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PARLIAMENTARY INQUIRY WRITTEN QUESTION ON NOTICE

Joint Standing Committee on Migration inquiry into Australia's Skilled Migration Program

QoN Number: 09

Subject: 457 visa and TSS nominations approved between base salary points

Asked by: Julian Hill

Question:

1. For 2017-18, how many 457 visa or TSS nominations were approved with base salary between \$53,900 and \$58,500?
2. For 2018-19, how many 457 visa or TSS nominations were approved with base salary between \$53,900 and \$60,000?
3. For 2019-20, how many 457 visa or TSS nominations were approved with a base salary between \$53,900 and \$62,000?

Answer:

For the 2017-18 program year, 9,798 Temporary Work (Skilled) (subclass 457), and 711 Temporary Skill Shortage (subclass 482) nominations were approved with a base salary between \$53,900 and \$58,500 per annum.

For the 2018-19 program year, 3,257 Temporary Work (Skilled) (subclass 457), and 7,646 Temporary Skill Shortage nominations were approved with a base salary between \$53,900 and \$60,100 per annum.

For the 2019-20 program year, 68 Temporary Work (Skilled) (subclass 457), and 6,590 Temporary Skill Shortage nominations were approved with a base salary between \$53,900 and \$62,000 per annum.

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QoN Number: 10

Subject: Share of nominations for each industry and one-digit ANZSCO code

Asked by: Julian Hill

Question:

For 2019-20, what was the share of nominations approved with a base salary between \$53,900 and \$62,000 for each industry and one-digit ANZSCO code?

Answer:

The data in the tables below covers the following visa programs:

- a) Temporary Skill Shortage (TSS) (subclass 482)
- b) Temporary Work (Skilled) (subclass 457)
- c) Skilled Employer Sponsored Regional (Provisional) (SESR) (subclass 494)
- d) Employer Nomination Scheme (ENS) (subclass 186)
- e) Regional Sponsored Migration Scheme (RSMS) (subclass 187).

The table below provides the number of approved nominations for the 2019-20 program year with a base salary between \$53,900 and \$62,000 per annum, split by one digit major ANZSCO group.

	TSS	457	SESR	ENS	RSMS
Managers	769	16	8	655	588
Professionals	1,008	8	<5	371	97
Technicians and Trades Workers	3,995	39	10	2,013	874
Community and Personal Services Workers	210	<5	10	156	130
Clerical and Administrative Workers	32	<5	8	41	72
Sales Workers	21	0	0	49	5
Machinery Operators and Drivers	<5	0	0	303	0
Labourers	44	0	0	0	0
Not Specified	507	0	0	0	0
Total	6,590	68	32	3,588	1,766

The table below provides the number of approved nominations for the 2019-20 program year with a base salary between \$53,900 and \$62,000 per annum, split by industry.

	TSS	457	SESR	ENS	RSMS
Accommodation and Food Services	855	32	12	1,505	855
Administrative and Support Services	<5	0	0	9	<5
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	193	<5	<5	192	193
Arts and Recreation Services	14	0	<5	33	14
Construction	53	11	<5	239	53
Education and Training	49	<5	7	48	49
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	<5	0	0	9	<5
Financial and Insurance Services	10	0	0	49	10
Health Care and Social Assistance	78	<5	5	154	78
Information Media and Telecommunications	11	<5	0	54	11
Manufacturing	59	<5	<5	332	59
Mining	<5	0	0	<5	<5
Other Services	180	7	0	435	180
Professional, Scientific and Technical	43	<5	<5	150	43
Public Administration and Safety	8	0	0	<5	8
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	170	<5	0	50	170
Retail Trade	19	5	<5	241	19
Transport Postal and Warehousing	18	<5	0	33	18
Wholesale Trade	855	0	0	53	855
Total	6,590	68	32	3,588	1,766

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QoN Number: 11

Subject: TSS nominations approved with base salary below \$53,900

Asked by: Julian Hill

Question:

For 2019-20, how many TSS nominations were approved where a labour agreement was in place with base salary below \$53,900?

Answer:

A total of 145 nominations were approved under a Labour Agreement during the 2019-20 program year with a base salary of less than \$53,900 per annum.