

PRISONERS — TREATMENT PROGRAMS

3844. Hon Linda Savage to the Minister for Finance representing the Minister for Corrective Services

I refer to prisoners that were serving custodial sentences of two years or less for the calendar year 1 January 2010 to 31 December 2010, and I ask —

- (1) How many of these prisoners undertook treatment programs?
- (2) What was the total number of programs these prisoners took?

Hon SIMON O'BRIEN replied:

- (1) Of the 4314 prisoners that were serving custodial sentences of two years or less for the calendar year 1 January 2010 to 31 December 2010 (excluding cases where prisoners served time for Fine Default or Suspension/Cancellation of Early Release Order only), 1007 distinct persons completed at least one program during 2010.
- (2) 1195 programs were completed by those prisoners during 2010.