

SCHOOLS, SAFETY

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Question text:

Can the Minister for Education and Children's Services advise -

- I. What has been the incidence rate of reports of teachers, principals and school services officers, of assault or serious threat to safety, for the last five reporting years?
- II. To what extent or trend, statistically or anecdotally, has the use of firearms (real or imitation) featured in these incidents?
- III. What has been the cost, in time spent off work or in weekly and lump sum payments from WorkCover, as a consequence of these incidents?
- IV. How much has the State Government spent, or intends to spend, on addressing this issue in South Australian public schools?