



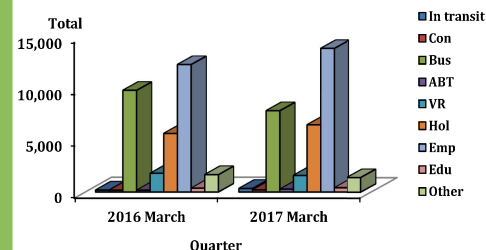
MARCH QUARTER 2017

INTERNATIONAL ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES

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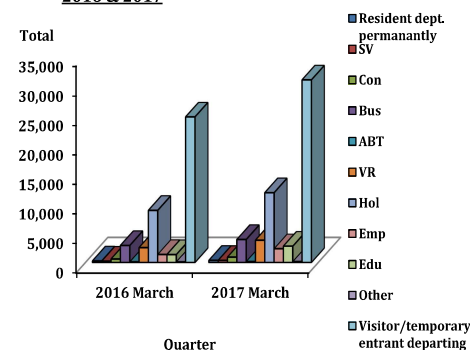
**Arrivals of visitors by Reasons for Visit, March
Quarter 2016 & 2017**



**Arrivals of visitors by Reasons for Visit, March
Quarter 2016 & 2017**

Reason for visit	Quarter ended - March	
	2016	2017
In transit	117	321
Convention	167	189
Business	9,818	7,870
Accompanying Business	167	267
Traveler	1,752	1,558
Visiting Relative	5,696	6,522
Holiday	12,288	13,834
Employment	358	396
Education	1,626	1,402
Other		

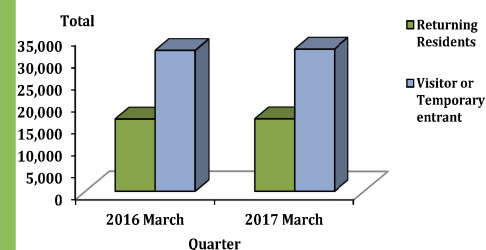
**Departures by purpose of journey, March Quarter
2016 & 2017**



**Departures by purpose of journey, March
Quarter 2016 & 2017**

Reason for departing	Quarter ended - March	
	2016	2017
Resident dept. permanently	252	340
Student Vacation	203	331
Convention	566	878
Business	2,836	3,836
Accompanying business	97	147
traveler	2,478	3,726
Visit relatives	8,802	11,766
Holiday	1,336	2,298
Employment	1,311	2,718
Education	99	148
Other		
Visitor/temporary entrant departing	24,642	30,889

**Arrivals by Purpose of Journey, March Quarter
2016 & 2017**



**Arrivals by Purpose of Journey, March
Quarter 2016 & 2017**

Period	Visitor or	
	Returning Residents	Temporary entrant
Quarter ended -		
2016 March	16,519	32,049
June	15,398	33,026
September	14,297	32,718
December	18,489	36,901
2017 March	16,560	32,359

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Table 15. Departures of Visitors by Length of Stay and Country of Residence, March Quarter 2017

Country of Residence	Total	Length of Stay						Not Stated
		1 - 3 days	4 - 7 days	8 - 14 days	15 - 28 days	29 days - 3 months	Over 3 months	
Papua New Guinea	124	1	1	2	-	4	-	116
Australia	17,492	1,992	4,441	3,427	4,549	2,715	368	-
New Zealand	1,276	132	263	209	381	256	35	-
Other Oceania	918	123	241	118	127	218	91	-
China	2,301	83	219	109	135	543	1,212	-
Japan	875	100	443	186	55	54	37	-
Korea	242	25	83	33	18	58	25	-
Hong Kong	248	56	54	38	31	33	36	-
Malaysia	1,052	70	145	122	97	236	382	-
Singapore	358	97	132	56	23	39	11	-
Philippines	1,748	130	260	126	328	473	431	-
Indian sub-continent	408	42	64	52	42	122	86	-
Other Asia	679	70	154	56	132	152	115	-
United Kingdom	506	84	114	94	91	99	24	-
Germany	188	26	32	36	44	43	7	-
France	158	15	33	21	37	43	9	-
Other EEC	66	8	10	14	12	13	9	-
Other Europe	250	28	43	45	51	56	27	-
USA	1,301	76	330	228	282	257	128	-
Canada	259	14	32	24	79	77	33	-
Other America	74	16	11	15	6	19	7	-
Africa	124	9	20	10	23	48	14	-
Russia	116	9	25	19	10	40	13	-
Italy	67	4	12	12	13	11	15	-
Scandinavia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chile	20	2	4	2	2	6	4	-
Israel	39	1	11	12	7	6	2	-
Not Stated	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	30,889	3,213	7,177	5,066	6,575	5,621	3,121	116

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EXPLANATORY NOTES

1. The statistics in this bulletin are compiled from data on persons entering or leaving Papua New Guinea (PNG) which are recorded on Arrival and Departure Cards in accordance with the requirements of the Migration Act 1978. The Migration and Citizenship Division of the Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade administers these regulations. Excluded from the statistics are members of armed forces of overseas countries, with an exception of members of Australian Armed Forces seconded for service with the PNG Defense Force. Traditional border crossers between PNG and other neighboring countries and refugees do not fill out Arrival and Departure Cards and are of course excluded.
2. The Arrival and Departure Cards are completed by travellers according to the purpose of their journey as classified on the cards. Personal details such as nationality, occupation, date of birth and so forth are recorded.
3. In recent years the Immigration and Citizenship Service Authority has made a number of changes, both to the design and in the procedures for handling of the arrival and departure cards. Although some of these changes have been made for the purpose of improving the statistical information, they have unfortunately resulted in several breaks in the comparability of the statistical series. This is particularly so in respect to the classification of purpose of journey and in the recording of place of residence. The changes made before 1980 and their likely effects on the statistics, have been described in the 1980 and earlier issues of the quarterly International Migration Bulletin.
4. In 1978, the United Nations (UN) published Provisional Guidelines on Statistics of International Tourism and in 1980 it published its recommendation on Statistics of International Migration. These were produced in order to improve the comparability of statistics on these topics compiled by member countries. However, the UN recognizes that national requirements must have precedence over the requirements of international comparability. In PNG's case, the Arrival and Departure Cards have been designed to collect minimum amount of data required and in a simple manner. This does not fully permit the compilation of international statistical reports in accordance with the UN recommendations.
5. The March quarter 1981 issue of the International Migration bulletin was restructured and renamed International Arrivals and Departures. This was done partly in view of the changes made to the cards in October 1980, and partly also in order to enable users to locate more readily the information they require. To the extent possible, the UN recommendations have also been taken into account. For example, persons arriving in PNG are no longer classified as either residents or visitors – it is recognized that it is not feasible or necessary to define the residence of every person arriving in the country. Rather, persons arriving are classified into two categories depending on the main purpose of their journey. Each of these categories is then examined in turn and relevant tables are presented for each.
6. In this bulletin four countries with overseas Addresses and Nationalities have been separated starting with the 2007 figures. They are Russia, and Israel was formerly in Other Asia region, while Italy and Scandinavia were in Other Europe, and Chile in Other America, Scandinavia represents the following countries, Norway, Sweden, Denmark and Finland.

Abbreviations used

Con	Convention
Bus	Business
ABT	Accompanying Business Traveler
VR	Visiting Relatives
Hol	Holiday
Emp	Employment
Edu	Education
SV	Student Vacation

Table 14b. Departures by Purpose of Journey, March Quarter 2017

		Purpose of Journey						
		Resident departing temporarily						
		Total	Visit Relatives	Holiday	Employment	Education	Other	Temporary Entrant Departing
Period								
Year ended 31 December -								
	2012	179,250	11,484	40,226	10,327	3,913	1,701	111,599
	2013	200,776	12,560	41,011	12,721	4,733	3,157	126,594
	2014	210,488	13,133	40,969	8,450	6,226	36	141,674
	2015	136,932	8,368	27,099	5,150	4,580	742	90,993
	2016	180,225	12,207	41,337	6,133	5,067	349	115,132
Quarter ended -								
2016	March	38,668	2,478	8,802	1,336	1,311	99	24,642
	June	35,108	2,399	7,218	1,123	874	43	23,451
	September	52,446	3,784	15,213	1,943	1,093	154	30,259
	December	58,968	3,784	15,213	1,943	1,093	154	36,781
2017	March	51,545	3,726	11,766	2,298	2,718	148	30,889
Month of -								
2016	January	8,714	473	1,990	284	674	0	5,293
	February	13,358	910	2,852	443	394	51	8,708
	March	16,596	1,095	3,960	609	243	48	10,641
2017	January	23,947	1,882	6,045	1219	2013	48	12,740
	February	11,854	862	2,179	453	439	23	7,898
	March	15,744	982	3,542	626	266	77	10,251

Table 14a. Departures by Purpose of Journey, March Quarter 2017

		Total	Purpose of Journey				Accompany Business Traveller
			Resident departing temporarily				
			Resident Departing Permanently	Student Vacation	Convention	Business	
Period							
Year ended 31 December -							
	2012	21,648	2,166	16	3,966	14,817	683
	2013	25,021	4,078	13	4,352	15,905	673
	2014	26,284	2,765	1,418	5,388	16,109	604
	2015	17,155	1,094	748	3,972	11,565	376
	2016	19,628	1,362	951	3,772	13,037	506
Quarter ended -							
2016	March	3,954	252	203	566	2,836	97
	June	4,322	314	217	962	2,741	88
	September	6,119	431	321	1,037	4,181	149
	December	6,289	431	321	1,207	4,181	149
2017	March	5,532	340	331	878	3,836	147
Month of -							
2016	January	648	34	83	93	421	17
	February	1,641	99	64	221	1,224	33
	March	1,665	119	56	252	1,191	47
2017	January	1,911	122	154	288	1,271	76
	February	1,474	90	83	206	1,066	29
	March	2,147	128	94	384	1,499	42

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In the March quarter of 2017 saw a minimal increase in the arrivals compared to the same quarter of 2016. A total of 48,919 persons arrived in Papua New Guinea compared to 48,568 in March quarter of 2016. Departures also increased in the March quarter of 2017. There was a 32.9 percent increase from the March quarter of 2016.

The March quarter "visitors" arrivals of 2017 were 32,359 which indicates, 0.9 percent increase compared to March quarter of 2016 which recorded 32,049 persons. Out of this total 13,834 came for employment, 7,870 came for business, 6,522 came for holiday, and 4,133 came for other purposes.

Australia top the list with highest number of visitors in March quarter of 2017 with 15,697, followed by the Philippines with 3,663, China with 1,948, Other Oceania 1,376 and USA 1,309, and New Zealand 1,173 respectively, while all the other countries recorded below 1,000 visitors.

Port Moresby remains the major port of arrivals (by air) for both 2016 and 2017 March quarters with 47,095 and 48,151 respectively. Arrivals through other ports were significantly less or no arrivals at all.

Finally visitors working in Professional, Technical levels accounted for 35.7 percent and 37.3 percent respectively for 2017 and 2016 quarters. Administration, Executive, Managerial people were the next highest number of visitors in the March quarter of 2017 and 2016 – 9,391 and 8,068 respectively.

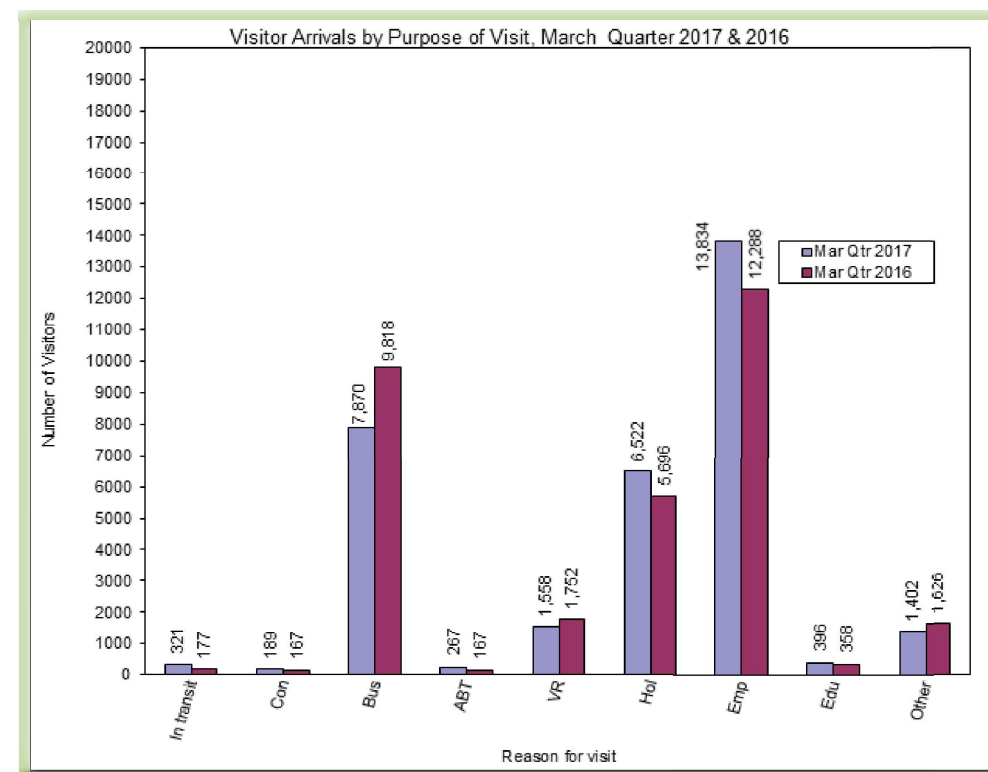


Table 1. Arrivals and Departures, March Quarter 2017

Period	Arrivals			Departures		
	Persons	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females
Year ended 31 December -						
2012	224,182	175,272	48,910	201,930	153,877	48,053
2013	245,844	192,929	52,915	225,127	173,459	51,668
2014	243,396	163,397	79,999	236,816	179,431	57,385
2015	152,423	110,477	41,946	154,687	116,258	38,429
2016	199,397	144,527	54,870	199,882	146,084	53,798
Quarter ended -						
2016	March	48,568	35,962	12,605	42,622	32,292
	June	48,424	35,768	12,656	39,451	29,374
	September	47,015	33,690	13,325	52,552	38,009
	December	55,391	39,107	16,284	65,257	46,409
2017	March	48,919	34,781	14,138	57,077	41,859
Month of -						
2016	January	12,965	9,211	3,754	9,362	6,427
	February	17,281	13,122	4,158	14,999	11,927
	March	18,322	13,629	4,693	18,261	13,938
2017	January	25,416	17,152	8,264	25,858	17,976
	February	16,808	12,596	4,212	13,328	10,101
	March	6,695	5,033	1,662	17,891	13,782

Table 12. Arrivals of Visitors by Reason for Visit and Age group, March Quarter 2017

Age Group (years)	Reason for Visit									
	Total	In Transit	Con	Bus	ABT	VR	Hol	Emp	Edu	Other
0 - 9	1,056	8	-	24	70	172	516	47	31	188
10 - 19	699	11	5	16	19	128	337	26	77	80
20 - 29	3,262	50	19	711	17	225	772	1,159	139	170
30 - 39	7,261	100	38	1,867	51	258	1,225	3,419	53	250
40 - 49	8,705	60	47	2,191	45	293	1,469	4,306	46	248
50 - 59	7,333	58	49	2,028	52	236	1,214	3,417	28	251
60 - 69	3,334	31	24	871	13	186	732	1,310	14	153
70+	709	3	7	162	-	60	257	150	8	62
Total	32,359	321	189	7,870	267	1,558	6,522	13,834	396	1,402

Table 13. Arrivals of Returning Residents by Age Group , March Quarter 2017

Age Group (years)	Year ended 31 December		Quarter ended				
			2016				2017
	2015	2016	Mar	June	Sept	Dec	Mar
0 - 9	2,691	4,279	1,266	850	1,008	1,155	1,573
10 - 19	3,958	5,388	1,351	1,142	1,261	1,634	1,725
20 - 29	6,711	8,973	2,052	2,107	2,039	2,775	2,253
30 - 39	11,964	13,672	3,347	3,328	3,018	3,979	3,310
40 - 49	13,931	15,379	3,935	3,725	3,370	4,349	3,630
50 - 59	11,504	11,705	3,043	2,893	2,496	3,273	2,721
60+	5,756	530	1,525	1,353	1,105	1,325	1,348
Total	56,515	64,704	16,519	15,398	14,297	18,490	16,560

Table 11. Arrivals of Visitors by Reason for Visit and Country of Nationality, March Quarter 2017

Country of Nationality	Total	Reason for Visit								
		In Transit	Con	Bus	ABT	VR	Hol	Emp	Edu	Other
Papua New Guinea	331	2	3	21	1	100	159	39	1	5
Australia	13,372	72	55	4,052	100	799	2,555	5,354	46	339
New Zealand	1,871	10	13	596	5	86	257	820	8	76
Other Oceania	1,378	60	13	206	16	115	303	377	199	89
China	2,314	22	20	464	24	81	402	1,259	18	24
Japan	812	14	13	293	3	17	373	73	2	24
Korea	296	6	4	125	16	8	61	55	2	19
Hong Kong	40	1	-	15	-	-	13	10	-	1
Malaysia	1,587	13	3	302	16	47	239	911	17	39
Singapore	242	2	1	105	5	2	71	43	2	11
Philippines	3,640	31	11	191	8	91	485	2,621	32	170
Indian sub-continent	1054	12	10	140	5	38	197	551	9	92
Other Asia	887	27	14	179	14	28	134	431	11	49
United Kingdom	870	14	10	278	2	36	176	308	5	41
Germany	321	6	3	71	2	8	146	67	4	14
France	172	1	-	63	6	8	28	56	-	10
Other EEC	114	1	-	33	1	6	23	32	2	16
Other Europe	368	11	2	100	3	9	74	124	8	37
USA	1,593	12	5	334	18	49	573	313	20	269
Canada	344	2	2	98	3	14	75	114	1	35
Other America	89	-	1	18	6	4	12	32	4	12
Africa	469	2	2	121	8	3	124	186	2	21
Russia	106	-	-	34	5	5	26	36	-	-
Italy	61	-	2	20	-	3	14	10	3	9
Scandinavia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chile	6	-	-	-	-	1	1	4	-	-
Israel	22	-	2	11	-	-	1	8	-	-
Not Stated	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	32,359	321	189	7,870	267	1,558	6,522	13,834	396	1,402

Table 2. Arrivals by Port of Entry

Port of entry	Year ended		Quarter ended				
	31 December		2016				2017
	2015	2016	Mar	June	Sept	Dec	Mar
Alotau MBP	1,929	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kieta	80	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kiunga	37	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lae	8	-	-	-	-	-	-
Madang	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Misima	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Momote - Manus	-	284	75	-	208	1	-
Mt.Hagen	2,073	4,905	1,004	2,770	581	550	617
Port Moresby (by air)	237,320	192,503	47,095	45,500	45,282	54,626	48,151
Port Moresby (by sea)	-	19	-	-	-	19	-
Rabaul	8	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tabubil	1,693	9	2	-	2	5	-
Tari	203	1,678	392	154	942	190	151
Wutung	18	-	-	-	-	-	-
Not stated	21	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	243,396	248,626	48,568	48,424	47,015	55,391	48,919

Table 3. Arrivals by Citizenship and Age Group, March Quarter 2017

Age group (years)	Total	Citizenship	
		Citizen	Non-citizen
0 - 9	2,629	1,278	1,351
10 - 19	2,424	1,522	902
20 - 29	5,515	2,065	3,450
30 - 39	10,571	2,612	7,959
40 - 49	12,335	2,631	9,704
50 - 59	10,054	1,868	8,186
60 - 69	4,466	640	3,826
70+	925	127	798
Total	48,919	12,743	36,176

Table 4. Arrivals by Purpose of Journey, March Quarter 2017

	Total	Returning Residents	Visitor or Temporary Entrant
Year ended 31 December -			
2012	224,182	69,174	155,008
2013	245,844	77,632	168,212
2014	243,396	89,240	154,156
2015	152,423	49,344	103,077
2016	199,397	64,703	134,694
Quarter ended -			
2016 March	48,568	16,519	32,049
June	48,424	15,398	33,026
September	47,015	14,297	32,718
December	55,390	18,489	36,901
2017 March	48,919	16,560	32,359
Month of -			
2016 January	12,965	4,849	8,116
February	17,281	6,013	11,268
March	18,322	5,657	12,665
2017 January	25,416	10,662	14,754
February	16,808	4,175	12,633
March	6,695	1,723	4,972

Table 10. Arrivals of Visitors by Reason for Visit and Occupation Group, March Quarter 2017

Occupation Group	Total	Reason for Visit								
		In Transit	Con	Bus	ABT	VR	Hol	Emp	Edu	Other
Professional, Technical	11,556	117	76	2,651	52	516	2,941	4,449	179	575
Administration, Executive,										
Managerial	9,391	51	66	2,735	31	185	1,044	5,103	28	148
Clerical	36	-	-	3	-	6	8	16	-	3
Sales	778	14	8	354	7	38	134	205	2	16
Agriculture, Farmers,										
Fishermen	248	6	-	64	-	4	6	159	-	9
Miners, Quarry Workers	94	-	-	20	-	2	8	62	-	2
Transport and										
Communication Workers	4,331	63	18	1,374	15	77	525	2,160	10	89
Tradesmen, Carpenters	601	6	-	140	3	11	38	398	1	4
Mechanics, Boilermen, etc	257	-	-	25	4	6	12	203	2	5
Service Workers	1,117	20	9	254	6	44	107	587	7	83
Armed Services	93	2	-	42	-	3	3	36	1	6
Housewives, Mothers	724	7	-	14	47	190	329	48	-	89
Students, Children	1,938	15	6	42	82	320	992	87	132	262
Retired, Pensioners	404	3	2	26	3	77	228	13	1	51
Not stated	791	17	4	126	17	79	147	308	33	60
Total	32,359	321	189	7,870	267	1,558	6,522	13,834	396	1,402

Table 9. Arrivals of Visitors by Reason for Visit and Country of residence, March Quarter 2017

Country of Residence	Total	Reason for Visit								
		In Transit	Con	Bus	ABT	VR	Hol	Emp	Edu	Other
Papua New Guinea	726	1	0	148	19	35	114	369	20	20
Australia	15,697	70	56	4,630	112	951	3,168	6,214	64	432
New Zealand	1,173	7	11	418	4	52	135	475	3	68
Other Oceania	1,379	99	21	237	14	109	261	360	190	88
China	1,948	16	19	371	25	66	333	1,088	12	18
Japan	768	16	15	262	5	19	351	77	1	22
Korea	219	5	1	90	5	5	46	48	2	17
Hong Kong	94	0	3	39	1	9	21	17	0	4
Malaysia	1,265	10	5	260	12	35	112	778	16	37
Singapore	584	1	4	214	7	7	207	128	2	14
Philippines	3,663	36	8	218	7	91	578	2,537	30	158
Indian sub-continent	796	8	8	88	3	30	143	432	8	76
Other Asia	906	14	19	176	14	33	115	473	9	53
United Kingdom	417	14	7	107	-	15	106	137	2	29
Germany	218	3	1	41	2	5	121	31	4	10
France	105	1	-	40	3	6	20	29	-	6
Other EEC	67	2	-	16	-	6	17	16	2	8
Other Europe	261	11	-	47	3	6	74	80	8	32
USA	1,309	2	3	271	11	54	449	271	14	234
Canada	264	1	1	71	1	13	53	92	-	32
Other America	65	-	-	12	5	3	8	22	3	12
Africa	263	4	2	57	9	2	58	114	2	15
Russia	86	-	1	26	5	3	18	32	1	-
Italy	53	-	1	18	-	2	11	7	3	11
Scandinavia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chile	5	-	-	1	-	1	2	-	-	1
Israel	25	-	3	12	-	-	1	7	-	2
Not stated	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
Total	32,359	321	189	7,870	267	1,558	6,522	13,834	396	1,402

Table 5. Arrival of Visitors by Reason for Visit, March Quarter 2017

			Reason for visit								
Period		Total	In transit	Con	Bus	ABT	VR	Hol	Emp	Edu	Other
Year ended 31 December -											
	2012	155,008	973	1,883	52,435	4,016	6,152	24,013	63,503	994	1,039
	2013	168,212	917	2,682	55,026	4,376	5,786	27,544	70,008	1,087	786
	2014	154,156	993	2,284	33,780	20,346	10,644	23,390	57,489	1,515	3,715
	2015	103,015	436	1,503	34,447	530	5,920	15,686	37,560	862	6,071
	2016	134,694	942	1,423	38,175	732	7,501	28,321	49,294	1,085	7,163
Quarter ended -											
2016	March	32,049	177	167	9,818	167	1,752	5,696	12,288	358	1,626
	June	33,026	242	495	9,523	185	1,601	7,398	11,696	182	1,704
	September	32,718	237	429	9,187	203	1,800	6,350	12,457	327	1,728
	December	36,901	286	332	9,647	177	2,348	8,877	12,853	218	2,163
2017	March	32,359	321	189	7,870	267	1,558	6,522	13,834	396	1,402
Month of -											
2016	January	8,116	74	26	2,356	71	460	676	3,575	174	704
	February	11,268	35	27	3,560	11	494	3,659	3,341	67	74
	March	12,665	68	114	3,902	85	798	1,361	5,372	117	848
2017	January	14,754	98	51	2,934	127	809	3,731	6,348	118	538
	February	12,633	183	104	3,456	96	513	2,226	5,326	187	542
	March	4,972	40	34	1,480	44	236	565	2,160	91	322

Table 6. Arrivals of Visitors by Country of Overseas Address

Country of resident	Year ended 31 December		2016				2017
	2015	2016	Mar	June	Sept	Dec	Mar
Papua New Guinea	1,016	2,528	604	727	560	637	726
Australia	54,535	70,162	16,384	17,302	17,420	19,056	15,697
New Zealand	4,745	5,390	1,281	1,323	1,276	1,510	1,173
Other Oceania	5,113	5,495	1,538	1,366	1,236	1,355	1,379
China	6,766	8,885	2,246	2,114	2,172	2,353	1,948
Japan	1,559	2,581	503	412	682	984	768
Korea	557	957	218	209	225	305	219
Hong Kong	370	515	121	113	134	147	94
Malaysia	3,154	4,077	1,129	964	868	1,116	1,265
Singapore	1,891	2,697	748	736	516	697	584
Philippines	7,804	12,003	3,032	3,167	2,768	3,036	3,663
Indian sub-continent	1,910	2,440	677	620	521	622	796
Other Asia	2,784	3,110	664	659	875	912	906
United Kingdom	1,512	1,373	294	282	356	441	417
Germany	627	985	186	176	311	312	218
France	374	557	96	100	151	210	105
Other EEC	304	483	87	126	125	145	67
Other Europe	1,431	1,626	361	346	406	513	261
USA	4,039	5,358	1,136	1,421	1,339	1,462	1,309
Canada	842	998	231	201	212	354	264
Other America	239	457	115	61	96	185	65
Africa	687	1,157	221	414	207	315	263
Russia	259	360	103	96	67	94	86
Italy	189	246	45	49	67	85	53
Scandinavia	32	83	-	6	77	-	-
Chile	16	28	3	5	8	12	5
Israel	134	143	26	31	43	43	25
Not stated	9	-	-	-	-	-	3
Total	102,898	134,694	32,049	33,026	32,718	36,901	32,359

Table 7. Arrivals of Visitors by Age Group, March Quarter 2017

		Age group (years)							
Period	Total	0-9	10-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60-69	
Year ended 31 December -									
2012	155,008	2,960	3,379	16,169	35,312	41,712	35,012	20,464	
2013	168,222	3,012	4,030	16,717	38,111	45,390	38,246	22,716	
2014	153,856	2,675	3,868	18,719	35,277	40,268	33,930	19,119	
2015	103,079	2,188	3,024	12,670	23,655	27,047	22,487	12,008	
2016	134,694	3,348	3,990	14,761	30,145	35,528	30,456	16,466	
Quarter ended -									
2016	March	32,049	758	677	3,791	7,581	8,707	6,998	3,537
	June	33,026	756	979	3,663	7,412	8,737	7,542	3,937
	September	32,718	940	1,158	3,418	6,993	8,501	7,458	4,250
	December	36,901	894	1,176	3,889	8,159	9,583	8,458	4,742
2017	March	32,359	1,056	699	3,262	7,261	8,705	7,333	4,043
Month of -									
2016	January	8,116	308	261	850	1,930	2,197	1,721	849
	February	11,268	171	139	1,403	2,632	3,103	2,564	1,256
	March	12,665	279	277	1,538	3,019	3,407	2,713	1,432
2017	January	14,754	659	469	1,400	3,319	3,950	3,241	1,716
	February	12,633	295	170	1,314	2,836	3,426	2,932	1,660
	March	4,972	102	60	548	1,106	1,329	1,160	667

Table 8. Arrivals of Visitors by Occupation Group, March Quarter 2017

Occupation Group	Year ended 31 December		2016				2017
	2015	2016	Mar	June	Sept	Dec	Mar
Professional, Technical	34,169	49,012	11,964	12,651	11,721	12,676	11,556
Administration, Executive, Managerial	26,820	34,981	8,068	8,672	7,971	10,270	9,391
Clerical	895	510	80	95	240	95	36
Sales	2,974	3,797	904	943	937	1,013	778
Agriculture, Farmers, Fishermen	395	616	126	106	198	186	248
Miners, Quarry Workers	867	362	31	96	176	59	94
Transport and Communication Workers	14,165	19,774	5,364	4,866	4,456	5,088	4,331
Tradesmen, Mechanics, Boilermen, etc	2,638	2,814	794	423	701	896	858
Service Workers	5,055	2,893	888		320	1,685	1,117
Armed Services	1,032	1,632	117	118	1,122	275	93
Housewives, Mothers	2,081	2,187	558	574	254	801	724
Students, Children	6,435	6,785	1,918	2,119	681	2,067	1,938
Retired, Pensioners	1,750	3,503	340	385	2,175	603	404
Not stated	3,802	4,928	897	1,078	1,766	1,187	791
Total	103,078	133,794	32,049	32,126	32,718	36,901	32,359