

Question on Notice
No. 448
Asked on 1 May 2025

HON G BUTCHER ASKED MINISTER FOR POLICE AND EMERGENCY SERVICES
(HON D PURDIE)—

QUESTION:

Will the Minister advise as at 31 March 2025 (or the closest reportable date) (a) the total number of Protective Services Officers, (b) the total number of Protective Services Officers that have resigned in the six months prior to the reported date, (c) the total number of hours of private security officers engaged by the Protective Services Group in the six months prior to the reported date and (d) the total cost of private security officers engaged by the Protective Services Group in the six months prior to the reported date?

ANSWER:

I am advised by the Queensland Police Service (QPS) that:

- a) The substantive headcount of Protective Service Officers (PSOs) as at 31 March 2025 was 426. This includes all employees under the QPS PSOs Certified Agreement 2022.
- b) 43 PSOs resigned between 1 October 2024 and 31 March 2025.
- c) The total number of hours of private security officers engaged by the Protective Services Group (PSG) in the six months from 1 October 2024 to 31 March 2025 was 209,577.
- d) The total cost of private security officers engaged by the PSG in the six months from 1 October 2024 to 31 March 2025 was \$16,519,105.62 (excl. GST).