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Parliamentary Joint Committee on Law Enforcement – ACIC Annual Report Hearing

Friday 6 December

9:30-10:30am

Questions on Notice

Question 1: What is the number of AIC employees at the moment—FTEs?

Answer: As of 1 December 2019, the Australian Institute of Criminology headcount was 24, with the FTE being 21.85.

Question 2: What was the value of the retail drug market/how much did Australians spend on illicit drugs in 2016-17 financial year?

Answer: Using price data for the 2016–17 financial year (FY), consumption estimates suggest that Australians spent more than \$7.9 billion on methylamphetamine, cocaine, MDMA and heroin in the 2016-17 FY (Year 1 of the National Wastewater Drug Monitoring Program).

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