

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL STANDING COMMITTEE ON ESTIMATES AND FINANCIAL OPERATIONS

2019-20 Budget Estimates Hearings

QUESTION PRIOR TO HEARING

Department of Justice

The Hon Nick Goiran MLC asked:

1) I refer to p.367 of Budget Paper No.2, Vol.2 and the \$4.695M allocated to improved access to rehabilitation programs, and I ask:

(a) Do any of these programs involve Domestic and Family Violence rehabilitation programs;

**Answer:**

Yes.

This funding has been allocated to a new project commencing 1 July 2019. The project is proposed to provide a range of programs, including programs for family violence.

(b) If yes to a), are perpetrator behavioural change programs a mandatory requirement of prison sentences served for domestic and family violence related offences;

**Answer:**

No.

(c) If yes to a), what are the names of these programs;

**Answer:**

To be determined.

(d) Further to c), what is the cost of these programs; and

**Answer:**

To be determined.

(e) Further to a), what is the mechanism for assessing the efficacy of these programs?

**Answer:**

To be determined.

  
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