



**LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY**  
FOR THE AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY

STANDING COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENT AND TRANSPORT AND CITY SERVICES  
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**Inquiry into referred 2017–18 Annual and Financial Reports**  
**ANSWER TO QUESTION ON NOTICE**  
**15 November 2018**

Asked by Ms Nicole Lawder MLA:

Ref: TCCS, Animal Welfare Authority 3.1


In relation to: Circus permits

1. How many applications for circus performances with animals have there been in the ACT in the past 5 years?
2. How many were approved?

**Mr Chris Steel MLA:** The answer to the Member's question is as follows:–

1. Between the period 01/07/2013 to 30/06/2018 the ACT Animal Welfare Authority received six applications for a permit to conduct a circus in the ACT.
2. All six applications received were approved.

Approved for circulation to the Standing Committee on Environment and Transport and City Services

Signature: 

Date: 4/12/18

By the Minister for City Services, Mr Chris Steel MLA