

**Senate Community Affairs Committee**  
**ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE**  
**FAMILIES, HOUSING, COMMUNITY SERVICES AND**  
**INDIGENOUS AFFAIRS PORTFOLIO**  
**2012-13 Additional Estimates Hearings**

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**Question No:** 82

**Topic:** Family Tax Benefit

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**Senator Cash** asked:

How many persons in Australia on a temporary protection visa subclass 785 currently receive Family Tax Benefit Part A? How many in the same visa category currently receive Family Tax Benefit Part B?

**Answer:**

No new subclass 785 Temporary Protection visas (TPVs) have been granted since 9 August 2008. Those people who were on a 785 visa on this date were able to apply for a subclass 851 Resolution of Status visa. Subclass 785 TPVs continued to be held until such time as a determination was made on eligibility for a subclass 851 Resolution of Status visa or their subclass 785 TPV expired. A limited number of cases remain outstanding pending resolution of permanent status.

As the number of people receiving Family Tax Benefit who are on a temporary protection visa subclass 785 is small, we are unable to release this data, as doing so may directly or indirectly identify individuals.