

**Matters (1) where the financial advantage (2) was a social security benefit  
from 1 July 2018 to 6 March 2023 (as at 06.03.2023)**

Financial Year	134.2 only	135.2 only	Common to both 134.2 and 135.2	Total Matters
2018-19	89	333	11	433
2019-20	109	276	11	396
2020-21	75	134	6	215
2021-22	58	82	5	145
2022-23	8	19	3	30
<b>Total by financial year</b>	<b>339</b>	<b>844</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>1219</b>

**Notes:**

1. Matters refer to prosecution files.
2. Section 134.2 &/or section 135.2 of the Commonwealth Criminal Code.
3. Financial year refers to the date prosecution commenced.
4. Count is at matter level, regardless of number of charges laid in each matter (e.g. if one matter involved 5 charges under 135.2, counted as 1).
5. A matter may include charges for both s134.2 and s135.2. In the table above for the Financial Year 2018-19: 89 matters had a charge/s under 134.2, 333 matters had a charge/s under 135.2, 11 matters that had a charge/s under 134.2 AND 135.2. This means that there were 433 matters had a charge under either 134.2 and/or 135.2.
6. This data was extracted from the CDPP's prosecutions databases on 06/03/2023.