

**Freedom of Information request: FA18/07/00438**  
**Program Years 2016/2017 and 2017/2018**

**Reference Report - BP0041 - Lodgements -**

Total number of applications lodged, by subclass:

- Partner (Provisional) visa (subclass 309) and Partner (Migrant) visa (subclass 100)
- Partner visa (subclasses 820 and 801)
- Partner visa (subclasses 461)
- Contributory Parent visa (subclass 173)
- Contributory Parent visa (subclass 143)
- Aged Parent visa (subclass 804)
- Contributory Aged-Parent (Temporary) (subclass 884)
- Contributory Aged Parent visa (subclasses 864)

Subclass	Program Year 2016-17	Program Year 2017-18
309/100 Partner (Provisional)	45,593	41,645
820/801 Partner	66,406	64,568
461 NZ Citizen Family Relationship (Temporary)	3,246	2,739
173 Contributory Parent (Temporary)	1,108	479
143 Contributory Parent (Migrant)	19,787	10,301
804 Aged Parent	1,292	1,047
884 Contributory Aged-Parent (Temporary)	68	42
864 Contributory Aged Parent	911	803

**Reference Report - BP0040 - Finalised -**

Total number of applications approved, refused and withdrawn, by subclass:

- Partner (Provisional) visa (subclass 309) and Partner (Migrant) visa (subclass 100)
- Partner visa (subclasses 820 and 801)
- Partner visa (subclasses 461)
- Contributory Parent visa (subclass 173)
- Contributory Parent visa (subclass 143)
- Aged Parent visa (subclass 804)
- Contributory Aged-Parent (Temporary) (subclass 884)
- Contributory Aged Parent visa (subclasses 864)

Subclass	Program Year 2016-17	Program Year 2017-18
309/100 Partner (Provisional)	48,508	48,093
820/801 Partner	54,362	58,783
461 NZ Citizen Family Relationship (Temporary)	2,327	1,037
173 Contributory Parent (Temporary)	930	790
143 Contributory Parent (Migrant)	6,428	6,712
804 Aged Parent	399	197
884 Contributory Aged-Parent (Temporary)	67	28
864 Contributory Aged Parent	398	414

**Reference Report - BP0060**

Total (and percentage) number of applications lodged without the appointment of a registered migration agent:

- Partner (Provisional) visa (subclass 309) and Partner (Migrant) visa (subclass 100)
- Partner visa (subclasses 820 and 801)
- Partner visa (subclasses 461)
- Contributory Parent visa (subclass 173)
- Contributory Parent visa (subclass 143)
- Aged Parent visa (subclass 804)
- Contributory Aged-Parent (Temporary) (subclass 884)
- Contributory Aged Parent visa (subclasses 864)

Subclass	Program Year 2016-17		Program Year 2017-18	
	Total	Percentage	Total	Percentage
309/100 Partner (Provisional)	28,979	64%	24,923	60%
820/801 Partner	37,322	56%	35,624	55%
461 NZ Citizen Family Relationship (Temporary)	2,810	87%	2,341	85%
173 Contributory Parent (Temporary)	723	65%	290	61%
143 Contributory Parent (Migrant)	11,000	56%	5,649	55%
804 Aged Parent	656	51%	537	51%
884 Contributory Aged-Parent (Temporary)	33	49%	20	48%
864 Contributory Aged Parent	427	47%	373	46%

**Reference Report - BP0060**

Total (and percentage) number of finalised applications lodged without the appointment of a registered migration agent:

- Partner (Provisional) visa (subclass 309) and Partner (Migrant) visa (subclass 100)
- Partner visa (subclasses 820 and 801)
- Partner visa (subclasses 461)
- Contributory Parent visa (subclass 173)
- Contributory Parent visa (subclass 143)
- Aged Parent visa (subclass 804)
- Contributory Aged-Parent (Temporary) (subclass 884)
- Contributory Aged Parent visa (subclasses 864)

Subclass	Program Year 2016-17				Program Year 2017-18			
	Finalised without M/A appointment	Percentage of Total Decisions	Granted	Refused	Finalised without M/A appointment	Percentage of Total Decisions	Granted	Refused
309/100 Partner (Provisional)	34,788	70%	31,197	2,466	33,133	69%	29,846	2,450
820/801 Partner	32,676	60%	29,275	2,195	34,312	58%	30,282	2,791
461 NZ Citizen Family Relationship (Temporary)	373	16%	-	223	1,275	90%	942	167
173 Contributory Parent (Temporary)	914	98%	754	35	760	96%	564	48
143 Contributory Parent (Migrant)	6,074	95%	5,328	160	6,107	91%	5,219	268
804 Aged Parent	242	61%	90	56	130	66%	39	16
884 Contributory Aged-Parent (Temporary)	44	66%	26	<5	19	68%	9	5
864 Contributory Aged Parent	194	49%	169	<5	184	44%	145	19

**Reference Report - BP0060**

Total (and percentage) number of applications lodged with the appointment of a registered migration agent:

- Partner (Provisional) visa (subclass 309) and Partner (Migrant) visa (subclass 100)
- Partner visa (subclasses 820 and 801)
- Partner visa (subclasses 461)
- Contributory Parent visa (subclass 173)
- Contributory Parent visa (subclass 143)
- Aged Parent visa (subclass 804)
- Contributory Aged-Parent (Temporary) (subclass 884)
- Contributory Aged Parent visa (subclasses 864)

Subclass	Program Year 2016-17		Program Year 2017-18	
	Total	Percentage	Total	Percentage
309/100 Partner (Provisional)	16,614	36%	16,722	40%
820/801 Partner	29,084	44%	28,944	45%
461 NZ Citizen Family Relationship (Temporary)	436	13%	398	15%
173 Contributory Parent (Temporary)	385	35%	189	39%
143 Contributory Parent (Migrant)	8,787	44%	4,652	45%
804 Aged Parent	636	49%	510	49%
884 Contributory Aged-Parent (Temporary)	35	51%	22	52%
864 Contributory Aged Parent	484	53%	430	54%

**Reference Report - BP0060**

Total (and percentage) number of finalised applications that were lodged with the appointment of a registered migration agent:

- Partner (Provisional) visa (subclass 309) and Partner (Migrant) visa (subclass 100)
- Partner visa (subclasses 820 and 801)
- Partner visa (subclasses 461)
- Contributory Parent visa (subclass 173)
- Contributory Parent visa (subclass 143)
- Aged Parent visa (subclass 804)
- Contributory Aged-Parent (Temporary) (subclass 884)
- Contributory Aged Parent visa (subclasses 864)

Subclass	Program Year 2016-17				Program Year 2017-18			
	Finalised with M/A appointment	Percentage of Total Decisions	Granted	Refused	Finalised with M/A appointment	Percentage of Total Decisions	Granted	Refused
309/100 Partner (Provisional)	13,720	30%	11,682	1,584	14,960	31%	12,555	1,979
820/801 Partner	21,686	40%	17,721	2,830	24,471	42%	20,358	3,025
461 NZ Citizen Family Relationship (Temporary)	1,954	84%	1,919	17	139	10%	95	13
173 Contributory Parent (Temporary)	16	2%	11	-	30	4%	8	-
143 Contributory Parent (Migrant)	354	5%	297	5	605	9%	473	20
804 Aged Parent	157	39%	51	38	67	34%	9	<5
884 Contributory Aged-Parent (Temporary)	23	34%	15	5	9	32%	<5	<5
864 Contributory Aged Parent	204	51%	170	<5	230	56%	176	16

Please confirm the total number of Subclass 485 Graduate visas submitted

## Subclass 485 Temporary Graduate visas lodged pivot table

2018-19 to 31 October 2018 - comparison with previous years

Note: The pivot table has been locked due to privacy reasons. Instructions to create copies of the data can be found on DIBP website.

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Applicant Type	(All)
Citizenship Country	(All)
Financial Year Quarter	(All)
Gender	(All)
Month	(All)

Sum of Total Visa Subclass	Visa Stream	Financial Year of Visa	
		Lodged 2016-17	2017-18
485 Temporary Graduate	Graduate Work	10,194	9,534
	Post-Study Work	32,963	45,329
<b>485 Temporary Graduate Total</b>		<b>43,157</b>	<b>54,863</b>
<b>Grand Total</b>		<b>43,157</b>	<b>54,863</b>

Please confirm the total number of Subclass 485 Graduate visas decided

**Subclass 485 Graduate Visas decided (assuming same periods required as requested for Partner visas.)**

	2016-17	2017-18
Subclass 485 visas decided	43,222	53,624

Please confirm the number and percentage of Subclass 485 Graduate visas submitted without the appointment of a registered migration agent

**Subclass 485 Temporary Graduate visa applications (persons) lodged between 2016-17 and 2017-18 by registered migration agent used**

Source: Department of Home Affairs, 2018 (RFI 21433 .01)

Note 1: Figures are subject to variation. The data is sourced from our global Departmental systems. There can be delays in transmission of information.

Registered migration agent used	2016-17	%	2017-18	%
No	22,905	52.7%	27,905	50.9%
Yes	20,532	47.3%	26,944	49.1%
<b>Total</b>	<b>43,437</b>		<b>54,849</b>	

Of the decided Subclass 485 Graduate visas submitted without the appointment of a registered migration agent, please confirm the number and percentage of these that were approved and refused. Please confirm the number and percentage of Subclass 485 Graduate visas submitted with the appointment of a registered migration agent. Of the decided Subclass 485 Graduate visas submitted with the appointment of a registered migration agent, please confirm the number and percentage of these that were approved and refused.

**Subclass 485 Temporary Graduate visas granted between 2016-17 and 2017-18 by decision and registered migration agent used**

Source: Department of Home Affairs, 2018 (RFI 21433 .02)

Note 1: Figures are subject to variation. The data is sourced from our global Departmental systems. There can be delays in transmission of information.

Decision	Registered migration agent used	2016-17	%	2017-18	%
Granted	No	21,603	52.2%	26,179	50.7%
	Yes	19,784	47.8%	25,477	49.3%
	<b>Granted Total</b>	<b>41,387</b>		<b>51,656</b>	
Refused	No	1,234	72.7%	1,329	67.5%
	Yes	463	27.3%	639	32.5%
	<b>Refused Total</b>	<b>1,697</b>		<b>1,968</b>	
<b>Total</b>		<b>43,084</b>		<b>53,624</b>	