ESTIMATES COMMITTEE Question Taken on Notice

Date: 11 June 2019

Subject:Assaults on Police Auxiliary Liquor InspectorsFrom:Mr Gary HigginsTo:Hon Nicole ManisonAgency:Northern Territory Police, Fire and Emergency Services

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Question:

How many PALIs have been involved in incidents such as assault? How often do they have to work one up, and those who are involved in assault, how many have been under the influence of alcohol as opposed to those who have not been?

Answer:

Assault on Police Officer data is not recorded by specific roles.

The number of alcohol related assaults on all Police Officers for the period 1 July 2018 to 31 March 2019 is below.

NT	2012-13	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
	FYTD						
Assault Police Offences	242	232	219	209	184	199	154
- # Alcohol Related	186	176	160	143	126	134	86
- % Alcohol Related	76.9%	75.9%	73.1%	68.4%	68.5%	67.3%	55.8%

* Data extracted from PROMIS on 6 June 2019.

After completing recruit training, a PALI's on the job training is for five weeks paired with another senior member. PALIs are then assigned duties on liquor outlets one up. Additionally, there are mobile patrols that attend liquor outlets to support.