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STANDING COMMITTEE ON HEALTH AND COMMUNITY WELLBEING

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Inquiry into ACT Budget 2021–22
ANSWER TO QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE
20 October 2021

QToN No - 04

Asked by Mrs Jones on 20 October 2021: Ms Katrina Rea took on notice the following question(s):

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In relation to:

What the Justice Health position is on a needle exchange program in the Alexander Maconochie Centre (AMC)

Minister Davidson: The answer to the Member's question is as follows:–

Justice Health Services supports and promotes a broad range of harm minimisation strategies, including needle exchange programs in relation to the use of alcohol, tobacco and other drugs as part of a health response to drug use as outlined in the ACT Drug Strategy Action Plan 2018-2021.

Approved for circulation to the Standing Committee on Health and Community Wellbeing.

Signature: *Emma Davidson*

Date: 5 November 2021

By the Minister for Justice Health, Emma Davidson MLA