

Australian Government

Freedom of Information Request FA 21/06/00557

Part 1: Australian visas granted to North Koreans:

(i) The number of applications for refugee and humanitarian visas made by North Koreans since 1 January 2010

(ii) The number of those visas from (i) that were both granted and denied by immigration authorities

Response:

There have been no lodgements or decisions for the offshore component of the program by North Korean nationals since 1 January 2011.

There have been 14 lodgements for the onshore component of the program by North Korean nationals since 1 January 2011.

There have been fewer than 5 applications by North Korean nationals decided for the onshore component of the program since 1 January 2011.

Note:

The Department currently only holds data for the previous 10 program years.

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Part 1 (iii): The number of North Koreans who have applied for other [non-Humanitarian] visas to enter Australia (and a breakdown of both successful and unsuccessful applications).

Lodgement by program year- Citizenship Co	untry,Korea	, North										
Sum of Lodged	Financial	Year										
Visa Category	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12	2012-13	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21 YTD 31 May 2021
Crew and Transit	<5	10	<5	6	<5	<5		<5	<5	<5	<5	<5
Student	<5	5	<5	i <5	6	<5	<5	<5		5	<5	<5
Temporary Resident (Other Employment)	<5		6	i <5	<5	97	5	22	<5	<5	<5	
Temporary Resident (Skilled Employment)	<5	<5		<5	<5			<5	<5		<5	<5
Visitor	62	14	15	22	12	12	9	<5	<5	<5	<5	<5
Family	<5	<5	<5	i <5			<5	<5	<5	<5		
Skilled	<5	<5	<5	i <5		<5	<5	<5	<5		<5	
Resident Return/ADV		<5	<5	i	<5	<5				<5		<5
Other Permanent	<5											
Special Eligibility		<5										
Grand Total	S. 1	47F(1)										
Source: BP0001												
Visa granted by program year- Citizenship C	ountry,Kore	a. North										
Visa Category	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12	2012-13	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21 YTD 31 May 2021
Visa Category Crew and Transit	2009-10 <5	2010-11				2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18 <5		2019-20 <5	
		2010-11 7	<5	i <5	<5				<5			<5
Crew and Transit	<5	2010-11 7 <5	<5	<5 <5	<5 10		6	<5	<5	<5 <5	<5	<5 <5
Crew and Transit Student	<5 <5	2010-11 7 <5	<5 <5	<5 <5 <5 <5	<5 10 <5	5	6 5	<5	<5	<5 <5 <5	<5 <5	<5 <5
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Crew and Transit Student Temporary Resident (Other Employment) Temporary Resident (Skilled Employment) Visitor Skilled Resident Retum/ADV Child	<5 <5 <5 43 <5 <5 <5	2010-11 7 <5 <5 <5	<5 <5 <5 12 <5 <5	 <5 <5 <5 <5 <5 <1 <1 <1 	<5 10 <5 <5 7	5 85 <5 12 <5	6 5 <5	<5 21 <5 <5	<5 <5 <5 <5	<5 <5 <5 <5	ব্য ব্য ব্য	<5 <5 <5 <5
Crew and Transit Student Temporary Resident (Other Employment) Temporary Resident (Skilled Employment) Visitor Skilled Resident Retum/ADV Child Family	<5 <5 <5 43 <5 <5 <5	2010-11 7 <5 <5 <5	<5 <5 <5 12 <5 <5	 <5 <5 <5 <5 <5 <1 <1 <1 	<5 10 <5 <5 7	5 85 <5 12 <5	6 5 <5	<5 21 <5 <5	<5 <5 <5 <5	<5 <5 <5 <5	ব্য ব্য ব্য	<5 <5 <5 <5
Crew and Transit Student Temporary Resident (Other Employment) Temporary Resident (Skilled Employment) Visitor Skilled Resident Retum/ADV Child Family Special Eligibility	<5 <5 <5 43 <5 <5 <5	2010-11 7 <5 <5 <5	<5 <5 <5 12 <5 <5	 <5 <5 <5 <5 <5 <1 <1 <1 	<5 10 <5 <5 7	5 85 <5 12 <5	6 5 <5	<5 21 <5 <5	<5 <5 <5 <5	<5 <5 <5 <5	ব্য ব্য ব্য	<5 <5 <5 <5

Visa refused by program year- Citizenship C	Country,Kore	ea, North											
Visa Category	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12	2012-13	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21 YTD 31	May 2021
Crew and Transit		<	5		<	5 <	5			<	5		
Student							<	5		<	5		
Temporary Resident (Other Employment)			<	5			<	5	<	5			
Temporary Resident (Skilled Employment)				<	5								
Visitor	1(D 1()	<	5 <5	5	1	7 <	5				
Skilled	<	5		<	5				<	5	<	5	
Family				<	5								
Other Permanent		<	5										
Grand Total	s.	47F(1)				<	5 5.4	7F(1 <	5 S	. 47F(1)	<	5	0
Source: BP0001													

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Part 3:

(i) Figures showing the number of people deported to North Korea since 1 January 2010

(ii) The reasons for each of those deportations.

Response:

	1 Jan 2010 to 30 June 2021
Removals to North Korea	<5
Total	<5

The reason for all the removals to North Korea is that the detainees requested voluntary removal and signed a request for removal form.

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