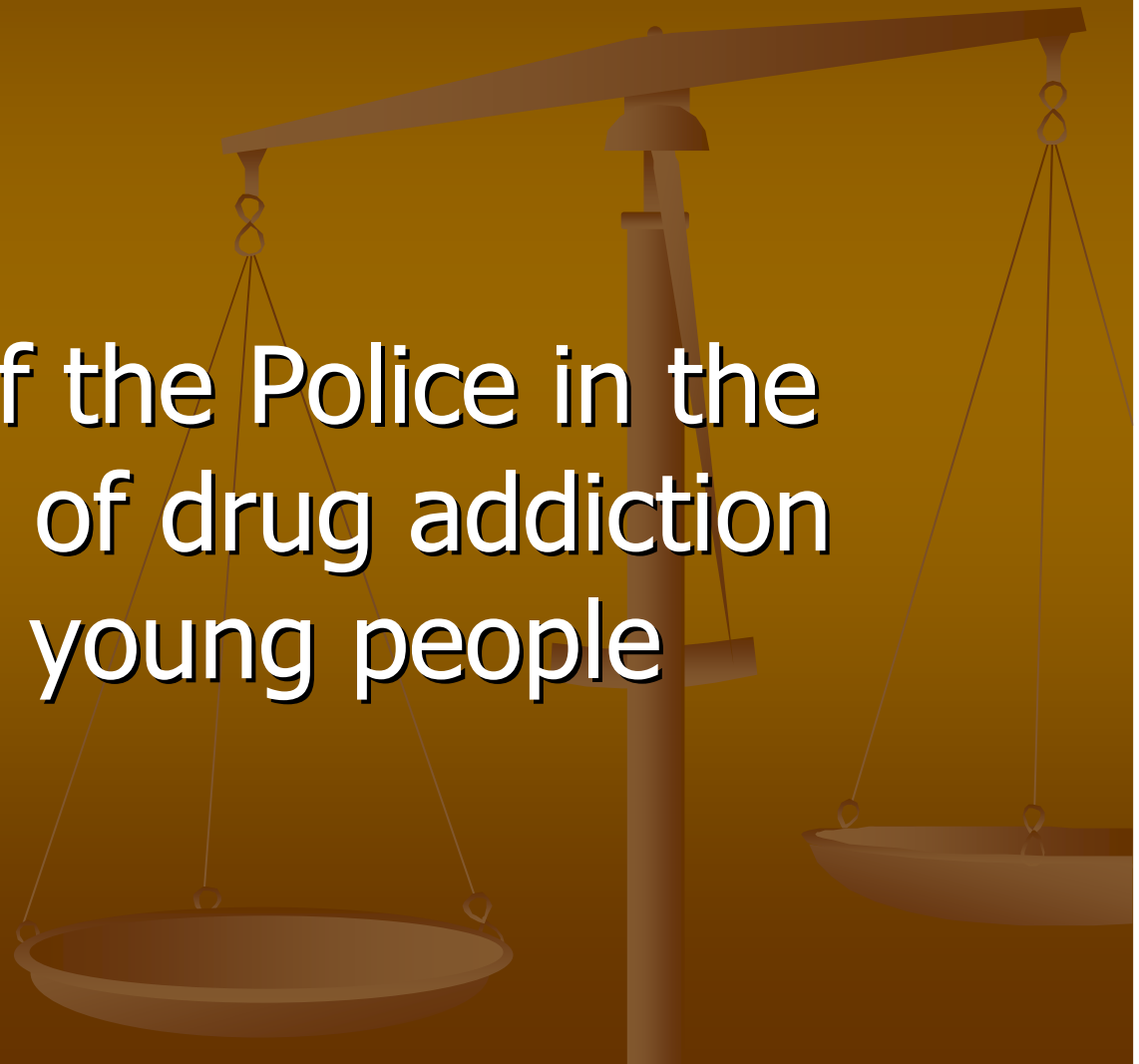
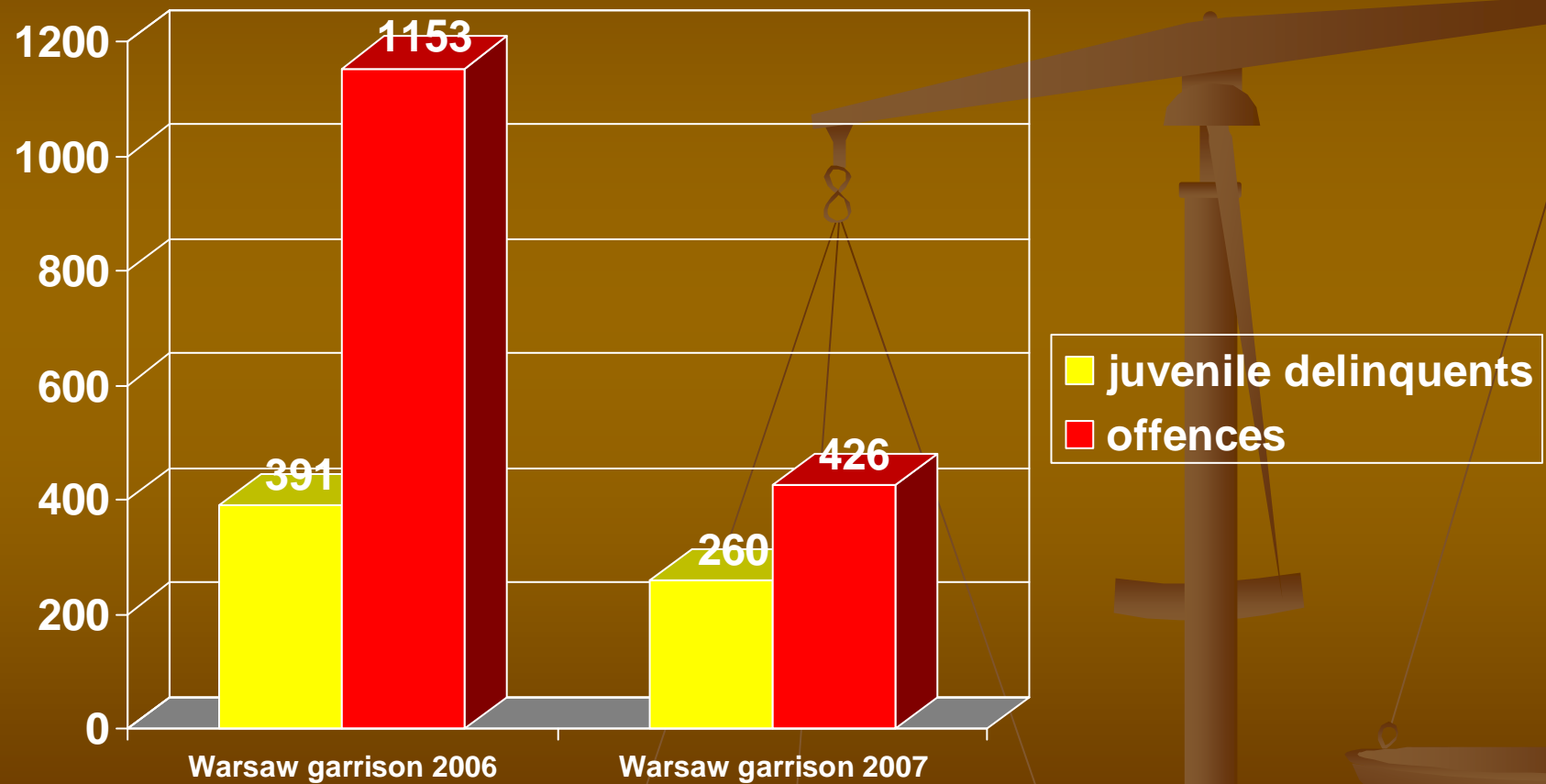




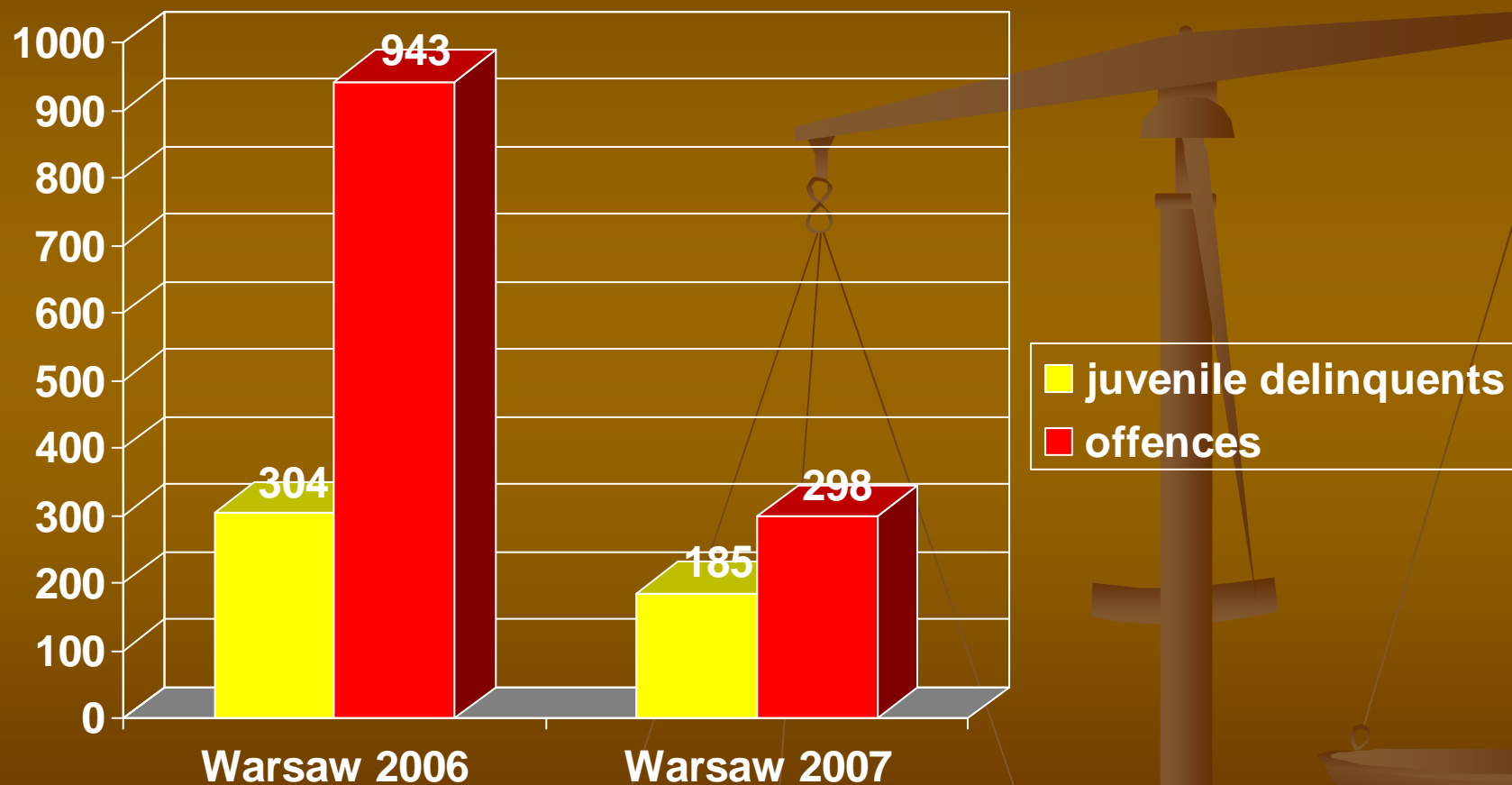
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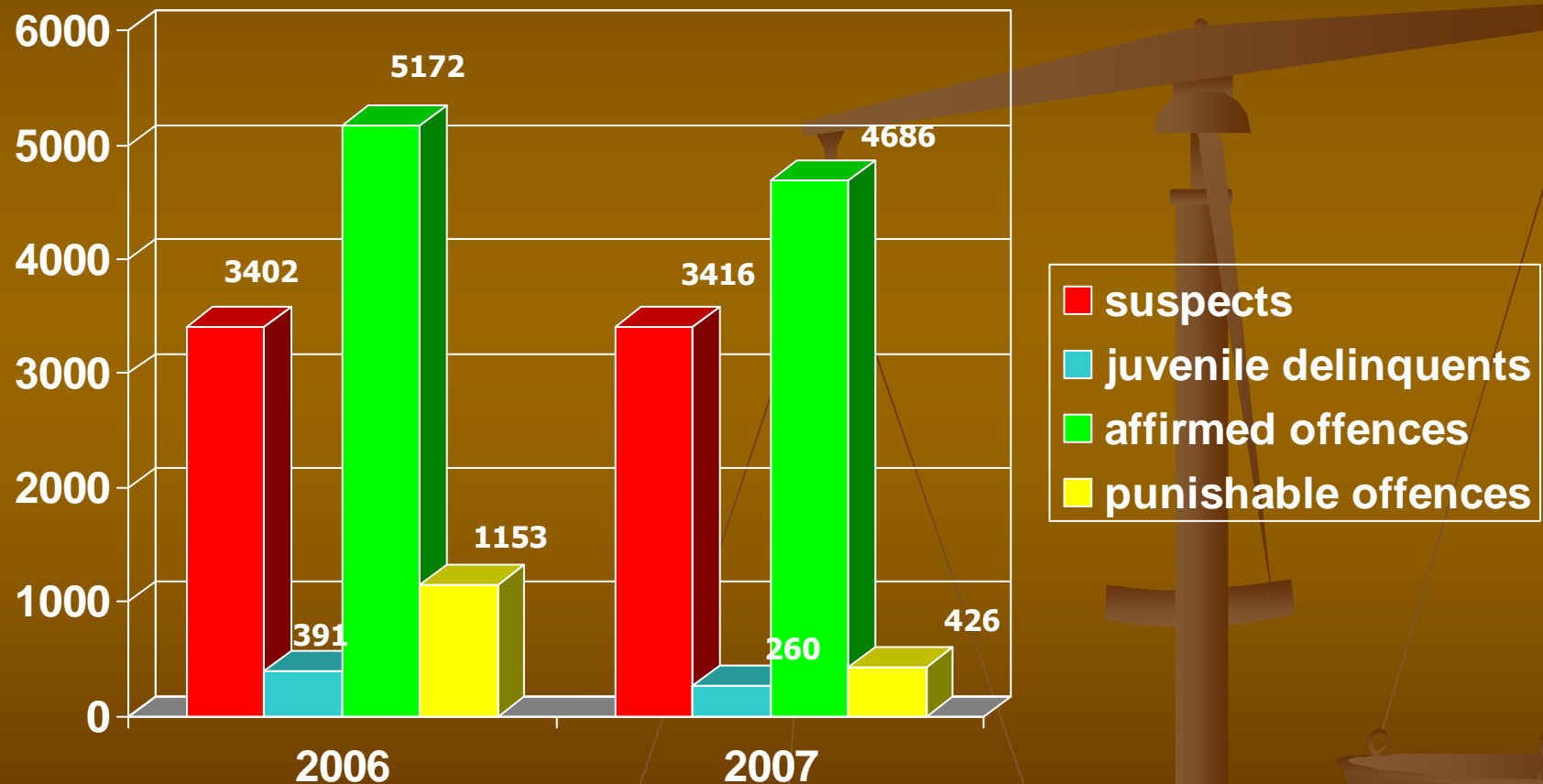
Juvenile delinquents and their offences covered in the Act on Counteracting Drug Addiction



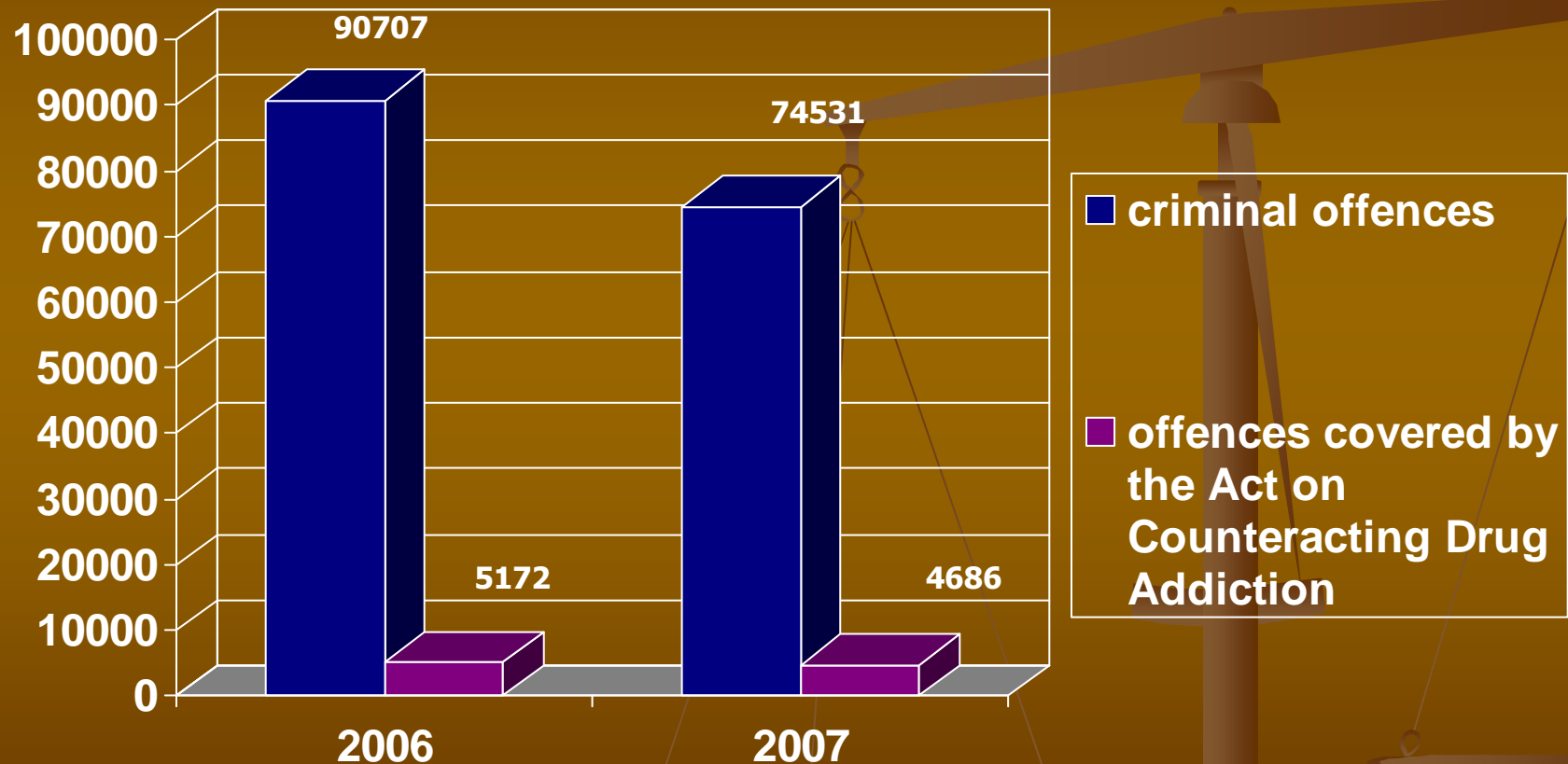
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Suspects and juvenile delinquents

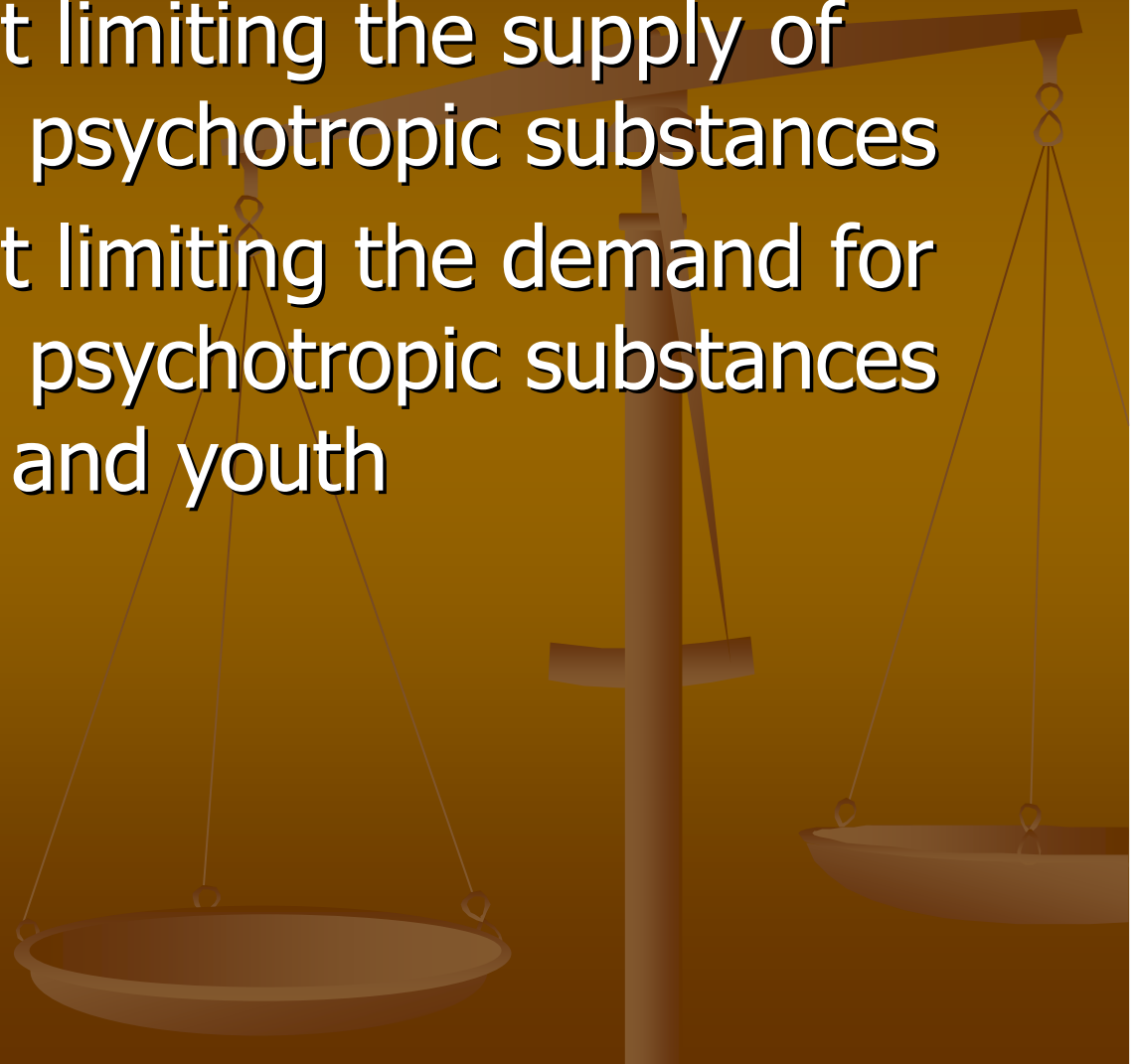


Share of the offences covered in the Act on Counteracting Drug Addiction within the total number of criminal offences



Main lines of action of the Police

- Actions aimed at limiting the supply of intoxicating and psychotropic substances
- Actions aimed at limiting the demand for intoxicating and psychotropic substances among children and youth

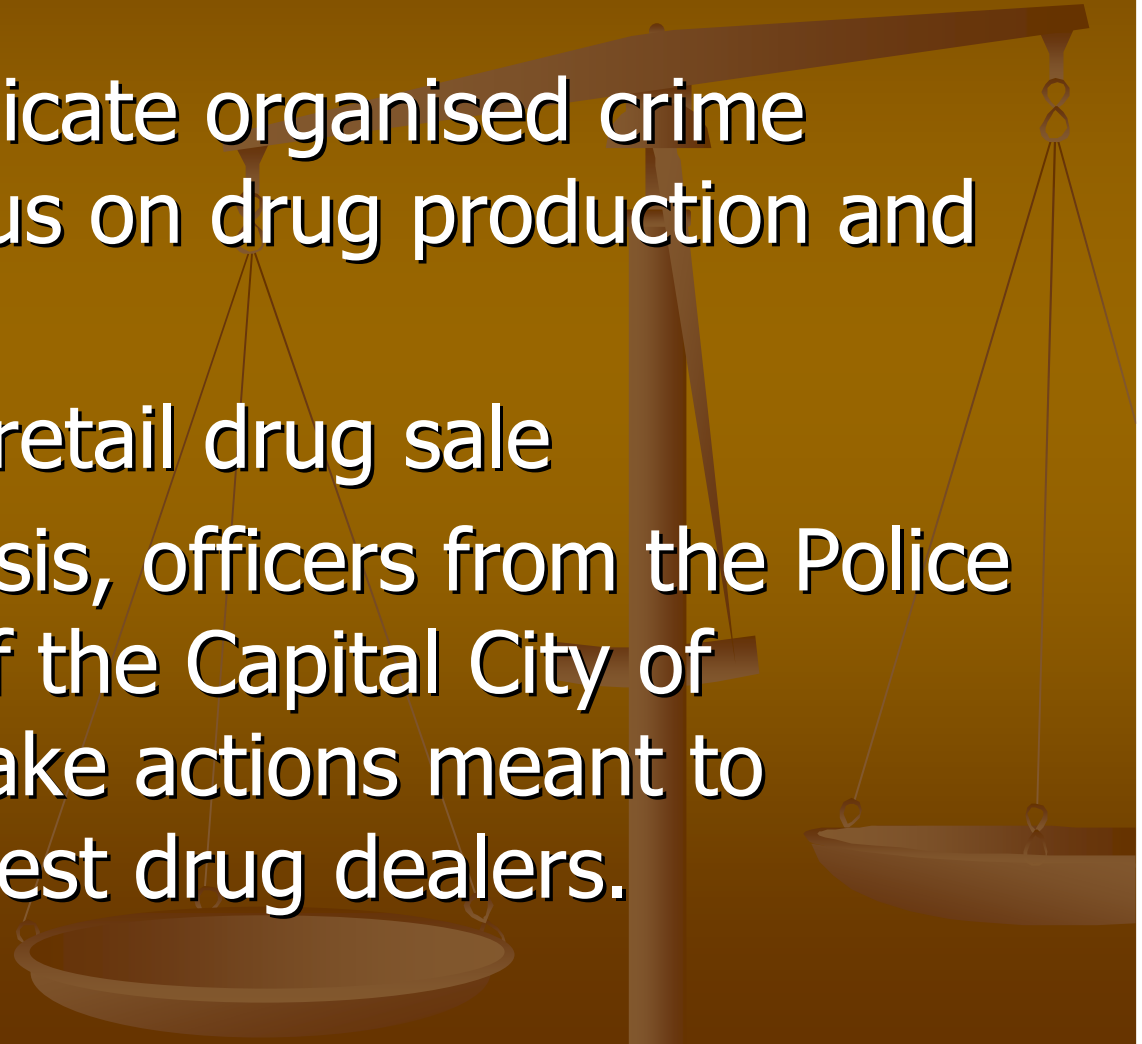


Actions aimed at limiting the supply of intoxicating and psychotropic substances

- Actions to eradicate organised crime groups that focus on drug production and dealing

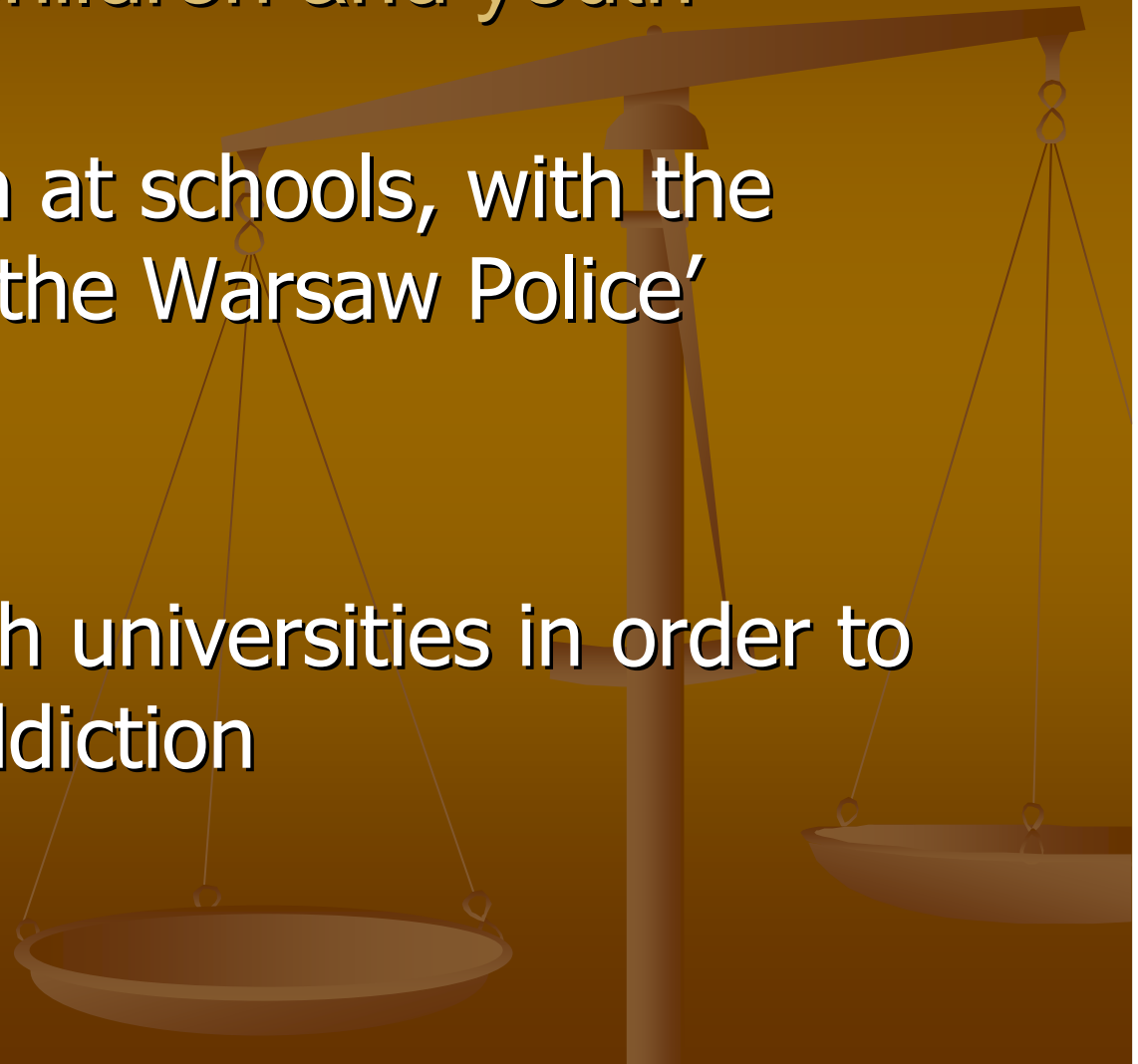
- Actions to limit retail drug sale

On a regular basis, officers from the Police Headquarters of the Capital City of Warsaw undertake actions meant to disclose and arrest drug dealers.

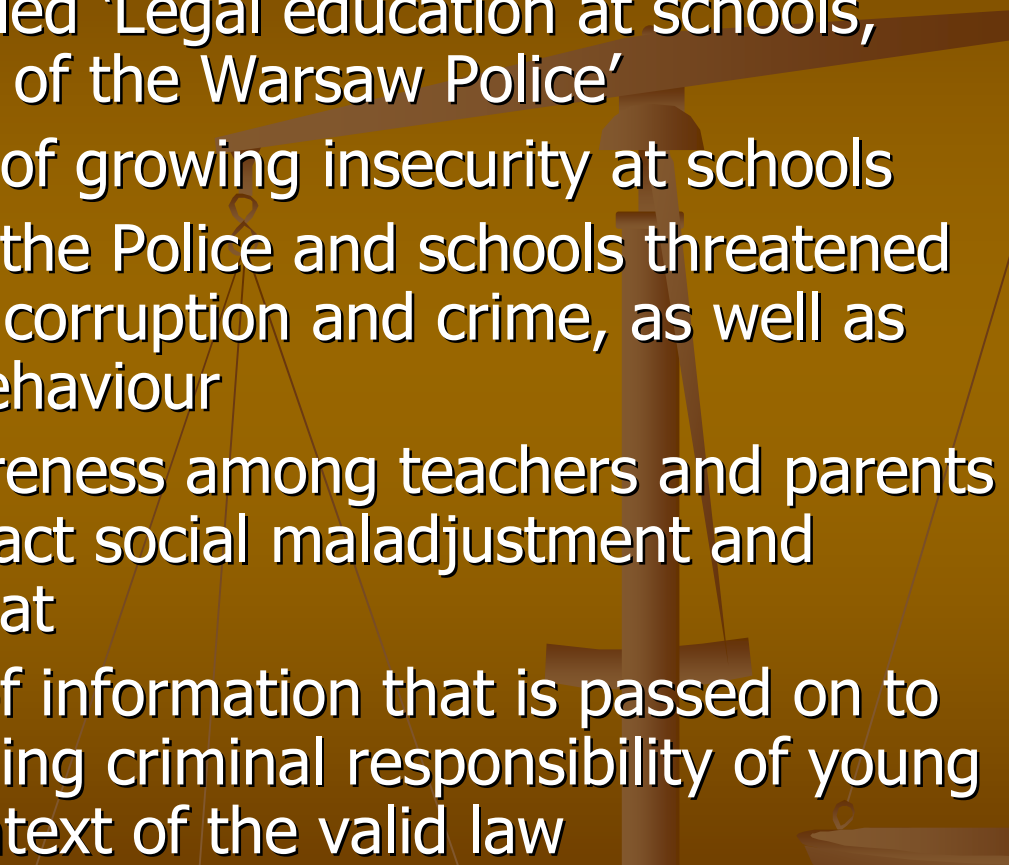


Actions aimed at limiting the demand for intoxicating and psychotropic substances among children and youth

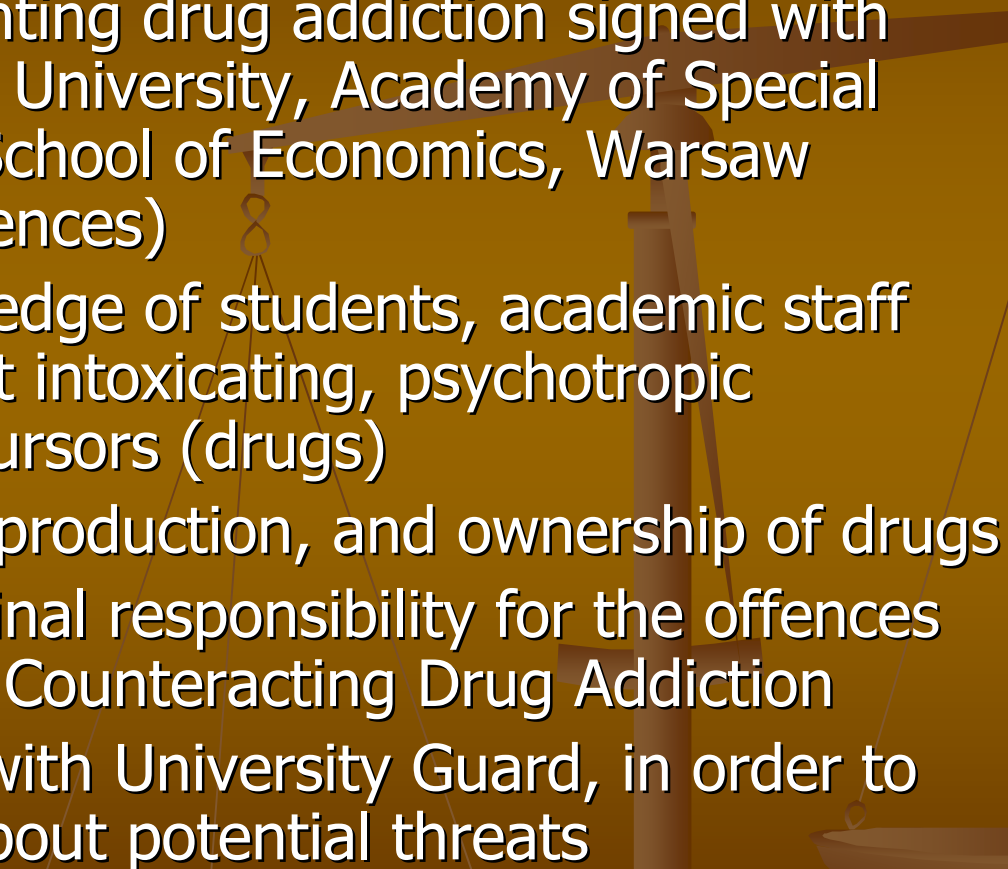
- 'Legal education at schools, with the participation of the Warsaw Police' programme
- Cooperation with universities in order to prevent drug addiction



Actions aimed at limiting the demand for intoxicating and psychotropic substances among children and youth

- The programme entitled 'Legal education at schools, with the participation of the Warsaw Police'
 - limiting the tendency of growing insecurity at schools
 - cooperation between the Police and schools threatened with increased moral corruption and crime, as well as prevention of risky behaviour
 - increase of legal awareness among teachers and parents to help them counteract social maladjustment and situations of real threat
 - focus on the quality of information that is passed on to young people, regarding criminal responsibility of young people within the context of the valid law
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Actions aimed at limiting the demand for intoxicating and psychotropic substances among children and youth

- Agreements on preventing drug addiction signed with universities (Warsaw University, Academy of Special Education, Warsaw School of Economics, Warsaw University of Life Sciences)
 - expanding the knowledge of students, academic staff and employees about intoxicating, psychotropic substances and precursors (drugs)
 - fighting illegal sales, production, and ownership of drugs
 - informing about criminal responsibility for the offences set out in the Act on Counteracting Drug Addiction
 - maintaining contact with University Guard, in order to obtain information about potential threats
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Preventive measures

- School patrol
- "Sector" police patrols
- Preventive activities focused on limiting drug-related crime: 'Warsaw free from drugs'
- 'React. Inform. Don't tolerate' programme



Preventive measures

■ School patrols

- prevention of offences committed by children, youth and adults at schools and in their vicinity, as well as in places where young people gather
- elimination of existing threats and pathologies
- increased children's and young people's security
- recognition of potential threats
- counteracting social maladjustment

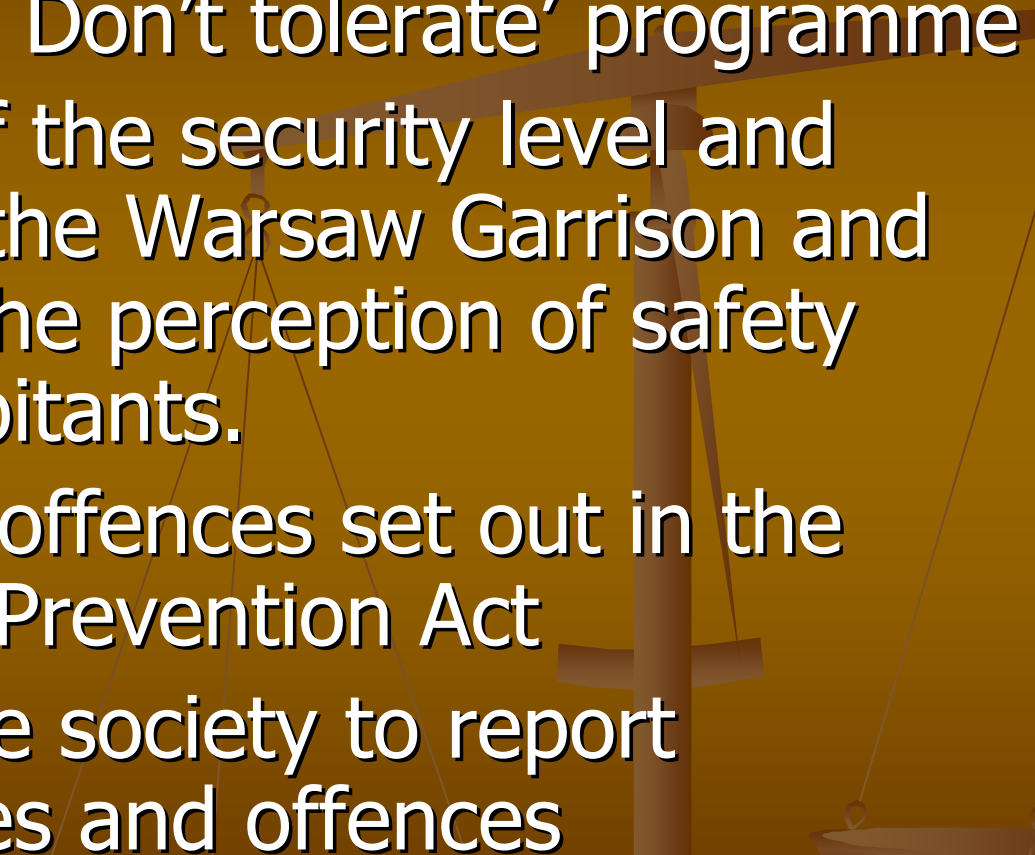


Preventive measures



- Preventive activities aimed at limiting drug-related crime: 'Warsaw free from drugs'
 - limiting the supply and demand for intoxicating and psychotropic substances
 - disclosure of criminals responsible for drug dealing and ownership
 - decreasing the amount of addicted children
 - solid education for parents and help in diagnosing threats and further actions
 - introduction of additional elements improving drug prevention classes in the Capital City of Warsaw

Preventive measures

- 'React. Inform. Don't tolerate' programme
 - improvement of the security level and public order in the Warsaw Garrison and an increase in the perception of safety among its inhabitants.
 - preventing the offences set out in the Drug Addiction Prevention Act
 - encouraging the society to report witnessed crimes and offences
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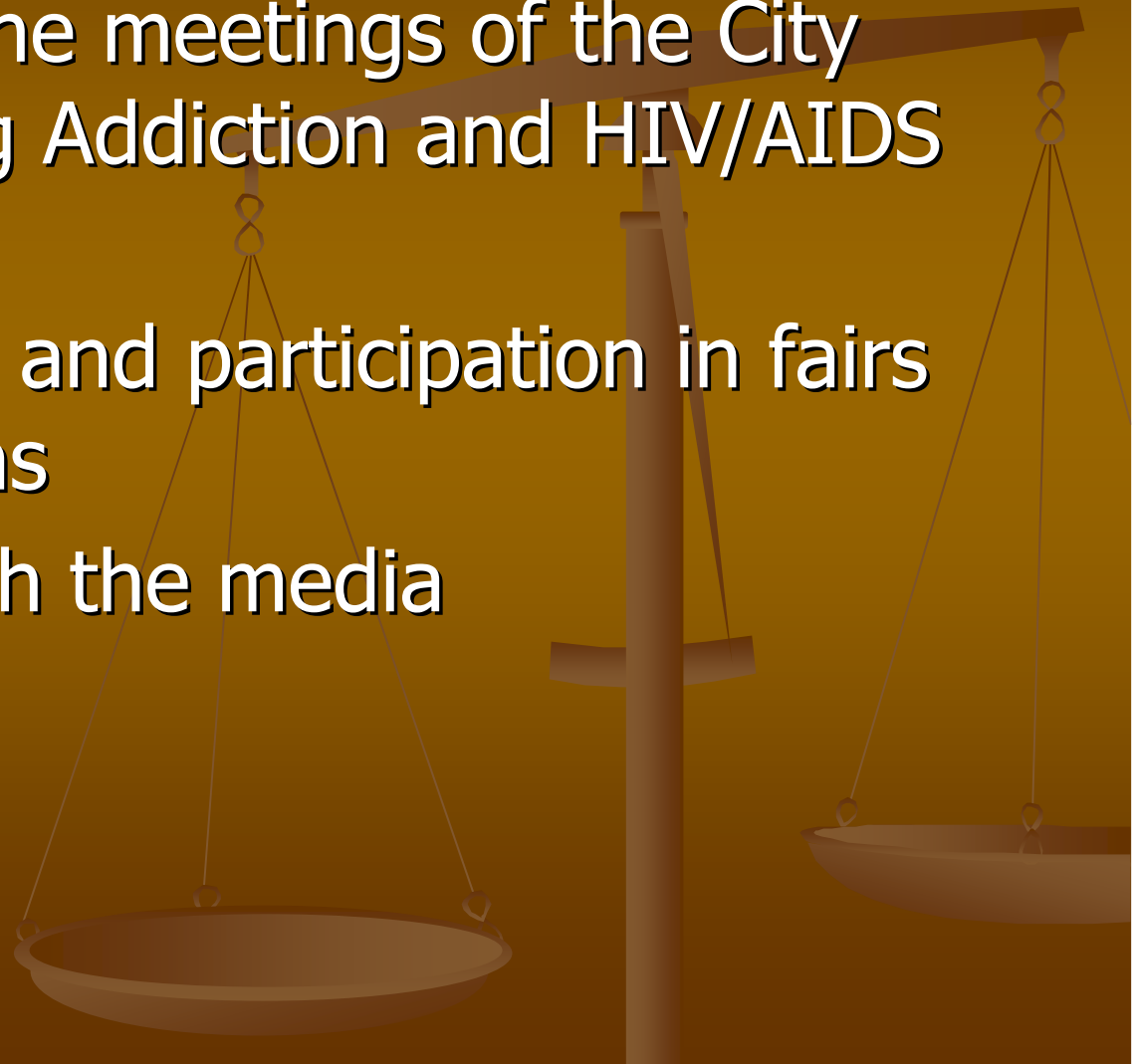
Drug Addiction Prevention

- In order to prevent drug-related crime and addiction, the Warsaw Police systematically undertakes recognition, disclosure and preventive actions. While performing these actions, police officers cooperate with:

The Education Department of the Capital City of Warsaw, National Drug Prevention Office, Monar and Markot organisations, Social welfare centres, Society of the Friends of Children (TPD), Psychological and Pedagogical counseling centres, District, Commune and County Councils, Probation officers, Family Courts and the City Guard.

Other measures for preventing drug addiction

- Taking part in the meetings of the City Council for Drug Addiction and HIV/AIDS Prevention
- Co-organisation and participation in fairs and competitions
- Cooperation with the media





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