

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF THE NORTHERN TERRITORY

WRITTEN QUESTION

Mr Guyula to the Attorney-General:

Optional Protocol Convention Against Torture funding

1. Does the expiration of NTG funding for the Ombudsman to carry out the Optional Protocol Convention Against Torture (OPCAT) function mean that independent monitoring of Northern Territory places of detention will no longer happen?
2. During this financial year reporting period, how many visits have been made to detention centres or prisons by NPM Inspectors?
3. What funding is provided in this budget for the implementation of the NT's commitment under OPCAT?