

QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING: 21 May 2007

IMMIGRATION AND CITIZENSHIP PORTFOLIO

(45) Output 1.1: Migration and Temporary Entry

Senator Crossin (L&CA 53) asked:

Provide an age breakdown of the primary 457 visas.

Answer:

The age of primary applicants granted a Subclass 457 visa in 2006-07 to 31 March 2007, excluding Independent Executives and rounded to the nearest 10, is shown in the following table:

Age Group of Primary Applicant	Number of Primary Applicants Granted a Subclass 457 Visa
Under 18	0
18 to 19 years	20
20 to 29 years	12 130
30 to 39 years	14 620
40 to 49 years	5 640
50 years and over	1 770
Total	34 180