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FOI Request - FA 21/10/00090

Request:

1. The number of Visa applications on-hand for subclass 187 Regional Sponsored Migration Scheme Direct Entry as of Oct/2021 with where applicant location is In Australia.
2. The number of Visa applications granted by month for subclass 187 Regional Sponsored Migration Scheme Direct Entry between Jan/2021 and Sep/2021 with where applicant location is In Australia.
3. The number of Visa applications granted by month for subclass 187 Regional Sponsored Migration Scheme Direct Entry between Jan/2021 and Sep/2021 with where applicant location is In Australia and occupation of 351411 Cook.

Response:

1. 609 applications were on hand for Regional Sponsored Migration Scheme (subclass 187) as at 31 August 2021, where applicant is onshore.

Note: Data as at 31 August 2021 was the latest available at the time of request.

2. Please see table one below.
3. Please see table one below.

Table 1: Visas granted by month for Regional Sponsored Migration Scheme (subclass 187) between 1 January 2021 and 31 August 2021, where applicant is onshore for all occupations and for occupation Cook (ANZSCO 351411).

| Month | All Occupations | Cook (ANZSCO 351411) |
|---------------|-----------------|----------------------|
| January 2021 | 12 | Nil |
| February 2021 | 41 | <5 |
| March 2021 | 128 | 13 |
| April 2021 | 87 | 14 |
| May 2021 | 99 | 9 |
| June 2021 | 87 | 7 |
| July 2021 | 40 | <5 |
| August 2021 | 63 | 5 |

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