Question on Notice

No. 1746

Asked on Tuesday, 11 October 2016

MR SPRINGBORG asked the Minister for Main Roads, Road Safety and Ports and Minister for Energy, Biofuels and Water Supply (HON M BAILEY) —

QUESTION:

Will the Minister advise for 2013, 2014 and 2015 (a) the total number of Queensland licenced motorists and (b) the total number of Queensland licenced motorists who received a traffic infringement that resulted in the issuing of demerit point/points?

ANSWER:

I thank the Member for Southern Downs for the question.

a) The following figures are the number of driver licence holders on the Queensland record as at 30 June for 2013, 2014 and 2015.

Number of driver licences on Queensland record as at 30 June 2013, 2014 & 2015	
as at 30 June	Count of Driver Licences
2013	3,374,824
2014	3,384,271
2015	3,432,171

b) The following figures are the number of individual offenders issued with traffic infringements in Queensland which incurred one or more demerit points for 2013, 2014 and 2015. The offenders include Queensland licence holders, non-Queensland licence holders and unlicensed offenders. My department is not able to easily differentiate between Queensland and non-Queensland licence holders in terms of the offence data currently collected.

Number of offenders* issued with		
infringements in Queensland from 1		
January 2013 to 31 December 2015 which		
incur 1 or more demerit points		
Offence Calendar	Count of Offenders	

Offence Calendar Year	Count of Offenders
2013	760,252
2014	854,664
2015	894,068