



LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY
FOR THE AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY

QTON No. 44

STANDING COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENT AND TRANSPORT AND CITY SERVICES
MS TARA CHEYNE MLA (CHAIR), CANDICE BURCH MLA (DEPUTY CHAIR), JAMES MILLIGAN MLA

Inquiry into referred 2018–19 Annual and Financial Reports
ANSWER TO QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE
15 November 2019

Asked by Miss C Burch MLA:

In relation to: How many formal warnings/infringements have been issued for dogs that aren't de-sexed under 6 months

MISS C BURCH: Yes. Yes, okay. Can you take on notice then and tell me how many formal warning infringements have been issued for dogs under the age of six months?

Mr Alegria: Yes. Certainly.

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

One formal warning has been issued for this type of infringement.

However, it was found that the Warning Notice was mistakenly issued to an owner whose dog was only 5 months of age at the time of the engagement. A letter is currently being drafted to the owner of the dog, withdrawing the notice, acknowledging the error and apologising for the administrative error.

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

Signature:

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Date:

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By the Minister for City Services, Chris Steel MLA