Question: Hi, I am currently a student at Griffith University and would appreciate your assistance with the following statistics to assist me with my research paper regarding partner visa domestic violence cases. From 1 July 2010 to current:

- 1. How many applicants have accessed family violence provision for partner visa applications
- 2. How many applicants were approved permanent residency under family violence provisions for partner visa applications
- 3. Would you be able to provide me a table of countries of where migrants are from that have been approved permanent residency under family violence provisions for partner visa applications Thank you so much!.

Response:

From 1 July 2010 to current:

1. How many applicants have accessed family violence provision for partner visa applications

Number of *Partner (Primary) visa applicants who accessed family violence provision - 1 July 2011 to 31 August 2021

| Claims of Family Violence | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---------------------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|-----------------------|
| | 2011-12 | 2012-13 | 2013-14 | 2014-15 | 2015-16 | 2016-17 | 2017-18 | 2018-19 | 2019-20 | 2020-21 | 2021-22 to 31/08/2021 |
| Total | 860 | 747 | 668 | 454 | 537 | 543 | 615 | 626 | 793 | 740 | 110 |

NOTE: Domestic Violence data is available from 1 July 2011 only

*Partner (Primary) visa applicants includes all subclass 100 and 801 primary visa applicants who accessed family violence provision

2. How many applicants were approved permanent residency under family violence provisions for partner visa applications

*Partner (Primary) visa applicants granted permanent residence who accessed family violence provision - 1 July 2011 to 31 August 2021

| Visa granted on Family Violence grounds | DV Ou Finan Year | itcome cial | | | | | | | | | nent o' format |
|--|------------------------|----------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|----------------------|
| | 2011-12 | 2012-13 | 2013-14 | 2014-15 | 2015-16 | 2016-17 | 2017-18 | 2018-19 | 2019-20 | 2020-21 | 2021-22 to 31/0W2021 |
| Total | 503 | 553 | 503 | 494 | 507 | 413 | 493 | 471 | 599 | 592 | 85 eb |

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3. Would you be able to provide me a table of countries of where migrants are from that have been approved permanent residency under family violence provisions for partner visa applications.

Top 10 Country of Citizenship – *Partner (Primary) visa applicants granted permanent residence who accessed family violence provision – 1 July 2011 to 31 August 2021

| | DV Out Financi | come al Year | | | | | | | | | |
|---|-------------------|-----------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|-----------------------|
| Citizenship Country | 2011-12 | 2012-13 | 2013-14 | 2014-15 | 2015-16 | 2016-17 | 2017-18 | 2018-19 | 2019-20 | 2020-21 | 2021-22 to 31/08/2021 |
| India China, Peoples Republic of | 45 | 47 | 43 | 57 | 47 | 44 | 57 | 56 | 71 | 54 | 8 |
| (excl SARs) | 57 | 59 | 61 | 40 | 54 | 32 | 48 | 42 | 46 | 36 | 8 |
| Vietnam | 37 | 51 | 54 | 44 | 48 | 46 | 40 | 36 | 60 | 49 | 9 |
| Philippines | 51 | 43 | 38 | 39 | 38 | 34 | 50 | 43 | 40 | 50 | <5 |
| United Kingdom | 31 | 25 | 31 | 16 | 27 | 20 | 19 | 25 | 41 | 38 | 7 |
| Thailand | 22 | 31 | 22 | 28 | 25 | 19 | 23 | 22 | 26 | 26 | 6 |
| Fiji | 19 | 12 | 15 | 14 | 15 | 12 | 13 | 3 | 6 | 7 | <5 |
| Lebanon | 17 | 11 | 16 | 14 | 13 | 8 | 5 | 6 | 10 | 7 | <5 |
| Korea, South | 15 | 14 | 15 | 6 | 7 | 11 | 5 | 10 | 8 | 12 | <5 |
| Colombia | 5 | 9 | 6 | 5 | 7 | 11 | 10 | 15 | 18 | 15 | <5 |
| OTHER | 204 | 251 | 202 | 231 | 226 | 176 | 223 | 213 | 273 | 298 | 47 |
| Grand Total | 503 | 553 | 503 | 494 | 507 | 413 | 493 | 471 | 599 | 592 | 85 |

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