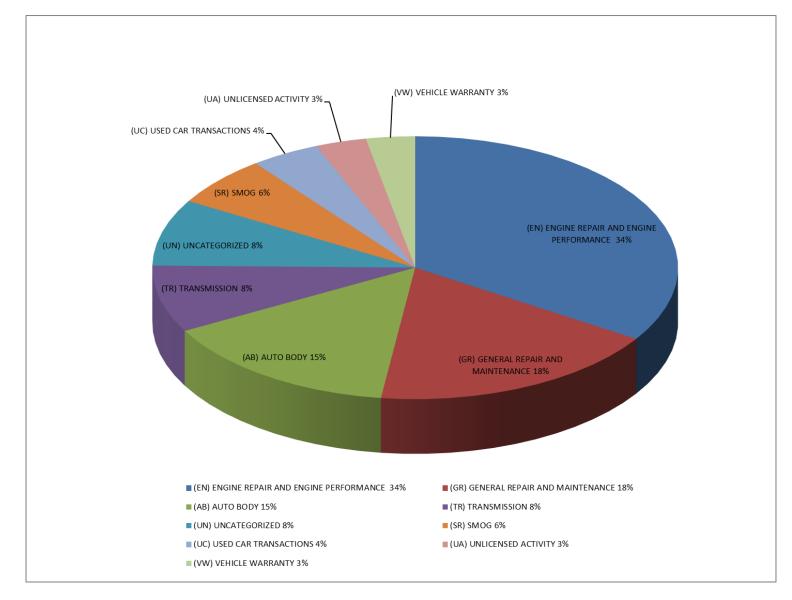
ENFORCEMENT STATISTICS UPDATE

DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS

ENFORCEMENT OPERATIONS BRANCH BAR ADVISORY GROUP MEETING JANUARY 23, 2020

FISCAL YEAR COMPLAINT TRENDS 2019-20 YTD



COMPLAINT TREND GROUPINGS

ENGINI	COMPLAINTS YTD	
CC	COMPUTER CONTROLS	119
со	COOLING SYSTEM	189
ED	ENGINE DIAGNOSIS	356
EL	ELECTRICAL	340
EN	ENGINE OVERHAUL/REPLACEMENT	333
ER	ENGINE REPAIR	803
FL	FLUSHING	15
FS	FUEL SYSTEM	75
MS	MACHINE SHOP	8
TU	TUNE UP	26

	UNCATEGORIZED	COMPLAINTS YTD
BC	BRAKE CERTIFICATION	8
BO	BOAT REPAIR	1
LC	LAMP CERTIFICATION	3
LS	LIEN SALE/STORAGE CHARGES	29
MC	MOTORCYCLE REPAIR	56
ОТ	OTHER	245
PS	PART SALE	34
SF	STORAGE FEES	24
то	TOWING	26
UP	UPHOLSTERY	18
WR	REPAIR WARRANTY	100

GENERAL REPAIR AND MAINTENANCE		COMPLAINTS YTD
AC	AIR CONDITIONING/HEAT	140
BR	BRAKES	208
DT	DRIVE TRAIN	105
EX	EXHAUST	29
GR	GENERAL REPAIR	1
LU	LUBE/OIL CHANGE	291
su	SUSPENSION/STEERING	242
тw	TIRES/WHEELS	175

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	AUTO BODY	COMPLAINTS YTD
AB	AUTO BODY	957
GL	AUTO GLASS	33

TRANSMISSION		COMPLAINTS YTD
AT	AUTO TRANS	497
МТ	MANUAL TRANS/CLUTCH	50

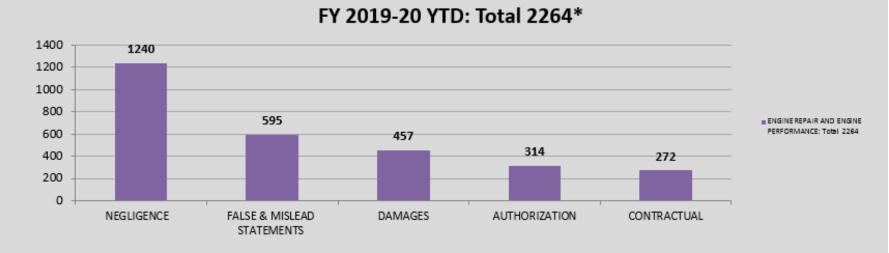
	SMOG	COMPLAINTS YTD
СР	CLEAN PIPING	0
сх	CLEAN PLUGGING	2
DC	DELINQUENT CITATION	0
ES	EXHAUST SYSTEM (SMOG)	50
ET	EMISSION TEST PROCEDURE	15
EW	EMISSIONS WARRANTY	11
FT	FUNCTIONAL TEST PROCEDURE	2
GP	GROSS POLLUTER	1
NX	NOX FAILURES	0
RF	REFEREE	2
RO	REPAIR ONLY (SMOG)	0
SB	SUBLET (SMOG)	5
SC	SMOG COST LIMIT	8
SN	STATION	4
SR	SMOG REPAIR	83
SS	ILLEGAL SMOG/CAR SALE	50
ST	SMOG TEST PROCEDURES	163
TE	TEST ONLY	7
TN	TECHNICIAN	0
VT	VISUAL SMOG TEST PROCEDURE	5

VI	EHICLE PURCHASE COMPLAINTS	COMPLAINTS YTD
UC	USED CAR LOTS	282
vw	VEHICLE WARRANTY	159
NC	NEW CAR/LEMON LAW	41

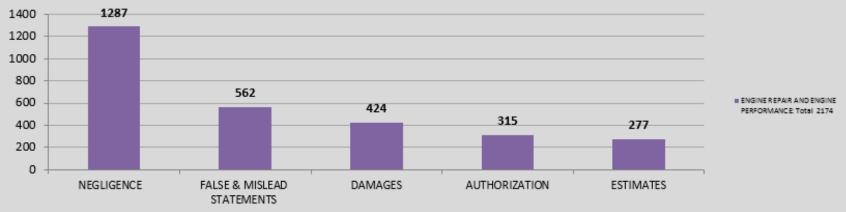
COMPLAINT ALLEGATIONS

AD FALSE ADVERTISING	IN INVOICE
AU AUTHORIZATION	LS ILLEGAL LIEN SALE
BS BAIT & SWITCH	NA OTHER ALLEGATIONS
CN INCOMPETENCE/NEGLIGENCE	NC NEW CAR/LEMON LAW
CO CONTRACTUAL	NT NONQUALIFIED TEST/REPAIR
CP CLEAN PIPING	OS OVERSELL
CX CLEAN PLUGGING	PH ACTUAL/POTENTIAL HARM
DA DAMAGES	PQ PRODUCT QUALITY
DC DELINQUENT CITATION	RW REPAIR WAIVER
EF ENGINE FAILURE	SA SEXUAL ABUSE
EM EQUIP MAINT/CALIBRATION (SMOG)	SB ILLEGAL SUBLET
ES ESTIMATES	SF ILLEGAL STORAGE FEES
FH FAILURE TO HONOR WARRANTY/SVC	SR TEST/REPAIR STATION REQ.
FM FALSE & MISLEAD STATEMENTS	TH THEFT/PERSONAL PROPERTY
FR FRAUD	UL UNLICENSED
GN GROSS NEGLIGENCE	UP UNPROFESSIONAL CONDUCT
GR GENERAL REPAIR	UT UNLICENSED STATION/TECHNICIAN
HS HEALTH & SAFETY	VW WARRANTY - NEW/USED VEHICLES
II IMPROPER INSPECTION (SMOG)	WR WARRANTY - REPAIRS

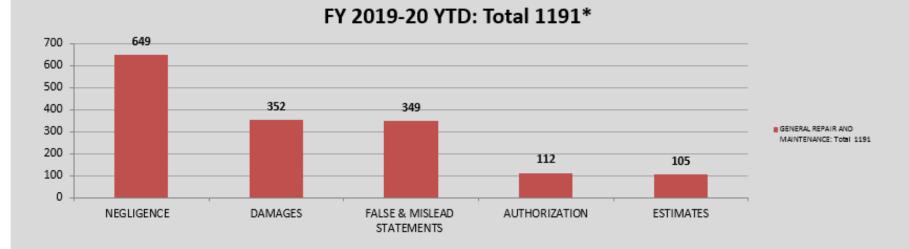
COMPLAINT ALLEGATIONS – ENGINE REPAIR & ENGINE PERFORMANCE



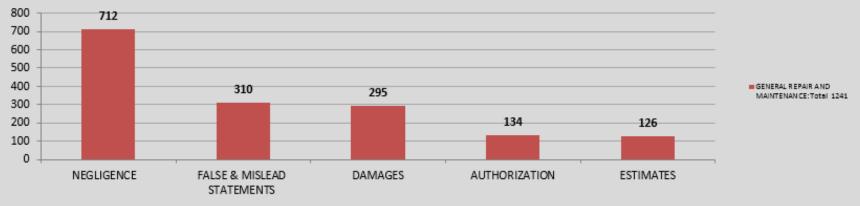
FY 2018-19 YTD: Total 2174*



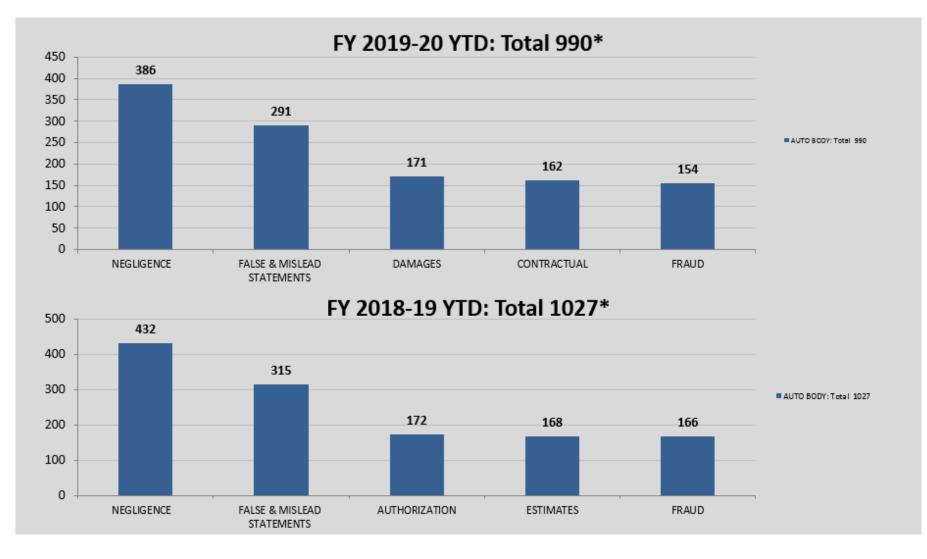
COMPLAINT ALLEGATIONS – GENERAL REPAIR & MAINTENANCE



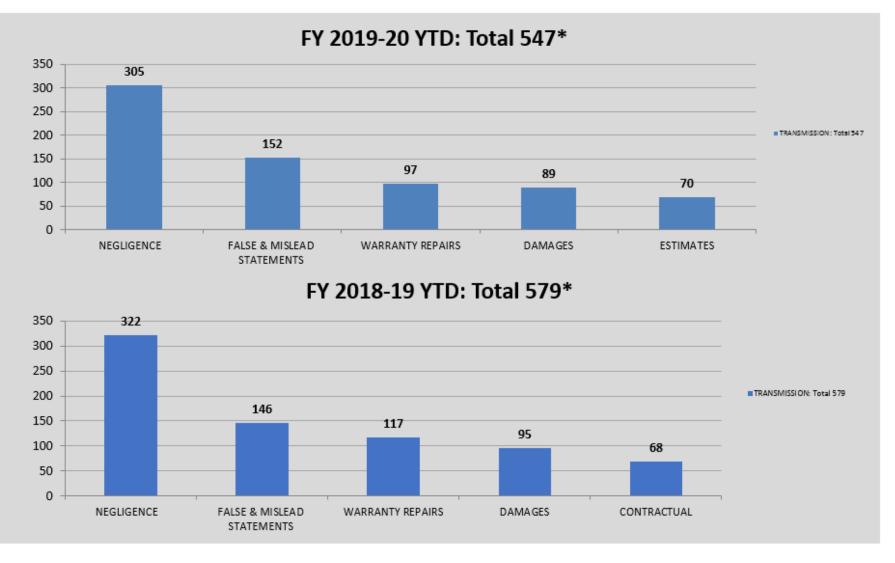
FY 2018-19 YTD: Total 1241*



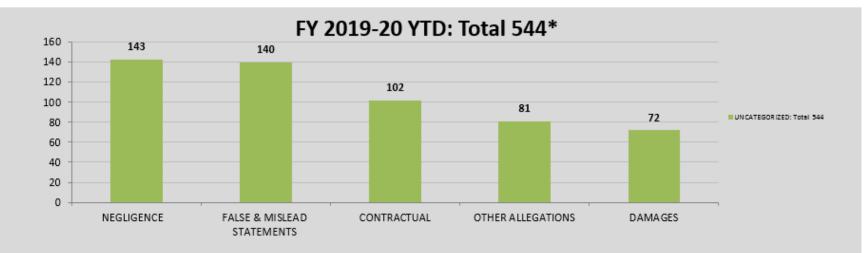
COMPLAINT ALLEGATIONS – AUTO BODY



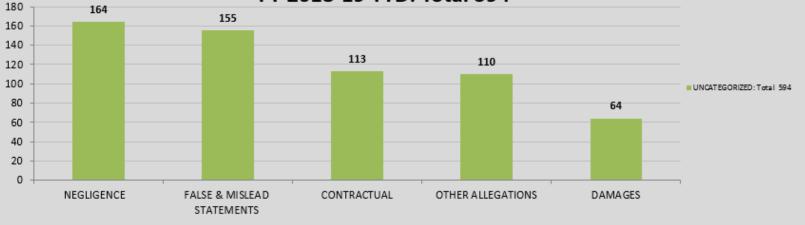
COMPLAINT ALLEGATIONS - TRANSMISSION



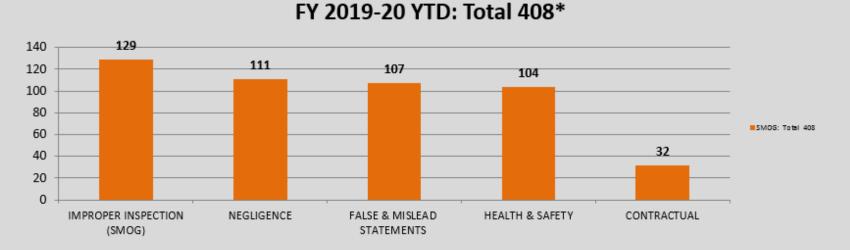
COMPLAINT ALLEGATIONS – UNCATEGORIZED



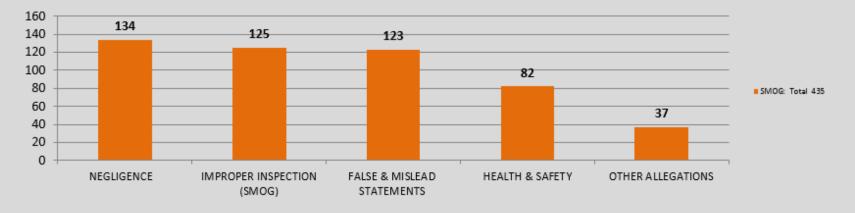
FY 2018-19 YTD: Total 594*



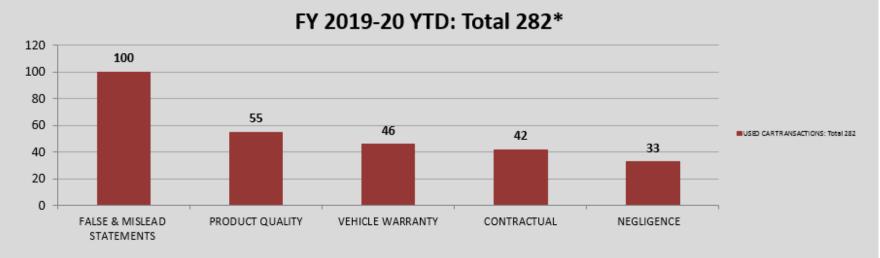
COMPLAINT TRENDS - SMOG



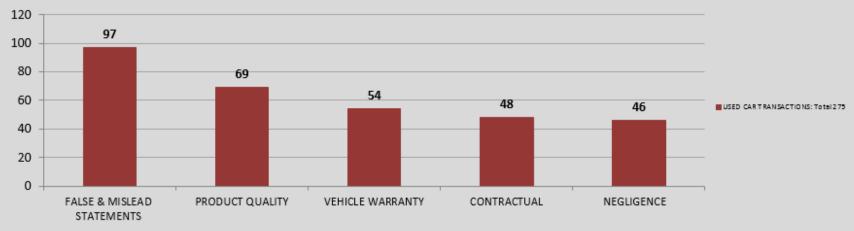
FY 2018-19 YTD: Total 435*



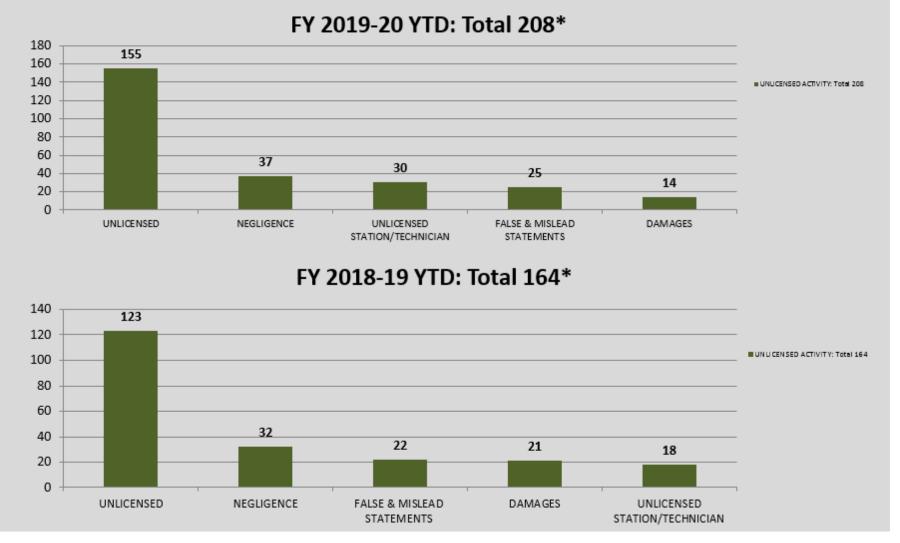
COMPLAINT ALLEGATIONS – USED CAR TRANSACTIONS



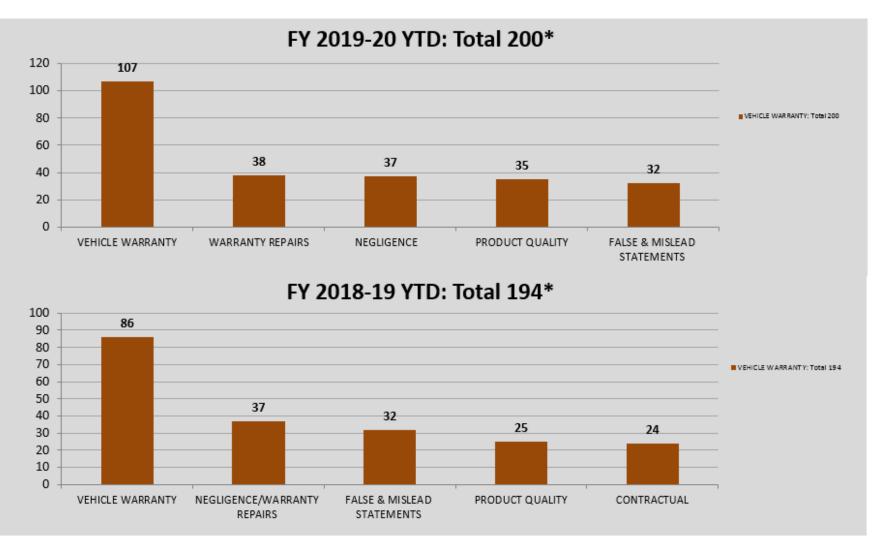
FY 2018-19 YTD: Total 275*



COMPLAINT ALLEGATIONS – UNLICENSED ACTIVITY

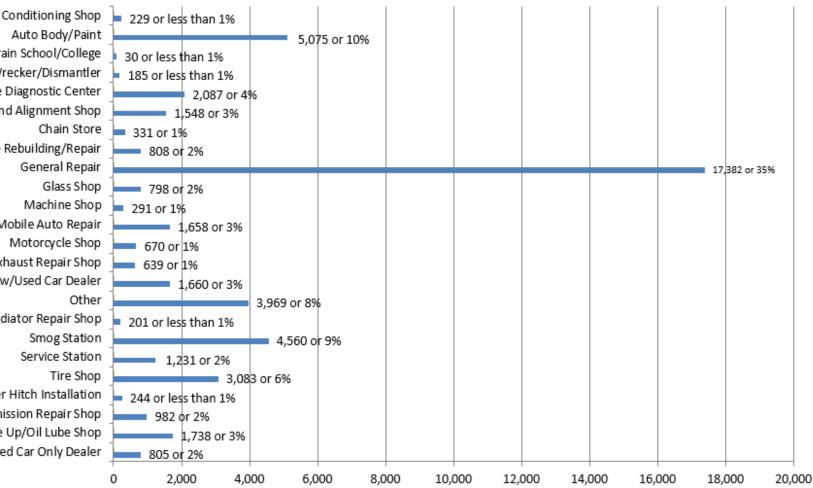


COMPLAINT TRENDS – VEHICLE WARRANTY



PRIMARY BUSINESS TYPE AS OF SEPTEMBER 2019

Auto Air Conditioning Shop 229 or less than 1% Auto Body/Paint Auto Train School/College 30 or less than 1% Auto Wrecker/Dismantler 185 or less than 1% Automotive Diagnostic Center Brake/Front End Alignment Shop 1,548 or 3% Chain Store = 331 or 1% Engine Rebuilding/Repair 808 of 2% General Repair Glass Shop 798 of 2% Machine Shop 291 or 1% Mobile Auto Repair Motorcycle Shop 670 or 1% Muffler/Exhaust Repair Shop 639 or 1% New/Used Car Dealer Other Radiator Repair Shop 201 or less than 1% Smog Station Service Station 1,231 or 2% Tire Shop Trailer Hitch Installation 244 or less than 1% Transmission Repair Shop 982 or 2% Tune Up/Oil Lube Shop Used Car Only Dealer 805 or 2%



AUTO BODY INSPECTION PROGRAM STATISTICS

FY 2019-20 YTD		
Total Inspections Requested	115	
Total Inspections Conducted	63	
Total Complaints Filed	28	
FY 2018-19 YTD		
Total Inspections Requested	121	
Total Inspections Requested	121 86	

QUESTIONS AND COMMENTS

Submit questions and/or comments to:

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