

**Breakdown of applications received and approved
by industry of the employers involved**

Industry of employers involved	Number of applications received*	Percentage	Number of applications approved	Percentage
Arts, entertainment and recreation	267	1.3%	196	1.3%
Catering	2 082	10.0%	1 510	9.7%
Construction	2 641	12.7%	1 897	12.2%
Education Services	440	2.1%	287	1.9%
Finance	283	1.4%	237	1.5%
Health care services	391	1.9%	314	2.0%
Hotels and accommodation	397	1.9%	294	1.9%
Import and export trades	1 193	5.7%	946	6.1%
Information and communications	561	2.7%	419	2.7%
Insurance	44	0.2%	36	0.2%
Manufacturing	841	4.0%	642	4.1%
Professional services, administrative and other business support services	1 242	6.0%	929	6.0%
Real estate	659	3.2%	507	3.3%
Retail	1 751	8.4%	1 359	8.8%
Social work activities	354	1.7%	298	1.9%
Storage	162	0.8%	122	0.8%
Transportation, postal and courier services	996	4.8%	684	4.4%
Wholesale	268	1.3%	173	1.1%

Work activities within domestic households	1	0.01%	0	0.0%
Other personal services	134	0.6%	88	0.6%
Others	6 041	29.1%	4 566	29.5%
Not specified by employer	42	0.2%	0	0.0%
Total	20 790	100%	15 504	100%

Note: Individual percentages may not add up to the total owing to rounding.

* Applications are made on employee basis. Therefore, the number of applications equals to the number of employees involved.