

**Question on notice no. 68**

**Portfolio question number: BE22-068**

**2022-23 Budget estimates**

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

**Senator Nick McKim:** asked the Department of Home Affairs on 19 April 2022—

While Australia's international border was closed, how many travel permission approvals under Condition 8570 have been granted to SHEV/TPV holders? Please provide a breakdown by year.

**Answer —**

Please see the attached answer.

**SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE ON LEGAL AND CONSTITUTIONAL AFFAIRS  
BUDGET ESTIMATES  
MARCH / APRIL 2022**

**Home Affairs Portfolio  
Department of Home Affairs**

**Program 2.2: Visas**

**BE22-068 - SHEV Visa Holders - Condition 8570 - Border Closed**

Senator Nick McKim asked:

While Australia's international border was closed, how many travel permission approvals under Condition 8570 have been granted to SHEV/TPV holders? Please provide a breakdown by year.

*Answer:*

Between 21 March 2020 and 14 December 2021 a total of 105 travel permission approvals under Condition 8570 were granted to SHEV/TPV holders.

| <b>Year</b>            | <b>Approval Outcomes</b> |
|------------------------|--------------------------|
| 2020 (from 21/03/2020) | 29                       |
| 2021 (to 14/12/2021)   | 76                       |