RELEASE DATA

SPANISH GENERAL ADMINISTRATION
GENERAL RULES

• According to Spanish Legislation, under specific conditions, a prison sentence can be executed in open regime.

• There are different ways of open regime. The most common, consists on the obligation of inmates to stay in an open prison at least 8 hours (usually the night).

• Other ways of open regime are implemented outside prison facilities: mainly, electronic monitoring in inmate’s home and others, like therapeutic communities.
• **Inmates in open regime: 6810**
  – In prison facilities: 1279
    During the crisis, this inmates are allowed to go outside the prison to essential working activities as the rest of the population.
  – **Outside prison facilities: 5531**
    • Electronic monitoring: 5031
    • Other kind of monitoring: 220
    • Therapeutic communities and others: 280
Electronic Monitoring

- 27th February: 2,000
- 2nd April: 5,000
STRATEGY

• The main release measure has consisted on implementing the open regime under electronic monitoring outside prison facilites.

• Two objetives achieve:
  – Reducing the number of inmates sharing prison facilites and the risk of illness.
  – Facilitating, if possible, that inmates share the isolation time with their families.