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Inquiry into the Appropriation Bill 2019-2020 (No 2)

ANSWER TO QUESTION ON NOTICE

The Committee asks ministers to respond within 5 working days of receiving the QoNs, where Day One is the first working day after receipt.

CAROLINE LE COUTEUR: To ask the Minister for the Prevention of the Domestic and Family Violence
Prevention of the Domestic and Family Violence

In relation to: *Supporting the National Plan to Reduce Violence Against Women and Their Children*

In connection with Supporting the National Plan to Reduce Violence Against Women and Their Children, CSD, considered in hearings of 4 March 2020:

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1. Which resources in the Community Services Directorate have been re-prioritised in order to fund the ACT's contribution to the national prevention campaign?
2. Why this is a one-off contribution to the prevention campaign if the National Plan goes through to 2022?

YVETTE BERRY MLA: The answer to the Member's question is as follows:—

1. The Community Service Directorate is seeking to fund the ACT Government's 2019-20 financial contribution through any underspends in the Office for Family Safety in 2019-20. If further offsets are required, any underspends in the Directorate's broader budget could be used as an alternative funding source.
2. The one-off contribution is for the 2019-20 financial year only. Further contributions would need to be considered in the context of the ACT Government's future Budgets.

Approved for circulation to the Standing Committee on Public Accounts

Signature:

A large, stylized handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "Yvette Berry".

Date: 26/03/20

By the Minister for the Prevention of the Domestic and Family Violence, Yvette Berry MLA