



## Triple Bottom Line (TBL) Assessment Summary

*The Triple Bottom Line Assessment is required to be published in accordance with Part 4, section 23 (1)(b) of the Freedom of Information Act 2016*

### 19/471 Intensive Correction Orders Review Report

#### Summary of impacts:

- It is not considered that there are any direct negative impacts on the ACT community arising from the review of the operation and effectiveness of ICOs
- It is anticipated that there may be positive impacts on the ACT community in relation to supporting people on an ICO, to improve timeliness when an ICO assessment is ordered, address their drug and alcohol dependence issues and reinforces a rehabilitative approach to sentencing, thereby assisting in reducing recidivism.
- Agreeing to release the Review Report ensures the community is aware of the ongoing consultation that will be undertaken, with a view to amending legislation in the future.

Level of impact	Positive	Negative	Neutral
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Social		
Level of impact	Impact	Summary
Positive	Gender equality	The review report applies to all offenders so will have a neutral impact on offenders of all genders or sexual orientation.
Positive	Human rights	The ICO as a sentencing option supports the application of Human Rights in the ACT and ensures those who comply with the conditions of an order can serve a sentence of imprisonment in the community
Neutral	Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The review report applies to all offenders so will have a neutral impact on Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander offenders.</li> <li>• It is known that indigenous offenders are often disadvantaged in the Justice system due to a range of other underlying issues. The review report makes recommendations to strengthen the ICO process to strengthen the assessment and other processes.</li> </ul>
Neutral	Disability	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The review report applies to all offenders so will have a neutral impact on offenders with a disability.</li> </ul>
Positive	Justice and crime	<p>The Review Report contains several positive suggestions for consideration for further consultation.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The ICO as a sentencing option reinforces a rehabilitative response to sentence administration and consequently can assist in reducing recidivism rates.</li> </ul>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• An ICO, as an alternative to imprisonment, enables the offender to maintain family ties, continue with employment and does not disrupt accommodation.</li></ul>
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<b>Economic</b>	Nil impact.
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<b>Environmental</b>	Nil impact.
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