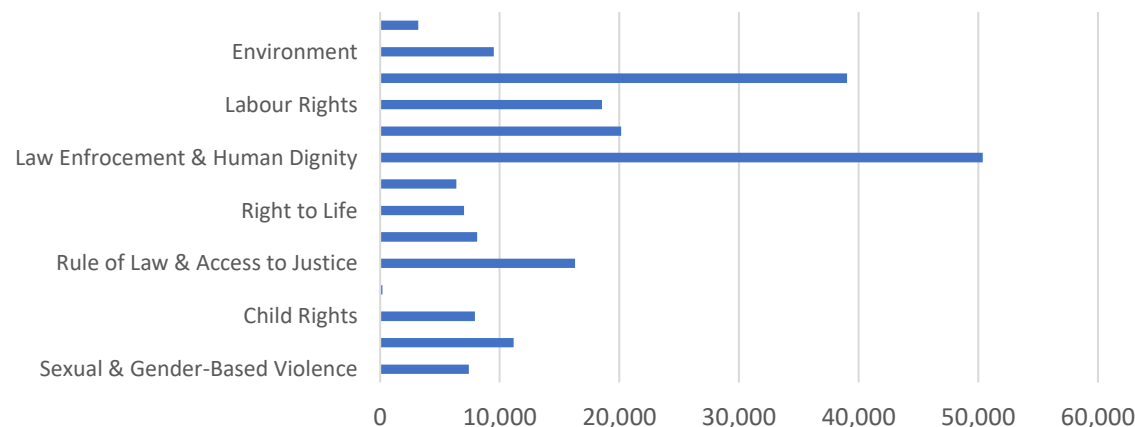
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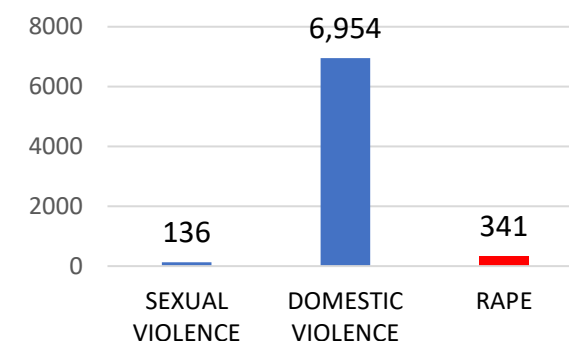
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