

# Occupation and Region of Employment for approved Resident Visa principal applicants

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Term	Definition
Applications Approved:	Applications which were approved based on policy criteria.
Applications Declined:	Applications declined: Applications declined based on conditions such as not meeting policy criteria, withdrawn due to a client request, withdrawn and replaced by a new application or withdrawn due to a subsequent application being approved. This does not include applications which failed lodgements or INZ refused to consider.
Standard groupings:	Occupations are presented as per the NZSCO (New Zealand Standard Classification of Occupations) or ANZSCO (Australia & New Zealand Standard Classification of Occupations) groupings. The Ministry of Business, Innovation & Employment began recording occupations to level 5 of the NZSCO on 07-Dec-2002 and recording ANZSCO occupations from 02-Feb-2008.
Occupations not recorded:	Occupation and region of employment are not recorded for work applications approved under certain policies/criteria. In cases where an occupation was not recorded for an application, the application is counted under the NZSCO major group “Elementary Occupations (incl Residuals)”, NZSCO unit group “Not Stated”, and NZSCO occupation description “Not Stated”.
Using this report:	This report is presented in Pivot Table format. Pivot Tables allow the user to alter the cross-section of data that is tabulated by selecting items in drop-down lists.

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Case made by employer:	A case in which an employer satisfactorily argues and supports for the recruitment of an immigrant as opposed to a New Zealand citizen or resident workerSuch cases shall include evidence of the employer making genuine attempts to recruit a New Zealander for the job being offered as well as why they were unsuccessful.“Genuine attempts” are defined in WK2.10.5 and include a mix of determinants. Additionally, employer’s can demonstrate a case by revealing:• any specialised skills the position requires,• how the fit of staff numbers to needs has been managed recently,• if and how relevant redundancies were considered,• how it has collaborated with relevant stakeholders such as ITOs and unions in meeting skilled labour needs.
Immediate Skill Shortage List (ISSL):	Relatively self explanatory: the role offered by an employer requires a skill-set matching one defined and recognised as immediately required in NZ.
Long Term Skill Shortage List (LTSSL):	As above: the role offered by an employer requires a skill-set matching one defined and recognised as being in sustained and ongoing shortage in NZ.
Other Labour Market Tests:	A test conducted to determine the availability and trainability of NZ cit/res participants in the labour market through “relevant stakeholders within the particular industry, including unions”.
WINZ Referral:	This should be referred to as “W&I Referral” instead.A test conducted to determine the availability and trainability of NZ cit/res participants in the labour market through the “service delivery arm of...Work and Income”.

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Occupation Standard	Standard Major Group																		
ANZSCO	Clerical and Administrative Workers	358	98	456	344	107	451	519	98	617	477	88	565	396	90	486	296	36	332
	Community and Personal Service Workers	300	110	410	299	115	414	377	105	482	310	108	418	283	76	359	110	20	130
	Labourers	2	10	12	9	6	15	10	6	16	16	9	25	24	1	25	71	1	72
	Machinery Operators and Drivers	23	4	27	18	5	23	33	3	36	45	8	53	45	.	45	130	1	131
	Managers	1,933	876	2,809	1,922	896	2,818	2,524	559	3,083	2,160	484	2,644	1,615	440	2,055	969	176	1,145
	Professionals	4,883	502	5,385	5,073	493	5,566	5,699	619	6,318	5,547	592	6,139	4,655	350	5,005	4,644	142	4,786
	Responses outside of the current definition of the labour force	2	3	5	3	2	5	.	1	1	1	1	2	2	.	2	1	.	1
	Sales Workers	27	13	40	30	8	38	48	7	55	47	14	61	62	8	70	70	8	78
	Technicians and Trades Workers	3,313	487	3,800	3,618	490	4,108	4,714	409	5,123	4,280	441	4,721	2,249	255	2,504	1,436	74	1,510
N/A	(not recorded)	81	141	222	59	110	169	45	73	118	234	51	285	161	60	221	148	74	222
NZSCO	Legislators, Administrators and Managers	.	1	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Professionals	.	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Response Outside Scope/Not Stated	2	443	445	2	362	364	5	317	322	43	635	678	12	427	439	.	46	46
Total		10,924	2,691	13,615	11,378	2,594	13,972	13,975	2,197	16,172	13,160	2,431	15,591	9,504	1,707	11,211	7,875	578	8,453

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ANZSCO	Clerical and Administrative Workers	173	30	203	305	66	371	75	11	86	178	20	198	156	4	160	3,925
	Community and Personal Service Workers	133	9	142	237	26	263	70	6	76	230	7	237	157	8	165	3,096
	Labourers	267	.	267	85	2	87	21	1	22	50	4	54	5	2	7	602
	Machinery Operators and Drivers	255	1	256	55	4	59	11	2	13	36	5	41	9	2	11	695
	Managers	806	177	983	1,447	325	1,772	420	52	472	312	56	368	344	34	378	18,527
	Professionals	4,071	106	4,177	3,996	127	4,123	1,050	38	1,088	1,265	83	1,348	1,332	19	1,351	45,286
	Responses outside of the current definition of the labour force	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	2	.	2	21
	Sales Workers	70	4	74	55	11	66	28	1	29	38	.	38	14	1	15	564
	Technicians and Trades Workers	1,185	61	1,246	2,508	85	2,593	470	19	489	464	47	511	395	17	412	27,017
N/A	(not recorded)	125	97	222	63	63	126	45	198	243	96	284	380	40	84	124	2,332
NZSCO	Legislators, Administrators and Managers	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Professionals	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Response Outside Scope/Not Stated	.	24	24	.	4	4	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2,323
Total		7,085	510	7,595	8,751	713	9,464	2,190	329	2,519	2,671	506	3,177	2,454	171	2,625	104,394

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Occupation Standard	Occupation																		
ANZSCO	Accommodation and Hospitality Managers nec	17	5	22	15	5	20	19	4	23	22	2	24	10	3	13	2	.	2
	Accountant (General)	121	20	141	145	19	164	204	27	231	177	29	206	155	43	198	127	17	144
	Accounts Clerk	1	.	1	.	1	1	3	.	3	1	2	3	2	.	2	8	.	8
	Actors, Dancers and Other Entertainers nec	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Actuary	2	.	2	1	.	1	2	1	3	2	.	2	1	.	1	4	.	4
	Acupuncturist	11	1	12	10	1	11	11	.	11	10	1	11	6	.	6	8	.	8
	Admissions Clerk	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Advertising Manager	3	1	4	4	.	4	7	.	7	6	.	6	5	2	7	6	.	6
	Advertising Specialist	19	.	19	28	.	28	31	.	31	47	4	51	26	1	27	9	.	9
	Aeronautical Engineer	6	.	6	3	.	3	4	1	5	6	.	6	4	.	4	4	.	4
	Aeroplane Pilot	3	1	4	2	1	3	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	4	.	4
	Aged or Disabled Carer	.	2	2	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Agricultural Consultant	4	.	4	1	.	1	.	1	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2
	Agricultural Engineer	3	4	7	2	.	2	.	1	1	.	.	.	4	.	4	2	.	2
	Agricultural Scientist	4	.	4	6	.	6	5	1	6	8	.	8	4	2	6	8	.	8
	Agricultural Technician	7	.	7	5	3	8	10	.	10	3	.	3	7	.	7	1	.	1
	Agricultural and Horticultural Mobile Plant Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	3	.	3
	Air Traffic Controller	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Air Transport Professionals nec	1	.	1	3	.	3	1	.	1	.	.	.	4	.	4	4	.	4
	Airconditioning and Mechanical Services Plumber	3	.	3	4	.	4	3	.	3	3	.	3	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Airconditioning and Refrigeration Mechanic	19	3	22	29	3	32	44	2	46	38	.	38	20	1	21	13	1	14
	Aircraft Maintenance Engineer (Avionics)	6	.	6	2	.	2	.	.	.	2	.	2	2	.	2	1	.	1
	Aircraft Maintenance Engineer (Mechanical)	8	.	8	5	.	5	2	.	2	6	1	7	2	.	2	9	.	9
	Aircraft Maintenance Engineer (Structures)	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	2	.	2
	Alarm, Security or Surveillance Monitor	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	1
	Ambulance Officer	.	.	.	2	.	2	5	.	5	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Amusement Centre Manager	2	.	2	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Anaesthetic Technician	3	.	3	6	.	6	13	.	13	3	.	3	7	.	7	11	.	11
	Anaesthetist	17	1	18	13	1	14	8	1	9	12	.	12	14	.	14	13	.	13
	Analyst Programmer	42	8	50	51	3	54	86	9	95	53	6	59	33	5	38	24	.	24
	Animal Attendants and Trainers nec	.	.	.	1	1	2	1	.	1	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Antique Dealer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1
	Apiarist	12	4	16	7	3	10	6	7	13	5	2	7	.	1	1	3	.	3
	Apparel Cutter	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Aquaculture Farmer	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	3	1	.	1	.	1	1
	Aquaculture Worker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Arborist	12	1	13	8	.	8	10	1	11	16	1	17	10	.	10	1	.	1
	Archaeologist	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	2	.	2	2	.	2	.	.	.
	Architect	2	1	3	5	.	5	6	.	6	7	1	8	6	.	6	10	.	10
	Architectural Draftsperson	33	1	34	43	1	44	62	3	65	93	2	95	76	2	78	48	1	49
	Architectural, Building and Surveying Technicians nec	12	.	12	14	.	14	20	.	20	26	1	27	24	1	25	14	.	14
	Archivist	2	.	2	1	.	1	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Art Director (Film, Television or Stage)	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Art Teacher (Private Tuition)	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Artistic Director	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Arts Administrator or Manager	3	.	3	1	.	1	1	.	1	2	.	2	3	1	4	.	.	.
	Audiologist	6	.	6	9	.	9	5	.	5	7	.	7	9	.	9	9	.	9
	Author	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Autoglazier	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Automobile Drivers nec	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.
	Automotive Electrician	16	.	16	20	3	23	34	1	35	24	1	25	9	3	12	9	1	10
	Baker	124	11	135	109	8	117	213	4	217	178	8	186	64	5	69	23	.	23
	Bank Worker	4	2	6	1	.	1	2	.	2	2	.	2	1	.	1	4	.	4
	Barrister	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Beauty Therapist	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Bed and Breakfast Operator	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Beef Cattle Farmer	1	.	1	4	.	4	1	.	1	2	2	4	.	.	.	2	.	2
	Betting Agency Manager	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.

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Occupation Standard	Occupation																
ANZSCO	Accommodation and Hospitality Managers nec	3	1	4	11	1	12	2	.	2	4	1	5	2	1	3	130
	Accountant (General)	65	7	72	164	18	182	41	4	45	44	5	49	48	.	48	1,480
	Accounts Clerk	8	.	8	2	.	2	1	1	2	4	.	4	.	.	.	34
	Actors, Dancers and Other Entertainers nec	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Actuary	3	.	3	5	.	5	.	.	.	3	.	3	3	.	3	27
	Acupuncturist	3	.	3	10	.	10	2	.	2	1	1	2	6	.	6	82
	Admissions Clerk	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Advertising Manager	4	.	4	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	41
	Advertising Specialist	11	1	12	19	.	19	4	.	4	3	2	5	5	.	5	210
	Aeronautical Engineer	3	.	3	2	.	2	3	.	3	2	.	2	1	.	1	39
	Aeroplane Pilot	1	.	1	2	1	3	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	19
	Aged or Disabled Carer	14	.	14	5	.	5	.	.	.	29	.	29	28	.	28	82
	Agricultural Consultant	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	12
	Agricultural Engineer	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	17
	Agricultural Scientist	9	.	9	7	.	7	1	.	1	2	.	2	4	.	4	61
	Agricultural Technician	1	.	1	5	.	5	.	.	.	2	.	2	4	.	4	48
	Agricultural and Horticultural Mobile Plant Operator	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	8
	Air Traffic Controller	1	1	2	4	.	4	4	.	4	2	.	2	.	.	.	17
	Air Transport Professionals nec	.	.	.	3	.	3	2	.	2	2	.	2	.	.	.	20
	Airconditioning and Mechanical Services Plumber	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	17
	Airconditioning and Refrigeration Mechanic	10	.	10	37	.	37	9	.	9	12	.	12	4	.	4	245
	Aircraft Maintenance Engineer (Avionics)	4	.	4	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	18
	Aircraft Maintenance Engineer (Mechanical)	9	.	9	5	.	5	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	1	2	51
	Aircraft Maintenance Engineer (Structures)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6
	Alarm, Security or Surveillance Monitor	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5
	Ambulance Officer	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	9
	Amusement Centre Manager	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6
	Anaesthetic Technician	8	.	8	7	.	7	5	.	5	2	.	2	.	.	.	65
	Anaesthetist	6	.	6	4	.	4	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	92
	Analyst Programmer	15	.	15	44	1	45	6	.	6	15	3	18	10	2	12	416
	Animal Attendants and Trainers nec	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	8
	Antique Dealer	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Apiarist	1	.	1	4	2	6	2	.	2	.	1	1	.	.	.	60
	Apparel Cutter	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
	Aquaculture Farmer	1	.	1	5	.	5	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	15
	Aquaculture Worker	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Arborist	5	.	5	11	.	11	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	78
	Archaeologist	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6
	Architect	13	.	13	10	.	10	5	.	5	4	.	4	3	.	3	73
	Architectural Draftsperson	14	1	15	53	2	55	7	1	8	16	1	17	12	.	12	472
	Architectural, Building and Surveying Technicians nec	8	.	8	23	.	23	6	.	6	4	1	5	6	.	6	160
	Archivist	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	7
	Art Director (Film, Television or Stage)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
	Art Teacher (Private Tuition)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Artistic Director	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Arts Administrator or Manager	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	14
	Audiologist	12	.	12	4	.	4	2	.	2	3	.	3	.	.	.	66
	Author	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Autoglazier	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Automobile Drivers nec	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Automotive Electrician	14	.	14	17	.	17	4	.	4	6	2	8	6	1	7	171
	Baker	11	.	11	73	1	74	2	.	2	10	.	10	8	1	9	853
	Bank Worker	4	.	4	1	.	1	.	.	.	11	.	11	6	.	6	38
	Barrister	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Beauty Therapist	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	5	2	3	5	13
	Bed and Breakfast Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Beef Cattle Farmer	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	14
	Betting Agency Manager	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2

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ANZSCO	Bicycle Mechanic	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Biochemist	2	.	2	1	.	1	1	.	1	4	.	4	4	.	4	.	.	.
	Biomedical Engineer	5	.	5	6	1	7	7	1	8	2	.	2	10	1	11	8	.	8
	Biotechnologist	8	.	8	12	3	15	11	1	12	9	.	9	6	1	7	2	.	2
	Blacksmith	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Boarding Kennel or Cattery Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.
	Boat Builder and Repairer	5	.	5	4	1	5	5	1	6	8	.	8	2	1	3	.	.	.
	Body Artist	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Book or Script Editor	1	1	2	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Bookkeeper	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	1	.	1	1	.	1
	Bookmaker	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Botanist	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Bricklayer	17	3	20	22	4	26	12	1	13	19	3	22	7	2	9	4	1	5
	Broadcast Transmitter Operator	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Builder's Labourer	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Building Associate	14	1	15	18	1	19	20	2	22	31	6	37	27	2	29	32	2	34
	Building Inspector	9	.	9	6	1	7	12	.	12	11	2	13	14	2	16	20	.	20
	Building Insulation Installer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Building and Engineering Technicians nec	5	.	5	2	1	3	10	.	10	11	.	11	6	.	6	5	.	5
	Bulk Materials Handling Plant Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Bus Driver	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Business Broker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Business Machine Mechanic	11	.	11	9	.	9	4	.	4	5	.	5	6	.	6	3	.	3
	Butcher or Smallgoods Maker	6	5	11	4	3	7	13	4	17	10	2	12	5	.	5	1	.	1
	Cabinetmaker	9	2	11	17	.	17	19	.	19	16	1	17	6	.	6	2	.	2
	Cabler (Data and Telecommunications)	2	1	3	15	.	15	27	.	27	26	.	26	20	3	23	9	1	10
	Cafe or Restaurant Manager	448	204	652	391	189	580	600	104	704	454	113	567	326	102	428	104	33	137
	Call or Contact Centre Manager	5	.	5	4	.	4	5	.	5	4	.	4	5	.	5	4	.	4
	Call or Contact Centre Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Call or Contact Centre Team Leader	18	.	18	15	2	17	25	1	26	27	.	27	20	.	20	12	.	12
	Camera Operator (Film, Television or Video)	.	2	2	2	.	2	1	.	1	2	.	2	2	.	2	2	.	2
	Canvas Goods Fabricator	1	1	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Car Detailer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Caravan Park and Camping Ground Manager	1	.	1	1	.	1	3	1	4	3	.	3	2	1	3	2	.	2
	Cardiac Technician	5	1	6	2	.	2	5	.	5	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Cardiologist	.	.	.	4	.	4	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Cardiothoracic Surgeon	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Careers Counsellor	1	.	1	2	.	2	2	.	2	.	1	1	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Carpenter	92	10	102	123	14	137	284	18	302	246	24	270	52	9	61	28	3	31
	Carpenter and Joiner	49	2	51	54	4	58	45	4	49	53	3	56	17	2	19	12	1	13
	Carpet Cleaner	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Cement Production Plant Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Cement and Concrete Plant Worker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Checkout Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Chef	843	174	1,017	795	193	988	949	174	1,123	809	121	930	388	46	434	217	5	222
	Chemical Engineer	13	3	16	10	4	14	20	11	31	23	5	28	8	4	12	11	.	11
	Chemical Plant Operator	3	3	6	7	.	7	7	.	7	8	.	8	6	.	6	2	.	2
	Chemical Production Machine Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Chemist	10	.	10	4	.	4	9	1	10	15	3	18	6	.	6	9	.	9
	Chemistry Technician	44	.	44	50	1	51	59	1	60	57	.	57	42	.	42	23	1	24
	Chief Executive or Managing Director	25	3	28	16	2	18	11	.	11	20	1	21	10	1	11	22	.	22
	Chief Information Officer	.	.	.	3	.	3	5	1	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	5
	Child Care Centre Manager	3	.	3	4	.	4	5	.	5	5	.	5	5	1	6	3	1	4
	Child Care Worker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Child or Youth Residential Care Assistant	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Chiropractor	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	1	2	3	1	4	4	.	4	1	1	2
	Cinema or Theatre Manager	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Civil Engineer	83	15	98	96	19	115	116	27	143	122	27	149	99	3	102	129	3	132

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Data for period: Date of decision between 1 July 2013 and 30 November 2023  
Report prepared: 5 December 2023

		Financial Year (Jul-Jun) Decided															Total
		2019/20			2020/21			2021/22			2022/23			2023/24			
		Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	
		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		
Occupation Standard	Occupation																
ANZSCO	Bicycle Mechanic	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	2
	Biochemist	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	3	.	3	16
	Biomedical Engineer	.	.	.	5	.	5	2	.	2	.	.	.	2	.	2	50
	Biotechnologist	3	.	3	2	.	2	.	.	.	2	.	2	4	.	4	64
	Blacksmith	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
	Boarding Kennel or Cattery Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Boat Builder and Repairer	3	.	3	3	.	3	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	36
	Body Artist	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Book or Script Editor	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
	Bookkeeper	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	42	1	43	35	.	35	85
	Bookmaker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Botanist	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Bricklayer	6	1	7	3	.	3	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	108
	Broadcast Transmitter Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
	Builder's Labourer	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5
	Building Associate	15	2	17	38	.	38	14	.	14	3	1	4	5	.	5	234
	Building Inspector	5	.	5	15	1	16	4	.	4	5	.	5	3	.	3	110
	Building Insulation Installer	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Building and Engineering Technicians nec	4	.	4	9	.	9	4	.	4	4	.	4	9	.	9	70
	Bulk Materials Handling Plant Operator	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
	Bus Driver	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Business Broker	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Business Machine Mechanic	.	.	.	3	.	3	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	44
	Butcher or Smallgoods Maker	1	.	1	5	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	60
	Cabinetmaker	2	.	2	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	1	2	3	.	3	81
	Cabler (Data and Telecommunications)	10	1	11	16	1	17	4	.	4	4	.	4	4	.	4	144
	Cafe or Restaurant Manager	63	24	87	199	66	265	30	10	40	36	11	47	64	11	75	3,582
	Call or Contact Centre Manager	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	30
	Call or Contact Centre Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	3
	Call or Contact Centre Team Leader	5	2	7	9	1	10	2	.	2	4	1	5	6	.	6	150
	Camera Operator (Film, Television or Video)	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	12
	Canvas Goods Fabricator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
	Car Detailer	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Caravan Park and Camping Ground Manager	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	16
	Cardiac Technician	2	.	2	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	21
	Cardiologist	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	8
	Cardiothoracic Surgeon	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
	Careers Counsellor	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	8
	Carpenter	52	2	54	45	1	46	15	1	16	20	4	24	5	1	6	1,049
	Carpenter and Joiner	12	1	13	20	.	20	3	1	4	4	1	5	4	.	4	292
	Carpet Cleaner	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Cement Production Plant Operator	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Cement and Concrete Plant Worker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1
	Checkout Operator	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Chef	138	6	144	457	14	471	28	2	30	25	4	29	31	2	33	5,421
	Chemical Engineer	2	1	3	17	1	18	2	.	2	4	.	4	2	1	3	142
	Chemical Plant Operator	1	.	1	3	.	3	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	41
	Chemical Production Machine Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Chemist	3	.	3	8	1	9	1	.	1	3	.	3	1	.	1	74
	Chemistry Technician	4	1	5	39	1	40	3	2	5	11	2	13	13	.	13	354
	Chief Executive or Managing Director	13	1	14	17	1	18	9	.	9	12	.	12	3	1	4	168
	Chief Information Officer	3	.	3	2	1	3	1	.	1	1	1	2	.	.	.	23
	Child Care Centre Manager	1	1	2	4	.	4	1	.	1	2	.	2	.	.	.	36
	Child Care Worker	.	.	.	3	.	3	.	.	.	3	.	3	4	.	4	11
	Child or Youth Residential Care Assistant	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Chiropractor	5	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	20
	Cinema or Theatre Manager	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Civil Engineer	72	2	74	123	2	125	43	.	43	22	1	23	13	.	13	1,017

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		Financial Year (Jul-Jun) Decided																	
		2013/14			2014/15			2015/16			2016/17			2017/18			2018/19		
		Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total
		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined	
Occupation Standard	Occupation																		
ANZSCO	Civil Engineering Draftsperson	12	1	13	33	1	34	34	2	36	35	.	35	23	2	25	22	.	22
	Civil Engineering Technician	22	2	24	19	.	19	44	7	51	37	10	47	31	2	33	38	.	38
	Clay, Concrete, Glass and Stone Processing Machine Operators nec	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Clerical and Administrative Workers nec	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	3	.	3	4	.	4
	Clerical and Office Support Workers nec	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Clinical Coder	2	.	2	2	.	2	7	.	7	5	.	5	2	.	2	2	.	2
	Clinical Haematologist	1	.	1	1	.	1	2	.	2	2	.	2	.	.	.	2	.	2
	Clinical Psychologist	3	.	3	7	.	7	14	.	14	15	1	16	18	.	18	21	1	22
	Clothing Patternmaker	4	.	4	2	.	2	3	1	4	.	2	2	2	.	2	.	.	.
	Clothing Trades Workers nec	1	.	1	1	1	2	2	.	2	2	.	2	1	.	1	1	.	1
	Commercial Cleaner	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Commercial Housekeeper	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Commissioned Defence Force Officer	7	.	7	4	.	4	4	.	4	5	.	5	6	.	6	5	.	5
	Commissioned Fire Officer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Commodities Trader	1	.	1	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Communications Operator	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Community Arts Worker	1	.	1	.	1	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Community Worker	37	33	70	31	43	74	29	38	67	9	22	31	11	31	42	8	2	10
	Company Secretary	1	.	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1
	Complementary Health Therapists nec	3	.	3	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	3	.	3	.	.	.
	Composer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Computer Network and Systems Engineer	99	16	115	93	11	104	102	27	129	83	18	101	55	8	63	42	2	44
	Concrete Batching Plant Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Concrete Products Machine Operator	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Concreter	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1
	Conference and Event Organiser	23	1	24	20	3	23	32	2	34	25	1	26	15	2	17	12	.	12
	Conservation Officer	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	3	.	3
	Conservator	2	.	2	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1
	Construction Estimator	14	.	14	17	.	17	36	1	37	25	1	26	17	.	17	23	.	23
	Construction Project Manager	84	9	93	81	10	91	96	7	103	80	9	89	78	5	83	109	3	112
	Construction Rigger	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2
	Contract Administrator	29	4	33	24	2	26	26	9	35	36	7	43	32	8	40	20	2	22
	Conveyancer	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Cook	91	40	131	78	16	94	100	15	115	129	10	139	39	1	40	14	3	17
	Copywriter	.	.	.	5	.	5	2	1	3	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Corporate General Manager	30	8	38	27	.	27	22	3	25	31	2	33	24	4	28	30	2	32
	Corporate Services Manager	14	5	19	24	9	33	22	.	22	15	3	18	21	2	23	12	2	14
	Corporate Treasurer	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	1	3	.	3
	Cost Clerk	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Counsellors nec	.	3	3	2	.	2	3	.	3	5	.	5	3	.	3	2	.	2
	Court Bailiff or Sheriff (Aus) / Court Collections Officer (NZ)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Crane, Hoist or Lift Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	2	.	2	9	.	9
	Credit or Loans Officer (Aus) / Finance Clerk (NZ)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	2	.	2
	Crop Farmers nec	1	.	1	1	1	2	1	.	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Crossing Supervisor	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Customer Service Manager	77	35	112	65	45	110	98	28	126	91	24	115	69	26	95	39	10	49
	Dairy Cattle Farm Worker	1	5	6	.	4	4	.	.	.	.	2	2	1	1	2	4	.	4
	Dairy Cattle Farmer	124	89	213	123	101	224	104	78	182	82	40	122	45	23	68	18	4	22
	Dairy Products Maker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Dance Teacher (Private Tuition)	.	1	1	1	.	1	2	.	2	1	.	1	2	.	2	3	.	3
	Dancer or Choreographer	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.
	Database Administrator	43	9	52	30	5	35	40	5	45	26	9	35	35	4	39	24	1	25
	Debt Collector	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Deck Hand	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	1
	Deer Farmer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Defence Force Member - Other Ranks	5	.	5	1	.	1	4	.	4	1	1	2	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Defence Force Senior Officer	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Delivery Driver	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.

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		Financial Year (Jul-Jun) Decided															Total
		2019/20			2020/21			2021/22			2022/23			2023/24			
		Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	
		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		
Occupation Standard	Occupation																
ANZSCO	Civil Engineering Draftsperson	10	.	10	25	1	26	4	.	4	5	.	5	1	.	1	211
	Civil Engineering Technician	23	.	23	41	.	41	8	.	8	8	2	10	10	.	10	304
	Clay, Concrete, Glass and Stone Processing Machine Operators nec	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Clerical and Administrative Workers nec	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	13
	Clerical and Office Support Workers nec	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	4
	Clinical Coder	.	.	.	4	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	25
	Clinical Haematologist	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	10
	Clinical Psychologist	27	.	27	16	.	16	7	.	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	130
	Clothing Patternmaker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	15
	Clothing Trades Workers nec	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	9
	Commercial Cleaner	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Commercial Housekeeper	7	.	7	3	.	3	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	11
	Commissioned Defence Force Officer	5	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	36
	Commissioned Fire Officer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Commodities Trader	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6
	Communications Operator	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Community Arts Worker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Community Worker	6	1	7	27	5	32	9	.	9	7	1	8	3	1	4	354
	Company Secretary	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6
	Complementary Health Therapists nec	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	9
	Composer	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Computer Network and Systems Engineer	23	1	24	52	.	52	15	.	15	24	.	24	23	.	23	694
	Concrete Batching Plant Operator	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Concrete Products Machine Operator	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5
	Concreter	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	2	.	2	.	.	.	8
	Conference and Event Organiser	3	1	4	17	3	20	.	1	1	7	.	7	12	.	12	180
	Conservation Officer	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	1	1	.	1	3	1	4	14
	Conservator	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	7
	Construction Estimator	12	1	13	24	.	24	6	.	6	4	1	5	4	.	4	186
	Construction Project Manager	101	2	103	141	4	145	73	.	73	18	2	20	9	.	9	921
	Construction Rigger	1	.	1	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	8
	Contract Administrator	12	.	12	20	3	23	4	.	4	1	1	2	5	.	5	245
	Conveyancer	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Cook	17	1	18	71	2	73	4	.	4	4	1	5	4	.	4	640
	Copywriter	.	.	.	5	.	5	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	18
	Corporate General Manager	32	1	33	41	4	45	21	1	22	7	3	10	2	.	2	295
	Corporate Services Manager	18	3	21	40	2	42	14	1	15	5	2	7	5	.	5	219
	Corporate Treasurer	1	.	1	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	14
	Cost Clerk	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Counsellors nec	1	.	1	2	2	4	.	.	.	1	.	1	3	.	3	27
	Court Bailiff or Sheriff (Aus) / Court Collections Officer (NZ)	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Crane, Hoist or Lift Operator	8	.	8	3	.	3	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	25
	Credit or Loans Officer (Aus) / Finance Clerk (NZ)	3	.	3	2	.	2	.	1	1	14	.	14	10	.	10	35
	Crop Farmers nec	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	9
	Crossing Supervisor	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Customer Service Manager	27	11	38	50	19	69	5	2	7	11	.	11	11	2	13	745
	Dairy Cattle Farm Worker	69	.	69	28	.	28	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	118
	Dairy Cattle Farmer	57	3	60	75	3	78	13	1	14	6	.	6	4	.	4	993
	Dairy Products Maker	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Dance Teacher (Private Tuition)	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	11
	Dancer or Choreographer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	5
	Database Administrator	11	1	12	20	1	21	9	.	9	10	1	11	10	1	11	295
	Debt Collector	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Deck Hand	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Deer Farmer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Defence Force Member - Other Ranks	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	13
	Defence Force Senior Officer	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Delivery Driver	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1

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		2013/14			2014/15			2015/16			2016/17			2017/18			2018/19		
		Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total
		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined	
Occupation Standard	Occupation																		
ANZSCO	Dental Assistant	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Dental Hygienist	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	2	4	5	1	6	.	1	1	4	.	4
	Dental Prosthetist	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Dental Specialist	1	.	1	2	.	2	1	1	2	.	.	.	3	.	3	1	.	1
	Dental Technician	2	1	3	7	.	7	2	.	2	7	.	7	3	.	3	2	.	2
	Dental Therapist	1	.	1	3	.	3	.	.	.	5	.	5	1	.	1	2	1	3
	Dentist	30	1	31	20	.	20	27	.	27	27	.	27	24	2	26	31	.	31
	Dermatologist	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1
	Despatching and Receiving Clerk	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Detective	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	3
	Developer Programmer	196	14	210	235	7	242	282	17	299	267	15	282	192	6	198	181	7	188
	Diagnostic and Interventional Radiologist	14	.	14	11	.	11	7	.	7	8	1	9	7	.	7	13	.	13
	Diesel Motor Mechanic	70	9	79	66	8	74	93	10	103	78	7	85	35	2	37	39	2	41
	Dietitian	4	.	4	4	.	4	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Director (Film, Television, Radio or Stage)	.	1	1	2	.	2	1	.	1	2	.	2	1	.	1	2	.	2
	Director of Photography	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.
	Disabilities Services Officer	15	5	20	16	6	22	22	9	31	11	8	19	14	4	18	8	.	8
	Diver	.	1	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Diversional Therapist	5	.	5	12	1	13	20	1	21	29	3	32	24	.	24	14	.	14
	Diving Instructor (Open Water)	1	.	1	.	1	1	2	.	2	2	.	2	2	.	2	.	1	1
	Dog Handler or Trainer	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Dog or Horse Racing Official	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Door-to-door Salesperson	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1
	Doorperson or Luggage Porter	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Drainage, Sewerage and Stormwater Labourer	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Drainer (Aus) / Drainlayer (NZ)	10	1	11	9	3	12	10	.	10	13	.	13	4	1	5	3	.	3
	Drama Teacher (Private Tuition)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Dressmaker or Tailor	7	2	9	10	8	18	8	1	9	4	2	6	1	.	1	1	.	1
	Driller	1	.	1	4	1	5	3	1	4	1	.	1	2	.	2	5	.	5
	Driving Instructor	1	1	2	1	1	2	1	.	1	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Drug and Alcohol Counsellor	8	1	9	3	.	3	2	.	2	3	.	3	4	.	4	3	.	3
	Early Childhood (Pre-primary School) Teacher	133	3	136	127	3	130	152	5	157	154	2	156	150	7	157	193	4	197
	Earth Science Technician	1	.	1	4	.	4	1	.	1	4	.	4	1	.	1	3	.	3
	Earthmoving Labourer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Earthmoving Plant Operator (General)	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	3
	Economist	7	.	7	6	1	7	5	1	6	7	.	7	3	.	3	7	.	7
	Education Adviser	1	.	1	3	1	4	7	.	7	6	.	6	10	2	12	3	.	3
	Education Managers nec	6	.	6	5	.	5	6	1	7	10	1	11	9	2	11	6	3	9
	Educational Psychologist	2	.	2	1	.	1	4	.	4	5	.	5	1	1	2	3	.	3
	Electrical Engineer	36	8	44	31	3	34	16	11	27	23	24	47	32	11	43	30	1	31
	Electrical Engineering Draftsperson	6	.	6	10	.	10	8	.	8	9	.	9	6	.	6	3	.	3
	Electrical Engineering Technician	14	1	15	24	3	27	25	2	27	24	5	29	24	2	26	11	.	11
	Electrical Linesworker (Aus) / Electrical Line Mechanic (NZ)	20	3	23	30	2	32	47	1	48	29	2	31	7	.	7	31	1	32
	Electrical or Telecommunications Trades Assistant	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Electrician (General)	114	6	120	116	3	119	138	8	146	163	10	173	124	2	126	135	5	140
	Electrician (Special Class)	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	1
	Electronic Engineering Draftsperson	1	.	1	1	.	1	4	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Electronic Engineering Technician	42	3	45	42	6	48	62	12	74	36	8	44	31	3	34	12	.	12
	Electronic Equipment Trades Worker	26	1	27	39	3	42	64	3	67	44	1	45	22	2	24	26	1	27
	Electronic Instrument Trades Worker (General)	8	.	8	6	4	10	13	.	13	7	1	8	6	2	8	4	.	4
	Electronic Instrument Trades Worker (Special Class)	7	.	7	4	1	5	8	2	10	3	.	3	4	.	4	3	.	3
	Electronics Engineer	47	11	58	40	13	53	42	15	57	44	13	57	30	3	33	20	1	21
	Electroplater	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Emergency Medicine Specialist	8	1	9	11	.	11	11	.	11	11	.	11	9	.	9	10	.	10
	Emergency Service Worker	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Endocrinologist	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Engineering Manager	12	3	15	14	2	16	19	3	22	22	.	22	19	.	19	17	.	17
	Engineering Patternmaker	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.

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		2019/20			2020/21			2021/22			2022/23			2023/24			
		Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	
		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		
Occupation Standard	Occupation																
ANZSCO	Dental Assistant	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Dental Hygienist	2	.	2	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	22
	Dental Prosthetist	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	3
	Dental Specialist	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	12
	Dental Technician	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	28
	Dental Therapist	6	.	6	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	3	23
	Dentist	26	.	26	14	.	14	1	.	1	14	1	15	4	.	4	222
	Dermatologist	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	8
	Despatching and Receiving Clerk	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
	Detective	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
	Developer Programmer	91	4	95	214	3	217	72	1	73	48	5	53	59	.	59	1,916
	Diagnostic and Interventional Radiologist	11	.	11	9	.	9	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	83
	Diesel Motor Mechanic	52	.	52	56	.	56	12	1	13	12	2	14	11	.	11	565
	Dietitian	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	11
	Director (Film, Television, Radio or Stage)	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	10
	Director of Photography	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Disabilities Services Officer	6	.	6	10	.	10	4	.	4	2	.	2	3	.	3	143
	Diver	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Diversional Therapist	4	.	4	23	3	26	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	142
	Diving Instructor (Open Water)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	9
	Dog Handler or Trainer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Dog or Horse Racing Official	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Door-to-door Salesperson	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Doorperson or Luggage Porter	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Drainage, Sewerage and Stormwater Labourer	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	5
	Drainer (Aus) / Drainlayer (NZ)	3	.	3	2	.	2	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	62
	Drama Teacher (Private Tuition)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Dressmaker or Tailor	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	44
	Driller	20	.	20	5	.	5	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	45
	Driving Instructor	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	7
	Drug and Alcohol Counsellor	2	.	2	3	.	3	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	30
	Early Childhood (Pre-primary School) Teacher	282	2	284	147	4	151	2	1	3	149	1	150	232	1	233	1,754
	Earth Science Technician	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	18
	Earthmoving Labourer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1
	Earthmoving Plant Operator (General)	5	.	5	2	.	2	.	.	.	6	1	7	.	.	.	18
	Economist	5	.	5	4	.	4	.	.	.	9	.	9	4	1	5	60
	Education Adviser	6	.	6	3	.	3	.	.	.	2	.	2	8	.	8	52
	Education Managers nec	3	1	4	5	1	6	3	.	3	3	.	3	2	1	3	68
	Educational Psychologist	3	.	3	11	.	11	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	33
	Electrical Engineer	25	2	27	38	.	38	15	.	15	12	.	12	7	.	7	325
	Electrical Engineering Draftsperson	3	.	3	7	.	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	53
	Electrical Engineering Technician	7	1	8	18	.	18	4	1	5	2	.	2	4	.	4	172
	Electrical Linesworker (Aus) / Electrical Line Mechanic (NZ)	33	.	33	96	1	97	28	.	28	14	.	14	1	.	1	346
	Electrical or Telecommunications Trades Assistant	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	4	.	.	.	4
	Electrician (General)	164	4	168	275	6	281	72	1	73	35	5	40	27	.	27	1,413
	Electrician (Special Class)	1	.	1	5	.	5	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	14
	Electronic Engineering Draftsperson	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	8
	Electronic Engineering Technician	3	.	3	19	.	19	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	282
	Electronic Equipment Trades Worker	11	.	11	34	.	34	4	.	4	10	1	11	2	.	2	294
	Electronic Instrument Trades Worker (General)	1	.	1	7	.	7	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	62
	Electronic Instrument Trades Worker (Special Class)	3	.	3	8	.	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	43
	Electronics Engineer	4	1	5	19	1	20	1	.	1	3	2	5	5	.	5	315
	Electroplater	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Emergency Medicine Specialist	9	.	9	4	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	74
	Emergency Service Worker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Endocrinologist	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Engineering Manager	19	1	20	27	1	28	9	1	10	6	.	6	7	.	7	182
	Engineering Patternmaker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1

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		2013/14			2014/15			2015/16			2016/17			2017/18			2018/19		
		Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total
		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined	
Occupation Standard	Occupation																		
ANZSCO	Engineering Production Worker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Engineering Professionals nec	28	2	30	27	.	27	35	4	39	39	2	41	35	.	35	35	.	35
	Engineering Technologist	4	1	5	4	.	4	5	.	5	6	.	6	6	.	6	6	.	6
	Engraver	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Enrolled Nurse	15	.	15	12	.	12	9	.	9	2	.	2	5	.	5	4	.	4
	Entertainer or Variety Artist	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Environmental Consultant	5	1	6	4	1	5	10	.	10	8	.	8	6	.	6	7	1	8
	Environmental Engineer	12	.	12	14	2	16	13	4	17	13	3	16	9	1	10	5	.	5
	Environmental Health Officer	1	.	1	3	.	3	3	.	3	6	.	6	5	.	5	3	.	3
	Environmental Manager	2	.	2	3	.	3	3	1	4	3	.	3	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Environmental Research Scientist	19	2	21	20	2	22	31	4	35	23	2	25	20	4	24	18	1	19
	Environmental Scientists nec	5	.	5	3	.	3	6	.	6	10	.	10	8	.	8	4	.	4
	Equipment Hire Manager	1	1	2	3	1	4	3	.	3	5	.	5	5	1	6	2	.	2
	Excavator Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	8	.	8
	Exercise Physiologist	.	.	.	2	.	2	3	.	3	3	.	3	1	.	1	2	.	2
	External Auditor	27	3	30	45	2	47	48	4	52	35	.	35	39	.	39	35	.	35
	Facilities Administrator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1
	Facilities Manager	8	9	17	13	6	19	16	3	19	6	4	10	12	2	14	6	1	7
	Factory Process Workers nec	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Faculty Head	1	.	1	2	.	2	3	.	3	4	.	4	.	.	.	2	.	2
	Family Support Worker	1	6	7	1	3	4	2	2	4	1	.	1	1	1	2	1	.	1
	Family and Marriage Counsellor	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Farrier	.	.	.	3	.	3	1	.	1	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Fashion Designer	.	.	.	3	.	3	3	.	3	6	1	7	4	.	4	1	1	2
	Fast Food Cook	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Fibrous Plasterer	13	1	14	15	2	17	11	1	12	16	2	18	6	.	6	1	.	1
	Film and Video Editor	10	.	10	6	.	6	6	.	6	4	.	4	7	.	7	1	.	1
	Film, Television, Radio and Stage Directors nec	3	.	3	1	.	1	1	.	1	2	.	2	1	1	2	.	.	.
	Finance Broker	3	.	3	4	1	5	10	3	13	8	1	9	4	.	4	2	.	2
	Finance Manager	16	7	23	29	6	35	20	4	24	31	2	33	29	4	33	25	1	26
	Financial Brokers nec	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	5	.	5	3	.	3	3	.	3
	Financial Dealers nec	4	2	6	5	7	12	4	2	6	2	.	2	6	1	7	1	.	1
	Financial Institution Branch Manager	2	2	4	2	.	2	.	.	.	2	.	2	3	.	3	1	.	1
	Financial Investment Adviser	3	3	6	6	1	7	6	5	11	7	1	8	6	3	9	6	.	6
	Financial Investment Manager	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	2	.	2	3	.	3	1	.	1
	Financial Market Dealer	7	2	9	3	5	8	3	1	4	6	.	6	3	1	4	1	.	1
	Fire Fighter	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Fire Protection Equipment Technician	3	.	3	2	.	2	4	.	4	3	.	3	1	.	1	4	.	4
	First Aid Trainer	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Fisheries Officer	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Fitness Centre Manager	6	1	7	4	1	5	6	3	9	5	.	5	5	.	5	1	.	1
	Fitness Instructor	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Fitter (General)	26	1	27	25	2	27	34	1	35	31	2	33	11	2	13	12	2	14
	Fitter and Turner	17	1	18	10	1	11	18	.	18	16	1	17	2	2	4	13	.	13
	Fitter-Welder	30	5	35	55	8	63	53	4	57	60	6	66	14	1	15	13	.	13
	Fleet Manager	3	1	4	2	1	3	6	1	7	4	1	5	1	.	1	1	.	1
	Flight Attendant	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Floor Finisher	6	1	7	5	1	6	17	2	19	8	.	8	5	.	5	4	.	4
	Florist	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Flower Grower	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Flying Instructor	3	.	3	1	.	1	3	.	3	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Food Technologist	36	6	42	34	6	40	33	4	37	42	4	46	28	5	33	24	1	25
	Food Trades Assistants nec	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Food and Drink Factory Workers nec	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Footballer	.	.	.	1	1	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Forester (Aus) / Forest Scientist (NZ)	2	2	4	5	1	6	8	.	8	10	.	10	4	1	5	6	.	6
	Forestry Worker	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Forklift Driver	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1

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		Financial Year (Jul-Jun) Decided															Total
		2019/20			2020/21			2021/22			2022/23			2023/24			
		Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	
		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		
Occupation Standard	Occupation																
ANZSCO	Engineering Production Worker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Engineering Professionals nec	33	1	34	34	1	35	22	.	22	5	.	5	11	.	11	314
	Engineering Technologist	3	.	3	7	.	7	2	.	2	1	1	2	2	.	2	48
	Engraver	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
	Enrolled Nurse	10	.	10	2	.	2	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	61
	Entertainer or Variety Artist	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Environmental Consultant	3	.	3	6	.	6	5	.	5	6	.	6	17	.	17	80
	Environmental Engineer	2	1	3	4	.	4	3	.	3	5	.	5	.	.	.	91
	Environmental Health Officer	2	.	2	3	.	3	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	1	29
	Environmental Manager	1	1	2	4	.	4	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	22
	Environmental Research Scientist	10	1	11	21	.	21	6	2	8	4	.	4	10	.	10	200
	Environmental Scientists nec	3	.	3	7	.	7	4	.	4	1	.	1	2	.	2	53
	Equipment Hire Manager	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	26
	Excavator Operator	29	1	30	3	1	4	.	.	.	3	.	3	.	.	.	48
	Exercise Physiologist	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	14
	External Auditor	16	1	17	19	.	19	15	.	15	16	.	16	16	.	16	321
	Facilities Administrator	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
	Facilities Manager	8	.	8	8	.	8	2	.	2	2	1	3	3	1	4	111
	Factory Process Workers nec	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Faculty Head	1	.	1	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	15
	Family Support Worker	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	23
	Family and Marriage Counsellor	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	2
	Farrier	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	8
	Fashion Designer	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	22
	Fast Food Cook	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6
	Fibrous Plasterer	2	.	2	5	.	5	3	1	4	1	.	1	.	.	.	80
	Film and Video Editor	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	1	37
	Film, Television, Radio and Stage Directors nec	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	9
	Finance Broker	4	.	4	6	1	7	.	.	.	5	.	5	.	.	.	52
	Finance Manager	20	2	22	46	.	46	17	1	18	11	2	13	8	3	11	284
	Financial Brokers nec	2	.	2	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	19
	Financial Dealers nec	2	.	2	4	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	41
	Financial Institution Branch Manager	1	.	1	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	17
	Financial Investment Adviser	13	.	13	7	1	8	.	.	.	5	.	5	2	.	2	75
	Financial Investment Manager	5	.	5	5	.	5	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	22
	Financial Market Dealer	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	34
	Fire Fighter	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Fire Protection Equipment Technician	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	1	3	.	3	.	.	.	23
	First Aid Trainer	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	7
	Fisheries Officer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Fitness Centre Manager	1	.	1	3	1	4	1	.	1	2	.	2	1	.	1	41
	Fitness Instructor	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Fitter (General)	10	1	11	19	1	20	3	.	3	6	1	7	17	.	17	207
	Fitter and Turner	2	.	2	10	.	10	1	.	1	2	.	2	11	.	11	107
	Fitter-Welder	15	.	15	14	.	14	6	.	6	5	1	6	7	1	8	298
	Fleet Manager	3	.	3	8	.	8	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	1	2	35
	Flight Attendant	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Floor Finisher	3	.	3	6	.	6	2	.	2	2	.	2	.	.	.	62
	Florist	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Flower Grower	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5
	Flying Instructor	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	10
	Food Technologist	18	.	18	28	1	29	5	.	5	.	1	1	5	1	6	282
	Food Trades Assistants nec	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	2
	Food and Drink Factory Workers nec	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Footballer	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5
	Forester (Aus) / Forest Scientist (NZ)	3	.	3	3	.	3	2	.	2	.	.	.	2	.	2	49
	Forestry Worker	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	4
	Forklift Driver	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4

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		Financial Year (Jul-Jun) Decided																	
		2013/14			2014/15			2015/16			2016/17			2017/18			2018/19		
		Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total
		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined	
Occupation Standard	Occupation																		
ANZSCO	Freight Handler (Rail or Road)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Fruit and Vegetable Factory Worker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Fruit or Nut Farm Worker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Fruit or Nut Grower	5	.	5	7	5	12	7	4	11	6	2	8	4	1	5	2	2	4
	Funeral Director	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Funeral Workers nec	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Furniture Finisher	.	.	.	3	1	4	2	.	2	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Gallery or Museum Curator	2	.	2	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Gallery or Museum Technician	.	.	.	1	.	1	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Gaming Worker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Gardener (General)	10	1	11	13	1	14	19	1	20	6	.	6	8	1	9	3	1	4
	Gas or Petroleum Operator	2	.	2	1	.	1	2	.	2	2	.	2	2	.	2	.	.	.
	Gasfitter	2	.	2	2	.	2	4	.	4	6	.	6	2	1	3	2	.	2
	Gastroenterologist	1	.	1	1	.	1	2	.	2	2	.	2	2	.	2	2	.	2
	General Clerk	1	.	1	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	3
	General Practitioner	32	1	33	33	.	33	44	2	46	39	3	42	36	1	37	39	2	41
	Geologist	16	.	16	11	.	11	9	.	9	8	.	8	2	.	2	4	.	4
	Geophysicist	.	.	.	1	.	1	6	.	6	2	.	2	4	2	6	2	.	2
	Geotechnical Engineer	39	.	39	26	.	26	21	.	21	11	1	12	13	.	13	14	1	15
	Glass Processing Worker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Glass Production Machine Operator	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	3
	Glazier	3	.	3	3	1	4	9	.	9	8	2	10	4	1	5	5	.	5
	Goat Farmer	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Golfer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Grader Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1
	Grape Grower	2	1	3	3	.	3	3	.	3	2	1	3	1	1	2	1	1	2
	Graphic Designer	51	4	55	52	7	59	70	1	71	67	1	68	59	3	62	19	7	26
	Graphic Pre-press Trades Worker	17	2	19	8	1	9	16	1	17	9	2	11	3	.	3	1	.	1
	Greenkeeper	2	1	3	4	.	4	3	1	4	4	.	4	1	.	1	3	.	3
	Gunsmith	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Gymnastics Coach or Instructor	1	1	2	2	.	2	2	.	2	2	1	3	2	1	3	.	.	.
	Hair or Beauty Salon Manager	14	5	19	11	5	16	12	5	17	10	6	16	7	2	9	2	.	2
	Hairdresser	54	11	65	39	7	46	60	4	64	57	1	58	17	1	18	11	1	12
	Handyperson	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1
	Hardware Technician	41	6	47	29	.	29	33	2	35	36	4	40	29	1	30	5	1	6
	Health Diagnostic and Promotion Professionals nec	.	1	1	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1
	Health Information Manager	.	1	1	.	1	1	1	.	1	2	.	2	1	1	2	2	.	2
	Health Practice Manager	7	1	8	5	.	5	11	1	12	12	1	13	9	2	11	5	2	7
	Health Promotion Officer	6	1	7	6	.	6	5	.	5	2	1	3	3	1	4	1	.	1
	Health and Welfare Services Managers nec	3	.	3	1	.	1	3	1	4	3	.	3	3	.	3	3	.	3
	Helicopter Pilot	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Hide and Skin Processing Worker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Home Improvement Installer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Homoeopath	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Horse Breeder	1	.	1	1	1	2	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Horse Riding Coach or Instructor	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Horse Trainer	2	.	2	4	1	5	7	.	7	4	.	4	2	.	2	2	.	2
	Hospital Pharmacist	2	2	4	2	.	2	2	.	2	4	.	4	1	.	1	1	.	1
	Hospitality Workers nec	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Hospitality, Retail and Service Managers nec	14	17	31	21	14	35	16	13	29	33	7	40	30	5	35	9	3	12
	Hotel Service Manager	72	9	81	79	7	86	132	4	136	107	10	117	114	12	126	12	6	18
	Hotel or Motel Manager	41	23	64	43	17	60	68	10	78	70	10	80	50	11	61	21	8	29
	Hotel or Motel Receptionist	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Human Resource Adviser	15	.	15	13	2	15	18	.	18	18	1	19	11	1	12	24	2	26
	Human Resource Manager	13	2	15	9	1	10	7	2	9	9	2	11	11	2	13	15	.	15
	Human Resources Clerk	.	.	.	1	.	1	2	.	2	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1
	Hunting Guide	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Hydrogeologist	.	.	.	1	.	1	4	.	4	1	.	1	.	.	.	4	.	4

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Report prepared: 5 December 2023

		Financial Year (Jul-Jun) Decided															Total
		2019/20			2020/21			2021/22			2022/23			2023/24			
		Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	
		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		
Occupation Standard	Occupation																
ANZSCO	Freight Handler (Rail or Road)	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	2
	Fruit and Vegetable Factory Worker	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Fruit or Nut Farm Worker	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Fruit or Nut Grower	4	.	4	8	.	8	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	1	1	60
	Funeral Director	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Funeral Workers nec	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Furniture Finisher	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	8
	Gallery or Museum Curator	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6
	Gallery or Museum Technician	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Gaming Worker	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Gardener (General)	4	.	4	8	.	8	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	77
	Gas or Petroleum Operator	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	12
	Gasfitter	5	.	5	3	.	3	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	28
	Gastroenterologist	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	11
	General Clerk	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	7
	General Practitioner	34	.	34	17	1	18	5	.	5	3	.	3	.	.	.	292
	Geologist	1	.	1	3	.	3	2	.	2	2	.	2	2	.	2	60
	Geophysicist	2	.	2	5	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	25
	Geotechnical Engineer	10	1	11	11	.	11	13	.	13	3	.	3	3	.	3	167
	Glass Processing Worker	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	3
	Glass Production Machine Operator	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5
	Glazier	2	.	2	1	.	1	1	.	1	3	.	3	.	.	.	43
	Goat Farmer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5
	Golfer	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Grader Operator	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Grape Grower	1	.	1	3	.	3	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	21
	Graphic Designer	4	1	5	43	1	44	9	.	9	2	2	4	4	.	4	407
	Graphic Pre-press Trades Worker	2	.	2	4	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	66
	Greenkeeper	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	22
	Gunsmith	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Gymnastics Coach or Instructor	.	.	.	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	3	18
	Hair or Beauty Salon Manager	1	2	3	4	3	7	.	.	.	4	.	4	2	.	2	95
	Hairdresser	5	.	5	23	2	25	6	.	6	13	.	13	8	1	9	321
	Handyperson	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Hardware Technician	6	1	7	10	.	10	2	.	2	4	.	4	1	.	1	211
	Health Diagnostic and Promotion Professionals nec	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	5	.	5	13
	Health Information Manager	2	.	2	2	.	2	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	15
	Health Practice Manager	4	.	4	10	1	11	1	.	1	3	.	3	3	.	3	78
	Health Promotion Officer	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	28
	Health and Welfare Services Managers nec	6	.	6	7	.	7	3	.	3	1	.	1	3	.	3	37
	Helicopter Pilot	.	1	1	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6
	Hide and Skin Processing Worker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Home Improvement Installer	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Homoeopath	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Horse Breeder	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	7
	Horse Riding Coach or Instructor	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Horse Trainer	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	25
	Hospital Pharmacist	2	.	2	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	18
	Hospitality Workers nec	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5
	Hospitality, Retail and Service Managers nec	6	3	9	15	5	20	4	1	5	4	1	5	11	.	11	232
	Hotel Service Manager	12	.	12	29	4	33	11	1	12	33	1	34	26	1	27	682
	Hotel or Motel Manager	12	7	19	55	4	59	10	4	14	20	2	22	33	1	34	520
	Hotel or Motel Receptionist	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Human Resource Adviser	13	.	13	16	.	16	6	.	6	8	1	9	11	.	11	160
	Human Resource Manager	7	.	7	15	.	15	9	.	9	5	2	7	2	1	3	114
	Human Resources Clerk	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	10
	Hunting Guide	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1
	Hydrogeologist	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	13

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		Financial Year (Jul-Jun) Decided																	
		2013/14			2014/15			2015/16			2016/17			2017/18			2018/19		
		Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total
		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined	
Occupation Standard	Occupation																		
ANZSCO	ICT Account Manager	9	1	10	10	1	11	13	3	16	12	1	13	29	1	30	9	1	10
	ICT Business Analyst	119	9	128	107	14	121	122	30	152	125	23	148	89	4	93	102	1	103
	ICT Business Development Manager	12	2	14	18	1	19	28	2	30	20	.	20	26	3	29	17	1	18
	ICT Customer Support Officer	286	22	308	294	32	326	374	24	398	245	62	307	223	43	266	79	5	84
	ICT Managers nec	24	4	28	20	2	22	20	2	22	23	2	25	12	1	13	20	.	20
	ICT Project Manager	122	27	149	130	27	157	140	33	173	96	34	130	54	7	61	55	2	57
	ICT Quality Assurance Engineer	26	4	30	24	1	25	19	2	21	17	4	21	3	1	4	13	.	13
	ICT Sales Representative	21	11	32	29	10	39	41	7	48	40	17	57	31	10	41	8	3	11
	ICT Security Specialist	33	2	35	26	3	29	29	6	35	21	5	26	21	2	23	30	.	30
	ICT Support Engineer	56	6	62	71	10	81	95	10	105	78	12	90	44	4	48	42	4	46
	ICT Support Technicians nec	160	44	204	211	34	245	207	18	225	181	30	211	119	34	153	34	9	43
	ICT Support and Test Engineers nec	9	2	11	10	3	13	13	.	13	10	3	13	4	.	4	3	.	3
	ICT Systems Test Engineer	41	4	45	50	3	53	68	4	72	53	4	57	26	1	27	28	1	29
	ICT Trainer	7	.	7	8	.	8	6	.	6	7	.	7	5	.	5	2	.	2
	Illustrator	4	.	4	3	.	3	3	.	3	4	.	4	4	.	4	1	.	1
	Import-Export Clerk	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	1	2	.	2
	Importer or Exporter	15	5	20	7	3	10	15	3	18	11	7	18	13	6	19	10	2	12
	Industrial Designer	4	1	5	6	.	6	6	.	6	8	.	8	10	.	10	4	.	4
	Industrial Engineer	18	5	23	29	4	33	22	5	27	19	3	22	12	3	15	17	.	17
	Industrial Pharmacist	1	1	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Industrial Spraypainter	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Information Officer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Information and Organisation Professionals nec	5	.	5	8	.	8	5	.	5	18	.	18	19	.	19	10	.	10
	Inspectors and Regulatory Officers nec	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	4	1	.	1	1	.	1
	Insurance Agent	12	.	12	9	1	10	13	1	14	15	1	16	15	3	18	31	4	35
	Insurance Broker	8	3	11	9	.	9	8	1	9	5	.	5	13	.	13	5	1	6
	Insurance Consultant	2	.	2	3	.	3	3	1	4	.	.	.	4	.	4	.	.	.
	Insurance Investigator	2	.	2	1	1	2	1	.	1	2	.	2	2	.	2	1	.	1
	Insurance Loss Adjuster	6	.	6	4	.	4	5	.	5	4	.	4	3	1	4	2	1	3
	Insurance Risk Surveyor	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Intellectual Property Lawyer	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1
	Intelligence Officer	6	.	6	7	.	7	8	1	9	2	2	4	6	1	7	3	.	3
	Intensive Care Ambulance Paramedic (Aus) / Ambulance Paramedic (NZ)	2	.	2	1	1	2	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Intensive Care Specialist	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	3	.	3	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Interior Decorator	3	.	3	1	.	1	3	.	3	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Interior Designer	7	.	7	5	.	5	7	.	7	19	.	19	12	.	12	4	.	4
	Internal Auditor	13	3	16	13	2	15	22	2	24	17	1	18	13	.	13	22	.	22
	Interpreter	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	3	3	.	3	.	.	.
	Jeweller	2	1	3	1	.	1	2	1	3	3	.	3	1	.	1	1	.	1
	Jewellery Designer	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Jockey	.	1	1	2	.	2	4	.	4	.	1	1	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Joiner	14	2	16	22	3	25	33	1	34	21	.	21	2	.	2	4	.	4
	Journalists and Other Writers nec	2	1	3	3	.	3	4	2	6	5	1	6	8	.	8	1	.	1
	Judicial and Other Legal Professionals nec	1	1	2	5	.	5	3	.	3	1	.	1	4	.	4	2	1	3
	Kaiako Kura Kaupapa Maori (Maori-medium Primary School Teacher)	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Kaiawhina (Hauora) (Maori Health Assistant)	.	.	.	4	.	4	.	3	3	.	1	1	3	.	3	.	.	.
	Kitchenhand	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Laboratory Manager	2	.	2	3	1	4	3	1	4	4	.	4	7	1	8	3	.	3
	Labourers nec	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Land Economist	2	.	2	.	1	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	2	.	2	1	.	1
	Landscape Architect	3	2	5	2	.	2	3	.	3	9	.	9	11	1	12	5	.	5
	Landscape Gardener	7	.	7	10	2	12	11	.	11	12	.	12	11	1	12	6	.	6
	Law Clerk	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2
	Legal Executive	3	.	3	6	.	6	7	.	7	8	1	9	4	.	4	6	.	6
	Legal Secretary	2	1	3	4	.	4	8	1	9	11	.	11	9	2	11	2	.	2
	Liaison Officer	7	.	7	4	2	6	5	2	7	3	1	4	5	.	5	3	.	3
	Librarian	3	.	3	2	.	2	5	.	5	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Library Technician	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1

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		2019/20			2020/21			2021/22			2022/23			2023/24			
		Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	
		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		
Occupation Standard	Occupation																
ANZSCO	ICT Account Manager	9	1	10	14	3	17	2	.	2	5	.	5	6	.	6	130
	ICT Business Analyst	75	1	76	98	2	100	25	2	27	61	4	65	50	1	51	1,064
	ICT Business Development Manager	13	1	14	22	.	22	2	.	2	5	.	5	4	.	4	177
	ICT Customer Support Officer	45	13	58	106	12	118	13	2	15	40	.	40	27	3	30	1,950
	ICT Managers nec	12	1	13	25	.	25	9	1	10	3	.	3	2	.	2	183
	ICT Project Manager	38	6	44	54	1	55	17	2	19	15	1	16	8	1	9	870
	ICT Quality Assurance Engineer	7	.	7	12	.	12	5	.	5	7	.	7	3	.	3	148
	ICT Sales Representative	4	1	5	14	3	17	5	.	5	2	2	4	5	.	5	264
	ICT Security Specialist	25	1	26	36	1	37	10	.	10	14	.	14	10	.	10	275
	ICT Support Engineer	16	2	18	53	.	53	9	.	9	20	2	22	17	.	17	551
	ICT Support Technicians nec	25	8	33	57	12	69	19	1	20	18	3	21	23	1	24	1,248
	ICT Support and Test Engineers nec	5	.	5	10	1	11	4	1	5	2	.	2	2	.	2	82
	ICT Systems Test Engineer	25	.	25	39	.	39	19	.	19	14	.	14	27	.	27	407
	ICT Trainer	1	.	1	6	.	6	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	44
	Illustrator	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	21
	Import-Export Clerk	2	.	2	3	.	3	1	.	1	17	.	17	9	.	9	38
	Importer or Exporter	6	1	7	7	2	9	.	.	.	1	.	1	3	.	3	117
	Industrial Designer	5	.	5	9	1	10	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	56
	Industrial Engineer	12	1	13	15	.	15	5	.	5	2	1	3	5	.	5	178
	Industrial Pharmacist	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Industrial Spraypainter	6	.	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	2	7	.	.	.	15
	Information Officer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Information and Organisation Professionals nec	2	.	2	9	.	9	.	.	.	6	.	6	14	.	14	96
	Inspectors and Regulatory Officers nec	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	7
	Insurance Agent	5	2	7	10	6	16	12	.	12	15	.	15	3	.	3	158
	Insurance Broker	6	.	6	11	1	12	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	74
	Insurance Consultant	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	15
	Insurance Investigator	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	12
	Insurance Loss Adjuster	1	.	1	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	31
	Insurance Risk Surveyor	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Intellectual Property Lawyer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	4
	Intelligence Officer	4	.	4	3	.	3	2	.	2	7	.	7	4	.	4	56
	Intensive Care Ambulance Paramedic (Aus) / Ambulance Paramedic (NZ)	.	.	.	4	.	4	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	11
	Intensive Care Specialist	1	.	1	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	9
	Interior Decorator	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	10
	Interior Designer	2	.	2	5	.	5	2	.	2	1	.	1	2	.	2	66
	Internal Auditor	19	.	19	24	.	24	12	.	12	13	1	14	2	.	2	179
	Interpreter	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	10
	Jeweller	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	14
	Jewellery Designer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Jockey	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	10
	Joiner	2	.	2	12	.	12	6	.	6	3	1	4	1	.	1	127
	Journalists and Other Writers nec	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	31
	Judicial and Other Legal Professionals nec	1	.	1	11	.	11	2	.	2	1	.	1	1	.	1	34
	Kaiako Kura Kaupapa Maori (Maori-medium Primary School Teacher)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Kaiawhina (Hauora) (Maori Health Assistant)	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	14
	Kitchenhand	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Laboratory Manager	2	.	2	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	1	1	4	.	4	34
	Labourers nec	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	8
	Land Economist	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	8
	Landscape Architect	.	.	.	10	.	10	.	.	.	1	.	1	5	.	5	52
	Landscape Gardener	.	.	.	10	.	10	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	72
	Law Clerk	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	3	.	3	.	.	.	8
	Legal Executive	3	.	3	6	.	6	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	1	47
	Legal Secretary	.	.	.	4	.	4	2	.	2	2	1	3	5	.	5	54
	Liaison Officer	2	1	3	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	38
	Librarian	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	15
	Library Technician	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2

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		Financial Year (Jul-Jun) Decided																	
		2013/14			2014/15			2015/16			2016/17			2017/18			2018/19		
		Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total
		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined	
Occupation Standard	Occupation																		
ANZSCO	Licensed Club Manager	7	2	9	9	.	9	16	2	18	11	2	13	9	1	10	2	4	6
	Life Science Technician	13	1	14	24	1	25	15	.	15	18	1	19	17	4	21	8	.	8
	Life Scientist (General)	6	2	8	3	.	3	4	.	4	6	1	7	6	.	6	14	1	15
	Life Scientists nec	4	1	5	3	.	3	6	.	6	8	.	8	4	.	4	5	.	5
	Lifeguard	3	.	3	1	.	1	8	.	8	6	.	6	6	.	6	.	.	.
	Lift Mechanic	2	.	2	3	.	3	2	.	2	2	.	2	1	.	1	2	.	2
	Light Technician	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	1	2	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Linemarker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Livestock Farm Workers nec	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Livestock Farmers nec	1	1	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1
	Loader Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Local Government Legislator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Locksmith	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Logging Plant Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Machine Operators nec	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	2	3	1	.	1	14	.	14
	Maintenance Planner	4	1	5	6	1	7	8	1	9	12	2	14	6	1	7	5	.	5
	Make Up Artist	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Management Accountant	16	1	17	17	3	20	29	1	30	34	5	39	38	9	47	40	2	42
	Management Consultant	31	3	34	43	3	46	45	3	48	39	.	39	43	4	47	55	4	59
	Manufacturer	1	1	2	.	1	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Marine Biologist	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	4	.	4	3	.	3	3	.	3
	Marine Surveyor	1	.	1	1	1	2	1	.	1	1	.	1	2	.	2	2	.	2
	Marine Transport Professionals nec	.	1	1	3	.	3	4	1	5	3	.	3	2	.	2	3	.	3
	Market Research Analyst	22	1	23	12	1	13	19	1	20	22	2	24	21	1	22	13	.	13
	Marketing Specialist	79	19	98	125	22	147	155	11	166	186	21	207	189	20	209	114	11	125
	Massage Therapist	33	9	42	22	2	24	43	5	48	35	11	46	15	3	18	9	.	9
	Master Fisher	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Materials Engineer	6	1	7	6	.	6	9	2	11	6	2	8	8	.	8	5	.	5
	Mathematician	3	1	4	3	.	3	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	1	1	2	.	2
	Meat Boner and Slicer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Meat Inspector	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	3	1	4	.	.	.	2	.	2
	Meat Process Worker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Mechanic's Assistant	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Mechanical Engineer	69	14	83	86	18	104	83	22	105	112	31	143	71	12	83	72	1	73
	Mechanical Engineering Draftsperson	22	3	25	22	2	24	15	.	15	25	1	26	17	.	17	12	2	14
	Mechanical Engineering Technician	24	2	26	19	1	20	35	1	36	38	.	38	20	1	21	19	.	19
	Media Producer (excluding Video)	1	1	2	6	.	6	4	.	4	3	.	3	3	.	3	4	.	4
	Medical Administrator (Aus) / Medical Superintendent (NZ)	2	.	2	1	.	1	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1
	Medical Diagnostic Radiographer	5	2	7	7	.	7	7	.	7	5	.	5	9	.	9	18	.	18
	Medical Laboratory Scientist	6	1	7	13	.	13	15	3	18	14	3	17	11	1	12	9	.	9
	Medical Laboratory Technician	18	3	21	20	.	20	12	1	13	14	1	15	7	.	7	7	.	7
	Medical Oncologist	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1
	Medical Practitioners nec	4	.	4	3	.	3	1	.	1	3	.	3	6	.	6	5	.	5
	Medical Radiation Therapist	5	.	5	5	.	5	3	.	3	5	.	5	3	.	3	1	.	1
	Medical Receptionist	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Medical Technicians nec	4	.	4	6	.	6	7	.	7	4	1	5	4	.	4	7	.	7
	Metal Casting Trades Worker	13	.	13	11	1	12	4	.	4	5	.	5	4	.	4	1	.	1
	Metal Fabricator	20	1	21	55	2	57	57	3	60	73	9	82	19	3	22	27	2	29
	Metal Fitters and Machinists nec	9	.	9	5	2	7	6	1	7	7	.	7	1	.	1	1	.	1
	Metal Machinist (First Class)	49	1	50	48	1	49	55	1	56	44	2	46	22	.	22	12	.	12
	Metal Polisher	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Metallurgical or Materials Technician	.	.	.	3	.	3	3	.	3	1	.	1	2	.	2	2	1	3
	Metallurgist	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Meteorologist	4	.	4	3	.	3	3	.	3	2	.	2	2	.	2	5	.	5
	Microbiologist	3	.	3	1	.	1	4	.	4	7	3	10	3	.	3	9	.	9
	Middle School Teacher (Aus) / Intermediate School Teacher (NZ)	3	.	3	8	.	8	3	1	4	6	.	6	3	.	3	9	.	9
	Midwife	12	1	13	7	.	7	18	.	18	8	.	8	6	.	6	13	.	13
	Migration Agent	5	1	6	6	.	6	7	.	7	7	.	7	6	1	7	6	.	6

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		2019/20			2020/21			2021/22			2022/23			2023/24			
		Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	
		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		
Occupation Standard	Occupation																
ANZSCO	Licensed Club Manager	4	1	5	6	1	7	.	1	1	3	.	3	3	.	3	84
	Life Science Technician	.	1	1	14	2	16	1	.	1	4	2	6	3	.	3	129
	Life Scientist (General)	8	.	8	4	1	5	.	.	.	3	.	3	6	.	6	65
	Life Scientists nec	2	.	2	6	.	6	2	1	3	3	.	3	2	.	2	47
	Lifeguard	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	25
	Lift Mechanic	3	.	3	2	1	3	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	19
	Light Technician	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	6
	Linemarker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Livestock Farm Workers nec	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Livestock Farmers nec	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	9
	Loader Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Local Government Legislator	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	2
	Locksmith	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Logging Plant Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	1
	Machine Operators nec	45	.	45	3	.	3	2	1	3	7	.	7	.	1	1	78
	Maintenance Planner	6	.	6	7	.	7	4	.	4	3	.	3	3	.	3	70
	Make Up Artist	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Management Accountant	21	.	21	50	3	53	5	.	5	14	1	15	14	.	14	303
	Management Consultant	27	3	30	69	1	70	28	1	29	20	1	21	22	.	22	445
	Manufacturer	.	1	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	9
	Marine Biologist	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	14
	Marine Surveyor	.	.	.	3	.	3	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	15
	Marine Transport Professionals nec	1	.	1	5	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	23
	Market Research Analyst	6	.	6	24	2	26	3	.	3	3	.	3	5	.	5	158
	Marketing Specialist	80	12	92	145	21	166	38	4	42	38	6	44	49	2	51	1,347
	Massage Therapist	2	.	2	13	1	14	1	1	2	4	.	4	4	.	4	213
	Master Fisher	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Materials Engineer	2	.	2	3	.	3	2	.	2	1	1	2	3	.	3	57
	Mathematician	2	.	2	1	.	1	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	18
	Meat Boner and Slicer	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	5
	Meat Inspector	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	10
	Meat Process Worker	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	5
	Mechanic's Assistant	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Mechanical Engineer	49	2	51	62	3	65	25	.	25	17	1	18	8	.	8	758
	Mechanical Engineering Draftsperson	5	.	5	14	.	14	1	.	1	4	.	4	3	.	3	148
	Mechanical Engineering Technician	19	1	20	19	1	20	4	.	4	3	.	3	3	.	3	210
	Media Producer (excluding Video)	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	25
	Medical Administrator (Aus) / Medical Superintendent (NZ)	3	.	3	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	11
	Medical Diagnostic Radiographer	19	.	19	13	.	13	3	.	3	3	1	4	.	.	.	92
	Medical Laboratory Scientist	11	.	11	8	.	8	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	97
	Medical Laboratory Technician	12	.	12	4	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	100
	Medical Oncologist	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
	Medical Practitioners nec	4	.	4	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	6	.	6	33
	Medical Radiation Therapist	6	.	6	6	.	6	4	.	4	3	.	3	.	.	.	41
	Medical Receptionist	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Medical Technicians nec	9	.	9	4	.	4	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	49
	Metal Casting Trades Worker	.	.	.	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	42
	Metal Fabricator	21	.	21	34	.	34	7	.	7	6	2	8	9	.	9	350
	Metal Fitters and Machinists nec	3	.	3	3	.	3	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	41
	Metal Machinist (First Class)	8	.	8	24	.	24	2	.	2	10	.	10	10	.	10	289
	Metal Polisher	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Metallurgical or Materials Technician	1	.	1	3	.	3	2	.	2	1	1	2	.	.	.	20
	Metallurgist	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Meteorologist	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	21
	Microbiologist	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	33
	Middle School Teacher (Aus) / Intermediate School Teacher (NZ)	18	.	18	7	.	7	.	.	.	4	.	4	.	.	.	62
	Midwife	15	.	15	8	1	9	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	92
	Migration Agent	8	1	9	3	1	4	.	.	.	8	.	8	3	.	3	63

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		2013/14			2014/15			2015/16			2016/17			2017/18			2018/19		
		Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total
		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined	
Occupation Standard	Occupation																		
ANZSCO	Mine Deputy	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Miner	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Mining Engineer (excluding Petroleum)	2	.	2	5	.	5	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Minister of Religion	10	4	14	18	10	28	17	6	23	19	2	21	6	2	8	1	.	1
	Mixed Crop Farmer	.	.	.	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Mixed Crop and Livestock Farm Worker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Mixed Crop and Livestock Farmer	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	.	.
	Mixed Livestock Farmer	1	.	1	3	.	3	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	2
	Mobile Plant Operators nec	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	2	.	2
	Motor Mechanic (General)	91	16	107	87	13	100	104	6	110	99	10	109	34	6	40	43	.	43
	Motor Vehicle Licence Examiner	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Motor Vehicle Parts Interpreter (Aus) / Automotive Parts Salesperson (NZ)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Motor Vehicle Parts and Accessories Fitter (General)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Motor Vehicle or Caravan Salesperson	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	4	.	.	.	6	.	6
	Motorcycle Mechanic	5	.	5	3	.	3	3	.	3	6	.	6	1	.	1	1	.	1
	Mountain or Glacier Guide	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Multimedia Designer	35	3	38	36	3	39	35	1	36	36	1	37	16	.	16	12	1	13
	Multimedia Specialist	30	.	30	13	.	13	35	2	37	46	4	50	33	1	34	31	1	32
	Music Director	1	.	1	1	1	2	2	.	2	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Music Professionals nec	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	2	.	2
	Music Teacher (Private Tuition)	4	1	5	2	.	2	2	.	2	1	.	1	2	.	2	2	.	2
	Musical Instrument Maker or Repairer	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.
	Musician (Instrumental)	3	.	3	2	.	2	1	.	1	3	.	3	3	.	3	2	.	2
	Natural and Physical Science Professionals nec	1	.	1	1	.	1	2	.	2	1	.	1	5	1	6	4	.	4
	Naturopath	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Naval Architect (Aus) / Marine Designer (NZ)	3	.	3	4	.	4	4	.	4	2	.	2	.	.	.	3	.	3
	Network Administrator	20	5	25	23	.	23	21	7	28	14	3	17	10	4	14	8	.	8
	Network Analyst	8	2	10	13	1	14	6	.	6	4	.	4	4	.	4	4	.	4
	Neurologist	4	.	4	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	2	.	2	2	.	2
	Neurosurgeon	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1
	Newspaper or Periodical Editor	3	.	3	5	1	6	5	.	5	3	.	3	6	1	7	4	.	4
	Not Stated/Not elsewhere classified	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Noxious Weeds and Pest Inspector	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Nuclear Medicine Technologist	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Nurse Educator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	2	.	2	.	.	.
	Nurse Manager	5	.	5	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	4	.	4	2	.	2
	Nurse Practitioner	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	1	5	.	5
	Nurse Researcher	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Nurseryperson	35	11	46	58	8	66	52	4	56	32	3	35	25	3	28	14	1	15
	Nursing Clinical Director	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Nursing Support Worker	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Nutritionist	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Obstetrician and Gynaecologist	6	.	6	9	.	9	7	1	8	8	1	9	8	.	8	3	.	3
	Occupational Health and Safety Adviser	9	.	9	13	1	14	10	.	10	14	1	15	14	.	14	26	2	28
	Occupational Therapist	13	.	13	10	1	11	10	2	12	18	1	19	16	.	16	9	.	9
	Office Manager	126	67	193	106	75	181	153	53	206	117	31	148	92	42	134	39	19	58
	Operating Theatre Technician	.	.	.	2	.	2	2	.	2	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Ophthalmologist	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	1	1	.	1	3	.	3	3	.	3
	Optical Dispenser (Aus) / Dispensing Optician (NZ)	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	3	.	3	2	.	2	2	1	3
	Optical Mechanic	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Optometrist	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	3	.	3	.	.	.
	Organisation and Methods Analyst	20	3	23	20	1	21	23	1	24	29	2	31	33	1	34	30	1	31
	Organisational Psychologist	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Orthopaedic Surgeon	2	.	2	1	.	1	3	.	3	6	.	6	1	.	1	5	.	5
	Orthoptist	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Orthotist or Prosthetist	1	.	1	4	.	4	3	.	3	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2
	Osteopath	12	.	12	9	1	10	10	.	10	8	.	8	6	.	6	11	.	11
	Other Sales Support Worker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	4	.	.	.

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		2019/20			2020/21			2021/22			2022/23			2023/24			
		Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	
		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		
Occupation Standard	Occupation																
ANZSCO	Mine Deputy	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Miner	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Mining Engineer (excluding Petroleum)	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	9
	Minister of Religion	7	1	8	5	1	6	1	2	3	1	.	1	2	.	2	115
	Mixed Crop Farmer	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	8
	Mixed Crop and Livestock Farm Worker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Mixed Crop and Livestock Farmer	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5
	Mixed Livestock Farmer	2	.	2	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	12
	Mobile Plant Operators nec	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	8
	Motor Mechanic (General)	67	1	68	55	2	57	11	.	11	10	.	10	15	.	15	670
	Motor Vehicle Licence Examiner	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Motor Vehicle Parts Interpreter (Aus) / Automotive Parts Salesperson (NZ)	5	.	5	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	9
	Motor Vehicle Parts and Accessories Fitter (General)	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	3
	Motor Vehicle or Caravan Salesperson	2	.	2	.	.	.	2	.	2	3	.	3	.	.	.	17
	Motorcycle Mechanic	.	.	.	3	.	3	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	23
	Mountain or Glacier Guide	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	2
	Multimedia Designer	5	.	5	11	.	11	3	.	3	1	.	1	4	1	5	204
	Multimedia Specialist	43	1	44	21	1	22	4	.	4	16	.	16	6	.	6	288
	Music Director	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	8
	Music Professionals nec	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
	Music Teacher (Private Tuition)	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	16
	Musical Instrument Maker or Repairer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	1	6
	Musician (Instrumental)	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	17
	Natural and Physical Science Professionals nec	1	.	1	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	19
	Naturopath	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Naval Architect (Aus) / Marine Designer (NZ)	1	.	1	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	19
	Network Administrator	4	1	5	9	.	9	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	132
	Network Analyst	1	1	2	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	47
	Neurologist	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	13
	Neurosurgeon	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5
	Newspaper or Periodical Editor	.	.	.	4	1	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	34
	Not Stated/Not elsewhere classified	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	2	.	2	6
	Noxious Weeds and Pest Inspector	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1
	Nuclear Medicine Technologist	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	6
	Nurse Educator	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	6
	Nurse Manager	3	.	3	3	.	3	2	.	2	1	.	1	2	.	2	25
	Nurse Practitioner	.	.	.	2	.	2	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	13
	Nurse Researcher	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Nurseryperson	2	.	2	14	.	14	.	.	.	3	.	3	7	.	7	272
	Nursing Clinical Director	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Nursing Support Worker	6	1	7	.	.	.	1	.	1	6	.	6	4	.	4	20
	Nutritionist	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Obstetrician and Gynaecologist	8	.	8	3	.	3	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	55
	Occupational Health and Safety Adviser	15	.	15	15	.	15	4	.	4	4	2	6	5	.	5	135
	Occupational Therapist	10	.	10	12	.	12	5	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	107
	Office Manager	21	13	34	54	38	92	16	3	19	12	6	18	10	3	13	1,096
	Operating Theatre Technician	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	7
	Ophthalmologist	1	1	2	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	14
	Optical Dispenser (Aus) / Dispensing Optician (NZ)	.	.	.	4	1	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	15
	Optical Mechanic	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Optometrist	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	8
	Organisation and Methods Analyst	16	1	17	28	.	28	3	.	3	11	.	11	10	.	10	233
	Organisational Psychologist	1	.	1	1	.	1	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	5
	Orthopaedic Surgeon	5	.	5	3	.	3	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	27
	Orthoptist	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6
	Orthotist or Prosthetist	2	.	2	4	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	17
	Osteopath	3	.	3	3	.	3	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	64
	Other Sales Support Worker	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	5

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		2013/14			2014/15			2015/16			2016/17			2017/18			2018/19		
		Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total
		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined	
Occupation Standard	Occupation																		
ANZSCO	Other Spatial Scientist	15	.	15	6	.	6	16	1	17	7	1	8	7	2	9	9	.	9
	Other Sports Coach or Instructor	10	4	14	10	1	11	13	3	16	17	4	21	8	2	10	4	1	5
	Otorhinolaryngologist	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	3	.	3
	Outdoor Adventure Guides nec	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1
	Outdoor Adventure Instructor	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2
	Packers nec	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Paediatric Surgeon	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Paediatrician	1	.	1	5	.	5	3	.	3	1	.	1	3	.	3	6	.	6
	Painter (Visual Arts)	.	1	1	.	2	2	2	2	4	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	1	2
	Painting Trades Worker	47	9	56	85	8	93	121	12	133	116	10	126	21	4	25	7	.	7
	Panelbeater	12	6	18	19	4	23	19	3	22	19	4	23	1	1	2	1	1	2
	Paper Products Machine Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Park Ranger	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	4	.	4	2	.	2	1	.	1
	Parole or Probation Officer	3	.	3	5	.	5	2	.	2	1	.	1	2	.	2	3	.	3
	Pastrycook	32	3	35	31	5	36	51	2	53	50	2	52	12	1	13	7	1	8
	Patents Examiner	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	3	.	3	.	.	.
	Pathologist	5	.	5	1	.	1	1	.	1	4	.	4	3	.	3	3	.	3
	Pathology Collector (Aus) / Phlebotomist (NZ)	16	1	17	12	.	12	8	.	8	6	.	6	3	1	4	1	.	1
	Paving Plant Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Paving and Surfacing Labourer	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Payroll Clerk	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2
	Performing Arts Technicians nec	3	.	3	.	.	.	3	1	4	5	.	5	4	.	4	.	.	.
	Personal Assistant	33	3	36	46	3	49	67	5	72	77	13	90	62	10	72	51	2	53
	Personal Care Assistant	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	1	2	3	.	1	1	.	.	.
	Personal Service Workers nec	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Pest Controller	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Pet Groomer	1	.	1	1	1	2	1	.	1	2	.	2	2	1	3	1	.	1
	Petroleum Engineer	8	.	8	11	1	12	14	1	15	3	3	6	3	.	3	.	.	.
	Pharmacy Technician	20	.	20	25	.	25	30	1	31	17	6	23	6	4	10	11	.	11
	Photographer	4	.	4	5	.	5	7	1	8	.	1	1	.	.	.	2	.	2
	Photographer's Assistant	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	2	.	2	.	.	.
	Physicist	9	.	9	6	.	6	8	1	9	9	.	9	3	1	4	6	.	6
	Physiotherapist	27	1	28	28	1	29	46	1	47	43	1	44	28	.	28	42	1	43
	Picture Framer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Pig Farmer	3	2	5	1	3	4	2	1	3	.	3	3	1	1	2	1	.	1
	Plastic and Reconstructive Surgeon	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2
	Plastics Fabricator or Welder	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	1	2	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Plastics Production Machine Operator (General)	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Plastics Technician	9	2	11	8	2	10	10	1	11	11	1	12	11	.	11	9	1	10
	Plumber (General)	20	2	22	27	2	29	44	.	44	49	.	49	20	1	21	28	.	28
	Plumber's Assistant	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Podiatrist	1	1	2	1	.	1	1	.	1	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Policy Analyst	14	.	14	19	.	19	15	.	15	19	1	20	20	.	20	25	.	25
	Policy and Planning Manager	4	.	4	7	.	7	10	.	10	10	.	10	11	.	11	9	1	10
	Post Office Manager	2	1	3	.	1	1	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Potter or Ceramic Artist	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Poultry Farm Worker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Poultry Farmer	1	.	1	5	1	6	4	2	6	5	1	6	1	.	1	3	.	3
	Poultry Process Worker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Power Generation Plant Operator	.	.	.	1	.	1	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2
	Practice Managers nec	4	.	4	6	3	9	3	1	4	10	6	16	4	1	5	5	1	6
	Precision Instrument Maker and Repairer	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Pressure Welder	.	.	.	4	.	4	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Primary Health Organisation Manager	1	.	1	2	.	2	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Primary Products Inspectors nec	3	4	7	4	2	6	13	1	14	12	.	12	5	1	6	6	.	6
	Primary School Teacher	27	1	28	19	1	20	18	.	18	27	1	28	31	.	31	53	.	53
	Print Finisher	.	2	2	.	.	.	3	.	3	3	.	3	1	.	1	1	.	1
	Print Journalist	6	1	7	3	.	3	2	.	2	3	.	3	5	.	5	1	.	1

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		2019/20			2020/21			2021/22			2022/23			2023/24			
		Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	
		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		
Occupation Standard	Occupation																
ANZSCO	Other Spatial Scientist	4	.	4	6	.	6	5	.	5	.	1	1	2	.	2	82
	Other Sports Coach or Instructor	1	1	2	8	1	9	2	.	2	4	1	5	1	.	1	96
	Otorhinolaryngologist	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	11
	Outdoor Adventure Guides nec	.	.	.	.	2	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	7
	Outdoor Adventure Instructor	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Packers nec	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Paediatric Surgeon	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5
	Paediatrician	4	.	4	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	25
	Painter (Visual Arts)	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	11
	Painting Trades Worker	8	.	8	14	2	16	2	.	2	2	1	3	1	1	2	471
	Panelbeater	6	.	6	3	.	3	1	.	1	4	.	4	2	.	2	106
	Paper Products Machine Operator	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	2
	Park Ranger	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	11
	Parole or Probation Officer	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	18
	Pastrycook	2	.	2	6	.	6	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	206
	Patents Examiner	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
	Pathologist	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	20
	Pathology Collector (Aus) / Phlebotomist (NZ)	7	.	7	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	57
	Paving Plant Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	3
	Paving and Surfacing Labourer	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
	Payroll Clerk	2	.	2	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	9
	Performing Arts Technicians nec	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	17
	Personal Assistant	27	3	30	48	6	54	8	.	8	19	4	23	17	.	17	504
	Personal Care Assistant	10	.	10	42	2	44	16	2	18	107	2	109	56	3	59	247
	Personal Service Workers nec	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Pest Controller	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Pet Groomer	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	11
	Petroleum Engineer	1	.	1	5	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	50
	Pharmacy Technician	5	.	5	18	.	18	1	1	2	.	.	.	2	.	2	147
	Photographer	2	.	2	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	26
	Photographer's Assistant	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	4
	Physicist	1	.	1	4	.	4	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	50
	Physiotherapist	52	.	52	47	.	47	19	.	19	15	.	15	5	.	5	357
	Picture Framer	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Pig Farmer	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	20
	Plastic and Reconstructive Surgeon	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	8
	Plastics Fabricator or Welder	4	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	9
	Plastics Production Machine Operator (General)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Plastics Technician	3	.	3	7	.	7	.	.	.	3	.	3	1	.	1	79
	Plumber (General)	39	2	41	47	1	48	18	.	18	6	.	6	1	.	1	307
	Plumber's Assistant	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	5	.	5	.	.	.	8
	Podiatrist	1	.	1	3	.	3	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	12
	Policy Analyst	7	.	7	18	.	18	13	.	13	13	.	13	13	.	13	177
	Policy and Planning Manager	5	.	5	17	.	17	4	.	4	4	.	4	2	.	2	84
	Post Office Manager	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6
	Potter or Ceramic Artist	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Poultry Farm Worker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Poultry Farmer	2	1	3	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	30
	Poultry Process Worker	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Power Generation Plant Operator	1	.	1	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	10
	Practice Managers nec	2	1	3	5	2	7	5	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	59
	Precision Instrument Maker and Repairer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
	Pressure Welder	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6
	Primary Health Organisation Manager	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	7
	Primary Products Inspectors nec	1	.	1	7	.	7	.	.	.	4	.	4	1	.	1	64
	Primary School Teacher	129	2	131	51	.	51	1	.	1	17	.	17	16	.	16	394
	Print Finisher	.	1	1	5	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	18
	Print Journalist	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	25

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		Financial Year (Jul-Jun) Decided																	
		2013/14			2014/15			2015/16			2016/17			2017/18			2018/19		
		Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total
		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined	
Occupation Standard	Occupation																		
ANZSCO	Printing Machinist	2	.	2	6	.	6	11	.	11	6	.	6	2	.	2	1	.	1
	Prison Officer	6	.	6	6	.	6	3	.	3	8	.	8	8	.	8	3	.	3
	Private Tutors and Teachers nec	15	2	17	16	.	16	30	.	30	25	3	28	14	6	20	7	1	8
	Procurement Manager	2	.	2	18	2	20	35	8	43	25	3	28	23	1	24	28	1	29
	Product Assembler	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Product Examiner	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Product Tester	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.
	Production Assistant (Film, Television, Radio or Stage)	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Production Clerk	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	3	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Production Manager (Forestry)	.	.	.	2	.	2	4	.	4	3	1	4	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Production Manager (Manufacturing)	32	3	35	32	6	38	33	6	39	41	4	45	31	4	35	27	3	30
	Production Manager (Mining)	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Production or Plant Engineer	18	1	19	29	6	35	51	8	59	38	5	43	30	2	32	21	.	21
	Program Director (Television or Radio)	1	1	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Program or Project Administrator	94	13	107	97	16	113	170	20	190	123	19	142	116	20	136	94	8	102
	Project Builder	13	1	14	10	.	10	14	3	17	24	4	28	18	.	18	11	.	11
	Property Manager	5	.	5	4	.	4	7	2	9	11	1	12	12	.	12	7	.	7
	Psychiatrist	17	1	18	15	.	15	15	.	15	14	1	15	15	3	18	14	.	14
	Psychologists nec	1	.	1	3	.	3	4	.	4	5	.	5	2	.	2	4	.	4
	Psychotherapist	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Public Relations Manager	2	.	2	5	.	5	4	.	4	11	.	11	4	.	4	3	.	3
	Public Relations Professional	6	2	8	8	.	8	7	.	7	10	.	10	7	1	8	8	1	9
	Purchasing Officer	.	.	.	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	1	.	1
	Quality Assurance Manager	17	2	19	17	3	20	21	.	21	29	1	30	20	3	23	18	3	21
	Quantity Surveyor	105	4	109	75	1	76	101	3	104	89	4	93	66	3	69	71	1	72
	Quarantine Officer	.	1	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Radiation Oncologist	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	3	1	.	1
	Radio Despatcher	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Radio Presenter	.	1	1	2	1	3	1	.	1	3	.	3	1	1	2	.	1	1
	Radiocommunications Technician	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	1	1	.	1
	Railway Signal Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Railway Station Manager	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Railway Track Plant Operator	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Railway Track Worker	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Real Estate Agency Principal (Aus) / Real Estate Agency Licensee (NZ)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Real Estate Agent	.	.	.	1	.	1	2	.	2	1	1	2	3	.	3	1	.	1
	Real Estate Representative	.	.	.	.	1	1	3	.	3	3	.	3	1	.	1	2	.	2
	Records Manager	3	2	5	1	.	1	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2
	Recreation Officer (Aus) / Recreation Coordinator (NZ)	1	.	1	2	.	2	2	.	2	3	.	3	2	.	2	4	.	4
	Recruitment Consultant	30	.	30	34	3	37	39	.	39	41	2	43	38	.	38	33	2	35
	Regional Education Manager	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Registered Nurse (Aged Care)	562	2	564	608	4	612	520	2	522	559	5	564	487	10	497	638	6	644
	Registered Nurse (Child and Family Health)	21	.	21	8	.	8	1	.	1	3	.	3	3	.	3	12	.	12
	Registered Nurse (Community Health)	5	.	5	7	.	7	4	1	5	7	.	7	6	.	6	5	.	5
	Registered Nurse (Critical Care and Emergency)	40	.	40	53	1	54	63	1	64	51	2	53	40	.	40	63	.	63
	Registered Nurse (Developmental Disability)	.	.	.	1	.	1	3	.	3	2	.	2	2	.	2	2	.	2
	Registered Nurse (Disability and Rehabilitation)	12	.	12	4	1	5	5	.	5	7	.	7	12	.	12	13	.	13
	Registered Nurse (Medical Practice)	12	1	13	13	.	13	10	.	10	10	.	10	5	.	5	8	.	8
	Registered Nurse (Medical)	106	1	107	97	1	98	80	4	84	83	.	83	65	.	65	69	.	69
	Registered Nurse (Mental Health)	18	.	18	14	.	14	7	.	7	17	.	17	11	.	11	14	1	15
	Registered Nurse (Paediatric)	.	.	.	3	.	3	6	.	6	11	.	11	11	.	11	9	.	9
	Registered Nurse (Perioperative)	55	.	55	55	1	56	56	1	57	77	3	80	53	2	55	60	.	60
	Registered Nurse (Surgical)	42	.	42	37	.	37	23	1	24	29	1	30	48	.	48	41	.	41
	Registered Nurses nec	23	1	24	5	.	5	5	.	5	11	1	12	12	2	14	39	1	40
	Rehabilitation Counsellor	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	1
	Reinforced Plastic and Composite Production Worker	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Religious Assistant	3	.	3	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Renal Medicine Specialist	2	.	2	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.

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		Financial Year (Jul-Jun) Decided															Total
		2019/20			2020/21			2021/22			2022/23			2023/24			
		Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	
		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		
Occupation Standard	Occupation																
ANZSCO	Printing Machinist	1	.	1	5	.	5	2	.	2	3	.	3	.	.	.	39
	Prison Officer	11	1	12	2	.	2	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	51
	Private Tutors and Teachers nec	4	1	5	7	.	7	3	.	3	5	1	6	2	.	2	142
	Procurement Manager	20	3	23	29	2	31	6	1	7	4	1	5	7	.	7	219
	Product Assembler	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1
	Product Examiner	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Product Tester	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	6
	Production Assistant (Film, Television, Radio or Stage)	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5
	Production Clerk	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	8
	Production Manager (Forestry)	2	.	2	6	.	6	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	20
	Production Manager (Manufacturing)	25	1	26	40	3	43	8	.	8	13	.	13	14	.	14	326
	Production Manager (Mining)	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	7
	Production or Plant Engineer	8	1	9	43	1	44	4	.	4	5	2	7	11	.	11	284
	Program Director (Television or Radio)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
	Program or Project Administrator	48	9	57	106	13	119	15	6	21	37	4	41	39	1	40	1,068
	Project Builder	9	3	12	21	.	21	3	.	3	4	.	4	.	1	1	139
	Property Manager	4	.	4	9	.	9	2	.	2	5	.	5	3	.	3	72
	Psychiatrist	15	.	15	9	.	9	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	121
	Psychologists nec	4	.	4	3	.	3	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	27
	Psychotherapist	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
	Public Relations Manager	1	.	1	5	1	6	3	.	3	5	.	5	.	1	1	45
	Public Relations Professional	8	.	8	3	.	3	1	.	1	.	.	.	4	.	4	66
	Purchasing Officer	2	.	2	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	10
	Quality Assurance Manager	11	1	12	27	.	27	5	.	5	4	.	4	4	.	4	186
	Quantity Surveyor	42	.	42	89	4	93	28	.	28	9	.	9	14	.	14	709
	Quarantine Officer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Radiation Oncologist	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5
	Radio Despatcher	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Radio Presenter	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	12
	Radiocommunications Technician	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6
	Railway Signal Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Railway Station Manager	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Railway Track Plant Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Railway Track Worker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Real Estate Agency Principal (Aus) / Real Estate Agency Licensee (NZ)	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Real Estate Agent	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	12
	Real Estate Representative	3	1	4	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	15
	Records Manager	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	13
	Recreation Officer (Aus) / Recreation Coordinator (NZ)	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	1	19
	Recruitment Consultant	35	2	37	43	2	45	12	.	12	8	2	10	16	.	16	342
	Regional Education Manager	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	5
	Registered Nurse (Aged Care)	776	3	779	210	5	215	10	2	12	6	1	7	5	.	5	4,421
	Registered Nurse (Child and Family Health)	12	.	12	10	1	11	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	73
	Registered Nurse (Community Health)	9	.	9	4	.	4	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	49
	Registered Nurse (Critical Care and Emergency)	70	1	71	27	.	27	9	.	9	1	.	1	.	.	.	422
	Registered Nurse (Developmental Disability)	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	13
	Registered Nurse (Disability and Rehabilitation)	8	.	8	3	.	3	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	67
	Registered Nurse (Medical Practice)	11	.	11	4	.	4	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	77
	Registered Nurse (Medical)	118	1	119	43	.	43	26	.	26	11	.	11	1	.	1	706
	Registered Nurse (Mental Health)	13	.	13	13	2	15	6	.	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	116
	Registered Nurse (Paediatric)	10	.	10	9	.	9	4	.	4	2	.	2	.	.	.	65
	Registered Nurse (Perioperative)	67	.	67	26	.	26	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	458
	Registered Nurse (Surgical)	65	.	65	26	.	26	4	.	4	7	.	7	.	.	.	324
	Registered Nurses nec	51	.	51	46	.	46	17	.	17	1	.	1	.	.	.	215
	Rehabilitation Counsellor	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
	Reinforced Plastic and Composite Production Worker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Religious Assistant	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	8
	Renal Medicine Specialist	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	7

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		Financial Year (Jul-Jun) Decided																	
		2013/14			2014/15			2015/16			2016/17			2017/18			2018/19		
		Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total
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Occupation Standard	Occupation																		
ANZSCO	Research and Development Manager	7	2	9	7	1	8	13	2	15	11	1	12	13	1	14	10	1	11
	Resident Medical Officer	116	1	117	75	1	76	84	2	86	105	2	107	96	1	97	93	.	93
	Residential Care Officer	56	23	79	45	36	81	39	37	76	28	33	61	26	18	44	8	8	16
	Retail Buyer	6	4	10	9	3	12	22	1	23	9	2	11	17	4	21	11	1	12
	Retail Manager (General)	437	334	771	470	364	834	683	161	844	514	137	651	383	169	552	117	55	172
	Retail Pharmacist	9	2	11	12	3	15	12	.	12	7	.	7	17	1	18	13	.	13
	Retail Supervisor	2	7	9	4	3	7	.	1	1	2	5	7	4	.	4	4	.	4
	Retirement Village Manager	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Rheumatologist	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Road Roller Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Road Traffic Controller	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Roof Plumber	1	.	1	2	.	2	3	.	3	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Roof Tiler	10	.	10	5	.	5	15	1	16	5	1	6	4	1	5	2	1	3
	Rubber Production Machine Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Safety Inspector	8	1	9	5	.	5	5	.	5	5	.	5	2	1	3	4	.	4
	Sail Maker	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	2	.	2
	Sales Assistant (General)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Sales Assistants and Salespersons nec	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Sales Representative (Building and Plumbing Supplies)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Sales Representative (Business Services)	1	.	1	2	.	2	.	1	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	2	1	3
	Sales Representative (Industrial Products)	16	1	17	17	2	19	30	.	30	30	1	31	27	.	27	27	1	28
	Sales Representative (Medical and Pharmaceutical Products)	8	.	8	5	.	5	12	.	12	12	.	12	9	.	9	4	.	4
	Sales Representative (Motor Vehicle Parts and Accessories)	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Sales Representative (Personal and Household Goods)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	1
	Sales Representatives nec	1	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	2	3	.	3
	Sales and Marketing Manager	95	26	121	107	21	128	118	27	145	117	22	139	93	16	109	81	10	91
	Saw Maker and Repairer	1	1	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Sawmill or Timber Yard Worker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Sawmilling Operator	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Scaffolder	.	.	.	.	1	1	5	.	5	10	1	11	14	.	14	52	.	52
	School Laboratory Technician	.	.	.	2	.	2	2	.	2	1	.	1	3	.	3	.	.	.
	School Principal	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Science Technicians nec	15	2	17	27	2	29	30	1	31	23	1	24	12	1	13	10	.	10
	Screen Printer	1	1	2	1	.	1	2	.	2	1	1	2	2	.	2	.	.	.
	Sculptor	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	1
	Seafood Process Worker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Secondary School Teacher	56	11	67	51	3	54	57	1	58	53	5	58	56	4	60	67	3	70
	Secretary (General)	19	3	22	13	2	15	21	3	24	24	4	28	20	3	23	18	1	19
	Security Consultant	7	2	9	4	4	8	3	.	3	1	.	1	7	.	7	3	.	3
	Security Officer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Security Officers and Guards nec	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Senior Non-commissioned Defence Force Member	5	.	5	.	.	.	2	.	2	4	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Sewing Machinist	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Shearer	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Sheep Farmer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.
	Sheetmetal Trades Worker	9	1	10	10	4	14	15	1	16	21	1	22	7	1	8	5	.	5
	Shelf Filler	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Ship's Engineer	4	.	4	6	1	7	8	1	9	5	.	5	2	.	2	2	.	2
	Ship's Master	2	.	2	4	1	5	4	.	4	1	1	2	2	.	2	1	.	1
	Ship's Officer	3	.	3	5	.	5	5	2	7	2	.	2	2	.	2	1	.	1
	Shipwright	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Shoemaker	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Signwriter	2	.	2	6	.	6	2	1	3	5	.	5	4	.	4	1	.	1
	Singer	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Slaughterer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Small Engine Mechanic	4	.	4	3	.	3	3	.	3	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Small Offset Printer	4	.	4	2	.	2	4	.	4	4	.	4	2	1	3	.	.	.
	Snowsport Instructor	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	.	.

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		Financial Year (Jul-Jun) Decided															Total
		2019/20			2020/21			2021/22			2022/23			2023/24			
		Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	
		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		
Occupation Standard	Occupation																
ANZSCO	Research and Development Manager	7	.	7	15	.	15	4	.	4	6	.	6	3	.	3	104
	Resident Medical Officer	107	.	107	20	.	20	5	2	7	4	.	4	.	.	.	714
	Residential Care Officer	15	4	19	36	5	41	12	.	12	1	.	1	.	.	.	430
	Retail Buyer	10	.	10	18	4	22	5	.	5	3	.	3	4	.	4	133
	Retail Manager (General)	84	76	160	147	157	304	46	16	62	18	16	34	44	7	51	4,435
	Retail Pharmacist	12	.	12	5	.	5	1	1	2	2	.	2	.	.	.	97
	Retail Supervisor	13	.	13	10	.	10	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	1	1	58
	Retirement Village Manager	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Rheumatologist	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
	Road Roller Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Road Traffic Controller	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	7
	Roof Plumber	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	8
	Roof Tiler	5	.	5	3	.	3	2	.	2	2	.	2	.	.	.	57
	Rubber Production Machine Operator	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Safety Inspector	3	.	3	1	.	1	1	1	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	38
	Sail Maker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6
	Sales Assistant (General)	7	.	7	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	11
	Sales Assistants and Salespersons nec	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	2
	Sales Representative (Building and Plumbing Supplies)	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
	Sales Representative (Business Services)	4	.	4	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	18
	Sales Representative (Industrial Products)	12	1	13	18	1	19	6	.	6	7	.	7	4	.	4	201
	Sales Representative (Medical and Pharmaceutical Products)	7	.	7	8	.	8	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	68
	Sales Representative (Motor Vehicle Parts and Accessories)	4	.	4	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	8
	Sales Representative (Personal and Household Goods)	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	5
	Sales Representatives nec	7	1	8	.	.	.	1	.	1	4	.	4	.	.	.	22
	Sales and Marketing Manager	65	11	76	99	14	113	35	6	41	18	5	23	33	.	33	1,019
	Saw Maker and Repairer	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5
	Sawmill or Timber Yard Worker	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Sawmilling Operator	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Scaffolder	73	.	73	17	1	18	6	.	6	22	2	24	1	.	1	205
	School Laboratory Technician	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	10
	School Principal	4	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	10
	Science Technicians nec	5	.	5	15	.	15	1	.	1	3	.	3	6	1	7	155
	Screen Printer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	9
	Sculptor	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5
	Seafood Process Worker	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Secondary School Teacher	146	2	148	52	2	54	.	.	.	53	2	55	46	.	46	670
	Secretary (General)	5	1	6	17	1	18	10	.	10	4	.	4	7	.	7	176
	Security Consultant	5	.	5	2	.	2	2	.	2	3	.	3	1	.	1	44
	Security Officer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Security Officers and Guards nec	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Senior Non-commissioned Defence Force Member	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	13
	Sewing Machinist	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Shearer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Sheep Farmer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Sheetmetal Trades Worker	4	.	4	10	.	10	2	1	3	4	.	4	.	.	.	96
	Shelf Filler	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Ship's Engineer	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	32
	Ship's Master	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	18
	Ship's Officer	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	23
	Shipwright	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Shoemaker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	3
	Signwriter	.	.	.	4	.	4	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	27
	Singer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Slaughterer	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	4
	Small Engine Mechanic	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	16
	Small Offset Printer	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	18
	Snowsport Instructor	.	.	.	3	.	3	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	9

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		Financial Year (Jul-Jun) Decided																	
		2013/14			2014/15			2015/16			2016/17			2017/18			2018/19		
		Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total
		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined	
Occupation Standard	Occupation																		
ANZSCO	Social Professionals nec	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1
	Social Worker	34	7	41	35	6	41	36	9	45	27	3	30	43	4	47	37	2	39
	Software Engineer	237	23	260	281	26	307	337	44	381	288	64	352	216	17	233	212	9	221
	Software Tester	98	5	103	137	6	143	162	13	175	105	11	116	69	1	70	55	1	56
	Software and Applications Programmers nec	35	2	37	36	4	40	35	14	49	37	6	43	28	1	29	28	.	28
	Solicitor	4	.	4	12	.	12	4	.	4	4	2	6	8	1	9	4	.	4
	Solid Plasterer	20	1	21	23	3	26	30	1	31	36	.	36	9	3	12	4	2	6
	Sonographer	2	.	2	1	.	1	8	.	8	3	.	3	4	.	4	7	.	7
	Sound Technician	4	.	4	2	1	3	2	.	2	6	1	7	3	.	3	2	.	2
	Special Education Teachers nec	2	1	3	4	1	5	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Special Needs Teacher	7	.	7	3	.	3	3	.	3	5	.	5	3	.	3	8	.	8
	Specialist Managers nec	24	4	28	18	4	22	39	2	41	39	4	43	38	1	39	34	1	35
	Specialist Physician (General Medicine)	8	.	8	5	.	5	9	.	9	8	.	8	7	.	7	3	.	3
	Specialist Physicians nec	4	.	4	4	.	4	5	1	6	3	1	4	9	1	10	10	1	11
	Speech Pathologist (Aus) / Speech Language Therapist (NZ)	12	.	12	2	.	2	6	.	6	5	.	5	7	1	8	4	1	5
	Sports Administrator	2	2	4	2	1	3	1	1	2	2	.	2	.	1	1	3	.	3
	Sports Centre Manager	1	2	3	4	1	5	7	.	7	7	.	7	5	1	6	.	.	.
	Sports Development Officer	6	1	7	8	.	8	3	.	3	11	.	11	4	.	4	3	.	3
	Sportspersons nec	4	1	5	3	.	3	4	.	4	4	.	4	5	.	5	2	.	2
	Stage Manager	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Stationary Plant Operators nec	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2
	Statistician	12	.	12	16	.	16	13	.	13	17	1	18	8	2	10	22	.	22
	Steel Fixer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2
	Stock Clerk	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Stock and Station Agent	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Stonemason	6	1	7	7	1	8	9	2	11	17	2	19	4	.	4	3	.	3
	Storeperson	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	2	.	.	.
	Structural Engineer	64	2	66	91	2	93	73	9	82	68	3	71	63	3	66	51	.	51
	Structural Steel Erector	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Student	2	2	4	2	2	4	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Student Counsellor	2	1	3	5	.	5	4	1	5	2	.	2	5	.	5	3	.	3
	Sugar Mill Worker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Supply and Distribution Manager	44	13	57	46	11	57	45	5	50	45	9	54	40	7	47	20	9	29
	Surgeon (General)	6	.	6	3	1	4	8	1	9	4	.	4	1	.	1	6	.	6
	Surveying or Spatial Science Technician	6	.	6	5	.	5	5	.	5	11	.	11	5	.	5	2	.	2
	Surveyor	9	2	11	6	.	6	8	1	9	12	2	14	13	1	14	12	.	12
	Swimming Coach or Instructor	3	1	4	3	.	3	8	.	8	2	1	3	4	.	4	3	.	3
	Switchboard Operator	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Systems Administrator	58	9	67	58	12	70	63	11	74	44	5	49	32	5	37	40	.	40
	Systems Analyst	59	7	66	50	9	59	83	21	104	55	14	69	48	4	52	37	.	37
	Tanker Driver	7	.	7	4	.	4	6	.	6	1	1	2	2	.	2	5	.	5
	Taxation Accountant	25	1	26	19	1	20	39	.	39	32	4	36	25	3	28	16	1	17
	Teacher of English to Speakers of Other Languages	10	1	11	6	.	6	12	.	12	16	1	17	14	.	14	11	1	12
	Teachers' Aide	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Technical Cable Jointer	3	.	3	1	.	1	2	.	2	5	.	5	.	.	.	4	.	4
	Technical Director	7	1	8	6	.	6	3	.	3	5	.	5	4	.	4	2	.	2
	Technical Sales Representatives nec	11	2	13	22	3	25	28	4	32	26	3	29	32	6	38	22	2	24
	Technical Writer	4	.	4	2	1	3	2	.	2	4	.	4	4	.	4	1	.	1
	Technicians and Trades Workers nec	19	5	24	18	2	20	34	2	36	32	3	35	27	2	29	13	2	15
	Telecommunications Cable Jointer	5	.	5	15	1	16	18	.	18	18	4	22	20	3	23	13	.	13
	Telecommunications Engineer	43	9	52	50	18	68	48	19	67	20	23	43	9	3	12	7	1	8
	Telecommunications Field Engineer	2	.	2	4	.	4	1	1	2	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Telecommunications Linesworker (Aus) / Telecommunications Line Mechanic (NZ)	1	.	1	2	.	2	3	1	4	4	.	4	3	.	3	.	.	.
	Telecommunications Network Engineer	67	8	75	55	15	70	52	13	65	27	5	32	13	5	18	7	1	8
	Telecommunications Network Planner	19	1	20	10	1	11	6	.	6	3	1	4	5	.	5	2	.	2
	Telecommunications Technical Officer or Technologist	7	.	7	11	.	11	9	.	9	5	.	5	4	.	4	1	.	1
	Telecommunications Technician	28	2	30	44	2	46	98	3	101	110	6	116	87	12	99	17	9	26
	Telemarketer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.

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Report prepared: 5 December 2023

		Financial Year (Jul-Jun) Decided															Total
		2019/20			2020/21			2021/22			2022/23			2023/24			
		Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	
		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		
Occupation Standard	Occupation																
ANZSCO	Social Professionals nec	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	7
	Social Worker	21	1	22	23	.	23	3	1	4	5	1	6	1	.	1	299
	Software Engineer	150	3	153	245	3	248	79	1	80	79	3	82	102	2	104	2,421
	Software Tester	29	2	31	86	1	87	25	.	25	34	1	35	54	1	55	896
	Software and Applications Programmers nec	14	.	14	50	.	50	14	1	15	3	.	3	6	.	6	314
	Solicitor	4	.	4	10	.	10	2	.	2	3	1	4	1	.	1	60
	Solid Plasterer	4	2	6	4	.	4	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	144
	Sonographer	11	.	11	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	39
	Sound Technician	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	23
	Special Education Teachers nec	1	1	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	13
	Special Needs Teacher	9	.	9	6	.	6	.	.	.	3	.	3	1	.	1	48
	Specialist Managers nec	34	.	34	46	2	48	26	.	26	12	.	12	7	.	7	335
	Specialist Physician (General Medicine)	7	.	7	4	.	4	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	52
	Specialist Physicians nec	4	.	4	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	44
	Speech Pathologist (Aus) / Speech Language Therapist (NZ)	4	.	4	1	.	1	.	.	.	6	.	6	.	.	.	49
	Sports Administrator	1	.	1	2	.	2	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	1	21
	Sports Centre Manager	1	.	1	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	32
	Sports Development Officer	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	38
	Sportspersons nec	3	.	3	3	.	3	1	.	1	4	.	4	.	.	.	34
	Stage Manager	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Stationary Plant Operators nec	3	.	3	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6
	Statistician	6	.	6	13	.	13	3	.	3	4	.	4	12	1	13	130
	Steel Fixer	76	.	76	11	.	11	2	.	2	1	1	2	.	.	.	93
	Stock Clerk	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Stock and Station Agent	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Stonemason	3	.	3	3	.	3	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	59
	Storeperson	4	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	7
	Structural Engineer	26	2	28	41	1	42	12	.	12	12	1	13	6	.	6	530
	Structural Steel Erector	1	.	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	3
	Student	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	11
	Student Counsellor	.	.	.	.	2	2	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	28
	Sugar Mill Worker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Supply and Distribution Manager	23	1	24	43	7	50	12	.	12	19	.	19	10	.	10	409
	Surgeon (General)	5	.	5	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	37
	Surveying or Spatial Science Technician	4	.	4	13	1	14	2	.	2	2	.	2	2	1	3	59
	Surveyor	8	.	8	20	.	20	3	.	3	3	1	4	1	.	1	102
	Swimming Coach or Instructor	.	.	.	4	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	30
	Switchboard Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Systems Administrator	21	3	24	24	.	24	7	.	7	6	1	7	5	1	6	405
	Systems Analyst	35	3	38	41	.	41	18	.	18	16	1	17	17	.	17	518
	Tanker Driver	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	30
	Taxation Accountant	12	.	12	32	1	33	7	.	7	5	1	6	8	.	8	232
	Teacher of English to Speakers of Other Languages	2	.	2	6	1	7	4	.	4	3	.	3	4	.	4	92
	Teachers' Aide	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	3	.	3	5
	Technical Cable Jointer	4	.	4	11	.	11	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	32
	Technical Director	4	.	4	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	34
	Technical Sales Representatives nec	7	.	7	20	.	20	3	.	3	.	1	1	6	.	6	198
	Technical Writer	1	.	1	3	1	4	.	.	.	3	1	4	1	.	1	28
	Technicians and Trades Workers nec	33	1	34	23	2	25	11	.	11	13	1	14	3	.	3	246
	Telecommunications Cable Jointer	7	2	9	17	1	18	9	1	10	2	.	2	3	.	3	139
	Telecommunications Engineer	5	.	5	5	.	5	2	2	4	1	1	2	1	.	1	267
	Telecommunications Field Engineer	1	.	1	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	14
	Telecommunications Linesworker (Aus) / Telecommunications Line Mechanic (NZ)	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	17
	Telecommunications Network Engineer	6	2	8	10	1	11	1	.	1	3	.	3	5	.	5	296
	Telecommunications Network Planner	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	1	1	3	.	3	54
	Telecommunications Technical Officer or Technologist	1	.	1	2	1	3	2	.	2	.	1	1	1	.	1	45
	Telecommunications Technician	24	4	28	91	4	95	28	.	28	13	.	13	10	.	10	592
	Telemarketer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1

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		Financial Year (Jul-Jun) Decided																	
		2013/14			2014/15			2015/16			2016/17			2017/18			2018/19		
		Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total
		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined	
Occupation Standard	Occupation																		
ANZSCO	Television Equipment Operator	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	3	.	3	1	.	1	1	.	1
	Television Journalist	.	1	1	1	.	1	2	.	2	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Television Presenter	.	1	1	2	.	2	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Tennis Coach	.	.	.	1	1	2	2	.	2	1	2	3	.	.	.	2	.	2
	Textile Dyeing and Finishing Machine Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Textile, Clothing and Footwear Mechanic	3	.	3	.	1	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Thoracic Medicine Specialist	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Ticket Seller	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Toolmaker	4	.	4	3	.	3	2	.	2	3	.	3	2	.	2	1	.	1
	Tour Guide	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Tow Truck Driver	1	1	2	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Traditional Chinese Medicine Practitioner	2	.	2	3	.	3	2	1	3	6	.	6	4	.	4	2	.	2
	Train Driver	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Train Examiner	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Training and Development Professional	14	.	14	14	.	14	15	.	15	13	1	14	15	1	16	12	1	13
	Translator	4	1	5	6	1	7	6	.	6	8	1	9	5	1	6	1	.	1
	Transport Company Manager	9	3	12	6	4	10	19	4	23	10	3	13	11	3	14	9	2	11
	Transport Engineer	10	.	10	5	1	6	4	.	4	17	.	17	11	.	11	23	.	23
	Transport Operations Inspector	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Travel Agency Manager	8	.	8	10	8	18	17	2	19	23	.	23	3	4	7	4	5	9
	Travel Attendants nec	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Travel Consultant	1	1	2	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Tree Faller	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Tribunal Member	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Truck Driver (General)	8	2	10	5	.	5	16	1	17	28	2	30	28	.	28	65	1	66
	Truck Driver's Offsider	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Trust Officer	1	.	1	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Turf Grower	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Tyre Fitter	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Unemployed	.	1	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.
	University Lecturer	172	75	247	150	71	221	159	61	220	120	25	145	124	12	136	165	4	169
	University Tutor	7	3	10	10	2	12	9	2	11	14	4	18	10	.	10	10	.	10
	Upholsterer	5	1	6	10	.	10	8	1	9	9	.	9	2	.	2	1	.	1
	Urban and Regional Planner	24	3	27	19	1	20	14	1	15	17	1	18	10	1	11	12	.	12
	Urologist	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Valuer	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	2	.	2	3	.	3	4	.	4
	Vascular Surgeon	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Vegetable Farm Worker (Aus) / Market Garden Worker (NZ)	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Vegetable Grower (Aus) / Market Gardener (NZ)	4	4	8	3	1	4	4	4	8	3	2	5	1	2	3	1	.	1
	Vehicle Body Builder	7	1	8	1	.	1	3	.	3	4	1	5	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Vehicle Painter	2	.	2	6	1	7	9	1	10	17	1	18	1	.	1	3	.	3
	Vehicle Trimmer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	1	2	.	.	.
	Veterinarian	30	.	30	30	.	30	33	2	35	36	2	38	31	.	31	32	.	32
	Veterinary Nurse	1	.	1	4	.	4	5	.	5	7	1	8	7	1	8	3	.	3
	Video Producer	4	1	5	3	.	3	2	.	2	7	.	7	2	.	2	.	1	1
	Vineyard Worker	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2
	Visual Arts and Crafts Professionals nec	1	.	1	4	.	4	1	.	1	4	.	4	2	.	2	2	.	2
	Visual Merchandiser	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Vocational Education Teacher (Aus) / Polytechnic Teacher (NZ)	17	1	18	23	1	24	36	1	37	52	2	54	38	2	40	25	2	27
	Waiter	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Wall and Floor Tiler	7	1	8	23	2	25	28	2	30	24	2	26	8	.	8	4	.	4
	Warehouse Administrator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	2	.	2
	Waste Water or Water Plant Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Watch and Clock Maker and Repairer	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Weaving Machine Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Web Administrator	26	4	30	33	6	39	40	2	42	23	2	25	30	9	39	8	.	8
	Web Designer	7	1	8	4	2	6	13	.	13	15	2	17	12	.	12	17	1	18
	Web Developer	68	8	76	92	13	105	109	3	112	150	15	165	102	12	114	43	2	45

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		Financial Year (Jul-Jun) Decided															Total
		2019/20			2020/21			2021/22			2022/23			2023/24			
		Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	
		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		
Occupation Standard	Occupation																
ANZSCO	Television Equipment Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	8
	Television Journalist	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	7
	Television Presenter	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	7
	Tennis Coach	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	11	
	Textile Dyeing and Finishing Machine Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	
	Textile, Clothing and Footwear Mechanic	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	7
	Thoracic Medicine Specialist	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Ticket Seller	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Toolmaker	1	.	1	3	1	4	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	23
	Tour Guide	1	.	1	1	1	2	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	1	7
	Tow Truck Driver	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5
	Traditional Chinese Medicine Practitioner	.	.	.	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	24
	Train Driver	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Train Examiner	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Training and Development Professional	10	.	10	16	1	17	3	.	3	5	1	6	3	1	4	126
	Translator	1	.	1	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	38
	Transport Company Manager	4	1	5	7	3	10	2	.	2	5	1	6	1	.	1	107
	Transport Engineer	16	.	16	8	.	8	5	.	5	1	1	2	1	.	1	103
	Transport Operations Inspector	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
	Travel Agency Manager	1	3	4	5	5	10	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	101
	Travel Attendants nec	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5
	Travel Consultant	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6	2	8	8	.	8	20
	Tree Faller	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Tribunal Member	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Truck Driver (General)	111	.	111	32	3	35	5	.	5	10	2	12	.	1	1	320
	Truck Driver's Offsider	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Trust Officer	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	6
	Turf Grower	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Tyre Fitter	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
	Unemployed	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
	University Lecturer	102	6	108	49	.	49	18	3	21	40	4	44	23	.	23	1,383
	University Tutor	7	.	7	1	.	1	1	.	1	4	.	4	3	.	3	87
	Upholsterer	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	38
	Urban and Regional Planner	15	.	15	9	1	10	2	.	2	10	.	10	12	.	12	152
	Urologist	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
	Valuer	1	.	1	4	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	18
	Vascular Surgeon	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Vegetable Farm Worker (Aus) / Market Garden Worker (NZ)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Vegetable Grower (Aus) / Market Gardener (NZ)	.	.	.	4	.	4	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	34
	Vehicle Body Builder	.	.	.	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	22
	Vehicle Painter	1	.	1	6	.	6	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	50
	Vehicle Trimmer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
	Veterinarian	35	1	36	36	.	36	10	.	10	4	.	4	1	.	1	283
	Veterinary Nurse	8	.	8	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	1	41
	Video Producer	1	.	1	.	2	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	24
	Vineyard Worker	4	.	4	4	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	12
	Visual Arts and Crafts Professionals nec	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	17
	Visual Merchandiser	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	3	.	3	.	.	.	7
	Vocational Education Teacher (Aus) / Polytechnic Teacher (NZ)	11	.	11	14	1	15	6	.	6	20	2	22	14	.	14	268
	Waiter	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Wall and Floor Tiler	9	.	9	9	1	10	2	.	2	1	.	1	2	.	2	125
	Warehouse Administrator	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	7
	Waste Water or Water Plant Operator	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	6	.	6	12
	Watch and Clock Maker and Repairer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Weaving Machine Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Web Administrator	2	1	3	16	3	19	4	1	5	1	1	2	.	.	.	212
	Web Designer	9	.	9	18	1	19	3	.	3	4	.	4	1	.	1	110
	Web Developer	15	3	18	66	.	66	13	.	13	11	.	11	15	1	16	741

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		2013/14			2014/15			2015/16			2016/17			2017/18			2018/19		
		Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total
		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined	
Occupation Standard	Occupation																		
ANZSCO	Welder (First Class) (Aus) / Welder (NZ)	30	1	31	33	5	38	37	3	40	47	7	54	14	1	15	13	.	13
	Welfare Centre Manager	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Welfare Worker	1	1	2	1	1	2	.	1	1	1	.	1	.	1	1	.	.	.
	Wholesaler	2	.	2	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	.	.
	Window Cleaner	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Wine Maker	8	1	9	5	1	6	5	3	8	7	2	9	3	2	5	3	.	3
	Winery Cellar Hand	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Wood Machinist	26	2	28	33	2	35	61	3	64	37	.	37	23	.	23	4	2	6
	Wood Machinists and Other Wood Trades Workers nec	6	2	8	2	1	3	3	.	3	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Wool Classer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Workplace Relations Adviser	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Youth Worker	3	2	5	9	1	10	4	.	4	6	1	7	7	1	8	3	1	4
	Zookeeper	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	2	.	2	1	.	1
	Zoologist	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2
	Total	10,841	2,103	12,944	11,316	2,122	13,438	13,924	1,807	15,731	12,883	1,745	14,628	9,331	1,220	10,551	7,727	458	8,185
N/A	Occupation																		
	(not recorded)	81	141	222	59	110	169	45	73	118	234	51	285	161	60	221	148	74	222
	Total	81	141	222	59	110	169	45	73	118	234	51	285	161	60	221	148	74	222
NZSCO	Occupation																		
	Chief Executive Officer	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Computer Applications Engineer	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	IT Manager	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Not Stated	2	443	445	2	362	364	5	317	322	43	635	678	12	427	439	.	46	46
	Sales and/or Marketing Manager	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	University Lecturer	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Total	2	447	449	3	362	365	6	317	323	43	635	678	12	427	439	.	46	46
Total		10,924	2,691	13,615	11,378	2,594	13,972	13,975	2,197	16,172	13,160	2,431	15,591	9,504	1,707	11,211	7,875	578	8,453



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		2019/20			2020/21			2021/22			2022/23			2023/24			
		Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	
		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		
Occupation Standard	Occupation																
ANZSCO	Welder (First Class) (Aus) / Welder (NZ)	18	.	18	25	.	25	5	.	5	6	1	7	.	.	.	246
	Welfare Centre Manager	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	8
	Welfare Worker	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	9
	Wholesaler	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	8
	Window Cleaner	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1
	Wine Maker	4	.	4	4	.	4	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	1	50
	Winery Cellar Hand	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Wood Machinist	1	.	1	31	.	31	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	227
	Wood Machinists and Other Wood Trades Workers nec	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	17
	Wool Classer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Workplace Relations Adviser	2	.	2	1	.	1	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	8
	Youth Worker	.	.	.	4	1	5	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	44
	Zookeeper	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6
	Zoologist	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	7
		Total	6,960	389	7,349	8,688	646	9,334	2,145	130	2,275	2,575	222	2,797	2,414	87	2,501
N/A	Occupation																
	(not recorded)	125	97	222	63	63	126	45	198	243	96	284	380	40	84	124	2,332
	Total	125	97	222	63	63	126	45	198	243	96	284	380	40	84	124	2,332
NZSCO	Occupation																
	Chief Executive Officer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Computer Applications Engineer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	IT Manager	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Not Stated	.	24	24	.	4	4	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2,323
	Sales and/or Marketing Manager	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	University Lecturer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Total	.	24	24	.	4	4	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2,329
Total		7,085	510	7,595	8,751	713	9,464	2,190	329	2,519	2,671	506	3,177	2,454	171	2,625	104,394

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		2013/14			2014/15			2015/16			2016/17			2017/18			2018/19		
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		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined	
Occupation Standard	Occupation																		
ANZSCO	Chef	843	174	1,017	795	193	988	949	174	1,123	809	121	930	388	46	434	217	5	222
	Retail Manager (General)	437	334	771	470	364	834	683	161	844	514	137	651	383	169	552	117	55	172
	Registered Nurse (Aged Care)	562	2	564	608	4	612	520	2	522	559	5	564	487	10	497	638	6	644
	Cafe or Restaurant Manager	448	204	652	391	189	580	600	104	704	454	113	567	326	102	428	104	33	137
	Software Engineer	237	23	260	281	26	307	337	44	381	288	64	352	216	17	233	212	9	221
	ICT Customer Support Officer	286	22	308	294	32	326	374	24	398	245	62	307	223	43	266	79	5	84
	Developer Programmer	196	14	210	235	7	242	282	17	299	267	15	282	192	6	198	181	7	188
	Early Childhood (Pre-primary School) Teacher	133	3	136	127	3	130	152	5	157	154	2	156	150	7	157	193	4	197
	Accountant (General)	121	20	141	145	19	164	204	27	231	177	29	206	155	43	198	127	17	144
	Electrician (General)	114	6	120	116	3	119	138	8	146	163	10	173	124	2	126	135	5	140
	University Lecturer	172	75	247	150	71	221	159	61	220	120	25	145	124	12	136	165	4	169
	Marketing Specialist	79	19	98	125	22	147	155	11	166	186	21	207	189	20	209	114	11	125
	ICT Support Technicians nec	160	44	204	211	34	245	207	18	225	181	30	211	119	34	153	34	9	43
	Office Manager	126	67	193	106	75	181	153	53	206	117	31	148	92	42	134	39	19	58
	Program or Project Administrator	94	13	107	97	16	113	170	20	190	123	19	142	116	20	136	94	8	102
	ICT Business Analyst	119	9	128	107	14	121	122	30	152	125	23	148	89	4	93	102	1	103
	Carpenter	92	10	102	123	14	137	284	18	302	246	24	270	52	9	61	28	3	31
	Sales and Marketing Manager	95	26	121	107	21	128	118	27	145	117	22	139	93	16	109	81	10	91
	Civil Engineer	83	15	98	96	19	115	116	27	143	122	27	149	99	3	102	129	3	132
	Dairy Cattle Farmer	124	89	213	123	101	224	104	78	182	82	40	122	45	23	68	18	4	22
	Construction Project Manager	84	9	93	81	10	91	96	7	103	80	9	89	78	5	83	109	3	112
	Software Tester	98	5	103	137	6	143	162	13	175	105	11	116	69	1	70	55	1	56
	ICT Project Manager	122	27	149	130	27	157	140	33	173	96	34	130	54	7	61	55	2	57
	Baker	124	11	135	109	8	117	213	4	217	178	8	186	64	5	69	23	.	23
	Mechanical Engineer	69	14	83	86	18	104	83	22	105	112	31	143	71	12	83	72	1	73
	Customer Service Manager	77	35	112	65	45	110	98	28	126	91	24	115	69	26	95	39	10	49
	Web Developer	68	8	76	92	13	105	109	3	112	150	15	165	102	12	114	43	2	45
	Resident Medical Officer	116	1	117	75	1	76	84	2	86	105	2	107	96	1	97	93	.	93
	Quantity Surveyor	105	4	109	75	1	76	101	3	104	89	4	93	66	3	69	71	1	72
	Registered Nurse (Medical)	106	1	107	97	1	98	80	4	84	83	.	83	65	.	65	69	.	69
	Computer Network and Systems Engineer	99	16	115	93	11	104	102	27	129	83	18	101	55	8	63	42	2	44
	Hotel Service Manager	72	9	81	79	7	86	132	4	136	107	10	117	114	12	126	12	6	18
	Motor Mechanic (General)	91	16	107	87	13	100	104	6	110	99	10	109	34	6	40	43	.	43
	Secondary School Teacher	56	11	67	51	3	54	57	1	58	53	5	58	56	4	60	67	3	70
	Cook	91	40	131	78	16	94	100	15	115	129	10	139	39	1	40	14	3	17
	Telecommunications Technician	28	2	30	44	2	46	98	3	101	110	6	116	87	12	99	17	9	26
	Diesel Motor Mechanic	70	9	79	66	8	74	93	10	103	78	7	85	35	2	37	39	2	41
	ICT Support Engineer	56	6	62	71	10	81	95	10	105	78	12	90	44	4	48	42	4	46
	Structural Engineer	64	2	66	91	2	93	73	9	82	68	3	71	63	3	66	51	.	51
	Hotel or Motel Manager	41	23	64	43	17	60	68	10	78	70	10	80	50	11	61	21	8	29
	Systems Analyst	59	7	66	50	9	59	83	21	104	55	14	69	48	4	52	37	.	37
	Personal Assistant	33	3	36	46	3	49	67	5	72	77	13	90	62	10	72	51	2	53
	Architectural Draftsperson	33	1	34	43	1	44	62	3	65	93	2	95	76	2	78	48	1	49
	Painting Trades Worker	47	9	56	85	8	93	121	12	133	116	10	126	21	4	25	7	.	7
	Registered Nurse (Perioperative)	55	.	55	55	1	56	56	1	57	77	3	80	53	2	55	60	.	60
	Management Consultant	31	3	34	43	3	46	45	3	48	39	.	39	43	4	47	55	4	59
	Residential Care Officer	56	23	79	45	36	81	39	37	76	28	33	61	26	18	44	8	8	16
	Registered Nurse (Critical Care and Emergency)	40	.	40	53	1	54	63	1	64	51	2	53	40	.	40	63	.	63
	Analyst Programmer	42	8	50	51	3	54	86	9	95	53	6	59	33	5	38	24	.	24
	Supply and Distribution Manager	44	13	57	46	11	57	45	5	50	45	9	54	40	7	47	20	9	29
	ICT Systems Test Engineer	41	4	45	50	3	53	68	4	72	53	4	57	26	1	27	28	1	29
	Graphic Designer	51	4	55	52	7	59	70	1	71	67	1	68	59	3	62	19	7	26
	Systems Administrator	58	9	67	58	12	70	63	11	74	44	5	49	32	5	37	40	.	40
	Primary School Teacher	27	1	28	19	1	20	18	.	18	27	1	28	31	.	31	53	.	53
	Physiotherapist	27	1	28	28	1	29	46	1	47	43	1	44	28	.	28	42	1	43
	Chemistry Technician	44	.	44	50	1	51	59	1	60	57	.	57	42	.	42	23	1	24
	Community Worker	37	33	70	31	43	74	29	38	67	9	22	31	11	31	42	8	2	10
	Metal Fabricator	20	1	21	55	2	57	57	3	60	73	9	82	19	3	22	27	2	29

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		2019/20			2020/21			2021/22			2022/23			2023/24			
		Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	
		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		
Occupation Standard	Occupation																
ANZSCO	Chef	138	6	144	457	14	471	28	2	30	25	4	29	31	2	33	5,421
	Retail Manager (General)	84	76	160	147	157	304	46	16	62	18	16	34	44	7	51	4,435
	Registered Nurse (Aged Care)	776	3	779	210	5	215	10	2	12	6	1	7	5	.	5	4,421
	Cafe or Restaurant Manager	63	24	87	199	66	265	30	10	40	36	11	47	64	11	75	3,582
	Software Engineer	150	3	153	245	3	248	79	1	80	79	3	82	102	2	104	2,421
	ICT Customer Support Officer	45	13	58	106	12	118	13	2	15	40	.	40	27	3	30	1,950
	Developer Programmer	91	4	95	214	3	217	72	1	73	48	5	53	59	.	59	1,916
	Early Childhood (Pre-primary School) Teacher	282	2	284	147	4	151	2	1	3	149	1	150	232	1	233	1,754
	Accountant (General)	65	7	72	164	18	182	41	4	45	44	5	49	48	.	48	1,480
	Electrician (General)	164	4	168	275	6	281	72	1	73	35	5	40	27	.	27	1,413
	University Lecturer	102	6	108	49	.	49	18	3	21	40	4	44	23	.	23	1,383
	Marketing Specialist	80	12	92	145	21	166	38	4	42	38	6	44	49	2	51	1,347
	ICT Support Technicians nec	25	8	33	57	12	69	19	1	20	18	3	21	23	1	24	1,248
	Office Manager	21	13	34	54	38	92	16	3	19	12	6	18	10	3	13	1,096
	Program or Project Administrator	48	9	57	106	13	119	15	6	21	37	4	41	39	1	40	1,068
	ICT Business Analyst	75	1	76	98	2	100	25	2	27	61	4	65	50	1	51	1,064
	Carpenter	52	2	54	45	1	46	15	1	16	20	4	24	5	1	6	1,049
	Sales and Marketing Manager	65	11	76	99	14	113	35	6	41	18	5	23	33	.	33	1,019
	Civil Engineer	72	2	74	123	2	125	43	.	43	22	1	23	13	.	13	1,017
	Dairy Cattle Farmer	57	3	60	75	3	78	13	1	14	6	.	6	4	.	4	993
	Construction Project Manager	101	2	103	141	4	145	73	.	73	18	2	20	9	.	9	921
	Software Tester	29	2	31	86	1	87	25	.	25	34	1	35	54	1	55	896
	ICT Project Manager	38	6	44	54	1	55	17	2	19	15	1	16	8	1	9	870
	Baker	11	.	11	73	1	74	2	.	2	10	.	10	8	1	9	853
	Mechanical Engineer	49	2	51	62	3	65	25	.	25	17	1	18	8	.	8	758
	Customer Service Manager	27	11	38	50	19	69	5	2	7	11	.	11	11	2	13	745
	Web Developer	15	3	18	66	.	66	13	.	13	11	.	11	15	1	16	741
	Resident Medical Officer	107	.	107	20	.	20	5	2	7	4	.	4	.	.	.	714
	Quantity Surveyor	42	.	42	89	4	93	28	.	28	9	.	9	14	.	14	709
	Registered Nurse (Medical)	118	1	119	43	.	43	26	.	26	11	.	11	1	.	1	706
	Computer Network and Systems Engineer	23	1	24	52	.	52	15	.	15	24	.	24	23	.	23	694
	Hotel Service Manager	12	.	12	29	4	33	11	1	12	33	1	34	26	1	27	682
	Motor Mechanic (General)	67	1	68	55	2	57	11	.	11	10	.	10	15	.	15	670
	Secondary School Teacher	146	2	148	52	2	54	.	.	.	53	2	55	46	.	46	670
	Cook	17	1	18	71	2	73	4	.	4	4	1	5	4	.	4	640
	Telecommunications Technician	24	4	28	91	4	95	28	.	28	13	.	13	10	.	10	592
	Diesel Motor Mechanic	52	.	52	56	.	56	12	1	13	12	2	14	11	.	11	565
	ICT Support Engineer	16	2	18	53	.	53	9	.	9	20	2	22	17	.	17	551
	Structural Engineer	26	2	28	41	1	42	12	.	12	12	1	13	6	.	6	530
	Hotel or Motel Manager	12	7	19	55	4	59	10	4	14	20	2	22	33	1	34	520
	Systems Analyst	35	3	38	41	.	41	18	.	18	16	1	17	17	.	17	518
	Personal Assistant	27	3	30	48	6	54	8	.	8	19	4	23	17	.	17	504
	Architectural Draftsperson	14	1	15	53	2	55	7	1	8	16	1	17	12	.	12	472
	Painting Trades Worker	8	.	8	14	2	16	2	.	2	2	1	3	1	1	2	471
	Registered Nurse (Perioperative)	67	.	67	26	.	26	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	458
	Management Consultant	27	3	30	69	1	70	28	1	29	20	1	21	22	.	22	445
	Residential Care Officer	15	4	19	36	5	41	12	.	12	1	.	1	.	.	.	430
	Registered Nurse (Critical Care and Emergency)	70	1	71	27	.	27	9	.	9	1	.	1	.	.	.	422
	Analyst Programmer	15	.	15	44	1	45	6	.	6	15	3	18	10	2	12	416
	Supply and Distribution Manager	23	1	24	43	7	50	12	.	12	19	.	19	10	.	10	409
	ICT Systems Test Engineer	25	.	25	39	.	39	19	.	19	14	.	14	27	.	27	407
	Graphic Designer	4	1	5	43	1	44	9	.	9	2	2	4	4	.	4	407
	Systems Administrator	21	3	24	24	.	24	7	.	7	6	1	7	5	1	6	405
	Primary School Teacher	129	2	131	51	.	51	1	.	1	17	.	17	16	.	16	394
	Physiotherapist	52	.	52	47	.	47	19	.	19	15	.	15	5	.	5	357
	Chemistry Technician	4	1	5	39	1	40	3	2	5	11	2	13	13	.	13	354
	Community Worker	6	1	7	27	5	32	9	.	9	7	1	8	3	1	4	354
	Metal Fabricator	21	.	21	34	.	34	7	.	7	6	2	8	9	.	9	350

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		Financial Year (Jul-Jun) Decided																	
		2013/14			2014/15			2015/16			2016/17			2017/18			2018/19		
		Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total
		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined	
Occupation Standard	Occupation																		
ANZSCO	Electrical Linesworker (Aus) / Electrical Line Mechanic (NZ)	20	3	23	30	2	32	47	1	48	29	2	31	7	.	7	31	1	32
	Recruitment Consultant	30	.	30	34	3	37	39	.	39	41	2	43	38	.	38	33	2	35
	Specialist Managers nec	24	4	28	18	4	22	39	2	41	39	4	43	38	1	39	34	1	35
	Production Manager (Manufacturing)	32	3	35	32	6	38	33	6	39	41	4	45	31	4	35	27	3	30
	Electrical Engineer	36	8	44	31	3	34	16	11	27	23	24	47	32	11	43	30	1	31
	Registered Nurse (Surgical)	42	.	42	37	.	37	23	1	24	29	1	30	48	.	48	41	.	41
	Hairdresser	54	11	65	39	7	46	60	4	64	57	1	58	17	1	18	11	1	12
	External Auditor	27	3	30	45	2	47	48	4	52	35	.	35	39	.	39	35	.	35
	Truck Driver (General)	8	2	10	5	.	5	16	1	17	28	2	30	28	.	28	65	1	66
	Electronics Engineer	47	11	58	40	13	53	42	15	57	44	13	57	30	3	33	20	1	21
	Engineering Professionals nec	28	2	30	27	.	27	35	4	39	39	2	41	35	.	35	35	.	35
	Software and Applications Programmers nec	35	2	37	36	4	40	35	14	49	37	6	43	28	1	29	28	.	28
	Plumber (General)	20	2	22	27	2	29	44	.	44	49	.	49	20	1	21	28	.	28
	Civil Engineering Technician	22	2	24	19	.	19	44	7	51	37	10	47	31	2	33	38	.	38
	Management Accountant	16	1	17	17	3	20	29	1	30	34	5	39	38	9	47	40	2	42
	Social Worker	34	7	41	35	6	41	36	9	45	27	3	30	43	4	47	37	2	39
	Fitter-Welder	30	5	35	55	8	63	53	4	57	60	6	66	14	1	15	13	.	13
	Telecommunications Network Engineer	67	8	75	55	15	70	52	13	65	27	5	32	13	5	18	7	1	8
	Database Administrator	43	9	52	30	5	35	40	5	45	26	9	35	35	4	39	24	1	25
	Corporate General Manager	30	8	38	27	.	27	22	3	25	31	2	33	24	4	28	30	2	32
	Electronic Equipment Trades Worker	26	1	27	39	3	42	64	3	67	44	1	45	22	2	24	26	1	27
	Carpenter and Joiner	49	2	51	54	4	58	45	4	49	53	3	56	17	2	19	12	1	13
	General Practitioner	32	1	33	33	.	33	44	2	46	39	3	42	36	1	37	39	2	41
	Metal Machinist (First Class)	49	1	50	48	1	49	55	1	56	44	2	46	22	.	22	12	.	12
	Multimedia Specialist	30	.	30	13	.	13	35	2	37	46	4	50	33	1	34	31	1	32
	Finance Manager	16	7	23	29	6	35	20	4	24	31	2	33	29	4	33	25	1	26
	Production or Plant Engineer	18	1	19	29	6	35	51	8	59	38	5	43	30	2	32	21	.	21
	Veterinarian	30	.	30	30	.	30	33	2	35	36	2	38	31	.	31	32	.	32
	Food Technologist	36	6	42	34	6	40	33	4	37	42	4	46	28	5	33	24	1	25
	Electronic Engineering Technician	42	3	45	42	6	48	62	12	74	36	8	44	31	3	34	12	.	12
	ICT Security Specialist	33	2	35	26	3	29	29	6	35	21	5	26	21	2	23	30	.	30
	Nurseryperson	35	11	46	58	8	66	52	4	56	32	3	35	25	3	28	14	1	15
	Vocational Education Teacher (Aus) / Polytechnic Teacher (NZ)	17	1	18	23	1	24	36	1	37	52	2	54	38	2	40	25	2	27
	Telecommunications Engineer	43	9	52	50	18	68	48	19	67	20	23	43	9	3	12	7	1	8
	ICT Sales Representative	21	11	32	29	10	39	41	7	48	40	17	57	31	10	41	8	3	11
	Personal Care Assistant	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	1	2	3	.	1	1	.	.	.
	Technicians and Trades Workers nec	19	5	24	18	2	20	34	2	36	32	3	35	27	2	29	13	2	15
	Welder (First Class) (Aus) / Welder (NZ)	30	1	31	33	5	38	37	3	40	47	7	54	14	1	15	13	.	13
	Contract Administrator	29	4	33	24	2	26	26	9	35	36	7	43	32	8	40	20	2	22
	Airconditioning and Refrigeration Mechanic	19	3	22	29	3	32	44	2	46	38	.	38	20	1	21	13	1	14
	Building Associate	14	1	15	18	1	19	20	2	22	31	6	37	27	2	29	32	2	34
	Organisation and Methods Analyst	20	3	23	20	1	21	23	1	24	29	2	31	33	1	34	30	1	31
	Hospitality, Retail and Service Managers nec	14	17	31	21	14	35	16	13	29	33	7	40	30	5	35	9	3	12
	Taxation Accountant	25	1	26	19	1	20	39	.	39	32	4	36	25	3	28	16	1	17
	Wood Machinist	26	2	28	33	2	35	61	3	64	37	.	37	23	.	23	4	2	6
	Dentist	30	1	31	20	.	20	27	.	27	27	.	27	24	2	26	31	.	31
	Corporate Services Manager	14	5	19	24	9	33	22	.	22	15	3	18	21	2	23	12	2	14
	Procurement Manager	2	.	2	18	2	20	35	8	43	25	3	28	23	1	24	28	1	29
	Registered Nurses nec	23	1	24	5	.	5	5	.	5	11	1	12	12	2	14	39	1	40
	Massage Therapist	33	9	42	22	2	24	43	5	48	35	11	46	15	3	18	9	.	9
	Web Administrator	26	4	30	33	6	39	40	2	42	23	2	25	30	9	39	8	.	8
	Hardware Technician	41	6	47	29	.	29	33	2	35	36	4	40	29	1	30	5	1	6
	Civil Engineering Draftsperson	12	1	13	33	1	34	34	2	36	35	.	35	23	2	25	22	.	22
	Mechanical Engineering Technician	24	2	26	19	1	20	35	1	36	38	.	38	20	1	21	19	.	19
	Advertising Specialist	19	.	19	28	.	28	31	.	31	47	4	51	26	1	27	9	.	9
	Fitter (General)	26	1	27	25	2	27	34	1	35	31	2	33	11	2	13	12	2	14
	Pastrycook	32	3	35	31	5	36	51	2	53	50	2	52	12	1	13	7	1	8
	Scaffolder	.	.	.	.	1	1	5	.	5	10	1	11	14	.	14	52	.	52

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		2019/20			2020/21			2021/22			2022/23			2023/24				
		Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total		
		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined			
Occupation Standard	Occupation																	
ANZSCO	Electrical Linesworker (Aus) / Electrical Line Mechanic (NZ)	33	.	33	96	1	97	28	.	28	14	.	14	1	.	1	346	
	Recruitment Consultant	35	2	37	43	2	45	12	.	12	8	2	10	16	.	16	342	
	Specialist Managers nec	34	.	34	46	2	48	26	.	26	12	.	12	7	.	7	335	
	Production Manager (Manufacturing)	25	1	26	40	3	43	8	.	8	13	.	13	14	.	14	326	
	Electrical Engineer	25	2	27	38	.	38	15	.	15	12	.	12	7	.	7	325	
	Registered Nurse (Surgical)	65	.	65	26	.	26	4	.	4	7	.	7	.	.	.	324	
	Hairdresser	5	.	5	23	2	25	6	.	6	13	.	13	8	1	9	321	
	External Auditor	16	1	17	19	.	19	15	.	15	16	.	16	16	.	16	321	
	Truck Driver (General)	111	.	111	32	3	35	5	.	5	10	2	12	.	1	1	320	
	Electronics Engineer	4	1	5	19	1	20	1	.	1	3	2	5	5	.	5	315	
	Engineering Professionals nec	33	1	34	34	1	35	22	.	22	5	.	5	11	.	11	314	
	Software and Applications Programmers nec	14	.	14	50	.	50	14	1	15	3	.	3	6	.	6	314	
	Plumber (General)	39	2	41	47	1	48	18	.	18	6	.	6	1	.	1	307	
	Civil Engineering Technician	23	.	23	41	.	41	8	.	8	8	2	10	10	.	10	304	
	Management Accountant	21	.	21	50	3	53	5	.	5	14	1	15	14	.	14	303	
	Social Worker	21	1	22	23	.	23	3	1	4	5	1	6	1	.	1	299	
	Fitter-Welder	15	.	15	14	.	14	6	.	6	5	1	6	7	1	8	298	
	Telecommunications Network Engineer	6	2	8	10	1	11	1	.	1	3	.	3	5	.	5	296	
	Database Administrator	11	1	12	20	1	21	9	.	9	10	1	11	10	1	11	295	
	Corporate General Manager	32	1	33	41	4	45	21	1	22	7	3	10	2	.	2	295	
	Electronic Equipment Trades Worker	11	.	11	34	.	34	4	.	4	10	1	11	2	.	2	294	
	Carpenter and Joiner	12	1	13	20	.	20	3	1	4	4	1	5	4	.	4	292	
	General Practitioner	34	.	34	17	1	18	5	.	5	3	.	3	.	.	.	292	
	Metal Machinist (First Class)	8	.	8	24	.	24	2	.	2	10	.	10	10	.	10	289	
	Multimedia Specialist	43	1	44	21	1	22	4	.	4	16	.	16	6	.	6	288	
	Finance Manager	20	2	22	46	.	46	17	1	18	11	2	13	8	3	11	284	
	Production or Plant Engineer	8	1	9	43	1	44	4	.	4	5	2	7	11	.	11	284	
	Veterinarian	35	1	36	36	.	36	10	.	10	4	.	4	1	.	1	283	
	Food Technologist	18	.	18	28	1	29	5	.	5	.	1	1	5	1	6	282	
	Electronic Engineering Technician	3	.	3	19	.	19	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	282	
	ICT Security Specialist	25	1	26	36	1	37	10	.	10	14	.	14	10	.	10	275	
	Nurseryperson	2	.	2	14	.	14	.	.	.	3	.	3	7	.	7	272	
	Vocational Education Teacher (Aus) / Polytechnic Teacher (NZ)	11	.	11	14	1	15	6	.	6	20	2	22	14	.	14	268	
	Telecommunications Engineer	5	.	5	5	.	5	2	2	4	1	1	2	1	.	1	267	
	ICT Sales Representative	4	1	5	14	3	17	5	.	5	2	2	4	5	.	5	264	
	Personal Care Assistant	10	.	10	42	2	44	16	2	18	107	2	109	56	3	59	247	
	Technicians and Trades Workers nec	33	1	34	23	2	25	11	.	11	13	1	14	3	.	3	246	
	Welder (First Class) (Aus) / Welder (NZ)	18	.	18	25	.	25	5	.	5	6	1	7	.	.	.	246	
	Contract Administrator	12	.	12	20	3	23	4	.	4	1	1	2	5	.	5	245	
	Airconditioning and Refrigeration Mechanic	10	.	10	37	.	37	9	.	9	12	.	12	4	.	4	245	
	Building Associate	15	2	17	38	.	38	14	.	14	3	1	4	5	.	5	234	
	Organisation and Methods Analyst	16	1	17	28	.	28	3	.	3	11	.	11	10	.	10	233	
	Hospitality, Retail and Service Managers nec	6	3	9	15	5	20	4	1	5	4	1	5	11	.	11	232	
	Taxation Accountant	12	.	12	32	1	33	7	.	7	5	1	6	8	.	8	232	
	Wood Machinist	1	.	1	31	.	31	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	227	
	Dentist	26	.	26	14	.	14	1	.	1	14	1	15	4	.	4	222	
	Corporate Services Manager	18	3	21	40	2	42	14	1	15	5	2	7	5	.	5	219	
	Procurement Manager	20	3	23	29	2	31	6	1	7	4	1	5	7	.	7	219	
	Registered Nurses nec	51	.	51	46	.	46	17	.	17	1	.	1	.	.	.	215	
	Massage Therapist	2	.	2	13	1	14	1	1	2	4	.	4	4	.	4	213	
	Web Administrator	2	1	3	16	3	19	4	1	5	1	1	2	.	.	.	212	
	Hardware Technician	6	1	7	10	.	10	2	.	2	4	.	4	1	.	1	211	
	Civil Engineering Draftsperson	10	.	10	25	1	26	4	.	4	5	.	5	1	.	1	211	
	Mechanical Engineering Technician	19	1	20	19	1	20	4	.	4	3	.	3	3	.	3	210	
	Advertising Specialist	11	1	12	19	.	19	4	.	4	3	2	5	5	.	5	210	
	Fitter (General)	10	1	11	19	1	20	3	.	3	6	1	7	17	.	17	207	
	Pastrycook	2	.	2	6	.	6	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	206	
	Scaffolder	73	.	73	17	1	18	6	.	6	22	2	24	1	.	1	205	

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		2013/14			2014/15			2015/16			2016/17			2017/18			2018/19		
		Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total
		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined	
Occupation Standard	Occupation																		
ANZSCO	Multimedia Designer	35	3	38	36	3	39	35	1	36	36	1	37	16	.	16	12	1	13
	Sales Representative (Industrial Products)	16	1	17	17	2	19	30	.	30	30	1	31	27	.	27	27	1	28
	Environmental Research Scientist	19	2	21	20	2	22	31	4	35	23	2	25	20	4	24	18	1	19
	Technical Sales Representatives nec	11	2	13	22	3	25	28	4	32	26	3	29	32	6	38	22	2	24
	Construction Estimator	14	.	14	17	.	17	36	1	37	25	1	26	17	.	17	23	.	23
	Quality Assurance Manager	17	2	19	17	3	20	21	.	21	29	1	30	20	3	23	18	3	21
	ICT Managers nec	24	4	28	20	2	22	20	2	22	23	2	25	12	1	13	20	.	20
	Engineering Manager	12	3	15	14	2	16	19	3	22	22	.	22	19	.	19	17	.	17
	Conference and Event Organiser	23	1	24	20	3	23	32	2	34	25	1	26	15	2	17	12	.	12
	Internal Auditor	13	3	16	13	2	15	22	2	24	17	1	18	13	.	13	22	.	22
	Industrial Engineer	18	5	23	29	4	33	22	5	27	19	3	22	12	3	15	17	.	17
	ICT Business Development Manager	12	2	14	18	1	19	28	2	30	20	.	20	26	3	29	17	1	18
	Policy Analyst	14	.	14	19	.	19	15	.	15	19	1	20	20	.	20	25	.	25
	Secretary (General)	19	3	22	13	2	15	21	3	24	24	4	28	20	3	23	18	1	19
	Electrical Engineering Technician	14	1	15	24	3	27	25	2	27	24	5	29	24	2	26	11	.	11
	Automotive Electrician	16	.	16	20	3	23	34	1	35	24	1	25	9	3	12	9	1	10
	Chief Executive or Managing Director	25	3	28	16	2	18	11	.	11	20	1	21	10	1	11	22	.	22
	Geotechnical Engineer	39	.	39	26	.	26	21	.	21	11	1	12	13	.	13	14	1	15
	Architectural, Building and Surveying Technicians nec	12	.	12	14	.	14	20	.	20	26	1	27	24	1	25	14	.	14
	Human Resource Adviser	15	.	15	13	2	15	18	.	18	18	1	19	11	1	12	24	2	26
	Market Research Analyst	22	1	23	12	1	13	19	1	20	22	2	24	21	1	22	13	.	13
	Insurance Agent	12	.	12	9	1	10	13	1	14	15	1	16	15	3	18	31	4	35
	Science Technicians nec	15	2	17	27	2	29	30	1	31	23	1	24	12	1	13	10	.	10
	Urban and Regional Planner	24	3	27	19	1	20	14	1	15	17	1	18	10	1	11	12	.	12
	Call or Contact Centre Team Leader	18	.	18	15	2	17	25	1	26	27	.	27	20	.	20	12	.	12
	ICT Quality Assurance Engineer	26	4	30	24	1	25	19	2	21	17	4	21	3	1	4	13	.	13
	Mechanical Engineering Draftsperson	22	3	25	22	2	24	15	.	15	25	1	26	17	.	17	12	2	14
	Pharmacy Technician	20	.	20	25	.	25	30	1	31	17	6	23	6	4	10	11	.	11
	Solid Plasterer	20	1	21	23	3	26	30	1	31	36	.	36	9	3	12	4	2	6
	Cabler (Data and Telecommunications)	2	1	3	15	.	15	27	.	27	26	.	26	20	3	23	9	1	10
	Disabilities Services Officer	15	5	20	16	6	22	22	9	31	11	8	19	14	4	18	8	.	8
	Chemical Engineer	13	3	16	10	4	14	20	11	31	23	5	28	8	4	12	11	.	11
	Diversional Therapist	5	.	5	12	1	13	20	1	21	29	3	32	24	.	24	14	.	14
	Private Tutors and Teachers nec	15	2	17	16	.	16	30	.	30	25	3	28	14	6	20	7	1	8
	Project Builder	13	1	14	10	.	10	14	3	17	24	4	28	18	.	18	11	.	11
	Telecommunications Cable Jointer	5	.	5	15	1	16	18	.	18	18	4	22	20	3	23	13	.	13
	Occupational Health and Safety Adviser	9	.	9	13	1	14	10	.	10	14	1	15	14	.	14	26	2	28
	Retail Buyer	6	4	10	9	3	12	22	1	23	9	2	11	17	4	21	11	1	12
	Network Administrator	20	5	25	23	.	23	21	7	28	14	3	17	10	4	14	8	.	8
	Accommodation and Hospitality Managers nec	17	5	22	15	5	20	19	4	23	22	2	24	10	3	13	2	.	2
	ICT Account Manager	9	1	10	10	1	11	13	3	16	12	1	13	29	1	30	9	1	10
	Statistician	12	.	12	16	.	16	13	.	13	17	1	18	8	2	10	22	.	22
	Clinical Psychologist	3	.	3	7	.	7	14	.	14	15	1	16	18	.	18	21	1	22
	Life Science Technician	13	1	14	24	1	25	15	.	15	18	1	19	17	4	21	8	.	8
	Joiner	14	2	16	22	3	25	33	1	34	21	.	21	2	.	2	4	.	4
	Training and Development Professional	14	.	14	14	.	14	15	.	15	13	1	14	15	1	16	12	1	13
	Wall and Floor Tiler	7	1	8	23	2	25	28	2	30	24	2	26	8	.	8	4	.	4
	Psychiatrist	17	1	18	15	.	15	15	.	15	14	1	15	15	3	18	14	.	14
	Dairy Cattle Farm Worker	1	5	6	.	4	4	.	.	.	.	2	2	1	1	2	4	.	4
	Importer or Exporter	15	5	20	7	3	10	15	3	18	11	7	18	13	6	19	10	2	12
	Registered Nurse (Mental Health)	18	.	18	14	.	14	7	.	7	17	.	17	11	.	11	14	1	15
	Minister of Religion	10	4	14	18	10	28	17	6	23	19	2	21	6	2	8	1	.	1
	Human Resource Manager	13	2	15	9	1	10	7	2	9	9	2	11	11	2	13	15	.	15
	Facilities Manager	8	9	17	13	6	19	16	3	19	6	4	10	12	2	14	6	1	7
	Building Inspector	9	.	9	6	1	7	12	.	12	11	2	13	14	2	16	20	.	20
	Web Designer	7	1	8	4	2	6	13	.	13	15	2	17	12	.	12	17	1	18
	Bricklayer	17	3	20	22	4	26	12	1	13	19	3	22	7	2	9	4	1	5
	Transport Company Manager	9	3	12	6	4	10	19	4	23	10	3	13	11	3	14	9	2	11

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		Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	
		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		
Occupation Standard	Occupation																
ANZSCO	Multimedia Designer	5	.	5	11	.	11	3	.	3	1	.	1	4	1	5	204
	Sales Representative (Industrial Products)	12	1	13	18	1	19	6	.	6	7	.	7	4	.	4	201
	Environmental Research Scientist	10	1	11	21	.	21	6	2	8	4	.	4	10	.	10	200
	Technical Sales Representatives nec	7	.	7	20	.	20	3	.	3	.	1	1	6	.	6	198
	Construction Estimator	12	1	13	24	.	24	6	.	6	4	1	5	4	.	4	186
	Quality Assurance Manager	11	1	12	27	.	27	5	.	5	4	.	4	4	.	4	186
	ICT Managers nec	12	1	13	25	.	25	9	1	10	3	.	3	2	.	2	183
	Engineering Manager	19	1	20	27	1	28	9	1	10	6	.	6	7	.	7	182
	Conference and Event Organiser	3	1	4	17	3	20	.	1	1	7	.	7	12	.	12	180
	Internal Auditor	19	.	19	24	.	24	12	.	12	13	1	14	2	.	2	179
	Industrial Engineer	12	1	13	15	.	15	5	.	5	2	1	3	5	.	5	178
	ICT Business Development Manager	13	1	14	22	.	22	2	.	2	5	.	5	4	.	4	177
	Policy Analyst	7	.	7	18	.	18	13	.	13	13	.	13	13	.	13	177
	Secretary (General)	5	1	6	17	1	18	10	.	10	4	.	4	7	.	7	176
	Electrical Engineering Technician	7	1	8	18	.	18	4	1	5	2	.	2	4	.	4	172
	Automotive Electrician	14	.	14	17	.	17	4	.	4	6	2	8	6	1	7	171
	Chief Executive or Managing Director	13	1	14	17	1	18	9	.	9	12	.	12	3	1	4	168
	Geotechnical Engineer	10	1	11	11	.	11	13	.	13	3	.	3	3	.	3	167
	Architectural, Building and Surveying Technicians nec	8	.	8	23	.	23	6	.	6	4	1	5	6	.	6	160
	Human Resource Adviser	13	.	13	16	.	16	6	.	6	8	1	9	11	.	11	160
	Market Research Analyst	6	.	6	24	2	26	3	.	3	3	.	3	5	.	5	158
	Insurance Agent	5	2	7	10	6	16	12	.	12	15	.	15	3	.	3	158
	Science Technicians nec	5	.	5	15	.	15	1	.	1	3	.	3	6	1	7	155
	Urban and Regional Planner	15	.	15	9	1	10	2	.	2	10	.	10	12	.	12	152
	Call or Contact Centre Team Leader	5	2	7	9	1	10	2	.	2	4	1	5	6	.	6	150
	ICT Quality Assurance Engineer	7	.	7	12	.	12	5	.	5	7	.	7	3	.	3	148
	Mechanical Engineering Draftsperson	5	.	5	14	.	14	1	.	1	4	.	4	3	.	3	148
	Pharmacy Technician	5	.	5	18	.	18	1	1	2	.	.	.	2	.	2	147
	Solid Plasterer	4	2	6	4	.	4	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	144
	Cabler (Data and Telecommunications)	10	1	11	16	1	17	4	.	4	4	.	4	4	.	4	144
	Disabilities Services Officer	6	.	6	10	.	10	4	.	4	2	.	2	3	.	3	143
	Chemical Engineer	2	1	3	17	1	18	2	.	2	4	.	4	2	1	3	142
	Diversional Therapist	4	.	4	23	3	26	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	142
	Private Tutors and Teachers nec	4	1	5	7	.	7	3	.	3	5	1	6	2	.	2	142
	Project Builder	9	3	12	21	.	21	3	.	3	4	.	4	.	1	1	139
	Telecommunications Cable Jointer	7	2	9	17	1	18	9	1	10	2	.	2	3	.	3	139
	Occupational Health and Safety Adviser	15	.	15	15	.	15	4	.	4	4	2	6	5	.	5	135
	Retail Buyer	10	.	10	18	4	22	5	.	5	3	.	3	4	.	4	133
	Network Administrator	4	1	5	9	.	9	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	132
	Accommodation and Hospitality Managers nec	3	1	4	11	1	12	2	.	2	4	1	5	2	1	3	130
	ICT Account Manager	9	1	10	14	3	17	2	.	2	5	.	5	6	.	6	130
	Statistician	6	.	6	13	.	13	3	.	3	4	.	4	12	1	13	130
	Clinical Psychologist	27	.	27	16	.	16	7	.	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	130
	Life Science Technician	.	1	1	14	2	16	1	.	1	4	2	6	3	.	3	129
	Joiner	2	.	2	12	.	12	6	.	6	3	1	4	1	.	1	127
	Training and Development Professional	10	.	10	16	1	17	3	.	3	5	1	6	3	1	4	126
	Wall and Floor Tiler	9	.	9	9	1	10	2	.	2	1	.	1	2	.	2	125
	Psychiatrist	15	.	15	9	.	9	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	121
	Dairy Cattle Farm Worker	69	.	69	28	.	28	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	118
	Importer or Exporter	6	1	7	7	2	9	.	.	.	1	.	1	3	.	3	117
	Registered Nurse (Mental Health)	13	.	13	13	2	15	6	.	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	116
	Minister of Religion	7	1	8	5	1	6	1	2	3	1	.	1	2	.	2	115
	Human Resource Manager	7	.	7	15	.	15	9	.	9	5	2	7	2	1	3	114
	Facilities Manager	8	.	8	8	.	8	2	.	2	2	1	3	3	1	4	111
	Building Inspector	5	.	5	15	1	16	4	.	4	5	.	5	3	.	3	110
	Web Designer	9	.	9	18	1	19	3	.	3	4	.	4	1	.	1	110
	Bricklayer	6	1	7	3	.	3	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	108
	Transport Company Manager	4	1	5	7	3	10	2	.	2	5	1	6	1	.	1	107

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		2013/14			2014/15			2015/16			2016/17			2017/18			2018/19		
		Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total
		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined	
Occupation Standard	Occupation																		
ANZSCO	Fitter and Turner	17	1	18	10	1	11	18	.	18	16	1	17	2	2	4	13	.	13
	Occupational Therapist	13	.	13	10	1	11	10	2	12	18	1	19	16	.	16	9	.	9
	Panelbeater	12	6	18	19	4	23	19	3	22	19	4	23	1	1	2	1	1	2
	Research and Development Manager	7	2	9	7	1	8	13	2	15	11	1	12	13	1	14	10	1	11
	Transport Engineer	10	.	10	5	1	6	4	.	4	17	.	17	11	.	11	23	.	23
	Surveyor	9	2	11	6	.	6	8	1	9	12	2	14	13	1	14	12	.	12
	Travel Agency Manager	8	.	8	10	8	18	17	2	19	23	.	23	3	4	7	4	5	9
	Medical Laboratory Technician	18	3	21	20	.	20	12	1	13	14	1	15	7	.	7	7	.	7
	Medical Laboratory Scientist	6	1	7	13	.	13	15	3	18	14	3	17	11	1	12	9	.	9
	Retail Pharmacist	9	2	11	12	3	15	12	.	12	7	.	7	17	1	18	13	.	13
	Sheetmetal Trades Worker	9	1	10	10	4	14	15	1	16	21	1	22	7	1	8	5	.	5
	Other Sports Coach or Instructor	10	4	14	10	1	11	13	3	16	17	4	21	8	2	10	4	1	5
	Information and Organisation Professionals nec	5	.	5	8	.	8	5	.	5	18	.	18	19	.	19	10	.	10
	Hair or Beauty Salon Manager	14	5	19	11	5	16	12	5	17	10	6	16	7	2	9	2	.	2
	Steel Fixer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2
	Teacher of English to Speakers of Other Languages	10	1	11	6	.	6	12	.	12	16	1	17	14	.	14	11	1	12
	Anaesthetist	17	1	18	13	1	14	8	1	9	12	.	12	14	.	14	13	.	13
	Midwife	12	1	13	7	.	7	18	.	18	8	.	8	6	.	6	13	.	13
	Medical Diagnostic Radiographer	5	2	7	7	.	7	7	.	7	5	.	5	9	.	9	18	.	18
	Environmental Engineer	12	.	12	14	2	16	13	4	17	13	3	16	9	1	10	5	.	5
	University Tutor	7	3	10	10	2	12	9	2	11	14	4	18	10	.	10	10	.	10
	Bookkeeper	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	1	.	1	1	.	1
	Licensed Club Manager	7	2	9	9	.	9	16	2	18	11	2	13	9	1	10	2	4	6
	Policy and Planning Manager	4	.	4	7	.	7	10	.	10	10	.	10	11	.	11	9	1	10
	Diagnostic and Interventional Radiologist	14	.	14	11	.	11	7	.	7	8	1	9	7	.	7	13	.	13
	ICT Support and Test Engineers nec	9	2	11	10	3	13	13	.	13	10	3	13	4	.	4	3	.	3
	Acupuncturist	11	1	12	10	1	11	11	.	11	10	1	11	6	.	6	8	.	8
	Other Spatial Scientist	15	.	15	6	.	6	16	1	17	7	1	8	7	2	9	9	.	9
	Aged or Disabled Carer	.	2	2	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Cabinetmaker	9	2	11	17	.	17	19	.	19	16	1	17	6	.	6	2	.	2
	Fibrous Plasterer	13	1	14	15	2	17	11	1	12	16	2	18	6	.	6	1	.	1
	Environmental Consultant	5	1	6	4	1	5	10	.	10	8	.	8	6	.	6	7	1	8
	Plastics Technician	9	2	11	8	2	10	10	1	11	11	1	12	11	.	11	9	1	10
	Arborist	12	1	13	8	.	8	10	1	11	16	1	17	10	.	10	1	.	1
	Health Practice Manager	7	1	8	5	.	5	11	1	12	12	1	13	9	2	11	5	2	7
	Machine Operators nec	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	2	3	1	.	1	14	.	14
	Registered Nurse (Medical Practice)	12	1	13	13	.	13	10	.	10	10	.	10	5	.	5	8	.	8
	Gardener (General)	10	1	11	13	1	14	19	1	20	6	.	6	8	1	9	3	1	4
	Financial Investment Adviser	3	3	6	6	1	7	6	5	11	7	1	8	6	3	9	6	.	6
	Chemist	10	.	10	4	.	4	9	1	10	15	3	18	6	.	6	9	.	9
	Insurance Broker	8	3	11	9	.	9	8	1	9	5	.	5	13	.	13	5	1	6
	Emergency Medicine Specialist	8	1	9	11	.	11	11	.	11	11	.	11	9	.	9	10	.	10
	Registered Nurse (Child and Family Health)	21	.	21	8	.	8	1	.	1	3	.	3	3	.	3	12	.	12
	Architect	2	1	3	5	.	5	6	.	6	7	1	8	6	.	6	10	.	10
	Landscape Gardener	7	.	7	10	2	12	11	.	11	12	.	12	11	1	12	6	.	6
	Property Manager	5	.	5	4	.	4	7	2	9	11	1	12	12	.	12	7	.	7
	Maintenance Planner	4	1	5	6	1	7	8	1	9	12	2	14	6	1	7	5	.	5
	Building and Engineering Technicians nec	5	.	5	2	1	3	10	.	10	11	.	11	6	.	6	5	.	5
	Education Managers nec	6	.	6	5	.	5	6	1	7	10	1	11	9	2	11	6	3	9
	Sales Representative (Medical and Pharmaceutical Products)	8	.	8	5	.	5	12	.	12	12	.	12	9	.	9	4	.	4
	Registered Nurse (Disability and Rehabilitation)	12	.	12	4	1	5	5	.	5	7	.	7	12	.	12	13	.	13
	Graphic Pre-press Trades Worker	17	2	19	8	1	9	16	1	17	9	2	11	3	.	3	1	.	1
	Audiologist	6	.	6	9	.	9	5	.	5	7	.	7	9	.	9	9	.	9
	Interior Designer	7	.	7	5	.	5	7	.	7	19	.	19	12	.	12	4	.	4
	Public Relations Professional	6	2	8	8	.	8	7	.	7	10	.	10	7	1	8	8	1	9
	Life Scientist (General)	6	2	8	3	.	3	4	.	4	6	1	7	6	.	6	14	1	15
	Anaesthetic Technician	3	.	3	6	.	6	13	.	13	3	.	3	7	.	7	11	.	11
	Registered Nurse (Paediatric)	.	.	.	3	.	3	6	.	6	11	.	11	11	.	11	9	.	9

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		2019/20			2020/21			2021/22			2022/23			2023/24			
		Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	
		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		
Occupation Standard	Occupation																
ANZSCO	Fitter and Turner	2	.	2	10	.	10	1	.	1	2	.	2	11	.	11	107
	Occupational Therapist	10	.	10	12	.	12	5	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	107
	Panelbeater	6	.	6	3	.	3	1	.	1	4	.	4	2	.	2	106
	Research and Development Manager	7	.	7	15	.	15	4	.	4	6	.	6	3	.	3	104
	Transport Engineer	16	.	16	8	.	8	5	.	5	1	1	2	1	.	1	103
	Surveyor	8	.	8	20	.	20	3	.	3	3	1	4	1	.	1	102
	Travel Agency Manager	1	3	4	5	5	10	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	101
	Medical Laboratory Technician	12	.	12	4	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	100
	Medical Laboratory Scientist	11	.	11	8	.	8	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	97
	Retail Pharmacist	12	.	12	5	.	5	1	1	2	2	.	2	.	.	.	97
	Sheetmetal Trades Worker	4	.	4	10	.	10	2	1	3	4	.	4	.	.	.	96
	Other Sports Coach or Instructor	1	1	2	8	1	9	2	.	2	4	1	5	1	.	1	96
	Information and Organisation Professionals nec	2	.	2	9	.	9	.	.	.	6	.	6	14	.	14	96
	Hair or Beauty Salon Manager	1	2	3	4	3	7	.	.	.	4	.	4	2	.	2	95
	Steel Fixer	76	.	76	11	.	11	2	.	2	1	1	2	.	.	.	93
	Teacher of English to Speakers of Other Languages	2	.	2	6	1	7	4	.	4	3	.	3	4	.	4	92
	Anaesthetist	6	.	6	4	.	4	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	92
	Midwife	15	.	15	8	1	9	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	92
	Medical Diagnostic Radiographer	19	.	19	13	.	13	3	.	3	3	1	4	.	.	.	92
	Environmental Engineer	2	1	3	4	.	4	3	.	3	5	.	5	.	.	.	91
	University Tutor	7	.	7	1	.	1	1	.	1	4	.	4	3	.	3	87
	Bookkeeper	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	42	1	43	35	.	35	85
	Licensed Club Manager	4	1	5	6	1	7	.	1	1	3	.	3	3	.	3	84
	Policy and Planning Manager	5	.	5	17	.	17	4	.	4	4	.	4	2	.	2	84
	Diagnostic and Interventional Radiologist	11	.	11	9	.	9	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	83
	ICT Support and Test Engineers nec	5	.	5	10	1	11	4	1	5	2	.	2	2	.	2	82
	Acupuncturist	3	.	3	10	.	10	2	.	2	1	1	2	6	.	6	82
	Other Spatial Scientist	4	.	4	6	.	6	5	.	5	.	1	1	2	.	2	82
	Aged or Disabled Carer	14	.	14	5	.	5	.	.	.	29	.	29	28	.	28	82
	Cabinetmaker	2	.	2	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	1	2	3	.	3	81
	Fibrous Plasterer	2	.	2	5	.	5	3	1	4	1	.	1	.	.	.	80
	Environmental Consultant	3	.	3	6	.	6	5	.	5	6	.	6	17	.	17	80
	Plastics Technician	3	.	3	7	.	7	.	.	.	3	.	3	1	.	1	79
	Arborist	5	.	5	11	.	11	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	78
	Health Practice Manager	4	.	4	10	1	11	1	.	1	3	.	3	3	.	3	78
	Machine Operators nec	45	.	45	3	.	3	2	1	3	7	.	7	.	1	1	78
	Registered Nurse (Medical Practice)	11	.	11	4	.	4	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	77
	Gardener (General)	4	.	4	8	.	8	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	77
	Financial Investment Adviser	13	.	13	7	1	8	.	.	.	5	.	5	2	.	2	75
	Chemist	3	.	3	8	1	9	1	.	1	3	.	3	1	.	1	74
	Insurance Broker	6	.	6	11	1	12	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	74
	Emergency Medicine Specialist	9	.	9	4	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	74
	Registered Nurse (Child and Family Health)	12	.	12	10	1	11	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	73
	Architect	13	.	13	10	.	10	5	.	5	4	.	4	3	.	3	73
	Landscape Gardener	.	.	.	10	.	10	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	72
	Property Manager	4	.	4	9	.	9	2	.	2	5	.	5	3	.	3	72
	Maintenance Planner	6	.	6	7	.	7	4	.	4	3	.	3	3	.	3	70
	Building and Engineering Technicians nec	4	.	4	9	.	9	4	.	4	4	.	4	9	.	9	70
	Education Managers nec	3	1	4	5	1	6	3	.	3	3	.	3	2	1	3	68
	Sales Representative (Medical and Pharmaceutical Products)	7	.	7	8	.	8	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	68
	Registered Nurse (Disability and Rehabilitation)	8	.	8	3	.	3	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	67
	Graphic Pre-press Trades Worker	2	.	2	4	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	66
	Audiologist	12	.	12	4	.	4	2	.	2	3	.	3	.	.	.	66
	Interior Designer	2	.	2	5	.	5	2	.	2	1	.	1	2	.	2	66
	Public Relations Professional	8	.	8	3	.	3	1	.	1	.	.	.	4	.	4	66
	Life Scientist (General)	8	.	8	4	1	5	.	.	.	3	.	3	6	.	6	65
	Anaesthetic Technician	8	.	8	7	.	7	5	.	5	2	.	2	.	.	.	65
	Registered Nurse (Paediatric)	10	.	10	9	.	9	4	.	4	2	.	2	.	.	.	65

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		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined	
Occupation Standard	Occupation																		
ANZSCO	Osteopath	12	.	12	9	1	10	10	.	10	8	.	8	6	.	6	11	.	11
	Primary Products Inspectors nec	3	4	7	4	2	6	13	1	14	12	.	12	5	1	6	6	.	6
	Biotechnologist	8	.	8	12	3	15	11	1	12	9	.	9	6	1	7	2	.	2
	Migration Agent	5	1	6	6	.	6	7	.	7	7	.	7	6	1	7	6	.	6
	Drainer (Aus) / Drainlayer (NZ)	10	1	11	9	3	12	10	.	10	13	.	13	4	1	5	3	.	3
	Floor Finisher	6	1	7	5	1	6	17	2	19	8	.	8	5	.	5	4	.	4
	Middle School Teacher (Aus) / Intermediate School Teacher (NZ)	3	.	3	8	.	8	3	1	4	6	.	6	3	.	3	9	.	9
	Electronic Instrument Trades Worker (General)	8	.	8	6	4	10	13	.	13	7	1	8	6	2	8	4	.	4
	Enrolled Nurse	15	.	15	12	.	12	9	.	9	2	.	2	5	.	5	4	.	4
	Agricultural Scientist	4	.	4	6	.	6	5	1	6	8	.	8	4	2	6	8	.	8
	Apiarist	12	4	16	7	3	10	6	7	13	5	2	7	.	1	1	3	.	3
	Solicitor	4	.	4	12	.	12	4	.	4	4	2	6	8	1	9	4	.	4
	Economist	7	.	7	6	1	7	5	1	6	7	.	7	3	.	3	7	.	7
	Butcher or Smallgoods Maker	6	5	11	4	3	7	13	4	17	10	2	12	5	.	5	1	.	1
	Fruit or Nut Grower	5	.	5	7	5	12	7	4	11	6	2	8	4	1	5	2	2	4
	Geologist	16	.	16	11	.	11	9	.	9	8	.	8	2	.	2	4	.	4
	Surveying or Spatial Science Technician	6	.	6	5	.	5	5	.	5	11	.	11	5	.	5	2	.	2
	Stonemason	6	1	7	7	1	8	9	2	11	17	2	19	4	.	4	3	.	3
	Practice Managers nec	4	.	4	6	3	9	3	1	4	10	6	16	4	1	5	5	1	6
	Retail Supervisor	2	7	9	4	3	7	.	1	1	2	5	7	4	.	4	4	.	4
	Roof Tiler	10	.	10	5	.	5	15	1	16	5	1	6	4	1	5	2	1	3
	Pathology Collector (Aus) / Phlebotomist (NZ)	16	1	17	12	.	12	8	.	8	6	.	6	3	1	4	1	.	1
	Materials Engineer	6	1	7	6	.	6	9	2	11	6	2	8	8	.	8	5	.	5
	Industrial Designer	4	1	5	6	.	6	6	.	6	8	.	8	10	.	10	4	.	4
	Intelligence Officer	6	.	6	7	.	7	8	1	9	2	2	4	6	1	7	3	.	3
	Obstetrician and Gynaecologist	6	.	6	9	.	9	7	1	8	8	1	9	8	.	8	3	.	3
	Telecommunications Network Planner	19	1	20	10	1	11	6	.	6	3	1	4	5	.	5	2	.	2
	Legal Secretary	2	1	3	4	.	4	8	1	9	11	.	11	9	2	11	2	.	2
	Environmental Scientists nec	5	.	5	3	.	3	6	.	6	10	.	10	8	.	8	4	.	4
	Electrical Engineering Draftsperson	6	.	6	10	.	10	8	.	8	9	.	9	6	.	6	3	.	3
	Landscape Architect	3	2	5	2	.	2	3	.	3	9	.	9	11	1	12	5	.	5
	Finance Broker	3	.	3	4	1	5	10	3	13	8	1	9	4	.	4	2	.	2
	Specialist Physician (General Medicine)	8	.	8	5	.	5	9	.	9	8	.	8	7	.	7	3	.	3
	Education Adviser	1	.	1	3	1	4	7	.	7	6	.	6	10	2	12	3	.	3
	Aircraft Maintenance Engineer (Mechanical)	8	.	8	5	.	5	2	.	2	6	1	7	2	.	2	9	.	9
	Prison Officer	6	.	6	6	.	6	3	.	3	8	.	8	8	.	8	3	.	3
	Biomedical Engineer	5	.	5	6	1	7	7	1	8	2	.	2	10	1	11	8	.	8
	Wine Maker	8	1	9	5	1	6	5	3	8	7	2	9	3	2	5	3	.	3
	Physicist	9	.	9	6	.	6	8	1	9	9	.	9	3	1	4	6	.	6
	Petroleum Engineer	8	.	8	11	1	12	14	1	15	3	3	6	3	.	3	.	.	.
	Vehicle Painter	2	.	2	6	1	7	9	1	10	17	1	18	1	.	1	3	.	3
	Registered Nurse (Community Health)	5	.	5	7	.	7	4	1	5	7	.	7	6	.	6	5	.	5
	Speech Pathologist (Aus) / Speech Language Therapist (NZ)	12	.	12	2	.	2	6	.	6	5	.	5	7	1	8	4	1	5
	Medical Technicians nec	4	.	4	6	.	6	7	.	7	4	1	5	4	.	4	7	.	7
	Forester (Aus) / Forest Scientist (NZ)	2	2	4	5	1	6	8	.	8	10	.	10	4	1	5	6	.	6
	Special Needs Teacher	7	.	7	3	.	3	3	.	3	5	.	5	3	.	3	8	.	8
	Engineering Technologist	4	1	5	4	.	4	5	.	5	6	.	6	6	.	6	6	.	6
	Agricultural Technician	7	.	7	5	3	8	10	.	10	3	.	3	7	.	7	1	.	1
	Excavator Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	8	.	8
	Network Analyst	8	2	10	13	1	14	6	.	6	4	.	4	4	.	4	4	.	4
	Legal Executive	3	.	3	6	.	6	7	.	7	8	1	9	4	.	4	6	.	6
	Life Scientists nec	4	1	5	3	.	3	6	.	6	8	.	8	4	.	4	5	.	5
	Telecommunications Technical Officer or Technologist	7	.	7	11	.	11	9	.	9	5	.	5	4	.	4	1	.	1
	Public Relations Manager	2	.	2	5	.	5	4	.	4	11	.	11	4	.	4	3	.	3
	Driller	1	.	1	4	1	5	3	1	4	1	.	1	2	.	2	5	.	5
	Business Machine Mechanic	11	.	11	9	.	9	4	.	4	5	.	5	6	.	6	3	.	3
	Dressmaker or Tailor	7	2	9	10	8	18	8	1	9	4	2	6	1	.	1	1	.	1
	Security Consultant	7	2	9	4	4	8	3	.	3	1	.	1	7	.	7	3	.	3

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		2019/20			2020/21			2021/22			2022/23			2023/24			
		Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	
		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		
Occupation Standard	Occupation																
ANZSCO	Osteopath	3	.	3	3	.	3	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	64
	Primary Products Inspectors nec	1	.	1	7	.	7	.	.	.	4	.	4	1	.	1	64
	Biotechnologist	3	.	3	2	.	2	.	.	.	2	.	2	4	.	4	64
	Migration Agent	8	1	9	3	1	4	.	.	.	8	.	8	3	.	3	63
	Drainer (Aus) / Drainlayer (NZ)	3	.	3	2	.	2	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	62
	Floor Finisher	3	.	3	6	.	6	2	.	2	2	.	2	.	.	.	62
	Middle School Teacher (Aus) / Intermediate School Teacher (NZ)	18	.	18	7	.	7	.	.	.	4	.	4	.	.	.	62
	Electronic Instrument Trades Worker (General)	1	.	1	7	.	7	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	62
	Enrolled Nurse	10	.	10	2	.	2	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	61
	Agricultural Scientist	9	.	9	7	.	7	1	.	1	2	.	2	4	.	4	61
	Apiarist	1	.	1	4	2	6	2	.	2	.	1	1	.	.	.	60
	Solicitor	4	.	4	10	.	10	2	.	2	3	1	4	1	.	1	60
	Economist	5	.	5	4	.	4	.	.	.	9	.	9	4	1	5	60
	Butcher or Smallgoods Maker	1	.	1	5	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	60
	Fruit or Nut Grower	4	.	4	8	.	8	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	1	1	60
	Geologist	1	.	1	3	.	3	2	.	2	2	.	2	2	.	2	60
	Surveying or Spatial Science Technician	4	.	4	13	1	14	2	.	2	2	.	2	2	1	3	59
	Stonemason	3	.	3	3	.	3	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	59
	Practice Managers nec	2	1	3	5	2	7	5	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	59
	Retail Supervisor	13	.	13	10	.	10	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	1	1	58
	Roof Tiler	5	.	5	3	.	3	2	.	2	2	.	2	.	.	.	57
	Pathology Collector (Aus) / Phlebotomist (NZ)	7	.	7	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	57
	Materials Engineer	2	.	2	3	.	3	2	.	2	1	1	2	3	.	3	57
	Industrial Designer	5	.	5	9	1	10	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	56
	Intelligence Officer	4	.	4	3	.	3	2	.	2	7	.	7	4	.	4	56
	Obstetrician and Gynaecologist	8	.	8	3	.	3	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	55
	Telecommunications Network Planner	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	1	1	3	.	3	54
	Legal Secretary	.	.	.	4	.	4	2	.	2	2	1	3	5	.	5	54
	Environmental Scientists nec	3	.	3	7	.	7	4	.	4	1	.	1	2	.	2	53
	Electrical Engineering Draftsperson	3	.	3	7	.	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	53
	Landscape Architect	.	.	.	10	.	10	.	.	.	1	.	1	5	.	5	52
	Finance Broker	4	.	4	6	1	7	.	.	.	5	.	5	.	.	.	52
	Specialist Physician (General Medicine)	7	.	7	4	.	4	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	52
	Education Adviser	6	.	6	3	.	3	.	.	.	2	.	2	8	.	8	52
	Aircraft Maintenance Engineer (Mechanical)	9	.	9	5	.	5	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	1	2	51
	Prison Officer	11	1	12	2	.	2	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	51
	Biomedical Engineer	.	.	.	5	.	5	2	.	2	.	.	.	2	.	2	50
	Wine Maker	4	.	4	4	.	4	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	1	50
	Physicist	1	.	1	4	.	4	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	50
	Petroleum Engineer	1	.	1	5	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	50
	Vehicle Painter	1	.	1	6	.	6	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	50
	Registered Nurse (Community Health)	9	.	9	4	.	4	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	49
	Speech Pathologist (Aus) / Speech Language Therapist (NZ)	4	.	4	1	.	1	.	.	.	6	.	6	.	.	.	49
	Medical Technicians nec	9	.	9	4	.	4	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	49
	Forester (Aus) / Forest Scientist (NZ)	3	.	3	3	.	3	2	.	2	.	.	.	2	.	2	49
	Special Needs Teacher	9	.	9	6	.	6	.	.	.	3	.	3	1	.	1	48
	Engineering Technologist	3	.	3	7	.	7	2	.	2	1	1	2	2	.	2	48
	Agricultural Technician	1	.	1	5	.	5	.	.	.	2	.	2	4	.	4	48
	Excavator Operator	29	1	30	3	1	4	.	.	.	3	.	3	.	.	.	48
	Network Analyst	1	1	2	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	47
	Legal Executive	3	.	3	6	.	6	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	1	47
	Life Scientists nec	2	.	2	6	.	6	2	1	3	3	.	3	2	.	2	47
	Telecommunications Technical Officer or Technologist	1	.	1	2	1	3	2	.	2	.	1	1	1	.	1	45
	Public Relations Manager	1	.	1	5	1	6	3	.	3	5	.	5	.	1	1	45
	Driller	20	.	20	5	.	5	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	45
	Business Machine Mechanic	.	.	.	3	.	3	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	44
	Dressmaker or Tailor	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	44
	Security Consultant	5	.	5	2	.	2	2	.	2	3	.	3	1	.	1	44

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		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined	
Occupation Standard	Occupation																		
ANZSCO	ICT Trainer	7	.	7	8	.	8	6	.	6	7	.	7	5	.	5	2	.	2
	Youth Worker	3	2	5	9	1	10	4	.	4	6	1	7	7	1	8	3	1	4
	Specialist Physicians nec	4	.	4	4	.	4	5	1	6	3	1	4	9	1	10	10	1	11
	Electronic Instrument Trades Worker (Special Class)	7	.	7	4	1	5	8	2	10	3	.	3	4	.	4	3	.	3
	Glazier	3	.	3	3	1	4	9	.	9	8	2	10	4	1	5	5	.	5
	Metal Casting Trades Worker	13	.	13	11	1	12	4	.	4	5	.	5	4	.	4	1	.	1
	Financial Dealers nec	4	2	6	5	7	12	4	2	6	2	.	2	6	1	7	1	.	1
	Metal Fitters and Machinists nec	9	.	9	5	2	7	6	1	7	7	.	7	1	.	1	1	.	1
	Chemical Plant Operator	3	3	6	7	.	7	7	.	7	8	.	8	6	.	6	2	.	2
	Medical Radiation Therapist	5	.	5	5	.	5	3	.	3	5	.	5	3	.	3	1	.	1
	Fitness Centre Manager	6	1	7	4	1	5	6	3	9	5	.	5	5	.	5	1	.	1
	Advertising Manager	3	1	4	4	.	4	7	.	7	6	.	6	5	2	7	6	.	6
	Veterinary Nurse	1	.	1	4	.	4	5	.	5	7	1	8	7	1	8	3	.	3
	Aeronautical Engineer	6	.	6	3	.	3	4	1	5	6	.	6	4	.	4	4	.	4
	Printing Machinist	2	.	2	6	.	6	11	.	11	6	.	6	2	.	2	1	.	1
	Sonographer	2	.	2	1	.	1	8	.	8	3	.	3	4	.	4	7	.	7
	Translator	4	1	5	6	1	7	6	.	6	8	1	9	5	1	6	1	.	1
	Liaison Officer	7	.	7	4	2	6	5	2	7	3	1	4	5	.	5	3	.	3
	Bank Worker	4	2	6	1	.	1	2	.	2	2	.	2	1	.	1	4	.	4
	Import-Export Clerk	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	1	2	.	2
	Safety Inspector	8	1	9	5	.	5	5	.	5	5	.	5	2	1	3	4	.	4
	Sports Development Officer	6	1	7	8	.	8	3	.	3	11	.	11	4	.	4	3	.	3
	Upholsterer	5	1	6	10	.	10	8	1	9	9	.	9	2	.	2	1	.	1
	Film and Video Editor	10	.	10	6	.	6	6	.	6	4	.	4	7	.	7	1	.	1
	Surgeon (General)	6	.	6	3	1	4	8	1	9	4	.	4	1	.	1	6	.	6
	Health and Welfare Services Managers nec	3	.	3	1	.	1	3	1	4	3	.	3	3	.	3	3	.	3
	Boat Builder and Repairer	5	.	5	4	1	5	5	1	6	8	.	8	2	1	3	.	.	.
	Commissioned Defence Force Officer	7	.	7	4	.	4	4	.	4	5	.	5	6	.	6	5	.	5
	Child Care Centre Manager	3	.	3	4	.	4	5	.	5	5	.	5	5	1	6	3	1	4
	Fleet Manager	3	1	4	2	1	3	6	1	7	4	1	5	1	.	1	1	.	1
	Credit or Loans Officer (Aus) / Finance Clerk (NZ)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	2	.	2
	Laboratory Manager	2	.	2	3	1	4	3	1	4	4	.	4	7	1	8	3	.	3
	Technical Director	7	1	8	6	.	6	3	.	3	5	.	5	4	.	4	2	.	2
	Financial Market Dealer	7	2	9	3	5	8	3	1	4	6	.	6	3	1	4	1	.	1
	Judicial and Other Legal Professionals nec	1	1	2	5	.	5	3	.	3	1	.	1	4	.	4	2	1	3
	Vegetable Grower (Aus) / Market Gardener (NZ)	4	4	8	3	1	4	4	4	8	3	2	5	1	2	3	1	.	1
	Sportspersons nec	4	1	5	3	.	3	4	.	4	4	.	4	5	.	5	2	.	2
	Newspaper or Periodical Editor	3	.	3	5	1	6	5	.	5	3	.	3	6	1	7	4	.	4
	Accounts Clerk	1	.	1	.	1	1	3	.	3	1	2	3	2	.	2	8	.	8
	Microbiologist	3	.	3	1	.	1	4	.	4	7	3	10	3	.	3	9	.	9
	Educational Psychologist	2	.	2	1	.	1	4	.	4	5	.	5	1	1	2	3	.	3
	Medical Practitioners nec	4	.	4	3	.	3	1	.	1	3	.	3	6	.	6	5	.	5
	Sports Centre Manager	1	2	3	4	1	5	7	.	7	7	.	7	5	1	6	.	.	.
	Ship's Engineer	4	.	4	6	1	7	8	1	9	5	.	5	2	.	2	2	.	2
	Technical Cable Jointer	3	.	3	1	.	1	2	.	2	5	.	5	.	.	.	4	.	4
	Journalists and Other Writers nec	2	1	3	3	.	3	4	2	6	5	1	6	8	.	8	1	.	1
	Insurance Loss Adjuster	6	.	6	4	.	4	5	.	5	4	.	4	3	1	4	2	1	3
	Drug and Alcohol Counsellor	8	1	9	3	.	3	2	.	2	3	.	3	4	.	4	3	.	3
	Call or Contact Centre Manager	5	.	5	4	.	4	5	.	5	4	.	4	5	.	5	4	.	4
	Swimming Coach or Instructor	3	1	4	3	.	3	8	.	8	2	1	3	4	.	4	3	.	3
	Tanker Driver	7	.	7	4	.	4	6	.	6	1	1	2	2	.	2	5	.	5
	Poultry Farmer	1	.	1	5	1	6	4	2	6	5	1	6	1	.	1	3	.	3
	Environmental Health Officer	1	.	1	3	.	3	3	.	3	6	.	6	5	.	5	3	.	3
	Technical Writer	4	.	4	2	1	3	2	.	2	4	.	4	4	.	4	1	.	1
	Dental Technician	2	1	3	7	.	7	2	.	2	7	.	7	3	.	3	2	.	2
	Gasfitter	2	.	2	2	.	2	4	.	4	6	.	6	2	1	3	2	.	2
	Health Promotion Officer	6	1	7	6	.	6	5	.	5	2	1	3	3	1	4	1	.	1
	Student Counsellor	2	1	3	5	.	5	4	1	5	2	.	2	5	.	5	3	.	3

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		2019/20			2020/21			2021/22			2022/23			2023/24			
		Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	
		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		
Occupation Standard	Occupation																
ANZSCO	ICT Trainer	1	.	1	6	.	6	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	44
	Youth Worker	.	.	.	4	1	5	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	44
	Specialist Physicians nec	4	.	4	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	44
	Electronic Instrument Trades Worker (Special Class)	3	.	3	8	.	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	43
	Glazier	2	.	2	1	.	1	1	.	1	3	.	3	.	.	.	43
	Metal Casting Trades Worker	.	.	.	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	42
	Financial Dealers nec	2	.	2	4	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	41
	Metal Fitters and Machinists nec	3	.	3	3	.	3	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	41
	Chemical Plant Operator	1	.	1	3	.	3	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	41
	Medical Radiation Therapist	6	.	6	6	.	6	4	.	4	3	.	3	.	.	.	41
	Fitness Centre Manager	1	.	1	3	1	4	1	.	1	2	.	2	1	.	1	41
	Advertising Manager	4	.	4	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	41
	Veterinary Nurse	8	.	8	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	1	41
	Aeronautical Engineer	3	.	3	2	.	2	3	.	3	2	.	2	1	.	1	39
	Printing Machinist	1	.	1	5	.	5	2	.	2	3	.	3	.	.	.	39
	Sonographer	11	.	11	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	39
	Translator	1	.	1	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	38
	Liaison Officer	2	1	3	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	38
	Bank Worker	4	.	4	1	.	1	.	.	.	11	.	11	6	.	6	38
	Import-Export Clerk	2	.	2	3	.	3	1	.	1	17	.	17	9	.	9	38
	Safety Inspector	3	.	3	1	.	1	1	1	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	38
	Sports Development Officer	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	38
	Upholsterer	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	38
	Film and Video Editor	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	1	37
	Surgeon (General)	5	.	5	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	37
	Health and Welfare Services Managers nec	6	.	6	7	.	7	3	.	3	1	.	1	3	.	3	37
	Boat Builder and Repairer	3	.	3	3	.	3	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	36
	Commissioned Defence Force Officer	5	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	36
	Child Care Centre Manager	1	1	2	4	.	4	1	.	1	2	.	2	.	.	.	36
	Fleet Manager	3	.	3	8	.	8	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	1	2	35
	Credit or Loans Officer (Aus) / Finance Clerk (NZ)	3	.	3	2	.	2	.	1	1	14	.	14	10	.	10	35
	Laboratory Manager	2	.	2	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	1	1	4	.	4	34
	Technical Director	4	.	4	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	34
	Financial Market Dealer	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	34
	Judicial and Other Legal Professionals nec	1	.	1	11	.	11	2	.	2	1	.	1	1	.	1	34
	Vegetable Grower (Aus) / Market Gardener (NZ)	.	.	.	4	.	4	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	34
	Sportspersons nec	3	.	3	3	.	3	1	.	1	4	.	4	.	.	.	34
	Newspaper or Periodical Editor	.	.	.	4	1	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	34
	Accounts Clerk	8	.	8	2	.	2	1	1	2	4	.	4	.	.	.	34
	Microbiologist	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	33
	Educational Psychologist	3	.	3	11	.	11	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	33
	Medical Practitioners nec	4	.	4	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	6	.	6	33
	Sports Centre Manager	1	.	1	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	32
	Ship's Engineer	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	32
	Technical Cable Jointer	4	.	4	11	.	11	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	32
	Journalists and Other Writers nec	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	31
	Insurance Loss Adjuster	1	.	1	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	31
	Drug and Alcohol Counsellor	2	.	2	3	.	3	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	30
	Call or Contact Centre Manager	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	30
	Swimming Coach or Instructor	.	.	.	4	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	30
	Tanker Driver	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	30
	Poultry Farmer	2	1	3	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	30
	Environmental Health Officer	2	.	2	3	.	3	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	1	29
	Technical Writer	1	.	1	3	1	4	.	.	.	3	1	4	1	.	1	28
	Dental Technician	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	28
	Gasfitter	5	.	5	3	.	3	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	28
	Health Promotion Officer	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	28
	Student Counsellor	.	.	.	.	2	2	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	28

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		2013/14			2014/15			2015/16			2016/17			2017/18			2018/19		
		Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total
		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined	
Occupation Standard	Occupation																		
ANZSCO	Orthopaedic Surgeon	2	.	2	1	.	1	3	.	3	6	.	6	1	.	1	5	.	5
	Psychologists nec	1	.	1	3	.	3	4	.	4	5	.	5	2	.	2	4	.	4
	Actuary	2	.	2	1	.	1	2	1	3	2	.	2	1	.	1	4	.	4
	Signwriter	2	.	2	6	.	6	2	1	3	5	.	5	4	.	4	1	.	1
	Counsellors nec	.	3	3	2	.	2	3	.	3	5	.	5	3	.	3	2	.	2
	Equipment Hire Manager	1	1	2	3	1	4	3	.	3	5	.	5	5	1	6	2	.	2
	Photographer	4	.	4	5	.	5	7	1	8	.	1	1	.	.	.	2	.	2
	Print Journalist	6	1	7	3	.	3	2	.	2	3	.	3	5	.	5	1	.	1
	Media Producer (excluding Video)	1	1	2	6	.	6	4	.	4	3	.	3	3	.	3	4	.	4
	Paediatrician	1	.	1	5	.	5	3	.	3	1	.	1	3	.	3	6	.	6
	Lifeguard	3	.	3	1	.	1	8	.	8	6	.	6	6	.	6	.	.	.
	Horse Trainer	2	.	2	4	1	5	7	.	7	4	.	4	2	.	2	2	.	2
	Clinical Coder	2	.	2	2	.	2	7	.	7	5	.	5	2	.	2	2	.	2
	Nurse Manager	5	.	5	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	4	.	4	2	.	2
	Geophysicist	.	.	.	1	.	1	6	.	6	2	.	2	4	2	6	2	.	2
	Crane, Hoist or Lift Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	2	.	2	9	.	9
	Video Producer	4	1	5	3	.	3	2	.	2	7	.	7	2	.	2	.	1	1
	Traditional Chinese Medicine Practitioner	2	.	2	3	.	3	2	1	3	6	.	6	4	.	4	2	.	2
	Toolmaker	4	.	4	3	.	3	2	.	2	3	.	3	2	.	2	1	.	1
	Sound Technician	4	.	4	2	1	3	2	.	2	6	1	7	3	.	3	2	.	2
	Family Support Worker	1	6	7	1	3	4	2	2	4	1	.	1	1	1	2	1	.	1
	Ship's Officer	3	.	3	5	.	5	5	2	7	2	.	2	2	.	2	1	.	1
	Motorcycle Mechanic	5	.	5	3	.	3	3	.	3	6	.	6	1	.	1	1	.	1
	Fire Protection Equipment Technician	3	.	3	2	.	2	4	.	4	3	.	3	1	.	1	4	.	4
	Dental Therapist	1	.	1	3	.	3	.	.	.	5	.	5	1	.	1	2	1	3
	Marine Transport Professionals nec	.	1	1	3	.	3	4	1	5	3	.	3	2	.	2	3	.	3
	Chief Information Officer	.	.	.	3	.	3	5	1	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	5
	Vehicle Body Builder	7	1	8	1	.	1	3	.	3	4	1	5	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Sales Representatives nec	1	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	2	3	.	3
	Greenkeeper	2	1	3	4	.	4	3	1	4	4	.	4	1	.	1	3	.	3
	Environmental Manager	2	.	2	3	.	3	3	1	4	3	.	3	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Financial Investment Manager	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	2	.	2	3	.	3	1	.	1
	Dental Hygienist	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	2	4	5	1	6	.	1	1	4	.	4
	Fashion Designer	.	.	.	3	.	3	3	.	3	6	1	7	4	.	4	1	1	2
	Sports Administrator	2	2	4	2	1	3	1	1	2	2	.	2	.	1	1	3	.	3
	Cardiac Technician	5	1	6	2	.	2	5	.	5	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Illustrator	4	.	4	3	.	3	3	.	3	4	.	4	4	.	4	1	.	1
	Grape Grower	2	1	3	3	.	3	3	.	3	2	1	3	1	1	2	1	1	2
	Meteorologist	4	.	4	3	.	3	3	.	3	2	.	2	2	.	2	5	.	5
	Pathologist	5	.	5	1	.	1	1	.	1	4	.	4	3	.	3	3	.	3
	Nursing Support Worker	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Pig Farmer	3	2	5	1	3	4	2	1	3	.	3	3	1	1	2	1	.	1
	Air Transport Professionals nec	1	.	1	3	.	3	1	.	1	.	.	.	4	.	4	4	.	4
	Travel Consultant	1	1	2	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Chiropractor	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	1	2	3	1	4	4	.	4	1	1	2
	Production Manager (Forestry)	.	.	.	2	.	2	4	.	4	3	1	4	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Metallurgical or Materials Technician	.	.	.	3	.	3	3	.	3	1	.	1	2	.	2	2	1	3
	Naval Architect (Aus) / Marine Designer (NZ)	3	.	3	4	.	4	4	.	4	2	.	2	.	.	.	3	.	3
	Lift Mechanic	2	.	2	3	.	3	2	.	2	2	.	2	1	.	1	2	.	2
	Aeroplane Pilot	3	1	4	2	1	3	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	4	.	4
	Recreation Officer (Aus) / Recreation Coordinator (NZ)	1	.	1	2	.	2	2	.	2	3	.	3	2	.	2	4	.	4
	Natural and Physical Science Professionals nec	1	.	1	1	.	1	2	.	2	1	.	1	5	1	6	4	.	4
	Financial Brokers nec	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	5	.	5	3	.	3	3	.	3
	Mathematician	3	1	4	3	.	3	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	1	1	2	.	2
	Print Finisher	.	2	2	.	.	.	3	.	3	3	.	3	1	.	1	1	.	1
	Small Offset Printer	4	.	4	2	.	2	4	.	4	4	.	4	2	1	3	.	.	.
	Parole or Probation Officer	3	.	3	5	.	5	2	.	2	1	.	1	2	.	2	3	.	3
	Aircraft Maintenance Engineer (Avionics)	6	.	6	2	.	2	.	.	.	2	.	2	2	.	2	1	.	1

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		2019/20			2020/21			2021/22			2022/23			2023/24			
		Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	
		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		
Occupation Standard	Occupation																
ANZSCO	Orthopaedic Surgeon	5	.	5	3	.	3	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	27
	Psychologists nec	4	.	4	3	.	3	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	27
	Actuary	3	.	3	5	.	5	.	.	.	3	.	3	3	.	3	27
	Signwriter	.	.	.	4	.	4	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	27
	Counsellors nec	1	.	1	2	2	4	.	.	.	1	.	1	3	.	3	27
	Equipment Hire Manager	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	26
	Photographer	2	.	2	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	26
	Print Journalist	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	25
	Media Producer (excluding Video)	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	25
	Paediatrician	4	.	4	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	25
	Lifeguard	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	25
	Horse Trainer	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	25
	Clinical Coder	.	.	.	4	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	25
	Nurse Manager	3	.	3	3	.	3	2	.	2	1	.	1	2	.	2	25
	Geophysicist	2	.	2	5	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	25
	Crane, Hoist or Lift Operator	8	.	8	3	.	3	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	25
	Video Producer	1	.	1	.	2	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	24
	Traditional Chinese Medicine Practitioner	.	.	.	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	24
	Toolmaker	1	.	1	3	1	4	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	23
	Sound Technician	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	23
	Family Support Worker	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	23
	Ship's Officer	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	23
	Motorcycle Mechanic	.	.	.	3	.	3	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	23
	Fire Protection Equipment Technician	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	1	3	.	3	.	.	.	23
	Dental Therapist	6	.	6	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	3	23
	Marine Transport Professionals nec	1	.	1	5	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	23
	Chief Information Officer	3	.	3	2	1	3	1	.	1	1	1	2	.	.	.	23
	Vehicle Body Builder	.	.	.	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	22
	Sales Representatives nec	7	1	8	.	.	.	1	.	1	4	.	4	.	.	.	22
	Greenkeeper	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	22
	Environmental Manager	1	1	2	4	.	4	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	22
	Financial Investment Manager	5	.	5	5	.	5	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	22
	Dental Hygienist	2	.	2	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	22
	Fashion Designer	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	22
	Sports Administrator	1	.	1	2	.	2	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	1	21
	Cardiac Technician	2	.	2	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	21
	Illustrator	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	21
	Grape Grower	1	.	1	3	.	3	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	21
	Meteorologist	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	21
	Pathologist	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	20
	Nursing Support Worker	6	1	7	.	.	.	1	.	1	6	.	6	4	.	4	20
	Pig Farmer	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	20
	Air Transport Professionals nec	.	.	.	3	.	3	2	.	2	2	.	2	.	.	.	20
	Travel Consultant	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6	2	8	8	.	8	20
	Chiropractor	5	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	20
	Production Manager (Forestry)	2	.	2	6	.	6	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	20
	Metallurgical or Materials Technician	1	.	1	3	.	3	2	.	2	1	1	2	.	.	.	20
	Naval Architect (Aus) / Marine Designer (NZ)	1	.	1	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	19
	Lift Mechanic	3	.	3	2	1	3	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	19
	Aeroplane Pilot	1	.	1	2	1	3	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	19
	Recreation Officer (Aus) / Recreation Coordinator (NZ)	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	1	19
	Natural and Physical Science Professionals nec	1	.	1	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	19
	Financial Brokers nec	2	.	2	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	19
	Mathematician	2	.	2	1	.	1	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	18
	Print Finisher	.	1	1	5	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	18
	Small Offset Printer	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	18
	Parole or Probation Officer	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	18
	Aircraft Maintenance Engineer (Avionics)	4	.	4	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	18

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		Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total
		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined	
Occupation Standard	Occupation																		
ANZSCO	Hospital Pharmacist	2	2	4	2	.	2	2	.	2	4	.	4	1	.	1	1	.	1
	Gymnastics Coach or Instructor	1	1	2	2	.	2	2	.	2	2	1	3	2	1	3	.	.	.
	Ship's Master	2	.	2	4	1	5	4	.	4	1	1	2	2	.	2	1	.	1
	Earth Science Technician	1	.	1	4	.	4	1	.	1	4	.	4	1	.	1	3	.	3
	Sales Representative (Business Services)	1	.	1	2	.	2	.	1	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	2	1	3
	Copywriter	.	.	.	5	.	5	2	1	3	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Valuer	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	2	.	2	3	.	3	4	.	4
	Earthmoving Plant Operator (General)	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	3
	Wood Machinists and Other Wood Trades Workers nec	6	2	8	2	1	3	3	.	3	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Airconditioning and Mechanical Services Plumber	3	.	3	4	.	4	3	.	3	3	.	3	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Performing Arts Technicians nec	3	.	3	.	.	.	3	1	4	5	.	5	4	.	4	.	.	.
	Orthotist or Prosthetist	1	.	1	4	.	4	3	.	3	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2
	Musician (Instrumental)	3	.	3	2	.	2	1	.	1	3	.	3	3	.	3	2	.	2
	Visual Arts and Crafts Professionals nec	1	.	1	4	.	4	1	.	1	4	.	4	2	.	2	2	.	2
	Financial Institution Branch Manager	2	2	4	2	.	2	.	.	.	2	.	2	3	.	3	1	.	1
	Air Traffic Controller	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Agricultural Engineer	3	4	7	2	.	2	.	1	1	.	.	.	4	.	4	2	.	2
	Telecommunications Linesworker (Aus) / Telecommunications Line Mechanic (NZ)	1	.	1	2	.	2	3	1	4	4	.	4	3	.	3	.	.	.
	Motor Vehicle or Caravan Salesperson	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	4	.	.	.	6	.	6
	Music Teacher (Private Tuition)	4	1	5	2	.	2	2	.	2	1	.	1	2	.	2	2	.	2
	Small Engine Mechanic	4	.	4	3	.	3	3	.	3	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Caravan Park and Camping Ground Manager	1	.	1	1	.	1	3	1	4	3	.	3	2	1	3	2	.	2
	Biochemist	2	.	2	1	.	1	1	.	1	4	.	4	4	.	4	.	.	.
	Faculty Head	1	.	1	2	.	2	3	.	3	4	.	4	.	.	.	2	.	2
	Librarian	3	.	3	2	.	2	5	.	5	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Clothing Patternmaker	4	.	4	2	.	2	3	1	4	.	2	2	2	.	2	.	.	.
	Aquaculture Farmer	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	3	1	.	1	.	1	1
	Health Information Manager	.	1	1	.	1	1	1	.	1	2	.	2	1	1	2	2	.	2
	Insurance Consultant	2	.	2	3	.	3	3	1	4	.	.	.	4	.	4	.	.	.
	Marine Surveyor	1	.	1	1	1	2	1	.	1	1	.	1	2	.	2	2	.	2
	Real Estate Representative	.	.	.	.	1	1	3	.	3	3	.	3	1	.	1	2	.	2
	Optical Dispenser (Aus) / Dispensing Optician (NZ)	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	3	.	3	2	.	2	2	1	3
	Industrial Spraypainter	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Marine Biologist	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	4	.	4	3	.	3	3	.	3
	Electrician (Special Class)	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	1
	Jeweller	2	1	3	1	.	1	2	1	3	3	.	3	1	.	1	1	.	1
	Corporate Treasurer	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	1	3	.	3
	Arts Administrator or Manager	3	.	3	1	.	1	1	.	1	2	.	2	3	1	4	.	.	.
	Telecommunications Field Engineer	2	.	2	4	.	4	1	1	2	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Conservation Officer	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	3	.	3
	Beef Cattle Farmer	1	.	1	4	.	4	1	.	1	2	2	4	.	.	.	2	.	2
	Kaiawhina (Hauora) (Maori Health Assistant)	.	.	.	4	.	4	.	3	3	.	1	1	3	.	3	.	.	.
	Exercise Physiologist	.	.	.	2	.	2	3	.	3	3	.	3	1	.	1	2	.	2
	Ophthalmologist	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	1	1	.	1	3	.	3	3	.	3
	Records Manager	3	2	5	1	.	1	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2
	Neurologist	4	.	4	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	2	.	2	2	.	2
	Senior Non-commissioned Defence Force Member	5	.	5	.	.	.	2	.	2	4	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Beauty Therapist	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Defence Force Member - Other Ranks	5	.	5	1	.	1	4	.	4	1	1	2	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Clerical and Administrative Workers nec	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	3	.	3	4	.	4
	Special Education Teachers nec	2	1	3	4	1	5	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Nurse Practitioner	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	1	5	.	5
	Health Diagnostic and Promotion Professionals nec	.	1	1	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1
	Hydrogeologist	.	.	.	1	.	1	4	.	4	1	.	1	.	.	.	4	.	4
	Registered Nurse (Developmental Disability)	.	.	.	1	.	1	3	.	3	2	.	2	2	.	2	2	.	2
	Podiatrist	1	1	2	1	.	1	1	.	1	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Agricultural Consultant	4	.	4	1	.	1	.	1	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2
	Gas or Petroleum Operator	2	.	2	1	.	1	2	.	2	2	.	2	2	.	2	.	.	.

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		2019/20			2020/21			2021/22			2022/23			2023/24			
		Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	
		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		
Occupation Standard	Occupation																
ANZSCO	Hospital Pharmacist	2	.	2	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	18
	Gymnastics Coach or Instructor	.	.	.	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	3	18
	Ship's Master	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	18
	Earth Science Technician	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	18
	Sales Representative (Business Services)	4	.	4	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	18
	Copywriter	.	.	.	5	.	5	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	18
	Valuer	1	.	1	4	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	18
	Earthmoving Plant Operator (General)	5	.	5	2	.	2	.	.	.	6	1	7	.	.	.	18
	Wood Machinists and Other Wood Trades Workers nec	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	17
	Airconditioning and Mechanical Services Plumber	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	17
	Performing Arts Technicians nec	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	17
	Orthotist or Prosthetist	2	.	2	4	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	17
	Musician (Instrumental)	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	17
	Visual Arts and Crafts Professionals nec	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	17
	Financial Institution Branch Manager	1	.	1	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	17
	Air Traffic Controller	1	1	2	4	.	4	4	.	4	2	.	2	.	.	.	17
	Agricultural Engineer	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	17
	Telecommunications Linesworker (Aus) / Telecommunications Line Mechanic (NZ)	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	17
	Motor Vehicle or Caravan Salesperson	2	.	2	.	.	.	2	.	2	3	.	3	.	.	.	17
	Music Teacher (Private Tuition)	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	16
	Small Engine Mechanic	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	16
	Caravan Park and Camping Ground Manager	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	16
	Biochemist	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	3	.	3	16
	Faculty Head	1	.	1	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	15
	Librarian	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	15
	Clothing Patternmaker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	15
	Aquaculture Farmer	1	.	1	5	.	5	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	15
	Health Information Manager	2	.	2	2	.	2	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	15
	Insurance Consultant	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	15
	Marine Surveyor	.	.	.	3	.	3	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	15
	Real Estate Representative	3	1	4	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	15
	Optical Dispenser (Aus) / Dispensing Optician (NZ)	.	.	.	4	1	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	15
	Industrial Spraypainter	6	.	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	2	7	.	.	.	15
	Marine Biologist	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	14
	Electrician (Special Class)	1	.	1	5	.	5	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	14
	Jeweller	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	14
	Corporate Treasurer	1	.	1	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	14
	Arts Administrator or Manager	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	14
	Telecommunications Field Engineer	1	.	1	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	14
	Conservation Officer	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	1	1	.	1	3	1	4	14
	Beef Cattle Farmer	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	14
	Kaiawhina (Hauora) (Maori Health Assistant)	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	14
	Exercise Physiologist	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	14
	Ophthalmologist	1	1	2	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	14
	Records Manager	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	13
	Neurologist	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	13
	Senior Non-commissioned Defence Force Member	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	13
	Beauty Therapist	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	5	2	3	5	13
	Defence Force Member - Other Ranks	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	13
	Clerical and Administrative Workers nec	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	13
	Special Education Teachers nec	1	1	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	13
	Nurse Practitioner	.	.	.	2	.	2	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	13
	Health Diagnostic and Promotion Professionals nec	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	5	.	5	13
	Hydrogeologist	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	13
	Registered Nurse (Developmental Disability)	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	13
	Podiatrist	1	.	1	3	.	3	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	12
	Agricultural Consultant	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	12
	Gas or Petroleum Operator	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	12

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		2013/14			2014/15			2015/16			2016/17			2017/18			2018/19		
		Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total
		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined	
Occupation Standard	Occupation																		
ANZSCO	Dental Specialist	1	.	1	2	.	2	1	1	2	.	.	.	3	.	3	1	.	1
	Mixed Livestock Farmer	1	.	1	3	.	3	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	2
	Camera Operator (Film, Television or Video)	.	2	2	2	.	2	1	.	1	2	.	2	2	.	2	2	.	2
	Radio Presenter	.	1	1	2	1	3	1	.	1	3	.	3	1	1	2	.	1	1
	Insurance Investigator	2	.	2	1	1	2	1	.	1	2	.	2	2	.	2	1	.	1
	Vineyard Worker	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2
	Real Estate Agent	.	.	.	1	.	1	2	.	2	1	1	2	3	.	3	1	.	1
	Waste Water or Water Plant Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Student	2	2	4	2	2	4	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Otorhinolaryngologist	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	3	.	3
	Intensive Care Ambulance Paramedic (Aus) / Ambulance Paramedic (NZ)	2	.	2	1	1	2	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Dietitian	4	.	4	4	.	4	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Pet Groomer	1	.	1	1	1	2	1	.	1	2	.	2	2	1	3	1	.	1
	Painter (Visual Arts)	.	1	1	.	2	2	2	2	4	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	1	2
	Medical Administrator (Aus) / Medical Superintendent (NZ)	2	.	2	1	.	1	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1
	Gastroenterologist	1	.	1	1	.	1	2	.	2	2	.	2	2	.	2	2	.	2
	Dance Teacher (Private Tuition)	.	1	1	1	.	1	2	.	2	1	.	1	2	.	2	3	.	3
	Tennis Coach	.	.	.	1	1	2	2	.	2	1	2	3	.	.	.	2	.	2
	Park Ranger	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	4	.	4	2	.	2	1	.	1
	Sales Assistant (General)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Child Care Worker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Commercial Housekeeper	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Interpreter	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	3	3	.	3	.	.	.
	Interior Decorator	3	.	3	1	.	1	3	.	3	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Director (Film, Television, Radio or Stage)	.	1	1	2	.	2	1	.	1	2	.	2	1	.	1	2	.	2
	Flying Instructor	3	.	3	1	.	1	3	.	3	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Jockey	.	1	1	2	.	2	4	.	4	.	1	1	1	.	1	.	.	.
	School Principal	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Clinical Haematologist	1	.	1	1	.	1	2	.	2	2	.	2	.	.	.	2	.	2
	Purchasing Officer	.	.	.	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	1	.	1
	Power Generation Plant Operator	.	.	.	1	.	1	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2
	School Laboratory Technician	.	.	.	2	.	2	2	.	2	1	.	1	3	.	3	.	.	.
	Human Resources Clerk	.	.	.	1	.	1	2	.	2	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1
	Meat Inspector	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	3	1	4	.	.	.	2	.	2
	Diving Instructor (Open Water)	1	.	1	.	1	1	2	.	2	2	.	2	2	.	2	.	1	1
	Film, Television, Radio and Stage Directors nec	3	.	3	1	.	1	1	.	1	2	.	2	1	1	2	.	.	.
	Complementary Health Therapists nec	3	.	3	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	3	.	3	.	.	.
	Welfare Worker	1	1	2	1	1	2	.	1	1	1	.	1	.	1	1	.	.	.
	Mining Engineer (excluding Petroleum)	2	.	2	5	.	5	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Crop Farmers nec	1	.	1	1	1	2	1	.	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Livestock Farmers nec	1	1	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1
	Manufacturer	1	1	2	.	1	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Screen Printer	1	1	2	1	.	1	2	.	2	1	1	2	2	.	2	.	.	.
	Clothing Trades Workers nec	1	.	1	1	1	2	2	.	2	2	.	2	1	.	1	1	.	1
	Plastics Fabricator or Welder	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	1	2	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Ambulance Officer	.	.	.	2	.	2	5	.	5	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Snowsport Instructor	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	.	.
	Payroll Clerk	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2
	Intensive Care Specialist	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	3	.	3	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Motor Vehicle Parts Interpreter (Aus) / Automotive Parts Salesperson (NZ)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Workplace Relations Adviser	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Production Clerk	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	3	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Optometrist	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	3	.	3	.	.	.
	Music Director	1	.	1	1	1	2	2	.	2	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Religious Assistant	3	.	3	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Wholesaler	2	.	2	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	.	.
	Electronic Engineering Draftsperson	1	.	1	1	.	1	4	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Roof Plumber	1	.	1	2	.	2	3	.	3	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.

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		Financial Year (Jul-Jun) Decided															Total
		2019/20			2020/21			2021/22			2022/23			2023/24			
		Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	
		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		
Occupation Standard	Occupation																
ANZSCO	Dental Specialist	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	12
	Mixed Livestock Farmer	2	.	2	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	12
	Camera Operator (Film, Television or Video)	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	12
	Radio Presenter	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	12
	Insurance Investigator	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	12
	Vineyard Worker	4	.	4	4	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	12
	Real Estate Agent	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	12
	Waste Water or Water Plant Operator	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	6	.	6	12
	Student	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	11
	Otorhinolaryngologist	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	11
	Intensive Care Ambulance Paramedic (Aus) / Ambulance Paramedic (NZ)	.	.	.	4	.	4	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	11
	Dietitian	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	11
	Pet Groomer	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	11
	Painter (Visual Arts)	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	11
	Medical Administrator (Aus) / Medical Superintendent (NZ)	3	.	3	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	11
	Gastroenterologist	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	11
	Dance Teacher (Private Tuition)	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	11
	Tennis Coach	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	11
	Park Ranger	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	11
	Sales Assistant (General)	7	.	7	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	11
	Child Care Worker	.	.	.	3	.	3	.	.	.	3	.	3	4	.	4	11
	Commercial Housekeeper	7	.	7	3	.	3	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	11
	Interpreter	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	10
	Interior Decorator	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	10
	Director (Film, Television, Radio or Stage)	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	10
	Flying Instructor	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	10
	Jockey	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	10
	School Principal	4	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	10
	Clinical Haematologist	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	10
	Purchasing Officer	2	.	2	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	10
	Power Generation Plant Operator	1	.	1	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	10
	School Laboratory Technician	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	10
	Human Resources Clerk	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	10
	Meat Inspector	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	10
	Diving Instructor (Open Water)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	9
	Film, Television, Radio and Stage Directors nec	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	9
	Complementary Health Therapists nec	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	9
	Welfare Worker	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	9
	Mining Engineer (excluding Petroleum)	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	9
	Crop Farmers nec	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	9
	Livestock Farmers nec	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	9
	Manufacturer	.	1	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	9
	Screen Printer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	9
	Clothing Trades Workers nec	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	9
	Plastics Fabricator or Welder	4	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	9
	Ambulance Officer	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	9
	Snowsport Instructor	.	.	.	3	.	3	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	9
	Payroll Clerk	2	.	2	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	9
	Intensive Care Specialist	1	.	1	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	9
	Motor Vehicle Parts Interpreter (Aus) / Automotive Parts Salesperson (NZ)	5	.	5	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	9
	Workplace Relations Adviser	2	.	2	1	.	1	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	8
	Production Clerk	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	8
	Optometrist	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	8
	Music Director	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	8
	Religious Assistant	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	8
	Wholesaler	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	8
	Electronic Engineering Draftsperson	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	8
	Roof Plumber	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	8

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		Financial Year (Jul-Jun) Decided																	
		2013/14			2014/15			2015/16			2016/17			2017/18			2018/19		
		Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total
		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined	
Occupation Standard	Occupation																		
ANZSCO	Television Equipment Operator	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	3	.	3	1	.	1	1	.	1
	Welfare Centre Manager	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Land Economist	2	.	2	.	1	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	2	.	2	1	.	1
	Careers Counsellor	1	.	1	2	.	2	2	.	2	.	1	1	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Plastic and Reconstructive Surgeon	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2
	Mixed Crop Farmer	.	.	.	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Cardiologist	.	.	.	4	.	4	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Furniture Finisher	.	.	.	3	1	4	2	.	2	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Sales Representative (Motor Vehicle Parts and Accessories)	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Dermatologist	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1
	Farrier	.	.	.	3	.	3	1	.	1	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Labourers nec	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Animal Attendants and Trainers nec	.	.	.	1	1	2	1	.	1	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Construction Rigger	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2
	Concreter	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1
	Mobile Plant Operators nec	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	2	.	2
	Law Clerk	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2
	Agricultural and Horticultural Mobile Plant Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	3	.	3
	Plumber's Assistant	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Television Presenter	.	1	1	2	.	2	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Textile, Clothing and Footwear Mechanic	3	.	3	.	1	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.
	General Clerk	1	.	1	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	3
	Conservator	2	.	2	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1
	First Aid Trainer	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Social Professionals nec	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1
	Driving Instructor	1	1	2	1	1	2	1	.	1	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Archivist	2	.	2	1	.	1	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Television Journalist	.	1	1	1	.	1	2	.	2	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Production Manager (Mining)	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Renal Medicine Specialist	2	.	2	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Outdoor Adventure Guides nec	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1
	Primary Health Organisation Manager	1	.	1	2	.	2	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Horse Breeder	1	.	1	1	1	2	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Operating Theatre Technician	.	.	.	2	.	2	2	.	2	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Zoologist	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2
	Road Traffic Controller	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Warehouse Administrator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	2	.	2
	Storeperson	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	2	.	.	.
	Inspectors and Regulatory Officers nec	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	4	1	.	1	1	.	1
	Visual Merchandiser	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Tour Guide	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Product Tester	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.
	Musical Instrument Maker or Repairer	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.
	Company Secretary	1	.	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1
	Sail Maker	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	2	.	2
	Post Office Manager	2	1	3	.	1	1	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Helicopter Pilot	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Gallery or Museum Curator	2	.	2	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Orthoptist	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Fast Food Cook	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Amusement Centre Manager	2	.	2	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Radiocommunications Technician	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	1	1	.	1
	Commodities Trader	1	.	1	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Trust Officer	1	.	1	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Pressure Welder	.	.	.	4	.	4	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Nuclear Medicine Technologist	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Aircraft Maintenance Engineer (Structures)	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	2	.	2
	Zookeeper	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	2	.	2	1	.	1

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		Financial Year (Jul-Jun) Decided															Total
		2019/20			2020/21			2021/22			2022/23			2023/24			
		Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	
		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		
Occupation Standard	Occupation																
ANZSCO	Television Equipment Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	8
	Welfare Centre Manager	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	8
	Land Economist	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	8
	Careers Counsellor	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	8
	Plastic and Reconstructive Surgeon	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	8
	Mixed Crop Farmer	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	8
	Cardiologist	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	8
	Furniture Finisher	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	8
	Sales Representative (Motor Vehicle Parts and Accessories)	4	.	4	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	8
	Dermatologist	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	8
	Farrier	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	8
	Labourers nec	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	8
	Animal Attendants and Trainers nec	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	8
	Construction Rigger	1	.	1	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	8
	Concreter	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	2	.	2	.	.	.	8
	Mobile Plant Operators nec	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	8
	Law Clerk	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	3	.	3	.	.	.	8
	Agricultural and Horticultural Mobile Plant Operator	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	8
	Plumber's Assistant	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	5	.	5	.	.	.	8
	Television Presenter	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	7
	Textile, Clothing and Footwear Mechanic	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	7
	General Clerk	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	7
	Conservator	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	7
	First Aid Trainer	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	7
	Social Professionals nec	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	7
	Driving Instructor	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	7
	Archivist	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	7
	Television Journalist	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	7
	Production Manager (Mining)	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	7
	Renal Medicine Specialist	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	7
	Outdoor Adventure Guides nec	.	.	.	.	2	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	7
	Primary Health Organisation Manager	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	7
	Horse Breeder	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	7
	Operating Theatre Technician	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	7
	Zoologist	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	7
	Road Traffic Controller	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	7
	Warehouse Administrator	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	7
	Storeperson	4	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	7
	Inspectors and Regulatory Officers nec	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	7
	Visual Merchandiser	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	3	.	3	.	.	.	7
	Tour Guide	1	.	1	1	1	2	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	1	7
	Product Tester	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	6
	Musical Instrument Maker or Repairer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	1	6
	Company Secretary	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6
	Sail Maker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6
	Post Office Manager	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6
	Helicopter Pilot	.	1	1	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6
	Gallery or Museum Curator	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6
	Orthoptist	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6
	Fast Food Cook	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6
	Amusement Centre Manager	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6
	Radiocommunications Technician	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6
	Commodities Trader	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6
	Trust Officer	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	6
	Pressure Welder	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6
	Nuclear Medicine Technologist	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	6
	Aircraft Maintenance Engineer (Structures)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6
	Zookeeper	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6

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Report prepared: 5 December 2023

		Financial Year (Jul-Jun) Decided																	
		2013/14			2014/15			2015/16			2016/17			2017/18			2018/19		
		Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total
		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined	
Occupation Standard	Occupation																		
ANZSCO	Archaeologist	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	2	.	2	2	.	2	.	.	.
	Light Technician	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	1	2	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Nurse Educator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	2	.	2	.	.	.
	Not Stated/Not elsewhere classified	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Stationary Plant Operators nec	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2
	Flower Grower	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Hospitality Workers nec	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Saw Maker and Repairer	1	1	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Tow Truck Driver	1	1	2	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Paediatric Surgeon	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Goat Farmer	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Neurosurgeon	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1
	Mixed Crop and Livestock Farmer	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	.	.
	Travel Attendants nec	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Glass Production Machine Operator	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	3
	Dancer or Choreographer	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.
	Footballer	.	.	.	1	1	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Sculptor	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	1
	Builder's Labourer	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Concrete Products Machine Operator	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Drainage, Sewerage and Stormwater Labourer	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Production Assistant (Film, Television, Radio or Stage)	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Sales Representative (Personal and Household Goods)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	1
	Regional Education Manager	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Organisational Psychologist	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Alarm, Security or Surveillance Monitor	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	1
	Other Sales Support Worker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	4	.	.	.
	Radiation Oncologist	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	3	1	.	1
	Meat Boner and Slicer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Meat Process Worker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Teachers' Aide	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Engraver	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Canvas Goods Fabricator	1	1	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Unemployed	.	1	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Apparel Cutter	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Psychotherapist	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Book or Script Editor	1	1	2	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Precision Instrument Maker and Repairer	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Program Director (Television or Radio)	1	1	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Blacksmith	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Cardiothoracic Surgeon	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Art Director (Film, Television or Stage)	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Forestry Worker	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Rehabilitation Counsellor	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	1
	Clerical and Office Support Workers nec	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Broadcast Transmitter Operator	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Intellectual Property Lawyer	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1
	Music Professionals nec	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	2	.	2
	Detective	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	3
	Urologist	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Paving and Surfacing Labourer	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Transport Operations Inspector	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Slaughterer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Sales Representative (Building and Plumbing Supplies)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Medical Oncologist	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1
	Vehicle Trimmer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	1	2	.	.	.
	Bulk Materials Handling Plant Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Patents Examiner	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	3	.	3	.	.	.

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		Financial Year (Jul-Jun) Decided															Total
		2019/20			2020/21			2021/22			2022/23			2023/24			
		Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	
		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		
Occupation Standard	Occupation																
ANZSCO	Archaeologist	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6
	Light Technician	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	6
	Nurse Educator	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	6
	Not Stated/Not elsewhere classified	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	2	.	2	6
	Stationary Plant Operators nec	3	.	3	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6
	Flower Grower	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5
	Hospitality Workers nec	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5
	Saw Maker and Repairer	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5
	Tow Truck Driver	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5
	Paediatric Surgeon	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5
	Goat Farmer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5
	Neurosurgeon	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5
	Mixed Crop and Livestock Farmer	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5
	Travel Attendants nec	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5
	Glass Production Machine Operator	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5
	Dancer or Choreographer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	5
	Footballer	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5
	Sculptor	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5
	Builder’s Labourer	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5
	Concrete Products Machine Operator	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5
	Drainage, Sewerage and Stormwater Labourer	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	5
	Production Assistant (Film, Television, Radio or Stage)	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5
	Sales Representative (Personal and Household Goods)	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	5
	Regional Education Manager	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	5
	Organisational Psychologist	1	.	1	1	.	1	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	5
	Alarm, Security or Surveillance Monitor	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5
	Other Sales Support Worker	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	5
	Radiation Oncologist	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5
	Meat Boner and Slicer	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	5
	Meat Process Worker	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	5
	Teachers' Aide	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	3	.	3	5
	Engraver	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
	Canvas Goods Fabricator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
	Unemployed	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
	Apparel Cutter	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
	Psychotherapist	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
	Book or Script Editor	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
	Precision Instrument Maker and Repairer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
	Program Director (Television or Radio)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
	Blacksmith	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
	Cardiothoracic Surgeon	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
	Art Director (Film, Television or Stage)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
	Forestry Worker	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	4
	Rehabilitation Counsellor	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
	Clerical and Office Support Workers nec	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	4
	Broadcast Transmitter Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
	Intellectual Property Lawyer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	4
	Music Professionals nec	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
	Detective	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
	Urologist	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
	Paving and Surfacing Labourer	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
	Transport Operations Inspector	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
	Slaughterer	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	4
	Sales Representative (Building and Plumbing Supplies)	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
	Medical Oncologist	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
	Vehicle Trimmer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
	Bulk Materials Handling Plant Operator	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
	Patents Examiner	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4

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		Financial Year (Jul-Jun) Decided																	
		2013/14			2014/15			2015/16			2016/17			2017/18			2018/19		
		Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total
		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined	
Occupation Standard	Occupation																		
ANZSCO	Forklift Driver	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Photographer's Assistant	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	2	.	2	.	.	.
	Rheumatologist	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Despatching and Receiving Clerk	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Facilities Administrator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1
	Tyre Fitter	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Electrical or Telecommunications Trades Assistant	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Insurance Risk Surveyor	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Locksmith	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Fire Fighter	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Industrial Pharmacist	1	1	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Train Driver	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Gunsmith	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Community Arts Worker	1	.	1	.	1	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Defence Force Senior Officer	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Bed and Breakfast Operator	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Nutritionist	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Shoemaker	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Dog Handler or Trainer	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Miner	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Gallery or Museum Technician	.	.	.	1	.	1	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Barrister	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Shearer	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Commercial Cleaner	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Sawmilling Operator	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Potter or Ceramic Artist	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Jewellery Designer	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Factory Process Workers nec	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Stock Clerk	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Winery Cellar Hand	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Call or Contact Centre Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Picture Framer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Dental Prosthetist	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Paving Plant Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Home Improvement Installer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Grader Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1
	Deck Hand	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	1
	Artistic Director	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Glass Processing Worker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Clay, Concrete, Glass and Stone Processing Machine Operators nec	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Antique Dealer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1
	Structural Steel Erector	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Fruit and Vegetable Factory Worker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Motor Vehicle Parts and Accessories Fitter (General)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Stage Manager	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Conveyancer	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Art Teacher (Private Tuition)	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Thoracic Medicine Specialist	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Diver	.	1	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Retirement Village Manager	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Quarantine Officer	.	1	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Vascular Surgeon	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Medical Receptionist	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Communications Operator	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Funeral Director	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Make Up Artist	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Florist	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Nurse Researcher	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.

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		Financial Year (Jul-Jun) Decided															Total
		2019/20			2020/21			2021/22			2022/23			2023/24			
		Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	
		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		
Occupation Standard	Occupation																
ANZSCO	Forklift Driver	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
	Photographer's Assistant	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	4
	Rheumatologist	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
	Despatching and Receiving Clerk	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
	Facilities Administrator	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
	Tyre Fitter	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
	Electrical or Telecommunications Trades Assistant	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	4	.	.	.	4
	Insurance Risk Surveyor	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Locksmith	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Fire Fighter	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Industrial Pharmacist	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Train Driver	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Gunsmith	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Community Arts Worker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Defence Force Senior Officer	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Bed and Breakfast Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Nutritionist	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Shoemaker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	3
	Dog Handler or Trainer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Miner	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Gallery or Museum Technician	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Barrister	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Shearer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Commercial Cleaner	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Sawmilling Operator	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Potter or Ceramic Artist	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Jewellery Designer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Factory Process Workers nec	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Stock Clerk	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Winery Cellar Hand	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Call or Contact Centre Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	3
	Picture Framer	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Dental Prosthetist	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	3
	Paving Plant Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	3
	Home Improvement Installer	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Grader Operator	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Deck Hand	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Artistic Director	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Glass Processing Worker	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	3
	Clay, Concrete, Glass and Stone Processing Machine Operators nec	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Antique Dealer	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Structural Steel Erector	1	.	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	3
	Fruit and Vegetable Factory Worker	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Motor Vehicle Parts and Accessories Fitter (General)	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	3
	Stage Manager	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Conveyancer	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Art Teacher (Private Tuition)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Thoracic Medicine Specialist	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Diver	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Retirement Village Manager	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Quarantine Officer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Vascular Surgeon	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Medical Receptionist	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Communications Operator	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Funeral Director	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Make Up Artist	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Florist	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Nurse Researcher	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2

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		Financial Year (Jul-Jun) Decided																	
		2013/14			2014/15			2015/16			2016/17			2017/18			2018/19		
		Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total
		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined	
Occupation Standard	Occupation																		
ANZSCO	Optical Mechanic	-	.	.	-	.	.	2	.	2	-	.	.	-	.	.	.	.	.
	Sales Assistants and Salespersons nec	-	.	.	-	.	.	1	.	1	-	.	.	-	.	.	.	.	.
	Wool Classer	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	1	1	1	.	1	-	.	.	.	.	.
	Entertainer or Variety Artist	-	.	.	-	.	.	1	.	1	-	.	.	1	.	1	-	.	.
	Endocrinologist	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	1	1	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.
	Betting Agency Manager	-	.	.	-	.	.	1	1	2	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.
	Fitness Instructor	-	.	.	-	.	.	1	.	1	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.
	Cinema or Theatre Manager	-	.	.	-	.	.	1	.	1	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.
	Information Officer	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	1	.	1	-	.	.	1	.	1
	Railway Station Manager	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	1	1	-	.	.	1	.	1
	Motor Vehicle Licence Examiner	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	2	.	2	-	.	.	-	.	.
	Library Technician	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	1	.	1	-	.	.	1	.	1
	Business Broker	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	1	.	1	-	.	.	-	.	.
	Metallurgist	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	1	.	1	-	.	.	-	.	.
	Dental Assistant	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	1	.	1	-	.	.	-	.	.
	Metal Polisher	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	2	.	2	-	.	.	-	.	.
	Engineering Production Worker	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	1	.	1	-	.	.	1	.	1
	Automobile Drivers nec	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	2	.	2	-	.	.
	Cement Production Plant Operator	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	1	.	1	-	.	.
	Director of Photography	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	2	.	2	-	.	.
	Family and Marriage Counsellor	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	1	.	1	-	.	.
	Fruit or Nut Farm Worker	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	1	.	1
	Outdoor Adventure Instructor	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	2	.	2
	Naturopath	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	1	.	1
	Body Artist	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	1	.	1
	Cost Clerk	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	1	.	1
	Debt Collector	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.
	Livestock Farm Workers nec	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.
	Gaming Worker	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.
	Food Trades Assistants nec	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.
	Carpet Cleaner	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.
	Shelf Filler	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.
	Seafood Process Worker	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.
	Sewing Machinist	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.
	Local Government Legislator	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.
	Paper Products Machine Operator	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.
	Freight Handler (Rail or Road)	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.
	Kitchenhand	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.
	Building Insulation Installer	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.
	Botanist	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.
	Bicycle Mechanic	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.
	Mountain or Glacier Guide	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.
	Reinforced Plastic and Composite Production Worker	-	1	1	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.
	Vegetable Farm Worker (Aus) / Market Garden Worker (NZ)	-	1	1	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.
	Railway Track Worker	1	.	1	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.
	Watch and Clock Maker and Repairer	1	.	1	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.
	Railway Track Plant Operator	1	.	1	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.
	Mechanic's Assistant	-	1	1	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.
	Flight Attendant	-	1	1	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.
	Kaiako Kura Kaupapa Maori (Maori-medium Primary School Teacher)	1	.	1	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.
	Switchboard Operator	1	.	1	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.
	Plastics Production Machine Operator (General)	1	.	1	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.
	Engineering Patternmaker	-	.	.	1	.	1	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.
	Fisheries Officer	-	.	.	1	.	1	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.
	Tree Faller	-	.	.	1	.	1	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.
	Child or Youth Residential Care Assistant	-	.	.	-	1	1	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.
	Emergency Service Worker	-	.	.	1	.	1	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.
	Dog or Horse Racing Official	-	.	.	1	.	1	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	.

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		Financial Year (Jul-Jun) Decided															Total
		2019/20			2020/21			2021/22			2022/23			2023/24			
		Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	
		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		
Occupation Standard	Occupation																
ANZSCO	Optical Mechanic	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Sales Assistants and Salespersons nec	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	2
	Wool Classer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Entertainer or Variety Artist	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Endocrinologist	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Betting Agency Manager	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Fitness Instructor	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Cinema or Theatre Manager	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Information Officer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Railway Station Manager	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Motor Vehicle Licence Examiner	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Library Technician	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Business Broker	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Metallurgist	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Dental Assistant	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Metal Polisher	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Engineering Production Worker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Automobile Drivers nec	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Cement Production Plant Operator	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Director of Photography	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Family and Marriage Counsellor	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	2
	Fruit or Nut Farm Worker	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Outdoor Adventure Instructor	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Naturopath	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Body Artist	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Cost Clerk	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Debt Collector	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Livestock Farm Workers nec	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Gaming Worker	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Food Trades Assistants nec	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	2
	Carpet Cleaner	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Shelf Filler	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Seafood Process Worker	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Sewing Machinist	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Local Government Legislator	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	2
	Paper Products Machine Operator	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	2
	Freight Handler (Rail or Road)	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	2
	Kitchenhand	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Building Insulation Installer	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Botanist	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Bicycle Mechanic	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	2
	Mountain or Glacier Guide	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	2
	Reinforced Plastic and Composite Production Worker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Vegetable Farm Worker (Aus) / Market Garden Worker (NZ)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Railway Track Worker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Watch and Clock Maker and Repairer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Railway Track Plant Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Mechanic's Assistant	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Flight Attendant	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Kaiako Kura Kaupapa Maori (Maori-medium Primary School Teacher)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Switchboard Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Plastics Production Machine Operator (General)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Engineering Patternmaker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Fisheries Officer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Tree Faller	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Child or Youth Residential Care Assistant	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Emergency Service Worker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Dog or Horse Racing Official	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1

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		Financial Year (Jul-Jun) Decided																	
		2013/14			2014/15			2015/16			2016/17			2017/18			2018/19		
		Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total
		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined	
Occupation Standard	Occupation																		
ANZSCO	Train Examiner	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Turf Grower	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Sugar Mill Worker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Bookmaker	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Author	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Railway Signal Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Singer	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Loader Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Nursing Clinical Director	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Deer Farmer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Product Examiner	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Poultry Farm Worker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Road Roller Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Hide and Skin Processing Worker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Linemarker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Truck Driver's Offsider	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Actors, Dancers and Other Entertainers nec	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Weaving Machine Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Sheep Farmer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.
	Boarding Kennel or Cattery Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.
	Drama Teacher (Private Tuition)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Security Officer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Packers nec	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Funeral Workers nec	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Mixed Crop and Livestock Farm Worker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Stock and Station Agent	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Electroplater	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Commissioned Fire Officer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.
	Chemical Production Machine Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Horse Riding Coach or Instructor	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Shipwright	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
	Door-to-door Salesperson	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1
	Handyperson	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1
	Checkout Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Pest Controller	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Car Detailer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Hotel or Motel Receptionist	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Autoglazier	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Sawmill or Timber Yard Worker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Crossing Supervisor	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Waiter	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Personal Service Workers nec	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Rubber Production Machine Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Concrete Batching Plant Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Delivery Driver	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Radio Despatcher	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Composer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Aquaculture Worker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Real Estate Agency Principal (Aus) / Real Estate Agency Licensee (NZ)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Tribunal Member	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Mine Deputy	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Admissions Clerk	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Court Bailiff or Sheriff (Aus) / Court Collections Officer (NZ)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Golfer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Bus Driver	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Ticket Seller	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Doorperson or Luggage Porter	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Homoeopath	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.

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		Financial Year (Jul-Jun) Decided															Total
		2019/20			2020/21			2021/22			2022/23			2023/24			
		Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	
		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		
Occupation Standard	Occupation																
ANZSCO	Train Examiner	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Turf Grower	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Sugar Mill Worker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Bookmaker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Author	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Railway Signal Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Singer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Loader Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Nursing Clinical Director	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Deer Farmer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Product Examiner	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Poultry Farm Worker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Road Roller Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Hide and Skin Processing Worker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Linemarker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Truck Driver’s Offsider	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Actors, Dancers and Other Entertainers nec	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Weaving Machine Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Sheep Farmer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Boarding Kennel or Cattery Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Drama Teacher (Private Tuition)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Security Officer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Packers nec	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Funeral Workers nec	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Mixed Crop and Livestock Farm Worker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Stock and Station Agent	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Electroplater	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Commissioned Fire Officer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Chemical Production Machine Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Horse Riding Coach or Instructor	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Shipwright	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Door-to-door Salesperson	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Handyperson	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Checkout Operator	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Pest Controller	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Car Detailer	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Hotel or Motel Receptionist	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Autoglazier	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Sawmill or Timber Yard Worker	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Crossing Supervisor	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Waiter	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Personal Service Workers nec	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Rubber Production Machine Operator	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Concrete Batching Plant Operator	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Delivery Driver	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Radio Despatcher	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Composer	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Aquaculture Worker	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Real Estate Agency Principal (Aus) / Real Estate Agency Licensee (NZ)	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Tribunal Member	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Mine Deputy	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Admissions Clerk	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Court Bailiff or Sheriff (Aus) / Court Collections Officer (NZ)	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Golfer	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Bus Driver	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Ticket Seller	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Doorperson or Luggage Porter	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Homoeopath	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1

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# Recorded Occupations of Resident Visa principal applicants, by occupation standard and year of application decision

Data for period: Date of decision between 1 July 2013 and 30 November 2023

Report prepared: 5 December 2023

		Financial Year (Jul-Jun) Decided																	
		2013/14			2014/15			2015/16			2016/17			2017/18			2018/19		
		Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total
		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined	
Occupation Standard	Occupation																		
ANZSCO	Food and Drink Factory Workers nec	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Dairy Products Maker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Master Fisher	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Poultry Process Worker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Security Officers and Guards nec	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Product Assembler	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Noxious Weeds and Pest Inspector	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Earthmoving Labourer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Cement and Concrete Plant Worker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Telemarketer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Logging Plant Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Hunting Guide	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Textile Dyeing and Finishing Machine Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Window Cleaner	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Total	10,841	2,103	12,944	11,316	2,122	13,438	13,924	1,807	15,731	12,883	1,745	14,628	9,331	1,220	10,551	7,727	458	8,185
N/A	Occupation																		
	(not recorded)	81	141	222	59	110	169	45	73	118	234	51	285	161	60	221	148	74	222
	Total	81	141	222	59	110	169	45	73	118	234	51	285	161	60	221	148	74	222
NZSCO	Occupation																		
	Not Stated	2	443	445	2	362	364	5	317	322	43	635	678	12	427	439	.	46	46
	University Lecturer	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Computer Applications Engineer	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Sales and/or Marketing Manager	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Chief Executive Officer	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	IT Manager	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Total	2	447	449	3	362	365	6	317	323	43	635	678	12	427	439	.	46	46
Total		10,924	2,691	13,615	11,378	2,594	13,972	13,975	2,197	16,172	13,160	2,431	15,591	9,504	1,707	11,211	7,875	578	8,453

		Financial Year (Jul-Jun) Decided															Total	
		2019/20			2020/21			2021/22			2022/23			2023/24				
		Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total		
		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined			
Occupation Standard	Occupation																	
ANZSCO	Food and Drink Factory Workers nec	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	
	Dairy Products Maker	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	
	Master Fisher	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	
	Poultry Process Worker	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	
	Security Officers and Guards nec	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	
	Product Assembler	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	
	Noxious Weeds and Pest Inspector	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	
	Earthmoving Labourer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	
	Cement and Concrete Plant Worker	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	
	Telemarketer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	
	Logging Plant Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	
	Hunting Guide	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	
	Textile Dyeing and Finishing Machine Operator	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	
	Window Cleaner	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	
	Total		6,960	389	7,349	8,688	646	9,334	2,145	130	2,275	2,575	222	2,797	2,414	87	2,501	99,733
N/A	Occupation																	
	(not recorded)		125	97	222	63	63	126	45	198	243	96	284	380	40	84	124	2,332
	Total		125	97	222	63	63	126	45	198	243	96	284	380	40	84	124	2,332
NZSCO	Occupation																	
	Not Stated		.	24	24	.	4	4	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	2,323	
	University Lecturer		.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	
	Computer Applications Engineer		.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	
	Sales and/or Marketing Manager		.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	
	Chief Executive Officer		.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	
	IT Manager		.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	
	Total		.	24	24	.	4	4	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	2,329	
Total			7,085	510	7,595	8,751	713	9,464	2,190	329	2,519	2,671	506	3,177	2,454	171	2,625	104,394

	Financial Year (Jul-Jun) Decided																				
	2013/14			2014/15			2015/16			2016/17			2017/18			2018/19			2019/20		
	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total	Decision Type		Total
	Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined	
Region																					
(unknown)	1,085	1,737	2,822	1,173	1,635	2,808	1,931	1,505	3,436	1,813	1,682	3,495	1,538	1,231	2,769	1,211	385	1,596	1,016	371	1,387
Auckland	4,642	737	5,379	4,976	736	5,712	5,792	482	6,274	5,393	484	5,877	2,917	260	3,177	2,640	91	2,731	2,386	63	2,449
Bay Of Plenty	423	12	435	486	8	494	602	14	616	546	12	558	378	22	400	301	7	308	271	2	273
Canterbury	1,704	94	1,798	1,627	111	1,738	1,915	70	1,985	1,931	103	2,034	1,258	59	1,317	844	23	867	823	25	848
Central Plateau	50	.	50	43	1	44	29	1	30	27	2	29	10	1	11	13	.	13	12	.	12
Coromandel	24	.	24	19	1	20	27	.	27	34	1	35	40	1	41	19	1	20	18	.	18
East Coast	18	1	19	24	.	24	36	4	40	28	3	31	22	4	26	20	.	20	28	.	28
Fiordland	1	2	3	5	1	6	2	.	2	8	.	8	4	.	4	4	.	4	.	.	.
Hawkes Bay	144	5	149	157	4	161	243	7	250	162	6	168	165	10	175	136	4	140	141	2	143
Manawatu	161	4	165	136	1	137	166	6	172	161	5	166	156	6	162	115	4	119	125	3	128
Marlborough	75	1	76	56	3	59	61	2	63	59	4	63	41	2	43	46	.	46	53	2	55
Nelson	93	8	101	64	4	68	104	5	109	99	7	106	91	4	95	87	4	91	66	1	67
Northland	157	8	165	180	14	194	209	5	214	221	6	227	207	9	216	166	7	173	123	5	128
Otago	409	25	434	346	16	362	405	13	418	430	25	455	336	12	348	264	6	270	293	2	295
Southland	140	10	150	136	6	142	159	10	169	171	12	183	162	13	175	149	3	152	174	3	177
Stewart Island	2	.	2	.	.	.	2	.	2	3	.	3	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
Taranaki	178	7	185	164	1	165	182	7	189	134	5	139	108	2	110	79	3	82	79	1	80
Waikato	447	21	468	503	15	518	600	18	618	562	16	578	735	30	765	628	11	639	538	8	546
Wairarapa	19	1	20	21	.	21	24	2	26	22	1	23	10	1	11	12	.	12	11	.	11
Wanganui	44	1	45	35	2	37	59	3	62	49	2	51	49	2	51	41	1	42	27	1	28
Wellington	1,057	16	1,073	1,170	33	1,203	1,377	42	1,419	1,252	50	1,302	1,230	36	1,266	1,075	28	1,103	868	20	888
West Coast	51	1	52	57	2	59	50	1	51	55	5	60	45	2	47	25	.	25	33	1	34
Whanganui	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Total	10,924	2,691	13,615	11,378	2,594	13,972	13,975	2,197	16,172	13,160	2,431	15,591	9,504	1,707	11,211	7,875	578	8,453	7,085	510	7,595

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	Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		
Region													
(unknown)	926	480	1,406	206	302	508	283	429	712	386	141	527	21,466
Auckland	3,170	98	3,268	1,000	14	1,014	816	41	857	550	7	557	37,295
Bay Of Plenty	379	15	394	67	1	68	151	2	153	160	3	163	3,862
Canterbury	1,008	32	1,040	183	2	185	290	9	299	275	4	279	12,390
Central Plateau	4	1	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	194
Coromandel	36	1	37	9	.	9	.	.	.	3	.	3	234
East Coast	36	.	36	6	.	6	11	.	11	10	.	10	251
Fiordland	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	30
Hawkes Bay	158	7	165	29	.	29	58	1	59	49	.	49	1,488
Manawatu	136	5	141	28	.	28	48	2	50	61	.	61	1,329
Marlborough	51	2	53	11	1	12	9	.	9	16	.	16	495
Nelson	84	1	85	20	.	20	26	.	26	33	1	34	802
Northland	195	7	202	27	.	27	46	1	47	53	2	55	1,648
Otago	304	8	312	79	1	80	113	2	115	110	3	113	3,202
Southland	193	5	198	36	.	36	66	2	68	64	1	65	1,515
Stewart Island	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	10
Taranaki	93	2	95	26	.	26	32	.	32	34	1	35	1,138
Waikato	773	26	799	142	3	145	289	8	297	262	3	265	5,638
Wairarapa	9	.	9	3	.	3	2	.	2	.	.	.	138
Wanganui	10	1	11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	327
Wellington	1,131	20	1,151	311	4	315	418	9	427	378	4	382	10,529
West Coast	27	1	28	5	1	6	10	.	10	8	1	9	381
Whanganui	25	.	25	2	.	2	3	.	3	2	.	2	32
Total	8,751	713	9,464	2,190	329	2,519	2,671	506	3,177	2,454	171	2,625	104,394



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	2013/14			2014/15			2015/16			2016/17			2017/18			2018/19			2019/20		
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	Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined		Approved	Declined	
Region																					
Auckland	4,642	737	5,379	4,976	736	5,712	5,792	482	6,274	5,393	484	5,877	2,917	260	3,177	2,640	91	2,731	2,386	63	2,449
(unknown)	1,085	1,737	2,822	1,173	1,635	2,808	1,931	1,505	3,436	1,813	1,682	3,495	1,538	1,231	2,769	1,211	385	1,596	1,016	371	1,387
Canterbury	1,704	94	1,798	1,627	111	1,738	1,915	70	1,985	1,931	103	2,034	1,258	59	1,317	844	23	867	823	25	848
Wellington	1,057	16	1,073	1,170	33	1,203	1,377	42	1,419	1,252	50	1,302	1,230	36	1,266	1,075	28	1,103	868	20	888
Waikato	447	21	468	503	15	518	600	18	618	562	16	578	735	30	765	628	11	639	538	8	546
Bay Of Plenty	423	12	435	486	8	494	602	14	616	546	12	558	378	22	400	301	7	308	271	2	273
Otago	409	25	434	346	16	362	405	13	418	430	25	455	336	12	348	264	6	270	293	2	295
Northland	157	8	165	180	14	194	209	5	214	221	6	227	207	9	216	166	7	173	123	5	128
Southland	140	10	150	136	6	142	159	10	169	171	12	183	162	13	175	149	3	152	174	3	177
Hawkes Bay	144	5	149	157	4	161	243	7	250	162	6	168	165	10	175	136	4	140	141	2	143
Manawatu	161	4	165	136	1	137	166	6	172	161	5	166	156	6	162	115	4	119	125	3	128
Taranaki	178	7	185	164	1	165	182	7	189	134	5	139	108	2	110	79	3	82	79	1	80
Nelson	93	8	101	64	4	68	104	5	109	99	7	106	91	4	95	87	4	91	66	1	67
Marlborough	75	1	76	56	3	59	61	2	63	59	4	63	41	2	43	46	.	46	53	2	55
West Coast	51	1	52	57	2	59	50	1	51	55	5	60	45	2	47	25	.	25	33	1	34
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East Coast	18	1	19	24	.	24	36	4	40	28	3	31	22	4	26	20	.	20	28	.	28
Coromandel	24	.	24	19	1	20	27	.	27	34	1	35	40	1	41	19	1	20	18	.	18
Central Plateau	50	.	50	43	1	44	29	1	30	27	2	29	10	1	11	13	.	13	12	.	12
Wairarapa	19	1	20	21	.	21	24	2	26	22	1	23	10	1	11	12	.	12	11	.	11
Whanganui	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Fiordland	1	2	3	5	1	6	2	.	2	8	.	8	4	.	4	4	.	4	.	.	.
Stewart Island	2	.	2	.	.	.	2	.	2	3	.	3	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
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