Visa Applications lodged for subclass 190 Skilled - Nominated between 1/03/2020 and 30/04/2021 by client location Response to FOI request 21/05/00199

Source: Department of Home Affairs, 2021 (DD-11925.01) Note 1: Includes primary and secondary applicants

		Activity Month													
Visa Subclass	Client Location	Mar-20	Apr-20	May-20	Jun-20	Jul-20	Aug-20	Sep-20	Oct-20	Nov-20	Dec-20	Jan-21	Feb-21	Mar-21	Apr-21
190 Skilled - Nominated	In Australia	1,255	1,120	1,185	1,114	875	185	440	1,117	830	569	541	703	1,323	1,474
	Outside Australia	566	386	393	276	225	70	62	129	91	92	69	67	135	142
190 Skilled - Nominated Total		1,821	1,506	1,578	1,390	1,100	255	502	1,246	921	661	610	770	1,458	1,616

Visa Applications granted for subclass 190 Skilled - Nominated between 1/03/2020 and 30/04/2021 Response to FOI request 21/05/00199

Source: Department of Home Affairs, 2021 (DD-11925.02)

Note 1: Includes primary and secondary applicants

		Activity Month												
Visa Subclass	Mar-20	Apr-20	May-20	Jun-20	Jul-20	Aug-20	Sep-20	Oct-20	Nov-20	Dec-20	Jan-21	Feb-21	Mar-21	Apr-2
190 Skilled - Nominated Total	1,806	864	1,020	809	582	265	478	549	1,093	1,021	721	901	2,052	1,618

Visa Applications granted for subclass 190 Skilled - Nominated between 1/03/2020 and 30/04/2021 where occupation is 331212 Carpenter Response to FOI request 21/05/00199

Source: Department of Home Affairs, 2021 (DD-11925.03)

Note 1: Includes primary applicants only Note 2: Where applicable, with regards to immigration-specific data and as per current privacy guidelines, the Department's policy is to mask numbers which are less than five.

		Activity Month													
Visa Subclass	Occupation	Mar-20	Apr-20	May-20	Jun-20	Jul-20	Aug-20	Sep-20	Oct-20	Nov-20	Dec-20	Jan-21	Feb-21	Mar-21 A	pr-21
190 Skilled - Nominated Total	331212 Carpenter	<5	0	<5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	<5	<5	0

• 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.

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How many caseworkers are working on processing 190 visa grants?

The Department allocates resources flexibly to manage demand and on-hand levels for all visa types processed, as well as non-processing activities for which a business unit may be responsible. In addition, processing staff work across a range of skilled visas and are not allocated to processing a single visa subclass.

How many caseworkers across the whole Department of Immigration are employed?

On 31 March 2021, there were 2,017 FTE in Immigration Programs Division who were all directly or indirectly involved in visa processing or travel exemption processing in relation to the non-humanitarian visa program. Some visa processing work is also undertaken outside Immigration Programs Division.

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