

Question on Notice

No. 145

Asked on Thursday, 16 February 2017

MR M HART 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 the number of current Queensland drivers who have incurred no demerit points for (a) 1 year, (b) 2 years, (c) 3 years, (d) 4 years and (e) 5 years?

ANSWER:

I thank the Member for Burleigh for the question.

As at 19 February 2017 there were:

- a) 2,906,751 current licence holders who did not accrue any demerit points within one year (1 January 2016 to 31 December 2016).
- b) 2,388,493 current licence holders who did not accrue any demerit points within two years (1 January 2015 to 31 December 2016).
- c) 2,051,010 current licence holders who did not accrue any demerit points within three years (1 January 2014 to 31 December 2016).
- d) 1,837,824 current licence holders who did not accrue any demerit points within four years (1 January 2013 to 31 December 2016).
- e) 1,687,971 current licence holders who did not accrue any demerit points within five years (1 January 2012 to 31 December 2016).

I am advised that the Department of Transport and Main Roads generally reports offence data with a three month lag to account for delays in infringement processing and those offences elected to be heard in a Magistrates Court. The data detailed was extracted on 19 February 2017 and is therefore subject to change.