

Response to FOI Request FA 20/10/00640

1. De-identified statistics regarding how many visa applicants residing in Queensland are affected by the judgment in *DBB16 v Minister for Immigration and Border Protection* [2018] FCAFC 178 (the *DBB16* judgment).

There are 271 non-citizens resident in Queensland who were previously thought to have entered Australia at Ashmore Reef but who, as a result of *DBB16*, in fact entered Australia other than at an excised offshore place, and are therefore not Unauthorised Maritime Arrivals (UMAs).

2. De-identified statistics detailing how many Queensland residents have been notified of a bar lift under section 91L/K of the Migration Act since 1 July 2020 - collated by the month in which the bar lift was notified and the number of applicants for whom the bar was lifted in those months.

The below answer assumes this question refers to Queensland residents who are *DBB16*-affected, being applicants who were previously thought to have entered Australia at Ashmore Reef but who, as a result of *DBB16*, in fact entered Australia other than at an excised offshore place, and are therefore not UMAs.

Bar lift	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Grand Total	
year														9
2020							27	9	16	17	-	-	6 9	SIII

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