

TABLE 1C : CONTRIBUTION TO LIVE BIRTH REGISTRATION BY REGIONS - 2003 and 2002

REGION	2003 LIVE BIRTH	2003 PERCENTAGE OF LIVE BIRTHS	2002 LIVE BIRTH	2002 PERCENTAGE OF LIVE BIRTHS
SOUTH EASTERN	21,273	44.7%	20,234	42.1%
SOUTHERN	10,595	22.3%	11,131	23.1%
WESTERN	8,817	18.5%	9,690	20.1%
NORTH EASTERN	6,898	14.5%	7,049	14.7%
TOTAL	47,583	100.0%	48,104	100.0%