

**Question on Notice
No. 55
Asked on 15 February 2017**

MISS V BARTON ASKED MINISTER FOR POLICE, FIRE AND EMERGENCY SERVICES AND MINISTER FOR CORRECTIVE SERVICES (HON M RYAN)—

QUESTION:

Will the Minister advise how many roadside drug samples were undertaken in 2015-16 and of these, how many were sent to laboratories for testing?

ANSWER:

I am advised that police undertook 49,445 roadside saliva tests in 2015-16, which resulted in 10,804 drivers testing positive to these drugs. The 10,804 saliva or blood samples obtained were conveyed to an approved laboratory for analysis and confirmation by Queensland Health.