



Freedom of Information Request FA 21/04/01052

FOI request:

The number of citizenship applications on hand, waiting for a decision, approved, and waiting for a ceremony at the City of Sydney LGA.

Response:

As at 30 April 2021, there were 894 Australian citizenship by conferral applications on-hand for clients whose preferred council for a citizenship ceremony was the City of Sydney.

As at 30 April 2021, 1,876 people whose applications for Australian citizenship by conferral had been approved were waiting to attend a ceremony at the City of Sydney.

Caveats:

- It is the responsibility of the area providing Department of Home Affairs information to external stakeholders to ensure that the disclosure is in accordance with the ABF Act, Australian Privacy Principles or other relevant legislation.*
- With regards to Immigration data, the Department's current policy is to mask numbers which are less than five as <5, noting we are reviewing the confidentiality method for the future.*