

YOUTH DETENTION — OUT-OF-CELL HOURS

227. Hon Dr BRAD PETTITT to the parliamentary secretary representing the Minister for Corrective Services:

I refer to youth detention.

- (1) What were the average out-of-cell hours at Banksia Hill Detention Centre and unit 18, respectively, in February 2023?
- (2) On how many occasions in February 2023 did a detainee at either Banksia Hill Detention Centre or unit 18 spend 20 or more hours in their cell?

Hon JACKIE JARVIS replied:

I thank the honourable member for some notice of the question. I answer on behalf of the parliamentary secretary representing. The following response has been provided by the Minister for Corrective Services.

- (1) In February 2023, the average out-of-cell hours for Banksia Hill Detention Centre was 6.74 hours and for unit 18 it was 2.96 hours.
- (2) In February 2023, there were 714 occasions at Banksia and 291 occasions at unit 18.