

INDUCED ABORTIONS — NUMBER

2299. Hon Nick Goiran to the Minister for Transport representing the Minister for Health
For the calendar year from, 1 January 2009 to 31 December 2009, what was the number of —

- (a) induced abortions;
- (b) induced abortions over 12 weeks gestation;
- (c) induced abortions for women under the age of 20;and
- (d) induced abortions over 20 weeks gestation?

Hon SIMON O'BRIEN replied:

- (a) 8885
- (b) 506 ^a
- (c) 1595
- (d) 30

Notes:

^a Induced Abortion over 12 weeks includes those abortions over 20 weeks gestation.