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2517 POLICE—POLICE STRIP SEARCHES—Mr Shoebridge to ask the Minister for Primary Industries, Minister for Regional Water, Minister for Trade and Industry representing the Minister for Police, and Minister for Emergency Services—

- (1) What was the total number of strip searches undertaken in New South Wales for any reason in each of the following financial years:
  - (a) 2014-2015?
  - (b) 2015-2016?
  - (c) 2016-2017?
  - (d) 2017-2018?
  - (e) 2018-2019 to date?
- (2) What was the number of strip searches undertaken in New South Wales for any reason where anything stolen or otherwise unlawfully obtained; anything used or intended to be used in or in connection with the commission of a relevant offence; a dangerous article that was being or was used in or in connection with the commission of a relevant offence in a public place; a prohibited plant; or a prohibited drug was found, in each of the following financial years:
  - (a) 2014-2015?
  - (b) 2015-2016?
  - (c) 2016-2017?
  - (d) 2017-2018?
  - (e) 2018-2019 to date?
- (3) What was the number of strip searches undertaken in New South Wales for any reason where anything stolen or otherwise unlawfully obtained; anything used or intended to be used in or in connection with the commission of a relevant offence; a dangerous article that was being or was used in or in connection with the commission of a relevant offence in a public place; a prohibited plant; or a prohibited drug was not found, in each of the following financial years:
  - (a) 2014-2015?
  - (b) 2015-2016?
  - (c) 2016-2017?
  - (d) 2017-2018?
  - (e) 2018-2019 to date?
- (4) What was the total number of prosecutions commenced following a strip search in each of the following financial years:
  - (a) 2014-2015?
  - (b) 2015-2016?
  - (c) 2016-2017?
  - (d) 2017-2018?
  - (e) 2018-2019 to date?
- (5) What was the total number of successful prosecutions following a strip search in each of the following financial years:
  - (a) 2014-2015?
  - (b) 2015-2016?
  - (c) 2016-2017?
  - (d) 2017-2018?
  - (e) 2018-2019 to date?

2518 HEALTH—VISITING MEDICAL OFFICER CONTRACTS—Revd Mr Nile to ask the Minister for Primary Industries, Minister for Regional Water, Minister for Trade and Industry representing the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—

- (1) Can the Minister confirm the veracity of the assertions made in the report of Andrew Campbell, titled 'Northern Beaches Hospital - VMO Contract Update' which was published in the current issue of The NSW Doctor, the official publication of the Australian Medical Association of NSW?
- (2) Is the Minister satisfied that the systems in place for negotiating 'Visiting Medical Officer' (VMO) contracts are satisfactory?
- (3) Have there been any changes to the negotiation processes implemented (or planned to be implemented) as a result of the difficulties outlined in Mr Campbell's report?

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