

Firearms Registry Public Website

Data Reporting - March 2026



NSW Police Force

Topics

Amnesty Transactions by Firearm

- Total number of firearms surrendered by month
- Total number of firearms surrendered by category

Permits to Acquire

- Number of permits to acquire a firearm applied for
- Number of Permits to acquire a firearm issued
- Average processing time by the Firearm Registry

Dealer Transactions

- Number of acquisitions
- Number of disposals
- Total transactions

Firearms Licences

- Numbers of licences holders
- Numbers of licence holders per category
- Numbers of registered firearms
- Number of firearms per category



Caveat for Gun Safe data

*Gun Safe data does **not** include paper-based applications. Paper based applications represent 2.5% of all transactions. Average processing times for paper-based applications are longer than online applications due to delays associated with postage and manual handling. All licence holders are encouraged to use the Gun Safe system wherever possible.*

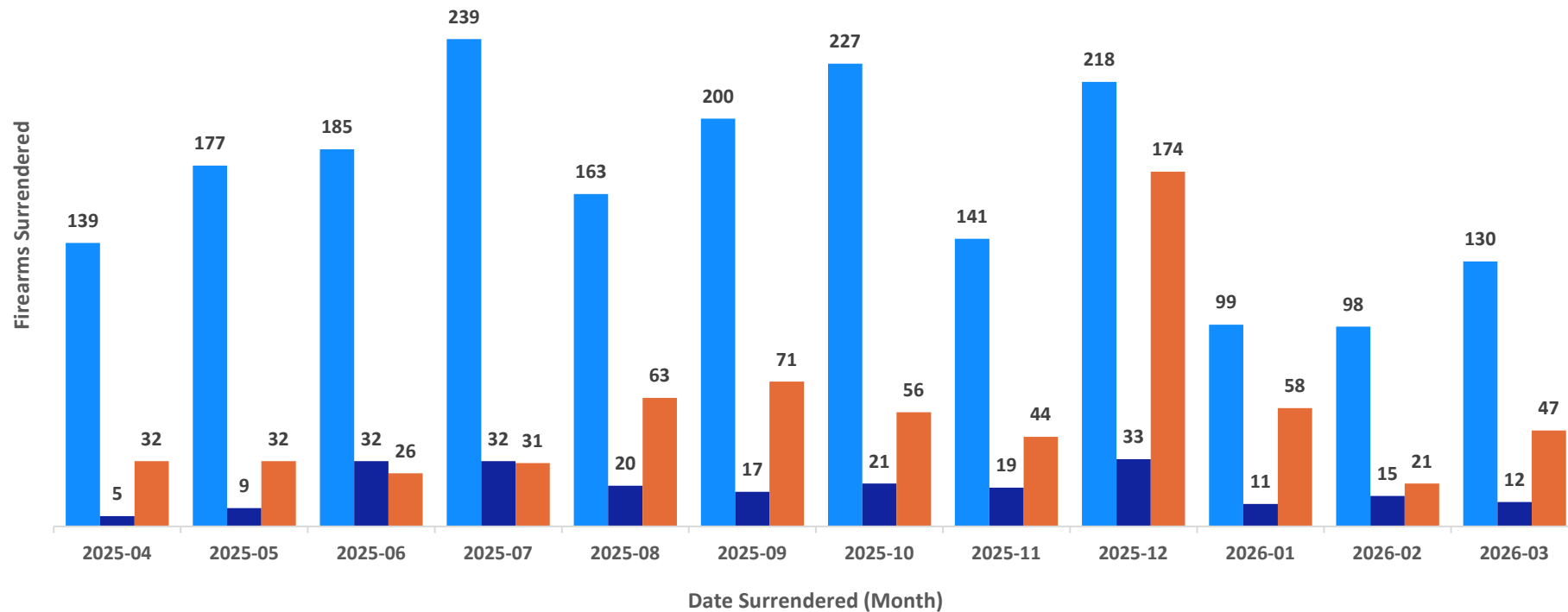


NSW PERMANENT FIREARM AMNESTY

FIREARMS HANDED IN

Firearms Surrendered to Dealers and Police

■ Surrendered to Dealer ■ Dealer to Police for Disposal ■ Surrendered to Police



Total Firearms handed in during Amnesty from 1 July 2021:

13,419 handed in to Dealers
 4,689 handed in to Police of which
 1,222 were handed to Police by Gun Safe
 Dealers for destruction/disposal

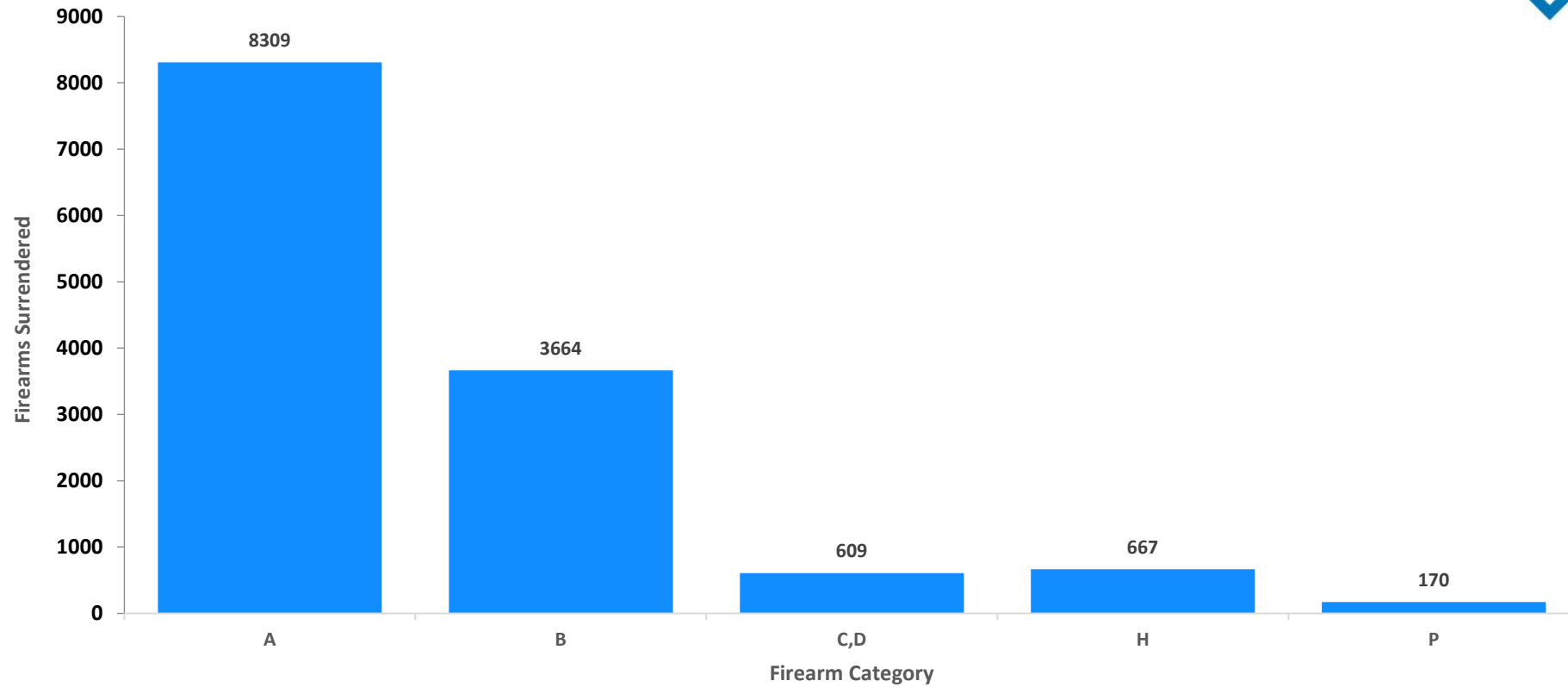


NSW PERMANENT FIREARM AMNESTY

FIREARMS HANDED IN



Total Firearms Surrendered to Dealers by Category



Total surrendered to Dealers
by Category to March 2026:
13,419 firearms

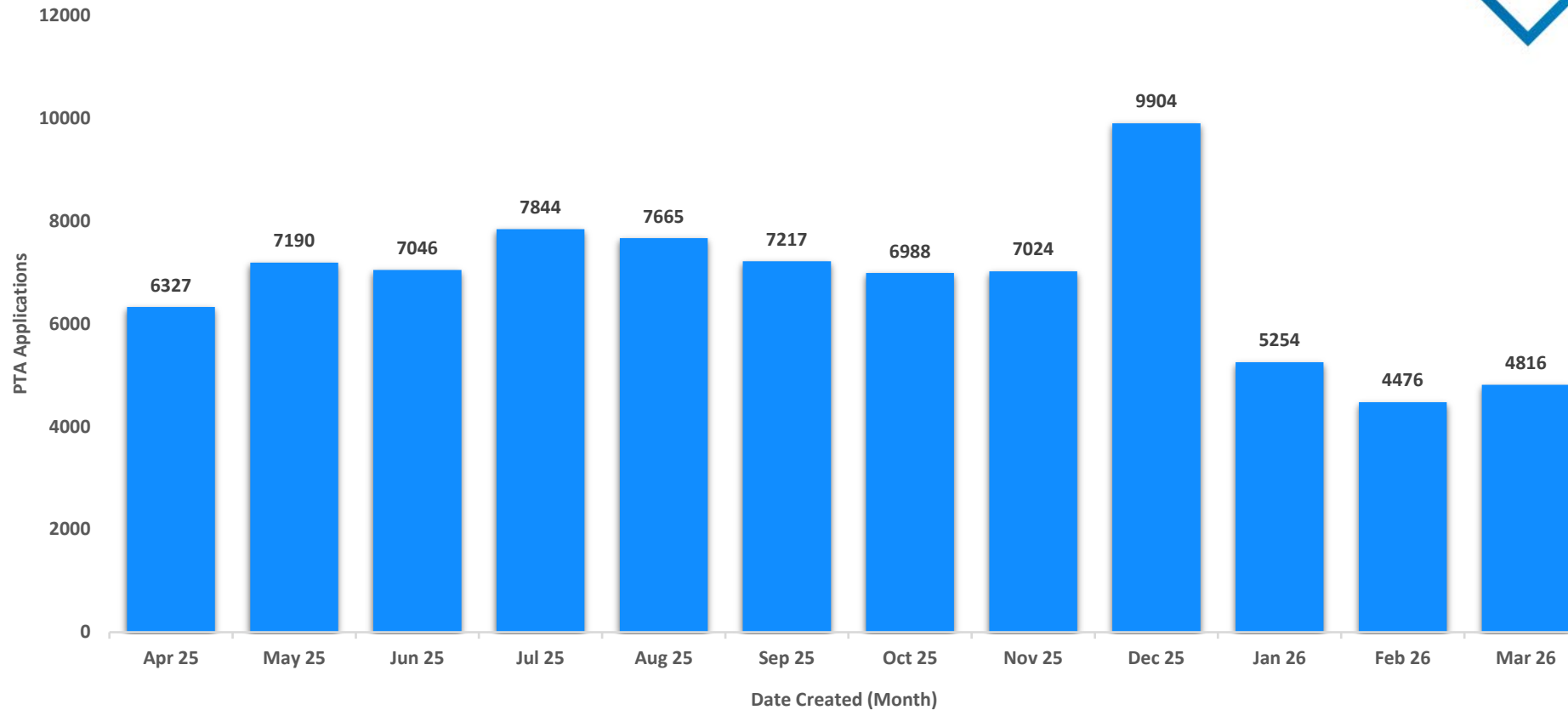


MAJOR CUSTOMER APPLICATIONS

PERMITS TO ACQUIRE



PTA Applications Submitted per Month



Permit To Acquire applications data includes:

- Total number of applications submitted not including draft or cancelled applications.

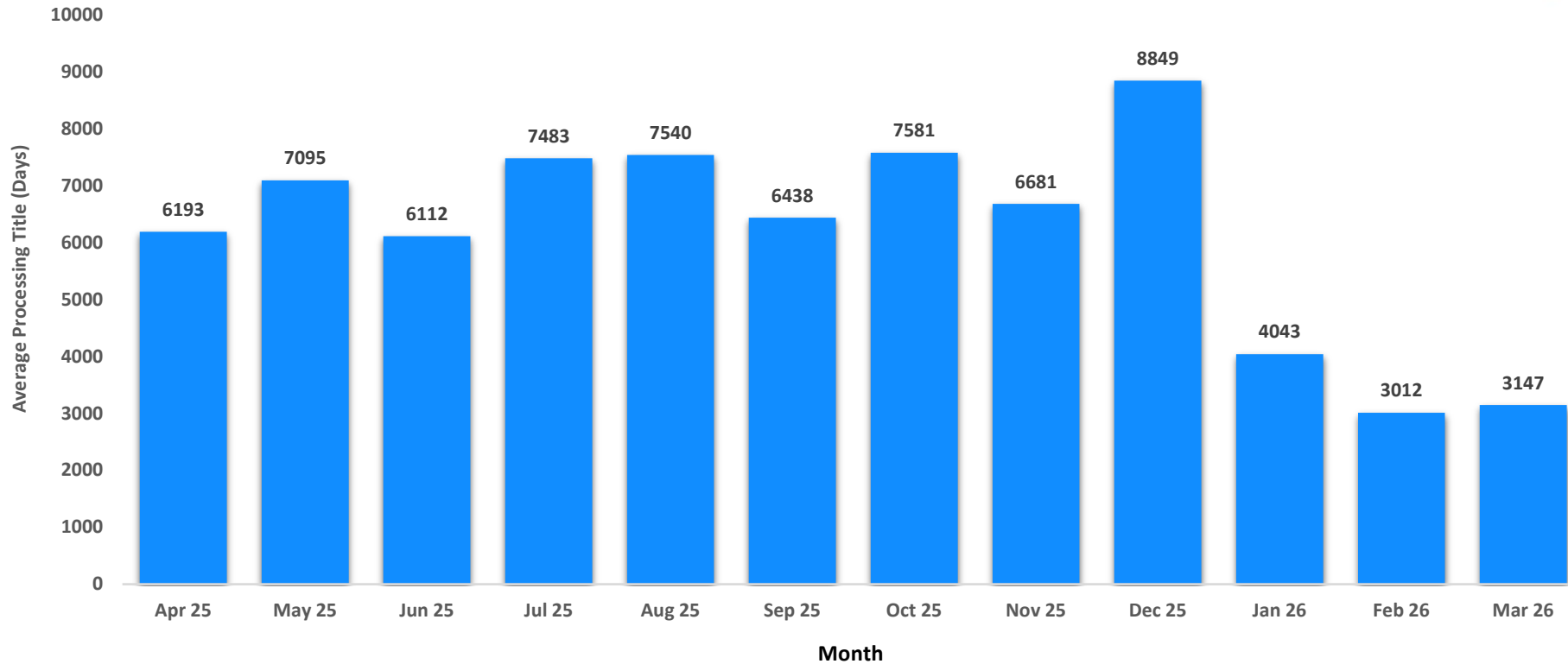


MAJOR CUSTOMER APPLICATIONS

PERMITS TO ACQUIRE



PTAs Finalised per Month



Total Number of PTAs finalised each month including:

- Expired
- Issued
- Lapsed
- Refused
- Re-issued
- Revoked
- Suspended
- Used
- Finalised

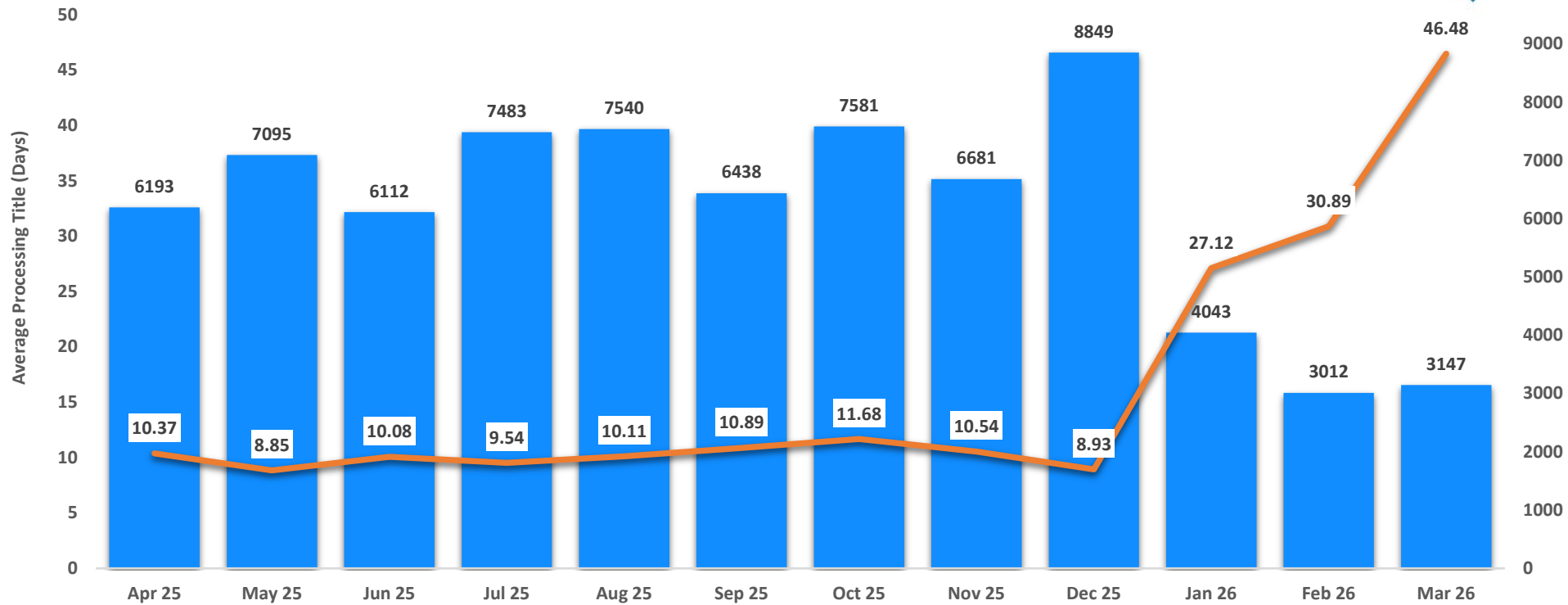


MAJOR CUSTOMER APPLICATIONS

PERMITS TO ACQUIRE



Ave PTA Processing Time (days) & PTAs Processed per Month



Please note:

- Average Processing Times is inclusive of 28 day cooling off period

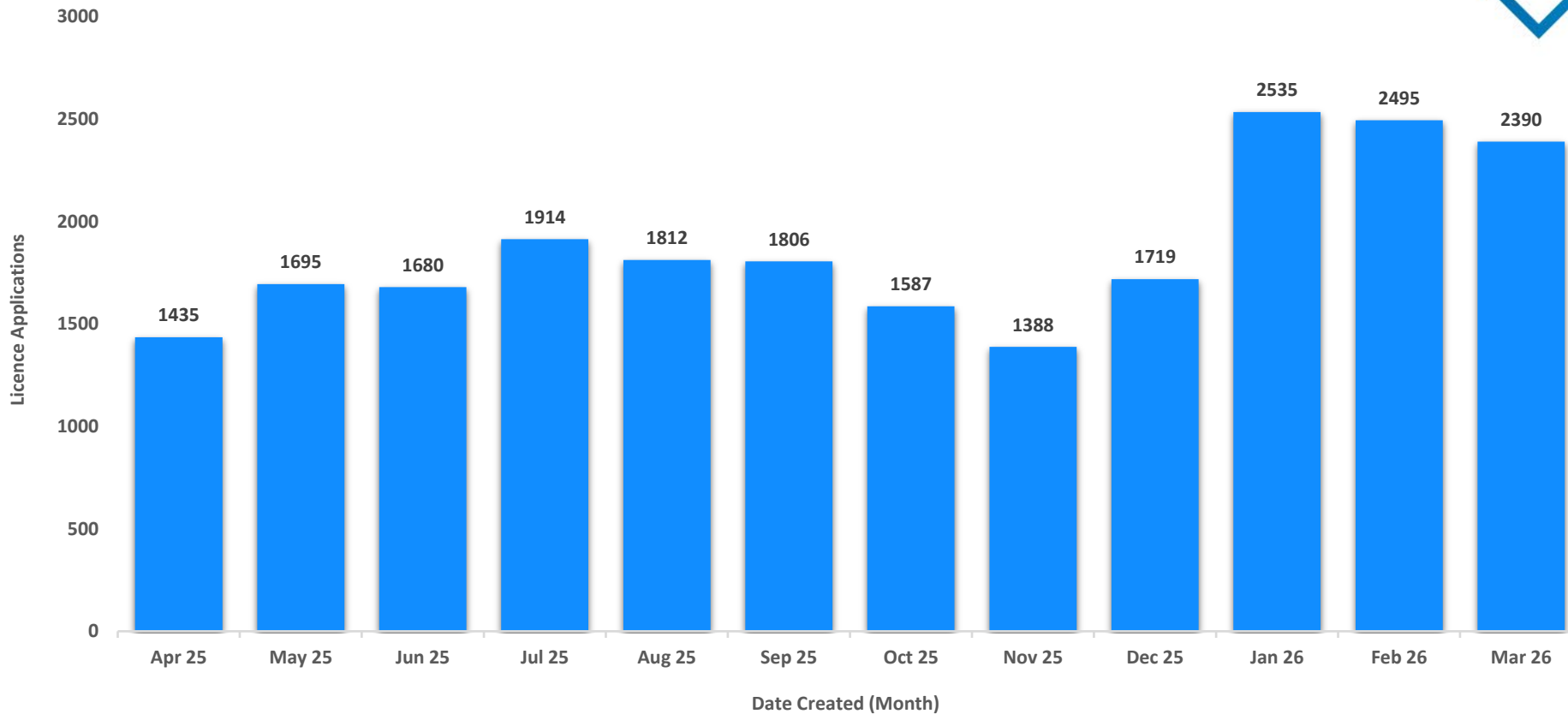


MAJOR CUSTOMER APPLICATIONS

NEW LICENCE APPLICATIONS



New Licence Applications Submitted per Month



New Firearms Licence applications data includes:

- Total number of applications submitted not including draft or cancelled applications

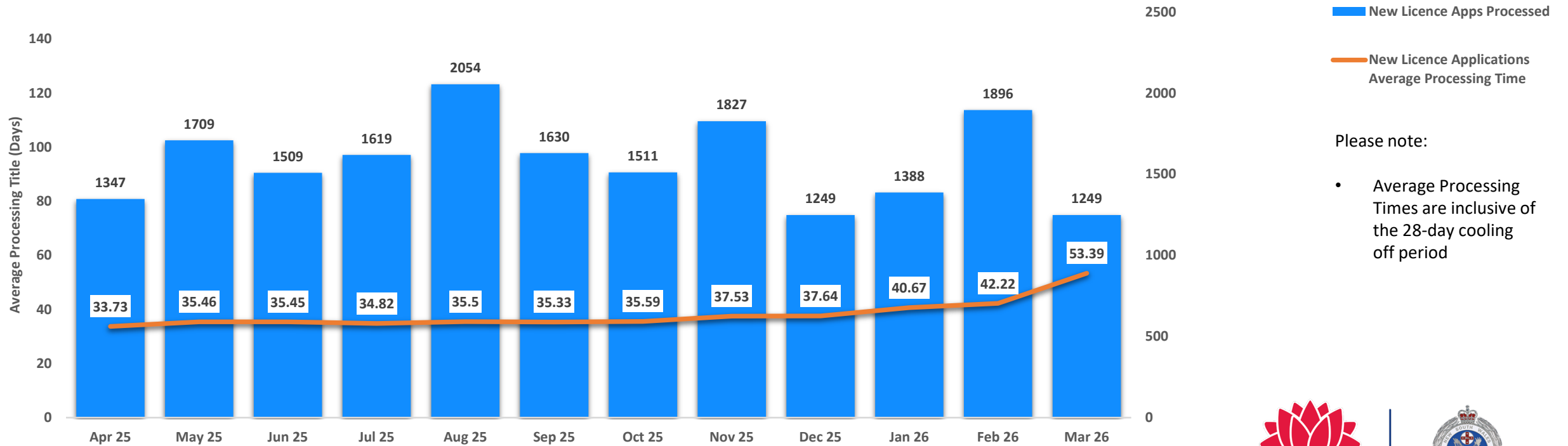


MAJOR CUSTOMER APPLICATIONS

NEW LICENCE APPLICATIONS



Ave Processing Time & New Licence Applications Processed per Month



Please note:

- Average Processing Times are inclusive of the 28-day cooling off period

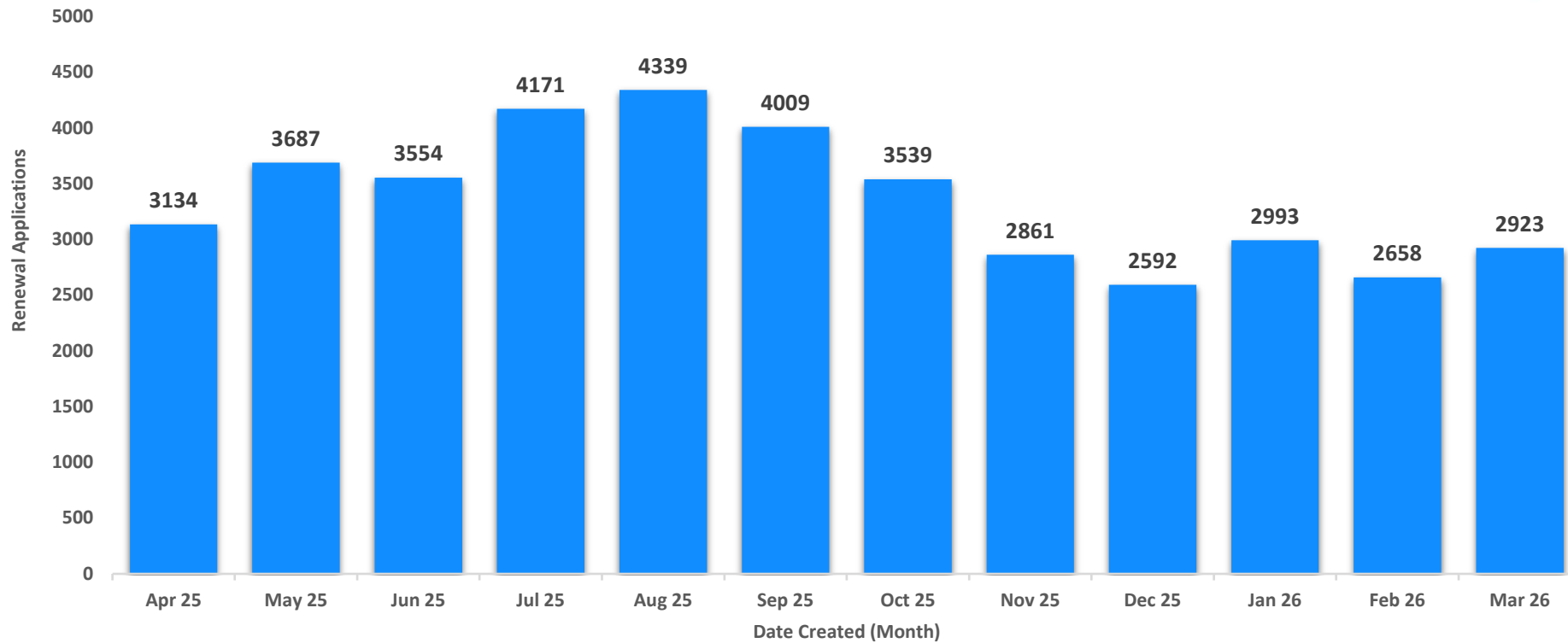


MAJOR CUSTOMER APPLICATIONS

LICENCE RENEWALS



Renewal Applications Submitted per Month



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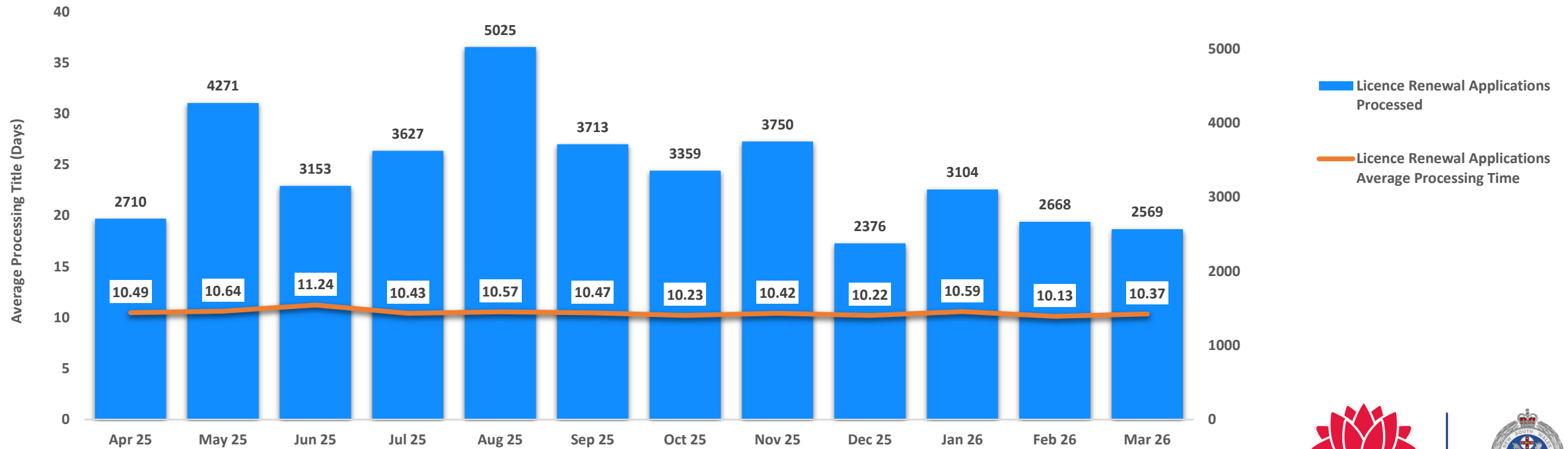
- Total number of applications submitted not including draft or cancelled applications.



MAJOR CUSTOMER APPLICATIONS LICENCE RENEWALS



Average Processing Time & Renewal Applications Processed per Month

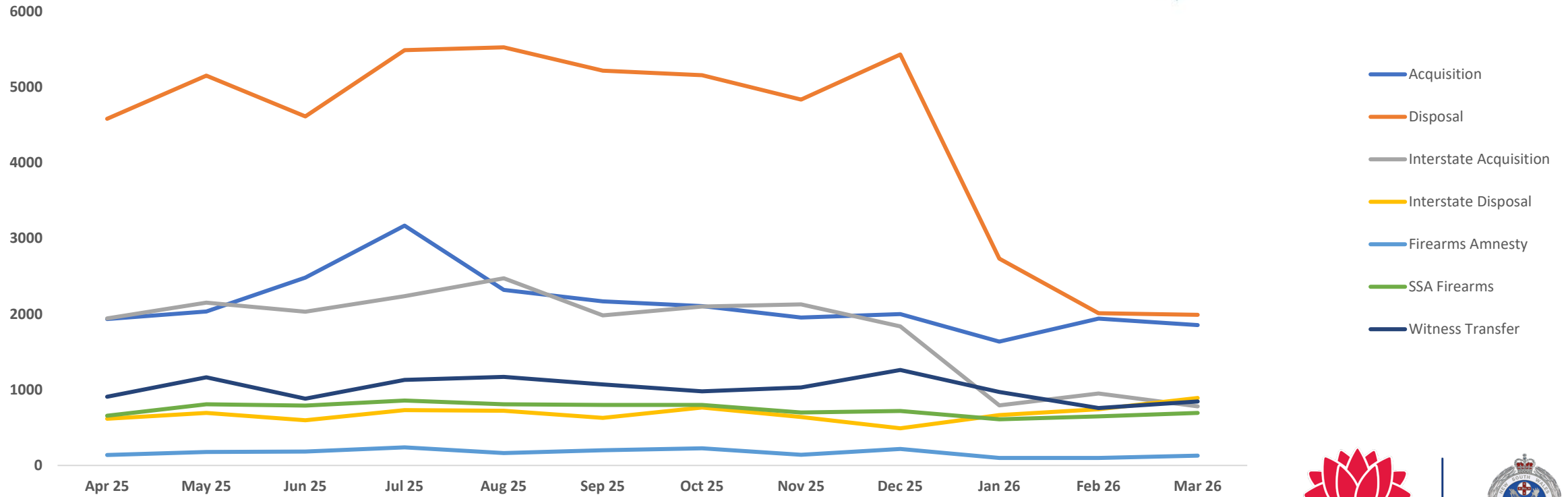


BUSINESS TRANSACTIONS

DEALER TRANSACTIONS



Dealer Transactions by Type per Month



LICENSING STATISTICS

LICENSING AND FIREARM INFORMATION



Number of firearm licence holders in NSW

262,187

Number of registered firearms in NSW

1,160,194

Notes:

- Total licence holders includes Individual, Business, Club, Dealer Business, Club Armourer and Theatrical Armourer firearms licences.
- Total registered firearms to current firearm licence holders.
- Commencing March 2026 the number of registered firearms in NSW is inclusive of firearms registered on permits.
- Data valid as of 5 April 2026

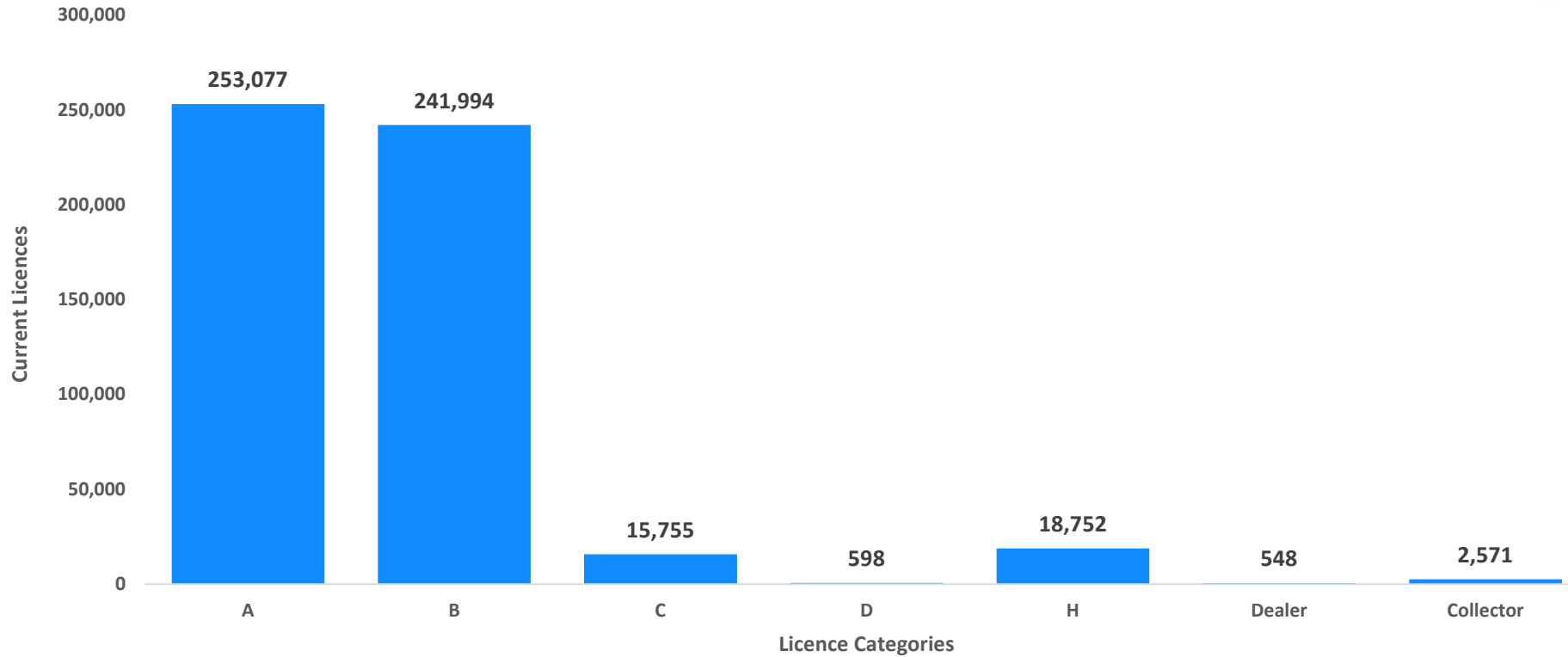


LICENSING STATISTICS

LICENSING AND FIREARM INFORMATION



Current Licences by Licence Category



Notes:

- Licence holders may have multiple categories on the one licence
- Data valid as at 5 April 2026

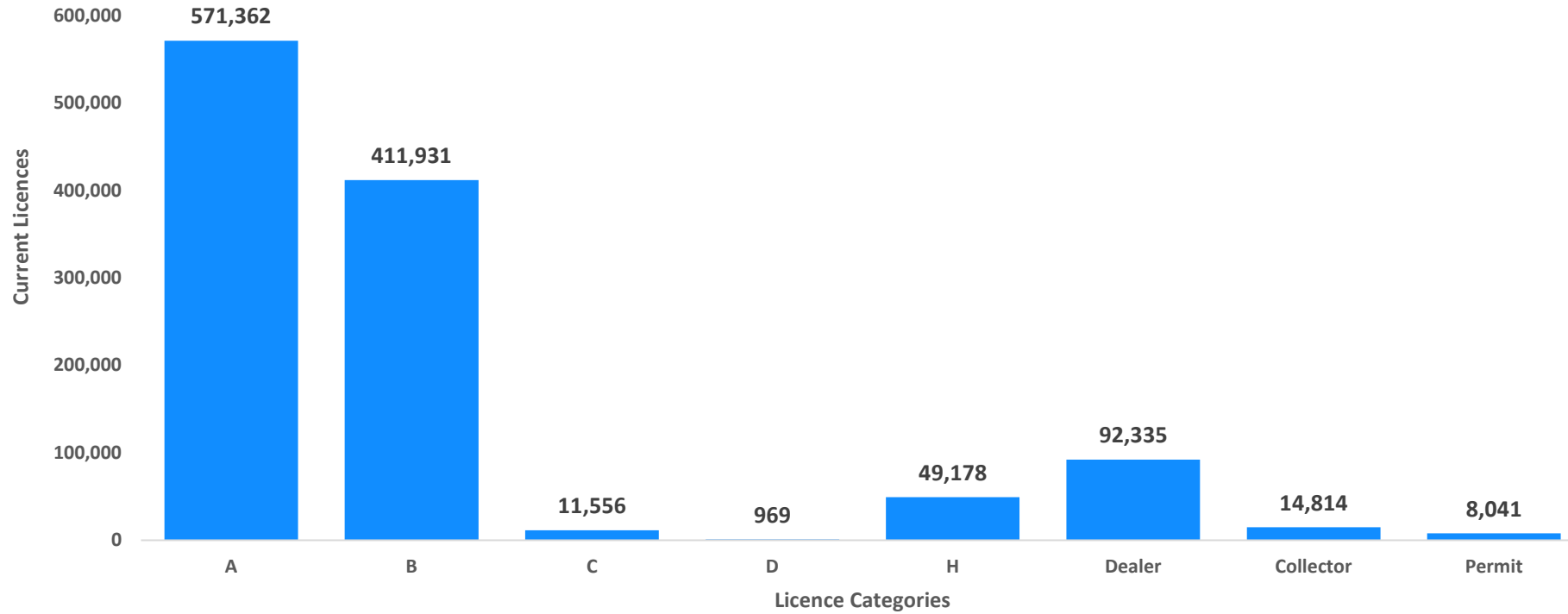


LICENSING STATISTICS

LICENSING AND FIREARM INFORMATION



Registered Firearms by Category



Notes:

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Thank you



NSW Police Force