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Mid –year update to the immigration SA occupation list

Immigration SA has conducted a mid-year review of its occupation lists - the State Nominated Occupation List (SNOL) and the Supplementary Skilled List (SSL). Changes will take effect on the afternoon of 11 February 2019.

Occupations added to the SNOL for the remainder of the 2018-19 program year

ANZSCO	Occupation		Skills Assessment Authority
323299	Metal Fitters and Machinists nec	Competent English	TRA
323313	Locksmith	Competent English	TRA
351211	Butcher or Smallgoods Maker	Competent English	TRA

The remaining changes mostly reflect the reintroduction of selected occupations that had reached the special conditions status (on the SNOL) or which were no longer available to offshore applicants (on the SSL).

Only limited places have been made available across these occupations, with the additional places made possible due to the level of refusals in earlier applications that did not meet Immigration SA's stated requirements or Department of Home Affairs minimum requirements.

Occupations on the SNOL with "Special conditions" status to be removed

(and therefore accessible to more offshore applicants).

ANZSCO	Occupation	Any other changes to existing requirements?
149212	Customer Service Manager	No
234112	Agricultural Scientist	No
252711	Audiologist	No
254415	Registered Nurse (Critical Care and Emergency)	No
254418	Registered Nurse (Medical)	No
254424	Registered Nurse (Surgical)	No
254425	Registered Nurse (Paediatrics)	No
312311	Electrical Engineering Draftsperson	No
312312	Electrical Engineering Technician	No
323214	Metal Machinist (First Class)	No
411713	Family Support Worker	No
612115	Real Estate Representative	Yes – increase in English requirement to "Proficient Plus English (or Superior overall)".

Please note that many of these occupations will be reinstated at "Low Availability" due to the small number of places available.

Occupations on the SSL with the restriction on offshore applicants lifted

(i.e. High Points and Chain Migration pathways available again):

ANZSCO	Occupation	Any other changes to existing requirements?
132211	Finance Manager	No
241213	Primary School Teacher	Yes – see below under "Other changes"
511112	Program or Project Administrator	No

English level changes

ANZSCO	Occupation	SA List	Reduced/ Increased	New English requirement (Minimum)
ANZSCO 121 grouping	All Farm Manager/ Grower occupations*	SNOL & SSL	Reduced	Competent English
224112	Mathematician	SNOL	Reduced	Competent Plus English (or Proficient overall)
612115	Real Estate Representative	SNOL	Increased	Proficient Plus English (or Superior overall)

* Immigration SA does not offer nomination for the occupations of Cotton Grower and Sugar Cane Grower on either the SNOL or SSL.

Visa subclass availability (please note this change is effective immediately)

Early Childhood (Pre- Primary School) Teacher	SNOL	
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241213	Primary School Teacher	SSL	Introduction of requirement: "Offshore applicants Provisional 489 visa only" (previously the 489 or 190 visa was available)
241311	Middle School Teacher	SSL	
241411	Secondary School Teacher	SSL	

Other Changes

ANZSCO	Occupation(s)	SA List	Change
391111	Hairdresser	SNOL	Removal of the requirement that if qualification was obtained in Australia, this must have been achieved in South Australia.