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Hon Peter Collier; Hon Stephen Dawson

FIREARMS — STOLEN

- 1782. Hon Peter Collier to the minister representing the Minister for Police:
- (1) How many firearms, excluding paintball guns and firearm parts, were stolen from firearm license holders in the following years:
 - (a) 2020;
 - (b) 2021; and
 - (c) 2022?
- (2) Of those forearms stolen in each year how many were recovered by police and charges laid on those who stole the firearms?

Hon Stephen Dawson replied:

The Western Australia Police Force advise that the licence status of stolen firearms cannot be identified, and the number of charges laid in relation to recovered stolen firearms cannot be provided in a reliable manner.

- (1) (a) 187
 - (b) 251
 - (c) 212
- (2) (a) 56
 - (b) 59
 - (c) 57

Notes:

1. Statistics are provisional and subject to revision.