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## Standing Committee on Justice and Community Safety

## Inquiry into Inquiry into Dangerous Driving, 14 November 2022 ANSWER TO QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

Asked by Andrew Braddock MLA on Monday, 14 November 2022: Shane Rattenbury MLA took on notice the following question(s):

Reference: Hansard [uncorrected] proof transcript [14 November 2022] [PAGE 45]

In relation to:

Is the funding provided to the Coronial Counselling Service adequate?

Shane Rattenbury MLA: The answer to the Member's question is as follows:-

ACT Government funding for the ACT Coronial Counselling Service, which is operated by Relationships Australia Region Incorporated, is provided through the ACT Health Directorate. The ACT Government provided an additional \$80,000 annually for the Service through the 2022-23 Budget. In addition to the base funding that ACTHD provides to the Service, this results in a total amount of \$262,860.51 (GST Exclusive) to be provided to the Service in 2022-23. This 30 per cent increase was in recognition of the growing demand for this service.

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