

## LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY FOR THE AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY

SELECT COMMITTEE ON ESTIMATES 2022-2023

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## **ANSWER TO QUESTION ON NOTICE**

ELIZABETH KIKKERT MLA: To ask the Minister for Corrections

Ref: Budget Statement D 2022-2023, Output 2.1,

In relation to: The Reintegration Centre

- 1. Is it the intention of the government to have the Transitional Release Centre (TRC) performing at a certain level before building the reintegration centre?
  - a. If so, what is that level (e.g. 100 detainees moving to the TRC and being released from there per year)?
- 2. The TRC does not currently offer on-site industries that detainees can be employed in while they are in the reintegration phase. The reintegration centre was intended to have on-site industries. How is the government making up for the delay in providing these industries?

Mick Gentleman MLA: The answer to the Member's question is as follows: -

ACT Corrective Services has undertaken a review of, and will continue to review, the Transitional Release Program (TRP) to reduce barriers for eligibility and to enhance utilisation of the Transitional Release Centre (TRC).

Employment in onsite industries has been offered since the inception of the Alexander Maconochie Centre and TRC. These include:

- o AMC Bulk Stores; and
- o AMC External Grounds Maintenance.

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