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SUBMITTED BY: Hon. Nils Clarke, Minister of Highways and Public Works

1.	On [date], [MLA]	
	asked the following question d numbers] of <i>Hansard</i>	luring the Oral Question Period at page(s) [page
	☐ submitted the following written question – WQ No. #	
	\Box gave notice of the following motion for the production of papers – MPP No. #	
	RE: [subject]	OB
OR		
2.	This legislative return relates to a matter outstanding from discussion with Lane Tredger, Member for Whitehorse Centre on March 27, 2023 related to:	
	Bill No. # 208	☐ Second Reading ☐ Third Reading
	200	☑ Committee of the Whole: Vote 55 Highways and
	Public Works	5 ,
	Motion No. #	RE: Carrier Compliance
	at page(s) 3297-3298 of Hansard.	
The re	sponse is as follows:	

Question:

- 1. How many carrier compliance officers are there and how many trucks they inspect annually and how often they are on the road?
- 2. Anecdotally, I have heard that they are not doing road stops as much as just staffing the weigh stations, but maybe the minister can either confirm or correct that?
- 3. I am curious how many officers are on at a given time and what the maximum fines are for non-compliance with regulations?
- 4. How many truck-related accidents are there on the Yukon highways in a given year?

Response:

1. Carrier Compliance has a total of 16 full-time and 2 part-time positions with enforcement powers between the two weigh scale stations in the Yukon (Watson Lake and the Whitehorse).

Carrier Compliance Officers inspect an average of 600-700 commercial vehicles annually.

2. Officers perform periodic on-road enforcement throughout the year. In addition to these activities, Carrier Compliance Officers perform 6-8 on-road operations annually throughout the Yukon that are coordinated with RCMP traffic services.

The focus of Carrier Compliance is the operation of the weigh scale stations where education, permitting, inspections, and enforcement occur on a 24/7 basis.

3. There are 1-3 officers on-shift depending on the time of day.

Non-Summary Conviction Act or multiple offender fines (i.e., court-imposed fines) can range from \$100 to \$50,000.

Summary Conviction Act fines range from:

Motor Vehicles Act violations between \$40 and \$400

Highways Act violations between \$50 and \$500

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National Safety Code violations between \$100 and \$1000 Dangerous Goods violations between \$100 and \$300

4. In 2022, Yukon commercial vehicles were involved in 116 collisions.

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