# LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF THE NORTHERN TERRITORY WRITTEN QUESTION

Mrs Finocchiaro to the Minister for Police, Fire and Emergency Services:

#### **Police Apprehension Data**

- 1. How many serious harm incidents were recorded by police for the following time periods? Please break this down by region:
  - a. 4 July 2022 to 10 July 2022 inclusive,
  - b. 18 July 2022 to 24 July 2022 inclusive, and
  - c. 19 July 2021 to 25 July 2021 inclusive.

### **Apprehensions: Serious Assault Resulting in Injury**

| REGION        | 4 Jul 2022 to<br>10 Jul 2022 | 18 Jul 2022 to<br>24 Jul 2022 | 19 Jul 2021 to<br>25 Jul 2021 |
|---------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Alice Springs | 3                            | 8                             | 1                             |
| Darwin        | 1                            | 4                             | 0                             |
| Katherine     | 0                            | 1                             | 1                             |
| Nhulunbuy     | 0                            | 0                             | 1                             |
| Palmerston    | 0                            | 3                             | 1                             |
| Tennant Creek | 2                            | 2                             | 0                             |
| Unknown       | 0                            | 0                             | 1                             |
| NT Balance    | 1                            | 1                             | 1                             |
| TOTAL         | 7                            | 19                            | 6                             |

Note: An apprehension can comprise of multiple offences

- 2. How many incidents involving alcohol were recorded by police for the following time periods? Please break this down by region:
  - a. 4 July 2022 to 10 July 2022 inclusive,
  - b. 18 July 2022 to 24 July 2022 inclusive, and
  - c. 19 July 2021 to 25 July 2021 inclusive.

## **Apprehensions: Alcohol Related**

| REGION        | 4 Jul 2022 to<br>10 Jul 2022 | 18 Jul 2022 to<br>24 Jul 2022 | 19 Jul 2021 to<br>25 Jul 2021 |
|---------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Alice Springs | 15                           | 25                            | 6                             |
| Darwin        | 10                           | 17                            | 14                            |
| Katherine     | 8                            | 12                            | 10                            |
| Nhulunbuy     | 1                            | 0                             | 2                             |
| Palmerston    | 6                            | 6                             | 7                             |
| Tennant Creek | 6                            | 9                             | 16                            |
| Unknown       | 1                            | 0                             | 2                             |
| NT Balance    | 5                            | 9                             | 9                             |
| TOTAL         | 50                           | 73                            | 62                            |

Note: An apprehension can comprise of multiple offences

- 3. How many assaults involving alcohol were recorded by police for the following time periods? Please break this down by region:
  - a. 4 July 2022 to 10 July 2022 inclusive,
  - b. 18 July 2022 to 24 July 2022 inclusive, and
  - c. 19 July 2021 to 25 July 2021 inclusive.

### **Apprehensions: Alcohol Related Assaults**

| REGION        | 4 Jul 2022 to<br>10 Jul 2022 | 18 Jul 2022 to<br>24 Jul 2022 | 19 Jul 2021 to<br>25 Jul 2021 |
|---------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Alice Springs | 6                            | 14                            | 1                             |
| Darwin        | 6                            | 6                             | 6                             |
| Katherine     | 5                            | 6                             | 4                             |
| Nhulunbuy     | 0                            | 0                             | 2                             |
| Palmerston    | 1                            | 2                             | 1                             |
| Tennant Creek | 2                            | 4                             | 5                             |
| Unknown       | 1                            | 0                             | 1                             |
| NT Balance    | 4                            | 3                             | 5                             |
| TOTAL         | 24                           | 34                            | 24                            |

Note: An apprehension can comprise of multiple offences

- 4. How many assaults involving domestic violence were recorded by police for the following time periods? Please break this down by region:
  - a. 4 July 2022 to 10 July 2022 inclusive,
  - b. 18 July 2022 to 24 July 2022 inclusive, and
  - c. 19 July 2021 to 25 July 2021 inclusive.

## **Apprehensions: Domestic Violence Related Assaults**

| REGION        | 4 Jul 2022 to<br>10 Jul 2022 | 18 Jul 2022 to<br>24 Jul 2022 | 19 Jul 2021 to<br>25 Jul 2021 |
|---------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Alice Springs | 9                            | 13                            | 5                             |
| Darwin        | 8                            | 5                             | 10                            |
| Katherine     | 7                            | 7                             | 7                             |
| Nhulunbuy     | 1                            | 0                             | 2                             |
| Palmerston    | 1                            | 4                             | 4                             |
| Tennant Creek | 3                            | 7                             | 4                             |
| Unknown       | 1                            | 0                             | 1                             |
| NT Balance    | 15                           | 9                             | 9                             |
| TOTAL         | 44                           | 44                            | 41                            |

Note: An apprehension can comprise of multiple offences

- 5. How many protective custody apprehensions were made by police for the following time periods? Please break this down by region:
  - a. 4 July 2022 to 10 July 2022 inclusive,
  - b. 18 July 2022 to 24 July 2022 inclusive, and
  - c. 19 July 2021 to 25 July 2021 inclusive.

#### **Protective Custody Episodes**

| REGIONS       | 4 Jul 2022 to<br>10 Jul 2022 | 18 Jul 2022 to<br>24 Jul 2022 | 19 Jul 2021 to<br>25 Jul 2021 |
|---------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Alice Springs | 8                            | 8                             | 11                            |
| Darwin        | 20                           | 28                            | 31                            |
| Katherine     | 7                            | 3                             | 9                             |
| Nhulunbuy     | 1                            | 0                             | 0                             |
| Palmerston    | 10                           | 4                             | 11                            |
| Tennant Creek | 5                            | 4                             | 14                            |
| Unknown       | 0                            | 0                             | 1                             |
| NT Balance    | 1                            | 1                             | 1                             |
| TOTAL         | 52                           | 48                            | 78                            |

- 6. Of the protective custody apprehensions made by police for the following time periods, please indicate the action taken in relation to the person in custody (transported to sobering up shelter, watch-house, home, hospital, etc.). Please break this down by region:
  - a. 4 July 2022 to 10 July 2022 inclusive,
  - b. 18 July 2022 to 24 July 2022 inclusive, and
  - c. 19 July 2021 to 25 July 2021 inclusive.

\*\*\*\*Please Note – This data is obtained from PROMIS and refers to a code used when the police complete the transport of a person. PROMIS does not link up with IJIS and the data reflected in these tables below will not correlate with the protective custody episodes referred to above in question 5.

#### **Alice Springs**

| Protective Custody Types           | 4 Jul 2022 to<br>10 Jul 2022 | 18 Jul 2022 to<br>24 Jul 2022 | 19 Jul 2021 to<br>25 Jul 2021 |
|------------------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| PC - Emergency Dept./Health Clinic | 3                            | 5                             | 7                             |
| PC - Home                          | 6                            | 20                            | 11                            |
| PC – Sobering up Shelter           | 3                            | 11                            | 10                            |
| PC – Watch House                   | 10                           | 7                             | 11                            |
| Total                              | 22                           | 43                            | 39                            |

#### Darwin

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|------------------------------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|--|
|                                    | 4 Jul 2022 to | 18 Jul 2022 to | 19 Jul 2021 to |  |
| Protective Custody Types           | 10 Jul 2022   | 24 Jul 2022    | 25 Jul 2021    |  |
| PC - Emergency Dept./Health Clinic | 1             | 0              | 5              |  |
| PC - Home                          | 4             | 6              | 2              |  |
| PC - Sobering up Shelter           | 38            | 27             | 36             |  |
| PC – Watch House                   | 17            | 20             | 32             |  |
| Total                              | 60            | 53             | 75             |  |

<sup>\*\*\*\*</sup>Please Note – This data is obtained from IJIS.

## Katherine

| Protective Custody Types           | 4 Jul 2022 to<br>10 Jul 2022 | 18 Jul 2022 to<br>24 Jul 2022 | 19 Jul 2021 to<br>25 Jul 2021 |
|------------------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| PC - Emergency Dept./Health Clinic | 0                            | 1                             | 1                             |
| PC - Home                          | 4                            | 12                            | 11                            |
| PC - Sobering up Shelter           | 1                            | 6                             | 4                             |
| PC – Watch House                   | 5                            | 6                             | 8                             |
| Total                              | 10                           | 25                            | 24                            |

## **Palmerston**

|                                    | 4 Jul 2022 to | 18 Jul 2022 to | 19 Jul 2021 to |
|------------------------------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|
| Protective Custody Types           | 10 Jul 2022   | 24 Jul 2022    | 25 Jul 2021    |
| PC - Emergency Dept./Health Clinic | 2             | 3              | 0              |
| PC - Home                          | 4             | 5              | 3              |
| PC - Sobering up Shelter           | 42            | 29             | 23             |
| PC – Watch House                   | 7             | 7              | 9              |
| Total                              | 55            | 44             | 35             |

## **Tennant Creek**

| Protective Custody Types           | 4 Jul 2022 to<br>10 Jul 2022 | 18 Jul 2022 to<br>24 Jul 2022 | 19 Jul 2021 to<br>25 Jul 2021 |
|------------------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| PC - Emergency Dept./Health Clinic | 1                            | 1                             | 2                             |
| PC - Home                          | 9                            | 9                             | 6                             |
| PC - Sobering up Shelter           | 4                            | 5                             | 7                             |
| PC – Watch House                   | 5                            | 2                             | 11                            |
| Total                              | 19                           | 17                            | 26                            |

Nhulunbuy

|                                    | 4 Jul 2022 to | 18 Jul 2022 to | 19 Jul 2021 to |
|------------------------------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|
| Protective Custody Types           | 10 Jul 2022   | 24 Jul 2022    | 25 Jul 2021    |
| PC - Emergency Dept./Health Clinic | 1             | 0              | 0              |
| PC - Home                          | 6             | 1              | 2              |
| PC - Sobering up Shelter           | 0             | 0              | 2              |
| PC – Watch House                   | 1             | 0              | 0              |
| Total                              | 8             | 1              | 4              |

## **NT Balance**

| Protective Custody Types           | 4 Jul 2022 to<br>10 Jul 2022 | 18 Jul 2022 to<br>24 Jul 2022 | 19 Jul 2021 to<br>25 Jul 2021 |
|------------------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| PC - Emergency Dept./Health Clinic | 0                            | 0                             | 0                             |
| PC - Home                          | 0                            | 0                             | 4                             |
| PC - Sobering up Shelter           | 0                            | 0                             | 0                             |
| PC – Watch House                   | 0                            | 0                             | 0                             |
| Total                              | 0                            | 0                             | 4                             |