

CORRECTIVE SERVICES — CRIMINAL LAW (MENTALLY IMPAIRED ACCUSED) ACT

**625. Hon AMBER-JADE SANDERSON to the Attorney General representing the Minister for Corrective Services:**

How many people are currently being held in custody in a mainstream prison who have been charged with criminal offences but who have been found unfit to plead or stand trial due to their intellectual or cognitive impairment?

**Hon KEN BASTON replied:**

I answer on behalf of the Attorney General. As at 30 April 2015, 13 prisoners were held in Western Australian prisons under the Criminal Law (Mentally Impaired Accused) Act 1996.