

Additional Questions:

1) Can the Department provide the following information:

- a) Please list the top five regional home towns/communities of offenders who entered the prison system in the last financial year 2015/16 (ie top five by number of offenders who came from those locations and entered the prison system in that financial year)? Please list the total number for each location.

Answer:

Refer to Question Taken on Notice E11.

- b) Please list the top five regional home towns/communities of offenders who were being supervised by Community Corrections in the last financial year 2015/16 (ie top five by number of offenders who came from those locations and were under Community Corrections supervision at any time in that financial year)? Please list the total number for each location.

Answer:

Refer to Question Taken on Notice E11.

- c) Please list the top five regional home towns/communities of offenders who were either under Community Corrections supervision or entered the prison system (is the top five home town/communities using both offenders under Community Corrections supervision and/or those who entered the prison system as a measure). Please list the total number for each location.

Answer:

Top five Local Government Areas (LGAs) based on adult community offenders or prisoners last known address as at 30 June 2016

LGA	PRISONERS AND OFFENDERS
STIRLING	845
SWAN	681
WANNEROO	677
GOSNELLS	556
ROCKINGHAM	522

- d) Please confirm what number of individual offenders entered the prison system in each of financial years 2014/15 and 2015/16 to serve a sentence of less than 12 months, 12 months to 24 months, and 24 months to 36 months.

Answer:

Refer to Question Taken on Notice E12.

- e) For each of the years and categories at sub para d, what number of these individual offenders were identified as requiring a violent offender treatment program? What number received that program and in what financial year?

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Refer to Question Taken on Notice E12.

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Answer:

Refer to Question Taken on Notice E12.

- g) Can the Department provide what total number of prisoners were in the prison system on each of 1 October 2008 and 1 October 2016? Of each of these total numbers, what number were held in public prisons and what number were held in privately operated prisons on each of these dates?

Answer:

DATE	PRIVATE	PUBLIC	TOTAL
1 OCTOBER 2008	797	3130	3927
1 OCTOBER 2016	1536	4754	6290

- h) For each calendar year 2014, 2015 and the year to date, how many adult males entered the prison system solely for the purposes of cutting out fines? For each year how many of these people were Aboriginal?

Answer:

CALENDAR YEAR	ABORIGINAL	NON-ABORIGINAL	TOTAL
2014	224	375	599
2015	122	255	377
2016*	151	322	473

* Year to date – 11 November 2016

- i) For each calendar year 2014, 2015 and the year to date, how many adult females entered the prison system solely for the purpose of cutting out fines? For each year how many of these people were Aboriginal?

Answer:

CALENDAR YEAR	ABORIGINAL	NON-ABORIGINAL	TOTAL
2014	122	61	183
2015	75	49	124
2016*	96	60	156

* Year to date – 11 November 2016