



FOI Request FA 21/07/01300

Questions:

1. Number of nomination applications for visa subclass 186 Employer Nomination Scheme (ENS) - Temporary Residence Transition (TRT) stream lodged between 1 July 2020 and 25 July 2021
2. Number of 186 ENS - TRT stream applications refused between 1 July 2020 and 25 July 2021 AND of these how many applications did not meet the health requirement

Employer Nomination Scheme (ENS) – Temporary Residence Transition (TRT) (subclass 186) Nominations lodged & visa applications refused 2020-2021 program year (1 July 2020 – 30 June 2021)	
Nominations lodged	Visa applications refused
4,924	339

The number of subclass 186 ENS – TRT stream applications that were refused and did not meet the health requirement between 1 July 2020 and 25 July 2021 was **20**.

This is the count of the number of subclass 186 applicants who were refused a visa between 1 July 2020 and 30 June 2021 who **also** did not meet the health requirement, noting that it includes visa applications that were lodged prior to 1 July 2020, but finalised within this period.

3. Number of health waivers issued for the applications that did not meet the health requirement under 186 ENS - TRT stream between 1 July 2020 and 25 July 2021

The number of subclass 186 ENS – TRT stream visa applicants that did not meet the health requirement between 1 July 2020 and 25 July 2021 and that met the criteria for a health waiver was **33**.

This is a count of decisions made to waive the health requirement (including AAT waivers) for subclass 186 applicants where a DNM opinion was provided between the requested dates (ie, as opposed to waivers made between the requested dates). For subclass 186, only TRT stream applicants are required to meet PIC 4007 (for both primary and secondary applicants) and so all waiver decisions are taken to be for the TRT stream. This includes visa applications that were lodged prior to 1 July 2020.

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4. *Number of 186 ENS - TRT stream applications between 1 July 2020 and 25 July 2021 that have been approved with health waiver.*

The number of subclass 186 ENS – TRT stream visa applicants that had a health waiver exercised and were granted a visa between 1 July 2020 and 25 July 2021 was **90**.

This is the number of subclass 186 visas granted between the relevant dates after the health requirement was waived (including AAT waivers), noting that a health waiver is not taken to be exercised until the time of visa decision. Includes cases where the visa was lodged and DNM opinion and waiver considerations were made prior to 1 July 2020.