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## **Return to Written Question**

**Asked by:** Mr. Allan Rumbolt, Hudson Bay

**Asked of:** Hon. David Akeeagok

**Number:** Question 36 - 5(2)

**Date:** June 6, 2019

**Subject:** Driver's Licenses

## Question:

- 1) Broken down by community and Class of Licence, how many driver's licences were issued by the Department of Economic Development and Transportation during each of the following fiscal years:
  - a) 2016-2017;
  - b) 2017-2018; and
  - c) 2018-2019?
- **2)** Broken down by community and Class of Licence, what was the average length of time to process and issue an application for a driver's licence during each of the following fiscal years:
  - a) 2016-2017;
  - b) 2017-2018; and
  - c) 2018-2019?
- **3)** As of June 1, 2019, broken down by community and Class of Licence, how many applications for driver's licences were being processed?
  - a. How many of these applications had been received within the previous 30 days?
  - b. How many of these applications had been received between 31 and 60 days previous?
  - c. How many of these applications had been received more than 90 days previous?

## Response:

I am pleased to provide the requested information, organized by Government of Nunavut fiscal year. Please note that the new requirement for an annual report on the administration of the *Traffic Safety Act* (with the first such report to be produced in 2020) calls for a report based on the *calendar* year, and federal traffic safety data is also generally presented by calendar year. As such, in the interest of comparability the Member may wish to consider basing future requests on a calendar year as opposed to a fiscal year.

It is apparent from the detailed response below to the Member's second question that the most egregious delays are experienced only by clients accessing services at offline offices, which are not served by departmental staff. I believe it is reasonable to conclude that these extreme delays are caused by the logistics of shipping USB data keys between remote offices and the department's regional centres, compounded by inconsistent clerical capacity in the remote offices (either Government Liaison Offices or Municipal Liaison Offices). The department is addressing this through a pilot initiative, which will eliminate reliance on shipped USB keys by allowing direct access to the Motor Vehicle Information System (MVIS) from Government Liaison Offices. If successful, this should resolve these issues in those communities served by Government Liaison Offices and with access to the Government of Nunavut's Core Business Network.

I would like to note that a report of this nature would not have been possible using the legacy MVIS without dedicating an inordinate amount of staff time to monitor, compile and verify the data produced by the system. It is now clear that the MVIS replacement project has produced a stable and capable Information Technology foundation, and I am confident that the pilot initiative currently underway will build on that foundation and allow for quick and reliable motor vehicle services in communities served by Government Liaison Offices.

The department is committed to deliver continuous training to government and nongovernment employees to ensure the improvement of motor vehicle services. Qujannamiik.

1) Number of driver's licences issued, by community, class of licence and fiscal year.

COMMUNITY	YEAR	CLASS 1	CLASS 2	CLASS 3	CLASS 4	CLASS 5	CLASS 6	CLASS 7
	2016-17	0	2	11	0	22	1	6
ARCTIC BAY	2017-18	0	3	24	0	26	0	3
	2018-19	0	2	17	0	46	2	30
	2016-17	0	7	22	4	98	3	33
ARVIAT	2017-18	0	3	32	5	128	0	34
	2018-19	0	2	22	0	71	1	26
	2016-17	10	2	31	3	101	1	37
BAKER LAKE	2017-18	14	0	35	3	102	3	41
	2018-19	13	2	12	1	22	2	17
CALABBIBGE	2016-17	3	3	22	9	125	9	35
CAMBRIDGE	2017-18	4	3	38	17	161	12	39
BAY	2018-19	2	0	21	8	107	7	26
	2016-17	0	0	6	1	12	2	3
CAPE DORSET	2017-18	0	4	13	2	59	3	11
	2018-19	2	1	16	1	31	5	13
CLIEGTED FIELD	2016-17	0	1	5	1	14	0	11
CHESTERFIELD	2017-18	0	0	7	0	43	0	20
INLET	2018-19	1	0	4	1	22	0	9
	2016-17	0	0	21	0	27	2	13
CLYDE RIVER	2017-18	0	0	23	0	40	1	10
	2018-19	1	0	5	0	17	0	6
CODAL	2016-17	1	0	6	0	61	0	53
CORAL	2017-18	0	2	23	3	43	0	12
HARBOUR	2018-19	0	2	21	1	39	0	12
	2016-17	0	4	20	2	48	3	14
GJOA HAVEN	2017-18	0	0	13	1	54	2	11
	2018-19	2	1	16	0	38	0	6
	2016-17	0	0	2	0	10	0	2
GRISE FIORD	2017-18	0	0	5	0	12	2	3
	2018-19	0	0	4	0	10	0	4
	2016-17	0	0	14	0	15	0	3
HALL BEACH	2017-18	0	0	16	0	34	1	4
	2018-19	0	0	3	0	17	0	2
	2016-17	0	3	13	0	36	0	83
IGLOOLIK	2017-18	0	2	8	0			13
	2018-19	0	3	6	4			9
	2016-17	20	22	43	106			192
IQALUIT	2017-18	25	17	44	97			156
	2018-19	25	14	57	106	1111	119	185

KIMMIRUT	2016-17	0	2	9	0	16	2	3
	2017-18	0	0	12	0	15	1	1
	2018-19	0	1	3	1	5	1	4
	2016-17	0	3	19	0	19	0	4
KUGAARUK	2017-18	0	2	8	2	13	1	5
	2018-19	0	1	6	0	12	0	6
	2016-17	3	0	23	8	58	4	18
KUGLUKTUK	2017-18	2	0	7	3	71	3	19
	2018-19	2	0	15	4	60	1	20
	2016-17	0	0	8	1	19	0	1
NAUJAAT	2017-18	0	0	18	2	32	0	7
	2018-19	0	0	9	0	29	0	9
	2016-17	0	2	12	4	48	2	12
PANGNIRTUNG	2017-18	0	3	26	2	66	6	10
	2018-19	0	1	3	2	46	0	19
	2016-17	0	4	57	1	86	1	23
POND INLET	2017-18	1	0	27	1	68	4	21
	2018-19	0	4	34	0	41	2	19
	2016-17	2	0	8	1	21	3	2
QIKIQTARJUAQ	2017-18	0	0	12	0	24	0	3
	2018-19	0	0	4	1	43	1	32
	2016-17	9	2	18	16	249	10	63
RANKIN INLET	2017-18	14	4	15	14	307	14	77
	2018-19	18	5	7	13	241	2	44
	2016-17	1	0	6	0	3	2	0
RESOLUTE BAY	2017-18	0	0	9	0	15	2	0
	2018-19	0	0	9	0	15	2	7
	2016-17	0	3	8	0	23	1	6
SANIKILUAQ	2017-18	0	2	11	0	24	1	6
	2018-19	0	2	8	0	10	0	18
	2016-17	0	1	6	3	17	0	15
TALOYOAK	2017-18	0	2	16	0	26	0	9
	2018-19	0	2	11	0	15	1	9
	2016-17	0	0	8	0	46	1	11
WHALE COVE	2017-18	0	0	11	0	16	0	2
	2018-19	0	0	11	0	14	0	11

**2)** Average length of time (in days) to process and issue an application for a driver's licence, by community, class of licence and fiscal year.

COMMUNITY	YEAR	CLASS 1	CLASS 2	CLASS 3	CLASS 4	CLASS 5	CLASS 6	CLASS 7
	2016-17	-	131	160	-	113	99	78
ARCTIC BAY	2017-18	-	21	99	-	100	-	31
	2018-19	-	320	140	-	89	-	17
	2016-17	-	84	111	88	70	66	79
ARVIAT	2017-18	-	71	71	72	63	-	64
	2018-19	-	19	64	-	54	173	70
	2016-17	111	74	62	51	96	105	101
BAKER LAKE	2017-18	92	-	91	75	95	67	146
	2018-19	96	167	73	6	112	11	137
CAMPDIDGE	2016-17	12	14	22	45	20	13	12
CAMBRIDGE	2017-18	112	35	20	13	40	26	29
BAY	2018-19	58	-	57	61	66	46	61
	2016-17	-	-	268	518	54	21	139
CAPE DORSET	2017-18	-	176	127	49	112	74	281
	2018-19	5	177	176	12	78	54	108
CHECTEDELE	2016-17	-	37	163	59	51	-	66
CHESTERFIELD INLET	2017-18	-	-	65	-	85	-	128
IINLET	2018-19	63	-	2.2	-	67	-	63
	2016-17	-	-	122	-	115	41	140
CLYDE RIVER	2017-18	-	-	65	-	71	28	66
	2018-19	58	-	65	-	109	-	31
CODAL	2016-17	183	-	63	-	97	-	40
CORAL HARBOUR	2017-18	-	90	72	67	87	-	284
HARBOUR	2018-19	-	49	49	7	- 100 - 89 - 89 - 87 - 54 - 54 - 96 - 55 - 95 - 6112 - 55 - 20 - 3 40 - 16 - 85 - 71 - 109 - 97 - 71 - 109 - 97 - 75 - 115 - 109 - 97 - 75 - 118 - 122 - 44 - 38 - 118 - 173 - 68 - 114 - 52 - 88 - 114 - 52 - 88 - 114 - 52 - 37	-	89
	2016-17	-	13	14	16	18	22	17
GJOA HAVEN	2017-18	-	-	13	10	11	20	13
	2018-19	11	24	33	-	29	-	28
	2016-17	-	-	20	-	122	-	115
GRISE FIORD	2017-18	-	-	20	-	44	13	23
	2018-19	-	-	19	-	38	-	13
	2016-17	-	-	133	-	118	-	119
HALL BEACH	2017-18	-	-	152	-	173	56	37
	2018-19	-	-	96	-	68	-	52
	2016-17	-	87	152	-	114	-	116
IGLOOLIK	2017-18	-	63	67	-	52	54	118
	2018-19	-	38	64	158	49	25	40
	2016-17	26	31	30	22	23	25	23
IQALUIT	2017-18	12	11	12	12	12	12	14
	2018-19	15	12	15	13	15	14	14
	2016-17	-	78	127	-	71	65	147
KIMMIRUT	2017-18	-	-	46	-	37	12	123
	2018-19	-	49	12	28	27	22	18

	2016-17	_	49	44		49	_	46
KUGAARUK	2010-17		30	83	80	52	16	46
	2017-18	-	2	63 79		37		93
	2016-19	35		39	36	35	29	44
KUCHUKTUK			-					
KUGLUKTUK	2017-18	63	-	58	52	34	38	29
	2018-19	56	-	72	79	64	55	70
NIALLIA AT	2016-17	-	-	58	81	128	-	35
NAUJAAT	2017-18	-	•	183	42	49	-	123
	2018-19	-	-	49	-	46	-	32
	2016-17	-	97	147	103	91	62	124
PANGNIRTUNG	2017-18	-	23	39	23	60	26	38
	2018-19	-	35	54	159	47	-	59
	2016-17	-	102	152	21	128	151	143
POND INLET	2017-18	48	-	61	24	46	21	32
	2018-19	-	103	34	-	60	24	27
	2016-17	27	1	111	140	120	143	65
QIKIQTARJUAQ	2017-18	-	-	57	-	54	-	111
	2018-19	-	-	48	48	41	47	42
	2016-17	16	5	15	13	13	13	12
RANKIN INLET	2017-18	9	9	19	8	10	9	10
	2018-19	7	10	15	8	17	24	26
	2016-17	16	-	47	-	55	23	-
RESOLUTE BAY	2017-18	-	-	41	-	73	9	-
	2018-19	-	-	21	-	43	62	58
	2016-17	_	141	103	-	80	32	176
SANIKILUAQ	2017-18	-	30	32	-	80	148	71
	2018-19	-	130	61	-	82	-	99
	2016-17	_	35	52	28	42	_	78
TALOYOAK	2017-18	_	103	30	_	30	-	30
	2018-19	_	46	72	_	55	29	70
	2016-17	_	-	55	-	40	120	73
WHALE COVE	2017-18	_	-	51	-	34	-	45
	2018-19	_	-	74	-	76	_	74
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**3)** Number and processing time of driver's licence applications being processed as of June 1, 2019, by community and class of licence.

COMMUNITY	CLASS	under 30 days	31-60 days	61-90 days	90 days +	TOTAL
	1	1	0	0	0	1
ARCTIC BAY	5	7	0	0	0	7
	2	1	0	0	0	1
	3	8	0	1	0	9
ARVIAT	4	2	0	0	0	2
	5	19	4	3	4	30
	7	9	0	1	2	12
	1	4	0	0	1	5
	2	1	0	0	0	1
BAKER LAKE	3	23	1	0	1	25
	5	68	3	0	4	75
	7	13	0	1	1	15
	2	1	0	0	0	1
CAMBRIDGE BAY	3	5	0	0	0	5
CAIVIDRIDGE DAY	5	53	2	2	3	60
	7	10	0	0	1	11
CAPE DORSET	3	2	0	0	1	3
CAPE DORSET	5	7	0	0	2	9
CHESTERFIELD	3	5	0	0	0	5
INLET	5	22	1	0	0	23
IINLLI	7	5	1	1	0	7
	1	1	0	0	0	1
	2	1	0	0	1	2
CLYDE RIVER	3	2	0	0	0	2
	5	7	0	0	0	7
	7	0	0	0	1	1
	2	5	0	0	0	5
CORAL HARBOUR	3	6	0	0	0	6
CONALTIANDOON	4	1	0	0	0	1
	5	10	0	0	1	11
	3	0	0	0	1	1
GJOA HAVEN	5	7	0	0	4	11
	7	3	0	0	1	4
GRISE FIORD	5	1	0	0	0	1
	3	0	0	1	1	2
HALL BEACH	5	1	0	0	1	2
	7	0	1	0	0	1
	1	0	0	0	1	1
IGLOOLIK	2	1	0	0	0	1
.GEOGEIK	3	5	0	0	0	5
	5	22	0	0	1	23

	7	3	0	0	0	2
	7 1	3	0	0	0	3
	2	3	0			3
	3	7	0	0	0	7
IQALUIT	4	13	0	0	0	13
	5	182	4	0	0	186
	<u> </u>	43	1	0	1	45
	3	1	0	0	0	1
KIMMIRUT	<u>5</u>	1	0	0	1	2
KIIVIIVIIKOT	<u></u>	1	0	0	0	1
	3	1	2	0	0	3
KUGAARUK	<u> </u>	5	0	1	2	8
	<u> </u>	1	0	0	0	1
	3	2		0		2
KUGLUKTUK	5	15	0	0	0	16
	7					
	2	4	0	0	0	5
		<u>8</u>		0		8
NAUJAAT	3		0	0	0	7
	5	18	0	0	2	20
	7	3	0	0	0	3
DANICAUDTUNIC	3	1	0	0	0	1
PANGNIRTUNG	5	3	0	0	0	3
	7	1	0	0	0	1
DOND INLET	3	4	0	0	1	5
POND INLET	5	17	0	1	1	19
	7	12	0	0	1	13
_	1	1	0	0	0	1
DANIZINI INII ET	2	1	0	0	0	1
RANKIN INLET	4	1	0	0	0	1
	5	23	2	0	0	25
	7	4	1	0	0	5
DECOLUTE DAY	3	3	0	0	0	3
RESOLUTE BAY	5	3	0	0	0	3
	7	1	0	0	0	1
SANIKILUAQ	5	7	1	0	0	8
	7	2	2	0	0	4
	2	1	0	0	0	1
TALOYOAK	3	1	0	0	0	1
	5	1	2	1	0	4
	7	10	0	0	0	10
	3	1	0	0	0	1
WHALE COVE	5	3	0	0	1	4
	7	2	0	0	0	2