



Speech by

Hon. T. McGRADY

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MINISTERIAL STATEMENT

Mr W. T. D'Arcy

Hon. T. McGRADY (Mount Isa—ALP) (Minister for Police and Corrective Services and Minister Assisting the Premier on the Carpentaria Minerals Province) (10.20 a.m.), by leave: At the conclusion of my first ministerial statement this morning, I was called outside the chamber by one of my staff members who has forwarded to me some additional information on the subject which I referred to. The Acting Residential Manager at Wolston Corrective Services Centre, Mr Mark Granville, received information from an outside instructor that a prisoner in his group stated that there are a few prisoners upset by the fact that prisoner Clancy, who is alleged to be a knuckle man, is receiving \$250 per week into an outside bank account on a weekly basis for the protection of prisoner D'Arcy. I have immediately referred this matter to the CJC and, as I speak, the Acting Director-General of the Department of Corrective Services, Mr Peter Severin, is speaking to Mr Steve Harding of the Complaints Division of the CJC advising that a document is on its way. As I mentioned, I have taken the first opportunity to place this information before the parliament.
