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WRITTEN QUESTION

Ms Uibo to the Minister for Corrections:

Bail Amendments

Regarding your Bail amendments, please advise:

- 1. What is the expected financial cost of these changes for the remainder of the financial year, including operational and resource costs?
- 2. How many additional ankle monitors will need to be purchased because of these changes, and what will this cost?

ANSWER

- 1. Any increase or decrease would be captured over time and the Department will work with all justice partners to monitor the effects of the reform to ensure appropriate service and resource provision.
- 2. The specific numbers of Electronic Monitoring devices required in response to the reforms are subjective and dependant on a number of factors, including the application of legislation by the Court. As such, a definitive number cannot be provided.

The total contract cost is commercial-in-confidence and not able to be disclosed.