Because labour hire organisations service and provide labour across multiple industries, they will have a different policy for every industry they operate in. For example, an organisation that provides labour hire to manufacturing and construction will have two policies, one for each industry. As a result, the total number of polices will not be indicative of the true number of labour hire organisations due to duplicates.

In order to get a better idea of actual business numbers, policies with less than \$15,000 worth of declared wages paid in 2015/16 were excluded from Table 1. Labour Hire companies regularly pool all of their premium in one industry to minimise premium paid by them.

Industry	No. of policies	Labour hire policies	% LH
Accommodation and Food Services	9,688	83	1%
Administrative and Support Services	5,002	123	2%
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	6,683	66	1%
Arts and Recreation Services	1,802	24	1%
Construction	21,226	196	1%
Education and Training	2,448	56	2%
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	464	90	19%
Financial and Insurance Services	2,667	51	2%
Health Care and Social Assistance	8,172	95	1%
Information Media and Telecommunications	770	49	6%
Manufacturing	8,172	165	2%
Mining	733	133	18%
Other Services	10,163	79	1%
Professional, Scientific and Technical Services	12,620	120	1%
Public Administration and Safety	738	84	11%
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	4,129	47	1%
Retail Trade	11,245	79	1%
Transport, Postal and Warehousing	5,115	144	3%
Wholesale Trade	7,166	105	1%
Total	119,003	1,789	2%

1. Total number of polices in 2015/16 with >=\$15k of wages, excluding special policies

* Includes only those policies that were open at 30 June 2016.

Comparing this table with table 1 above highlights the number of labour hire companies that operate across multiple industry sectors but only pay premium in one maybe two industry sectors.

2. Total number of po	olices in 2015/16.	excluding special	policies (no	filter for wages paid)
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Industry	No. of policies	Labour hire policies	% LH
Accommodation and Food Services	11,619	739	6%
Administrative and Support Services	7,694	715	9%
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	13,535	718	5%
Arts and Recreation Services	3,630	722	20%
Construction	29,752	731	2%
Education and Training	3,617	718	20%
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	1,218	721	59%
Financial and Insurance Services	3,525	714	20%
Health Care and Social Assistance	9,386	723	8%
Information Media and Telecommunications	1,576	719	46%
Manufacturing	9,675	727	8%
Mining	1,454	730	50%
Other Services	12,265	722	6%
Professional, Scientific and Technical Services	15,390	728	5%
Public Administration and Safety	1,509	722	48%
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	12,801	722	6%
Retail Trade	12,951	729	6%
Transport, Postal and Warehousing	7,820	727	9%
Wholesale Trade	8,314	725	9%
Total	167,731	13,752	8 %

* Includes only those policies that were open at 30 June 2016.