

Question on Notice
No. 416
Asked on 30 April 2025

MR P RUSSO ASKED MINISTER FOR POLICE AND EMERGENCY SERVICES (HON D PURDIE)—

QUESTION:

Will the Minister advise between 1 January 2025 and 1 March 2025 (or closest reportable dates), (in table format, reported separately by rate, number, offence and Police District), the (a) rate and (b) total number of victims of kidnapping/abduction offences?

ANSWER:

I am advised by the Queensland Police Service that the number and rate of reported victims of kidnapping/abduction offences from 1 January 2025 to 1 March 2025 is detailed in the table below:

Number and rate of reported victims by offence type & district, Queensland, 1 January 2025 to 1 March 2025

Offence Type	District	1 Jan 2025 to 1 Mar 2025	
		Number	Rate
Kidnapping & Abduction etc.	Capricornia	4	1.6
	Darling Downs	1	0.3
	Far North	20	6.5
	Gold Coast	11	1.6
	Ipswich	3	1.0
	Logan	9	2.0
	Mackay Whitsunday	8	4.1
	Moreton	9	1.9
	Mount Isa	5	16.9
	North Brisbane	11	1.6
	South Brisbane	20	2.2
	South West	2	3.2
	Sunshine Coast	7	1.6
	Townsville	13	5.1
	Wide Bay Burnett	3	1.0
	Queensland	126	2.2

Notes:

1. This data is preliminary and may be subject to change.
2. Figures do not represent a unique person count as a person may be the victim of more than one offence in the period.
3. This data relates to '*Kidnapping & Abduction etc.*' offences only.
4. Rates are expressed per 100,000 persons and are calculated based on the estimated residential population as at 30 June of each year.