

**Breakdowns of REA placements by age, industry
and occupation of participants
from 15 July 2024 to 30 November 2024**

(i) By age

Age	REA Placement
40-44	1 606
45-49	1 493
50-54	1 585
55-59	1 396
60-64	1 282
65 or above	669
Total	8 031

(ii) By industry

Industry	REA Placement
Real estate & business services	2 491
Community, social & personal services	2 129
Manufacturing	191
Wholesale & retail	766
Import & export trades	185
Restaurants & hotels	1 092
Construction	552
Transport, storage & communications	446
Others	179
Total	8 031

(iii) By occupation

Occupation	REA Placement
Craft & related workers	262
Clerical support workers	1 271
Services workers	1 903
Elementary occupations	2 517
Shop sales workers	471
Professionals & associate professionals	624
Managers & administrators	531
Agricultural & fishery workers,	22
Plant & machine operators & assemblers	430
Total	8 031

Note: As placements under the REA Scheme and eligible placements under EPEM have different statistical parameters, it is inappropriate to compare them directly.