Question on Notice No. 575 Asked on 22 May 2025

MR J MARTIN ASKED MINISTER FOR POLICE AND EMERGENCY SERVICES (HON D PURDIE)—

QUESTION:

Will the Minister provide a breakdown of domestic and family violence charges lodged with the Mornington Island Magistrates court (in table format, reported separately by gender of the aggrieved and respondent), in the year to date (to 31 March 2025)?

ANSWER:

I am advised by the Queensland Police Service that the number of domestic violence charges lodged at the Mornington Island Magistrates court from 1 January 2025 to 31 March 2025 are detailed in the following table:

Number of domestic violence-related charges lodged at Mornington Island Magistrates Court by gender of offender/respondent and victim/aggrieved, 1 January 2025 to 31 March 2025

	Victim/Aggrieved Gender		
Offender/Respondent Gender	Male	Female	Not Stated
Male	5	69	36
Female	14	18	13
Not Stated	-	-	-
Total	19	87	49

Notes:

- 1. This data is preliminary and may be subject to change.
- 2. Data relates to charges relating to domestic violence.

Domestic violence related charges include any charge with the domestic violence ancillary wording or charges under the *Domestic Violence and Family Protection Act 2012*.

- 3. Charges are based on those listed in the charge sequencing report where the court is identified as the Mornington Island Magistrates Court.
- 4. The report time on the charge sequencing report must be between 1 January 2025 and 31 March 2025.
- 5. Victim/aggrieved is based on the victim linked to the charge. Not all charges will have an aggrieved/victim linked and have been classified in 'not stated'.

For example, Breach of bail condition domestic violence offence (Bail Act section 29(1)&47(9)).

- 6. Charges without a linked victim/aggrieved is classified as 'not stated' for victim/aggrieved gender.
- 7. Data is for charges at Mornington Island Magistrates Court and may not be the location of the offence.
- 8. There were no offender/respondent with gender 'Not stated' in the period.
- 9. 'Not stated' victim/aggrieved gender includes persons who are not linked or where the gender is indeterminate or unknown.