

Question on Notice

No. 1722

Asked on 23 October 2019

MR D JANETZKI ASKED THE ATTORNEY-GENERAL AND MINISTER FOR JUSTICE (HON Y D'ATH) –

QUESTION:

With reference to answer to Question on Notice No. 1200 asked on 18 September 2018 which relates to the offence of 'choking, suffocation or strangulation in a domestic setting' as provided in section 315A of the Criminal Code—

Will the Attorney-General advise the number of convictions for the offence for 2018-19 (reported separately by each court)?

ANSWER:

I thank the Member for Toowoomba South for his question.

I am advised that the following number of offenders were convicted of the offence of 'choking, suffocation or strangulation in a domestic setting' under section 315A of the Criminal Code in 2018-19:

Court	Number of defendants convicted
Magistrates (Childrens) Court	<5
Children's Court of Queensland	<5
District Court	322
Supreme Court	<5
Total	332

Figures less than five have been replaced with "<5" to reduce the risk of identification of individuals.