FURTHER ANSWER TO QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE, 14 NOVEMBER 2016, NSW POLICE FORCE

Question

Mr DAMIEN TUDEHOPE: Significant penalties have been imposed in relation to assaults on police officers and mandatory sentencing for the murder of police officers?

Ms YORK: Yes.

Mr Damien TUDEHOPE: Do you have a view on whether that should be extended to other emergency services personnel?

Ms YORK: No, I am not instructed; I have not provided a view but if you have some more detail in relation to some of those proposals, we are very happy to take that on notice to provide it to you.

Answer

On further reflection, we have determined that this question is a matter of Government policy and not something the NSW Police Force would normally provide a view on.