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Questions:

- 1. The Number of On hand 489(Invited Pathway) Visa Applications , Primary Applicants as of 31/08/2021, where client location is inside Australia.
- 2. The Number of On hand 489(Invited Pathway) Visa Applications ,Secondary Applicants as of 31/08/2021, where client location is inside Australia.
- 3. The Number of On hand 489(Invited Pathway) Visa Applications , Primary Applicants as of 31/08/2021, where client location is outside Australia.
- 4. The Number of On hand 489(Invited Pathway) Visa Applications , Secondary Applicants as of 31/08/2021, where client location is outside Australia.

Caveats:

- This information is provided for the specific purpose of this request. Any other use of the information provided will require consideration and clearance by Data Division, and a separate request should be made to \$.22(1)(a)(iii
- It is the responsibility of the area providing Department of Home Affairs information to external stakeholders to ensure that the disclosure is in accordance with the ABF Act, Australian Privacy Principles or other relevant legislation.
- 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.

Notes:

Source: Department of Home Affairs, 2021 (internal documents).

Note: Skilled - Regional (Provisional; subclass 489) visas are not broken down by pathway, where responses include all pathway applications.

Response:

Skilled - Regional (Provisional; subclass 489) visas onhand as at 31 August 2021.		
Client location	Primary applicant	Secondary applicant
In Australia	176	205
Outside Australia	1,431	2,485