| **Table 59:** Centrelink payments merit review applications | | | |
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| **Applications** | **2011–12** | **2012–13** | **2013–14** |
| Internal reviews | 169,726 | 135,545 | 115,618 |
| SSAT | 11,097 | 12,147 | 9,812 |
| AAT—customer applications | 1,633 | 1,919 | 1,924 |
| AAT—Secretary applications1 | 32 | 48 | 45 |

1. The Secretary refers to the Secretary of any policy department where under the Administrative Arrangements Order the Minister of that department has administrative responsibility for the legislation relevant to the decision under review. The department manages these applications on behalf of the policy department Secretary.