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CHANGE TO GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE ORDER OF PROCESSING VISA APPLICATIONS

Changes have been made to the General Instructions for the order of processing visa applications [\(A16.1\)](#).

Job Check applications received from employers and Accredited Employer Work Visa (AEWV) applications will be allocated as a priority where the offer of employment or employment is for:

- a Dairy Cattle Farm worker (ANZSCO code 841512) or Dairy Cattle Farmer (ANZSCO code 121314); or
- an occupation on the Green List ([Appendix 13](#) in the Immigration New Zealand Operational Manual).

The Dairy Cattle Farm worker or Dairy Cattle Farmer priority allocation is time bound and will only apply for Job Check applications submitted, or AEWV applications lodged between 14 May 2024 and 1 August 2024 (inclusive).

These changes exclude AEWV applications where a job token is being reused.