

Public Accounts and Estimates Committee
Inquiry into the 2025-26 Budget Estimates

QUESTION ON NOTICE

Asked by: JADE BENHAM

Question: In relation to the performance measure *Liquor approvals, licence, permit applications and variations completed within a set time* [77 days] (refer to DJCS PAEC Questionnaire, p197) as at 30 April 2025 how many [liquor licence applications, inclusive of all application types covered by this performance measure] are currently outstanding [not completed within the set time of 77 days]?

Reply:

A total of 1,071 liquor licence applications were processed within the set time for the month of April 2025. As at 30 April 2025, an estimated 384 liquor licence applications were yet to be finalised within the set time.



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Asked by: AIV PUGLIELLI

Question: In relation to the 2023 *Social Costs of Gambling to Victoria* report by Central Queensland University, when will this report be released?

Reply:

The social costs of gambling to Victoria, 2023 report is in the final stages of production. Once finalised, the Department of Justice and Community Safety intends to publish the report on its website.



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