

Detailed Analysis of the Approved LIFA Applications

- Breakdown by applicants' gender

Gender	Number of approved applications
Male	397
Female	65
Total	462

- Breakdown by applicants' age

Age	Number of approved applications
Under 25	2
25-30	37
31-35	59
36-40	100
41-45	109
46-50	67
51-55	61
56-60	17
61-65	8
Over 65	2
Total	462

- Breakdown by number of family members

Family size	Number of approved applications
4 persons	375
5 persons	76
6 or more persons	11
Total	462

- Breakdown by residential address

Districts	Number of approved applications
Kwun Tong	60
Kwai Tsing	52
Yuen Long	51
Tuen Mun	43
Sha Tin	38
Sham Shui Po	35
Wong Tai Sin	29
Sai Kung	26
North	25
Eastern	20
Tsuen Wan	20
Kowloon City	17
Islands	13
Tai Po	9
Yau Tsim Mong	9
Southern	8
Central and Western	5
Wan Chai	2
Total	462

- Breakdown by occupation

Occupation	Number of approved applications
Elementary occupations	143
Service and sales workers	106
Craft and related workers	75
Associate professionals	49
Clerical support workers	42
Plant and machine operators and assemblers	4
Professionals	4
Others	39
Total	462

- Breakdown by pattern of work

Number of jobs	Number of approved applications
One job	310
More than one job	152
Total	462

Nature of job	Number of approved applications
Employed	435
Self-employed	14
Both employed and self-employed	13
Total	462

- Breakdown by level of monthly family income

Monthly family income	Number of approved applications
Not higher than 50% of the Median Monthly Domestic Household Income	392
Exceeding 50% but not higher than 60% of the Median Monthly Domestic Household Income	70
Total	462

- Breakdown on the amount of LIFA approved

Amount of allowance approved	Full-rate (\$)	Half-rate (\$)	Total (\$)
Basic Allowance	84,600	12,300	96,900
Higher Allowance	2,108,000	177,000	2,285,000
Child Allowance	3,636,800	352,400	3,989,200
Total	5,829,400	541,700	6,371,100