



LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY
FOR THE AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY

Standing Committee on Justice and Community Safety
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TERMS OF REFERENCE:

Penalties for minor offences and vulnerable people

The Committee will inquire and report on administrative penalties for minor offences in respect of vulnerable people with particular reference to:

- Impacts of fines on vulnerable people;
- Suitability of existing formal government guidelines for considering treatment of vulnerable people in administering penalties;
- Impacts of prosecution for vulnerable people for non-payment of fines;
- Suitability of current ACT Government alternative measures to fines;
- Alternatives to prosecution for non-payment of fines
- How to maximise compliance with legislation, particularly for young people