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SELECT COMMITTEE ON ESTIMATES 2024-2025

Ms Nicole Lawder MLA (Chair), Ms Suzanne Orr MLA (Deputy Chair),
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ANSWER TO QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE DURING PUBLIC HEARINGS

Asked by: Leanne Castley MLA

Addressed to: Kidsafe ACT

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MS CASTLEY: Yes, okay, so how many car checks do you—and I am happy for you to take it on notice. How many car checks do you do? Your car seat checks?

Mr Ventura: We do thousands. I will have to take the exact number on notice, but it is thousands per year.

Kidsafe ACT: The answer to the Member's question is as follows:

We'll provide a broader response. Between 1 January and 30 June this year, approximately 1,280 transactions took place. The vast majority of these were for services such as checks, adjustments, installations and fittings. It also included hires, which we consider a key part of our service offering, pursuant to our desire for kids to be safe on the road. Furthermore, sales of child car restraints are included in this figure, as they are then installed for customers at no additional cost and thus count as an installation.

We are firmly of the belief that we would be able to reach more Canberrans if our capacity were enhanced to enable us to do so.

Approved for circulation to the Select Committee on Estimates 2024-2025

Signature: Francis Ventura Date: 29 July 2024

By Francis Ventura, CEO of Kidsafe ACT.