

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.

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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.