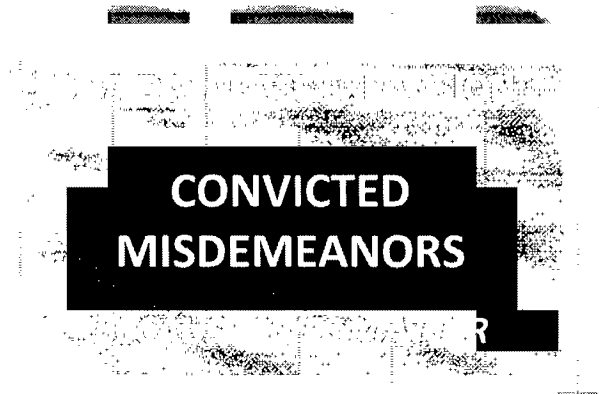
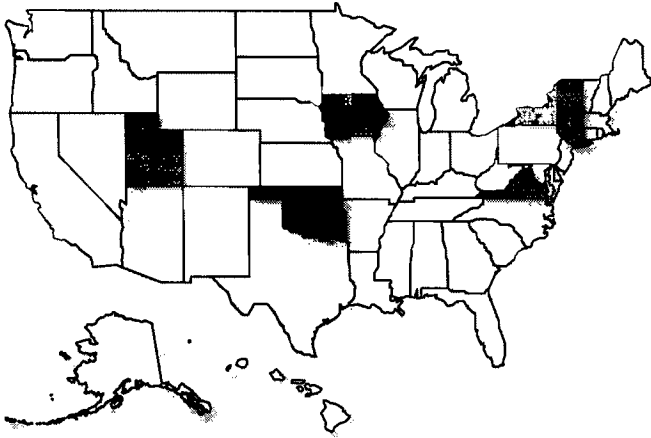


FIVE STATES have expanded their DNA Database to include broad categories of convicted misdemeanants



NEW YORK was the first state to require DNA for misdemeanor convictions in 2006

NEW YORK STATISTICS

1,786 petty larceny convictions matched to:
78 homicides
343 sexual assaults
235 robberies
764 burglaries

26% of convictions for unauthorized use of a vehicle...

21% of convictions for theft of services...

Are arrested for a **violent felony offense** within 5 years of misdemeanor conviction

Because Criminals Do Not Specialize...

89 % of New York's 3,547 offenders linked to a sexual assault were in the Database for a **non-sex crime**, such as petty larceny or trespassing

Because 70% of America's Crime is Committed by 6% of Its Criminals* ...

NY offenders linked to unsolved crimes averaged **3 prior non-qualifying convictions** before they being convicted of an offense that required a DNA sample

Because 90% of State Prisoners Are Repeat Offenders* ...

Because Lives Matter

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* Bright Lines, Dark Deeds: Counting Convictions Under the Armed Career Criminal Act by James E Hooper; Michigan Law Review, Vol. 89, 1991