

**Question on notice no. 469**

**Portfolio question number: AE21-469**

**2020-21 Additional estimates**

**Legal and Constitutional Affairs Committee, Home Affairs Portfolio**

**Senator Nick McKim:** asked the Department of Home Affairs on 22 March 2021—

How many SHEV visa holders have applied for a permanent visa?

a. How many permanent visas have been granted?

**Answer —**

Please see the attached answer.

**SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE ON LEGAL AND CONSTITUTIONAL AFFAIRS  
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**Home Affairs Portfolio  
Department of Home Affairs**

**Program 2.4: Refugee and Humanitarian Assistance**

**AE21-469 - SHEV holders - permanent visa**

Senator Nick McKim asked:

How many SHEV visa holders have applied for a permanent visa?

a. How many permanent visas have been granted?

*Answer:*

As at 31 January 2021, 72 persons who hold or previously held a Safe Haven Enterprise (subclass 790) visa have applied for a permanent visa.

As at 31 January 2021, 6 persons who previously held a Safe Haven Enterprise (subclass 790) visa have been granted a permanent visa.