

CRIMINAL LAW (UNLAWFUL CONSORTING AND PROHIBITED INSIGNIA) BILL 2021

457. Hon Nick Goiran to the minister representing the Minister for Police:

I refer to notice given on 7 December 2021 during the Committee of the Whole House's consideration of the *Criminal Law (Unlawful Consorting and Prohibited Insignia) Bill 2021*, and I ask:

- (a) what is the total number of declared drug traffickers recorded in the Western Australia Police Force incident management system; and
- (b) what is the total number of section 557K(4) *Criminal Code* warnings issued by Western Australia police to a child sex offender under 18 years of age?

Hon Stephen Dawson replied:

- (a) The Western Australian Police Force advise 2 815 declared drug traffickers are recorded in the Western Australia Police Force's Incident Management System, as at 8 December 2021.
- (b) 58 convicted child sex offenders who have committed offences as a juvenile under the age of 18 years, have been issued warnings by the WA Police Force pursuant to section 557k of the *Criminal Code (WA)*.

Notes

- (a) *Figures are provisional and subject to revision.*

Figures are based on a 'Declared Drug Trafficker' warning being recorded against a person's profile in the Incident Management System. If a warning has not been recorded against a person's profile, it will not be included.

Figures may include persons who have died since being declared a drug trafficker.