

**PRE-RELEASE ACCESS TO THE IMMIGRATION STATISTICS, YEAR ENDING MARCH 2018 RELEASE PUBLISHED ON 24 MAY 2018**

**COLLEAGUES GIVEN ACCESS TO EARLY DRAFTS WITH PROVISIONAL DATA FOR QUALITY ASSURANCE PURPOSES**

In addition to staff in the Home Office and the Office for National Statistics responsible for production of the statistics, the following staff also have access to pre-release figures for quality assurance purposes.

- Asylum:  
Home Office, Performance Reporting and Analysis Unit: G7x2, SEO, HEO;
- Returns (including port refusals):  
Home Office, Performance Reporting and Analysis Unit: G6, G7, 2xSEO, 2xHEO; 1xEO;
- Detention:  
Home Office, Performance Reporting and Analysis Unit: G7, HEO; Home Office, Detainee Escorting and Population Management Unit: EO;  
Home Office, Family Returns Unit: HEO;
- Citizenship:  
Home Office, Performance Reporting & Analysis Unit: HEO;
- Entry Clearance Visas:  
Home Office, Performance Reporting and Analysis Unit (Visa Statistics)/Corporate Services: SEO, G7;  
Home Office, Policing Data Collection Section: AO;
- CoS/CAS:  
Home Office, Sponsorship Analysis Team: HEO;  
Home Office, Sponsorship Analysis Team: EO;
- Work, Study, Family:  
Office for National Statistics Migration Statistics Unit: G7, SRO x2;  
Home Office, United Kingdom Visas and Immigration, European Casework: SEO;

## **COLLEAGUES GIVEN ACCESS TO FINALISED PUBLICATIONS, EMBARGOED, FOR INFORMATION (24 HOURS IN ADVANCE OF PUBLICATION)**

In addition to staff responsible for the production of the statistics, the following people had access to pre-release figures to allow Ministers of departments along with their officials to be able to respond completely when questions arise at the time of release.

### **Home Office**

- Home Secretary, PS (Deputy) to the Home Secretary;
- Minister of State for Security and Immigration, PS and Deputy PS to the Minister;
- Permanent Secretary, PS to the Permanent Secretary;
- Second Permanent Secretary, PS to Second Permanent Secretary;
- Director of Private Offices;
- Briefing Official; G5 x1, G6 x 1;
- Director for Border Force Director General;
- Director of Compliance and Returns;
- Head of Migration Policy;
- Special Advisors x3;
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- Press Office, Immigration Desk x2; G7, IO

### **Number 10**

- Prime Minister;
- Private Secretary to the PM on Home Affairs and Justice;
- Principal Private Secretary;
- Chief of Staff;
- Deputy Chief of Staff;

### **Cabinet Office**

- Economic and Domestic Affairs Secretariat, Policy Advisor;