

WRITTEN QUESTIONS

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109. **Income Received from Juvenile Justice Amendment Act 1991**

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QUESTION

1. What is the total amount levied by the Courts on parents of juveniles in custody under the provisions of the *Juvenile Justice Amendment Act 1991* since its enactment.
2. How much of the amount referred to in question 1 has been collected.
3. What was the income from the source referred to in question 1 in the 1994-95 financial year.
4. How much of the income referred to in question 3 has been collected to date.

ANSWER

Answered on 30/08/96

1. Section 55A of the *Juvenile Justice Act* allows the court to order that the parents of a juvenile offender that has been ordered to be detained at a detention centre pay an amount towards the cost of detaining the juvenile offender. Records from the Department of Correctional Services indicate that no orders have been made under the Act since the date of its commencement (1 January 1992).
2. N/A.
3. N/A.
4. N/A.