## Freedom of Information Request FA 21/06/01179

## **Questions:**

- 1. Number of citizenship by conferral applications received, by month, in the state of Victoria, from Dec 1 2020 and May 31 2021
- 2. Number of citizenship by conferral applications approved, by month, in the state of Victoria, from Dec 1 2020 and May 31 2021
- 3. Total number of citizenship by conferral applications in the state of Victoria on hand currently

## Response:

Question 1 & 2

Number of Australian citizenship by conferral applications\* lodged and approved in Victoria, by month (1 December 2020 to 31 May 2021)

Month/year	No. of applications lodged**	No. of applications approved
Dec-20	3,647	1,832
Jan-21	4,025	2,878
Feb-21	3,904	3,325
Mar-21	4,079	5,009
Apr-21	3,736	4,607
May-21	4,028	5,316

<sup>&</sup>quot;Includes counts of children under 16 years of age who were included on a responsible parent's application form.

Figures for the 2020-21 financial year may differ from previous or other reports due to the use of a dynamic database.

The Department of Home Affairs must be consulted regarding any requests to use this data for purposes not originally intended or discussed.

3. As at 30 June 2020, there were 62,195 Australian citizenship by conferral applications\* on-hand, for which the applicant's residential address was in Victoria.

\*includes counts of children under 16 years of age who were included on a responsible parent's application form.

<sup>&</sup>quot;Aplications lodged in any given month are not necessarily finalised within the same month.