



*Government of Bermuda*  
Ministry of Home Affairs  
OFFICE OF THE MINISTER

**PARLIAMENTARY QUESTIONS**

RESPONSES BY  
**The Hon. Sylvan D. Richards, JP, MP**  
Junior Minister for Home Affairs in the House of Assembly

TO QUESTIONS TABLED BY  
**Mr. Rolfe Commissiong, JP, MP**  
Shadow Minister of Home Affairs

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**Question 1:** Will the Honourable Junior Minister please share with this Honourable House the total number of work permits (1-2 years, 3-5 years, over 5 years) that have been issued during 2012, 2013 and 2014?

*Answer:*

<b>Years</b>	<b>2012</b>	<b>2013</b>	<b>2014</b>
<b>1-2 years</b>	6320	6810	6923
<b>3-5 years</b>	3516	4000	4380
<b>Over 5 years</b>	3	15	18
<b>TOTALS</b>	9839	10825	11321

**Question 2:** Will the Honourable Junior Minister please share with this Honourable House the amount of Bermuda Status applications granted under Section 20(B)(2)(b) of the Bermuda Immigration and Protection Act for the period December 18, 2012 – February 10, 2015?

*Answer: 52*