

*Question 1, p. 4 of Hansard*

A manual count of the list of persons to whom an order has been made pursuant to section 118(1)(c) of the Family Law Act reveals that as of 1 January 2012, there were 264 litigants subject to such an order.

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The Family Court does not collect or hold information as to the resources that are expended in dealing with vexatious litigants. It needs to be emphasised however that, anecdotally, the resource implications are considerable. These include physical and monetary resources, the emotional cost to the other party, and cost and delay arising for other court users who are not vexatious.

The Committee may be assisted by the attached paper, entitled 'The Legal and Medical Issues Arising From Vexatious or Querulous People', presented by Chief Justice Bryant at the conference *Access to Justice: how much is too much?*, held in Prato, Italy from 30 June to 1 July 2006. You will note that the paper contains case studies of vexatious litigants.