



Freedom of Information Request – FA 20/06/00075

According to migration planning level 2019-2020, there are 16,652 places allocated to Skilled Independent Visa (189). However, only 7,000 invitations have been issued as of April 2020. Are secondary applicants and NZ applicants included in 16,652 places?

Answer:

Secondary applicants and New Zealand pathway applicants are included in the 16,652 places available for the Skilled Independent visa.

Is 16,652 places the cap for number of invitations issued or the number of grants for 2019-2020?

Answer:

16,652 is the number of visas which can be granted in 2019-20 for the Skilled Independent visa.