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**Response to FOI request 20/11/00169**

Source: Department of Home Affairs, 2020 (DD-4557.01)

Note 1: Includes primary and secondary applicants.

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Visa Subclass	Snapshot Date
	31/10/2020
<b>887 Skilled - Regional Total</b>	<b>4,432</b>



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Question 4 - Number of case officers assigned on subclass 887 in September 2020 and October 2020?

Question 5 - Number of case officers will assign on Subclass 887 in from November 2020 to next 6 months?

### Response:

Question 4 – case officers assigned to processing subclass 887 Skilled Regional in September 2020 and October 2020 (average number assigned each day)

Month	Average case officers assigned each day
September 2020	5.03
October 2020	2.9

*Note: Information reflects time spent processing subclass 887 applications; case officers processed other subclasses as well during the report period.*

Question 5 - in November 2020 and during the following 6 months, the equivalent of one case officer per day will be assigned to processing subclass 887 applications.



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## FA 20/11/00764

**Visa applications granted for visa subclass 887 where activity month between 01/10/2019 to 31/10/2020:**

Visa Subclass	31/10/2019	30/11/2019	31/12/2019	31/01/2020	29/02/2020	31/03/2020	30/04/2020	31/05/2020	30/06/2020	31/07/2020	31/08/2020	30/09/2020	31/10/2020
887 Skilled - Regional Total	647	195	248	362	190	165	690	1,296	1,691	1,758	1,831	1,484	698

Source: Department of Home Affairs, 2020 (DD-5437.01)

Note 1: Includes primary and secondary applicants.

**Visa applications lodged for visa subclass 887 where activity month between 01/10/2019 to 31/10/2020:**

Visa Subclass	31/10/2019	30/11/2019	31/12/2019	31/01/2020	29/02/2020	31/03/2020	30/04/2020	31/05/2020	30/06/2020	31/07/2020	31/08/2020	30/09/2020	31/10/2020
887 Skilled - Regional Total	520	481	431	406	484	589	531	622	708	706	665	747	698

Source: Department of Home Affairs, 2020 (DD-5437.02)

Note 1: Includes primary and secondary applicants.

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## FA 20/12/00521

**Visa applications lodged for visa subclass 887 where activity month between 01/11/2020 and 30/11/2020:**

Visa Subclass	30/11/2020
887 Skilled - Regional	663
<b>Total</b>	

Source: Department of Home Affairs, 2020 (DD-6476.01)

Note 1: Includes primary and secondary applicants.

**Visa applications granted for visa subclass 887 where activity month between 01/11/2020 and 30/11/2020:**

Visa Subclass	30/11/2020
887 Skilled - Regional	146
<b>Total</b>	

Source: Department of Home Affairs, 2020 (DD-6476.02)

Note 1: Includes primary and secondary applicants.

**Visa applications onhand for visa subclass 887 as at 30/11/2020:**

Visa Subclass	30/11/2020
887 Skilled - Regional	4,944
<b>Total</b>	

Source: Department of Home Affairs, 2020 (DD-6476.03)

Note 1: Includes primary and secondary applicants.

## Visa applications onhand for visa subclass 887 as at 30/11/2020 where applicant type is Primary:

Visa Subclass	30/11/2020
887 Skilled - Regional	
Total	1,915

Source: Department of Home Affairs, 2020 (DD-6476.04)

Note 1: Includes primary applicants only.





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Visa applications granted for all Skilled subclasses where grant month between 01/07/2020 and 24/12/2020:

Visa Subclass	Grant Month					DEC - 2020 to 24/12/2020
	JUL - 2020	AUG - 2020	SEP - 2020	OCT - 2020	NOV - 2020	
124 Distinguished Talent	179	188	208	300	363	204
132 Business Talent	11	17	16	55	252	279
186 Employer Nomination Scheme	2,455	1,391	1,191	1,557	1,878	1,521
187 Regional Sponsored Migration Scheme	160	96	94	111	70	68
188 Business Innovation and Investment (Provisional)	68	72	746	782	769	653
189 Skilled - Independent	544	527	739	342	419	240
190 Skilled - Nominated	607	275	552	601	1,137	1,014
487 Skilled - Regional Sponsored	< 5				< 5	
489 Skilled - Regional (Provisional)	78	68	64	231	55	73
491 Skilled Work Regional (Provisional)	409	421	328	1,138	965	751
494 Skilled Employer Sponsored Regional (Provisional)	43	61	31	60	168	132
858 Distinguished Talent	597	445	285	305	316	277
885 Skilled - Independent						5

887 Skilled - Regional	1,759	1,832	1,485	698	149	158
888 Business Innovation and Investment (Permanent)	104	165	285	335	1,698	350
890 Business Owner	< 5	< 5		5	55	15
892 State/Territory Sponsored Business Owner			9	< 5	66	19
893 State/Territory Sponsored Business Investor			< 5		8	
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>7,019</b>	<b>5,560</b>	<b>6,035</b>	<b>6,523</b>	<b>8,370</b>	<b>5,755</b>

Source: Department of Home Affairs, 2021 (DD-6828.01)

Note 1: Includes primary and secondary applicants.

Note 2: Where applicable, with regards to immigration-specific data and as per current privacy guidelines, the Department's policy is to mask numbers which are less than five.

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