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To: [Community Affairs Committee \(SEN\)](#)
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Subject: Transcript and question on notice
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Good afternoon,

Thank you for the email in regard to my evidence before the Community Affairs Legislation Committee.

I now attach the pages of my transcript with only a few minor corrections noted in red.

I have had my Senior Advisor (Statistics and Research) collate the information below which is in answer to the question on notice regarding female clients on Conditional Income Management.

Gender	Percentage of Clients by Gender
Male	49.80%
Female	50.20%

Table 1: As at 18 March 2019 the percentage of all FRC clients by gender.

Financial Year	Number of Unique Male Clients Placed on CIM	Number of Unique Female Clients Placed on CIM	Total Number of Unique Clients Placed on CIM	% Male	% Female
2008-2009	44	40	84	52.4	47.6
2009-2010	121	96	217	55.8	44.2
2010-2011	94	111	205	45.9	54.1
2011-2012	83	125	208	39.9	60.1
2012-2013	117	151	268	43.7	56.3
2013-2014	96	143	239	40.2	59.8
2014-2015	66	128	194	34.0	66.0
2015-2016	61	141	202	30.2	69.8
2016-2017	55	157	212	25.9	74.1
2017-2018	45	134	179	25.1	74.9

Table 2: For all communities the percentage of clients by gender who were placed on conditional income management for each financial year 2008 to 2018.

As at 18 March 2019 out of the 880 clients who have been placed on Conditional Income Management since the commencement of the FRC, 43.4% are males and 56.6% are females.

As at 18 March 2019 out of the 124 clients currently on Conditional Income Management, 21 (16.9%) are males and 103(83.1%) are females.

As at 18 March 2019 out of the 103 female clients currently on Conditional Income Management, 72 (69.9%) female clients were put on Conditional Income Management solely as a result of School Attendance notices. Please note a client may be placed on Conditional Income Management as a result of more than one type of notice at any given time.

In jurisdiction School Attendance notices account for nearly two thirds of the notices received by the Commission with Magistrates Court Notices accounting for just over a quarter of the notices. Since the commencement of the Commission females account for more than 50% of Housing Tenancy and Child Safety and Welfare notices, and over 70% of the School Attendance and School Enrolment notices. Court matters relating to the District Court, Magistrates Court, Domestic Violence Breach and Domestic Violence Orders have a greater proportion of males. Primarily Conditional Income Management Orders are issued to stabilise a client's circumstances, particularly where children or other vulnerable people are concerned.

Notes:

Please note Doomadgee only receives School Attendance, School Enrolment and Child Safety and Welfare notices and came under the jurisdiction of the Commission on 7 August 2014/the District Court trigger was introduced on 28 November 2014/and the Domestic Violence triggers were introduced on 17 December 2015.

Should there be anything else I can assist the Committee with, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Kind Regards,

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