



## Standing Committee on Justice and Community Safety

### **Inquiry into Annual and Financial Reports 2022-2023** **ANSWER TO QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE**

Asked by Mr Jeremy Hanson MLA on 23 November 2023: Mr Neil Gaughan took on notice the following question(s):

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In relation to:

**MR HANSON:** Go to health. All right. Have you seen any frequent flyers? People who are repeat of those 26 or whatever the number was? Are some of them repeat?

**Mr Whowell:** I have got 29. I am not aware that there have been repeat offenders within that group.

**Mr Gaughan:** We will take it on notice for certainty, but I would have thought if there had been, it would have probably been brought to our attention.

**Mr Whowell:** I agree.

**Mr Gaughan:** As far as we are aware, that has not occurred at this stage, but to be sure, we will take it on notice so we can provide a more fulsome answer.

Minister for Police and Emergency Services: The answer to the Member's question is as follows:—

Between 28 October and 20 November 2023, ACT Policing issued 29 Drug Diversion referrals. Of the individuals referred, there were no repeat offenders.

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Signature:

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By the Minister for Police and Emergency Services, Mr Mick Gentleman MLA

