

**YOUTH DETENTION — DETAINEES**

1443. Hon Dr Brad Pettitt to the minister representing the Minister for Corrective Services:

I refer to the months of January, February, March, April and May 2023 to-date respectively, and I ask:

- (a) what was the town or region of origin for young people held at Banksia Hill Detention Centre and Unit 18, broken down by distinct detainee?

**Hon Stephen Dawson replied:**

- (a) Table 1: Distinct Young People Held at Banksia Hill Detention Centre or Unit 18 between 01 January 2023 and 23 May 2023; by Month and WA Region.

<b>WA Region</b>	<b>January</b>	<b>February</b>	<b>March</b>	<b>April</b>	<b>May (to 23<sup>rd</sup>)</b>
Gascoyne	4	4	2	2	4
Goldfields–Esperance	3	3	0	4	1
Great Southern	4	4	2	2	2
Kimberley	26	20	18	19	22
Metropolitan	134	131	161	130	119
Mid-West	14	20	17	9	12
Peel	8	6	8	9	9
Pilbara	11	14	9	10	10
South West	10	11	10	8	5
Wheatbelt	2	2	9	6	2
Unknown	8	8	12	12	14

Please note:

- (1) WA Region reflects the last known address recorded at a young person's reception into custody.
- (2) A young person may have multiple custodial stays and a potentially different last known address each stay, therefore the total for each month may be less than the WA region sum.
- (3) The data includes young people who were not detained overnight (i.e., received and discharged on the same day).