

ESTIMATES COMMITTEE

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Subject: Prosecution files prior to Strike Force Viper commencing

QUESTION:

Could the minister for Police provide data on the number of prosecution files that have been submitted in the seven weeks prior to Strike Force Viper commencing on 14 October? And giving a breakdown of the number of property offences and the number of offenders.

ANSWER:

This information is not immediately available for the period prior to the commencement of Strike Force Viper.

In order to provide this information a manual interrogation of PROMIS would be required to identify relevant investigations and offenders. A further interrogation of IJIS would be needed to determine the charged offence and any potential outcomes.

While this is possible it would require a dedicated officer spending a considerable amount of time which could otherwise be used for operation purposes.