

QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING: 15 October 2012

IMMIGRATION AND CITIZENSHIP PORTFOLIO

(SE12/0242) PROGRAM – 1.1: Visa and Migration

Senator Cash (written) asked:

SkillSelect: With respect to the statistics published on the SkillSelect website, the summary for July is 4 pages and contains information on invitations by occupation group and visa subclass, yet that information doesn't appear in the August summary, which is only 1 page. Please provide a copy of the full 4 page summary for August, containing invitations by occupation group and visa subclass? Will the full 4 page summary be published for each month and from when?

Answer:

In July, the Department published a detailed four page document on SkillSelect activity which provided details of invitations issued by occupation and subclass. Clients indicated some confusion with the large amounts of information provided. Subsequent reports focused on the areas that supported client knowledge of the key elements of the SkillSelect process.

The more concise one page report commenced in August. It is not intended to continue the more detailed version of the report.

Outcomes for August for invitations to apply by visa subclass were as follows:

- Subclass 189 – 90 invitations
- Subclass 190 – 653 invitations
- Subclass 489 – 89 invitations
- Subclass 188 – 3 invitations
- Subclass 132 – 6 invitations

Outcomes for August for invitations to apply by occupation were as follows:

Table 1: SkillSelect invitations by occupation - State/Territory nominated in August

ANZSCO Number	Occupation	Total
131112	Sales and Marketing Manager	8
132211	Finance Manager	5
132311	Human Resource Manager	1
132411	Policy and Planning Manager	1
133111	Construction Project Manager	1
133211	Engineering Manager	1
134111	Child Care Centre Manager	1
134499	Education Managers nec	1
135111	Chief Information Officer	5
139913	Laboratory Manager	1
139914	Quality Assurance Manager	1
141311	Hotel or Motel Manager	4
149914	Financial Institution Branch Manager	4
221111	Accountant (General)	18
221112	Management Accountant	2
221213	External Auditor	6
222113	Insurance Broker	1
222211	Financial Market Dealer	1
222311	Financial Investment Adviser	13
223111	Human Resource Adviser	6
223112	Recruitment Consultant	2
223311	Training and Development Professional	3
224111	Actuary	1
224113	Statistician	1
224311	Economist	1
224412	Policy Analyst	1
224512	Valuer	1
224611	Librarian	1
224711	Management Consultant	2
224912	Liaison Officer	1
224999	Information and Organisation Professionals nec	1
225213	ICT Sales Representative	5
225311	Public Relations Professional	6
225411	Sales Representative (Industrial Products)	1
225412	Sales Representative (Medical and Pharmaceutical Products)	4
232213	Cartographer	1
232214	Other Spatial Scientist	1
232611	Urban and Regional Planner	1
233111	Chemical Engineer	1
233211	Civil Engineer	16
233212	Geotechnical Engineer	1
233213	Quantity Surveyor	1
233214	Structural Engineer	3
233215	Transport Engineer	1
233311	Electrical Engineer	2
233411	Electronics Engineer	8
233511	Industrial Engineer	7
233512	Mechanical Engineer	10
233513	Production or Plant Engineer	3
233611	Mining Engineer (excluding Petroleum)	1
233612	Petroleum Engineer	2
233914	Engineering Technologist	5
233999	Engineering Professionals nec	2
234112	Agricultural Scientist	3
234211	Chemist	2
234313	Environmental Research Scientist	1
234599	Life Scientists nec	3

241111	Early Childhood (Pre-primary School) Teacher	2
241213	Primary School Teacher	6
241411	Secondary School Teacher	5
242111	University Lecturer	1
251311	Environmental Health Officer	3
251513	Retail Pharmacist	2
252312	Dentist	6
252511	Physiotherapist	1
253111	General Medical Practitioner	3
253999	Medical Practitioners nec	8
254111	Midwife	1
254412	Registered Nurse (Aged Care)	1
254414	Registered Nurse (Community Health)	1
254415	Registered Nurse (Critical Care and Emergency)	4
254418	Registered Nurse (Medical)	2
254421	Registered Nurse (Medical Practice)	1
254424	Registered Nurse (Surgical)	1
254499	Registered Nurses nec	28
261111	ICT Business Analyst	77
261112	Systems Analyst	25
261311	Analyst Programmer	33
261312	Developer Programmer	49
261313	Software Engineer	70
261314	Software Tester	36
261399	Software and Applications Programmers nec	2
262111	Database Administrator	3
262112	ICT Security Specialist	13
262113	Systems Administrator	30
263111	Computer Network and Systems Engineer	15
263112	Network Administrator	9
263113	Network Analyst	2
263213	ICT Systems Test Engineer	1
263311	Telecommunications Engineer	31
263312	Telecommunications Network Engineer	12
271299	Judicial and Other Legal Professionals nec	2
271311	Solicitor	1
272311	Clinical Psychologist	1
272613	Welfare Worker	6
311213	Medical Laboratory Technician	2
311411	Chemistry Technician	2
312111	Architectural Draftsperson	1
312412	Electronic Engineering Technician	1
312511	Mechanical Engineering Draftsperson	1
313214	Telecommunications Technical Officer or Technologist	2
321211	Motor Mechanic (General)	1
323111	Aircraft Maintenance Engineer (Avionics)	2
323112	Aircraft Maintenance Engineer (Mechanical)	1
323211	Fitter (General)	1
323214	Metal Machinist (First Class)	1
323412	Toolmaker	1
324111	Panelbeater	1
324311	Vehicle Painter	1
331212	Carpenter	3
341111	Electrician (General)	2
341113	Lift Mechanic	1
342111	Airconditioning and Refrigeration Mechanic	1
351111	Baker	2
351112	Pastrycook	2
351311	Chef	2
351411	Cook	2
362213	Landscape Gardener	1
391111	Hairdresser	2

392312	Small Offset Printer	1
399111	Boat Builder and Repairer	1
411211	Dental Hygienist	2
511112	Program or Project Administrator	8
611211	Insurance Agent	1
612112	Property Manager	2
Grand Total		732

Table 2: SkillSelect invitations by occupation – August invitation round (non- State/Territory nominated)

ANZSCO Number	Occupation	Total
133111	Construction Project Manager	1
221111	Accountant (General)	17
221213	External Auditor	1
221214	Internal Auditor	2
224111	Actuary	1
232111	Architect	1
232611	Urban and Regional Planner	2
233111	Chemical Engineer	1
233211	Civil Engineer	3
233213	Quantity Surveyor	1
233311	Electrical Engineer	5
233411	Electronics Engineer	1
233512	Mechanical Engineer	1
233914	Engineering Technologist	2
234611	Medical Laboratory Scientist	1
234711	Veterinarian	1
241111	Early Childhood (Pre-primary School) Teacher	1
241411	Secondary School Teacher	2
251513	Retail Pharmacist	3
252312	Dentist	4
252712	Speech Pathologist	1
253111	General Medical Practitioner	12
253999	Medical Practitioners nec	3
254111	Midwife	1
254412	Registered Nurse (Aged Care)	1
254415	Registered Nurse (Critical Care and Emergency)	2
254423	Registered Nurse (Perioperative)	1
254499	Registered Nurses nec	2
261111	ICT Business Analyst	6
261112	Systems Analyst	4
261311	Analyst Programmer	3
261312	Developer Programmer	3
261313	Software Engineer	4
263111	Computer Network and Systems Engineer	3
263311	Telecommunications Engineer	1
272311	Clinical Psychologist	1
272511	Social Worker	1
Grand Total		100

Subclasses 132 and 188 are Business Innovation and Investment Program visas and are therefore not included in occupational statistics.