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Is Weatherill Labor outsourcing expiation notice checks?

SAPOL has today announced that vehicle owners who receive a red light or speed camera expiation notice will now be able to obtain immediate access to their photographs online.

This comes after the State Liberals revealed that over 5,000 expiation notices had to be withdrawn by SAPOL this financial year.

South Australia will implement this system five years after New South Wales and two years after Western Australia.

"Any measure to improve accuracy and transparency is supported by the State Liberals," said Shadow Minister for Police Dan van Holst Pellekaan.

"However, today's announcement simply begs the question whether the Weatherill Labor Government is simply outsourcing the job of checking explation notices to South Australians.

"Is this the answer to clerical errors or will it add to the mess?

"South Australian drivers have clearly expressed their concerns with the current camera system.

"However, it's not good enough for the Weatherill Labor Government to handball the responsibility of finding explation errors to South Australians, who are already focused on paying their bills and dealing with ever-increasing cost of living pressures."