Question on Notice

No. 648

Asked on 22 June 2022

MR T NICHOLLS ASKED THE ATTORNEY-GENERAL AND MINISTER FOR JUSTICE, MINISTER FOR WOMEN AND MINISTER FOR THE PREVENTION OF DOMESTIC AND FAMILY VIOLENCE (HON S FENTIMAN) –

QUESTION:

Will the Attorney-General advise how many persons have been convicted of serious assault of a public officer under section 340 of the Criminal Code from 2018 to date, (reported separately by year and by the type of public office held by the victim)?

ANSWER:

I am advised that:

The total number of offenders convicted of serious assault of a public officer pursuant to section 340(2AA) of the Criminal Code from 1 January 2018 to and including 22 June 2022 was 1143, with yearly breakdowns as follows:

2018	2019	2020	2021	2022*
249	238	236	275	145

^{*} Data for the year 2022 is for the period 1 January 2022 to 22 June 2022.

Please note that offence details captured within the Queensland Wide Interlinked Courts (QWIC) criminal case management system do not contain information pertaining to the type of public office held by the victim. Therefore, this part of the question cannot be answered.