

Question on Notice

No. 1457

Asked on 15 November 2023

MR D CRISAFULLI ASKED THE ATTORNEY-GENERAL AND MINISTER FOR JUSTICE, MINISTER FOR PREVENTION OF DOMESTIC AND FAMILY VIOLENCE (HON Y D'ATH)

QUESTION:

With reference to the Youth Justice Act—

Will the Attorney-General advise (reported separately by year) for the last five years (a) how many young offenders have been ordered to pay restitution, (b) how many young offenders have been ordered to pay compensation, (c) the total amount of restitution ordered to be paid and (d) the total amount of compensation ordered to be paid?

ANSWER:

I thank the Member for the question.

I have been advised:

- a) The number of defendants ordered to pay restitution in a Queensland Childrens Court were:
 - 36 defendants in 2018-19;
 - 12 defendants in 2019-20;
 - 10 defendants in 2020-21;
 - 15 defendants in 2021-22;
 - 11 defendants in 2022-23; and
 - three defendants to date in 2023-24 (between 1 July 2023 and 31 October 2023).

- b) The number of defendants ordered to pay compensation in a Queensland Childrens Court were:
 - 28 defendants in 2018-19;
 - 10 defendants in 2019-20;
 - 10 defendants in 2020-21;
 - three defendants in 2021-22;
 - 12 defendants in 2022-23; and
 - four defendants to date in 2023-24 (between 1 July 2023 and 31 October 2023).

- c) The total amount of restitution ordered to be paid was:
- \$85,236.73 in 2018-19;
 - \$1,910.72 in 2019-20;
 - \$1,695.06 in 2020-21;
 - \$7,468.23 in 2021-22;
 - \$8,057.23 in 2022-23; and
 - \$3,948.00 to date in 2023-24 (between 1 July 2023 and 31 October 2023).
- d) The total amount of compensation ordered to be paid was:
- \$12,944.02 in 2018-19;
 - \$21,971.15 in 2019-20;
 - \$7,269.99 in 2020-21;
 - \$685.00 in 2021-22;
 - \$6,411.53 in 2022-23; and
 - \$3,345.00 to date in 2023-24 (between 1 July 2023 and 31 October 2023).