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Foreign State	Family Preferences							Family Preference Total
	1st	2A Exempt	2A Subject	2A Total	2B	3rd	4th	
<b>Africa</b>								
Algeria	6	126	26	152	3	14	15	190
Angola	8	3	0	3	7	0	0	18
Benin	4	137	9	146	1	0	3	154
Botswana	0	3	0	3	0	0	0	3
Burkina Faso	8	68	8	76	7	0	0	91
Burundi	0	19	2	21	0	0	0	21
Cabo Verde	134	75	1	76	121	12	28	371
Cameroon	118	931	73	1,004	96	5	49	1,272
Central African Republic	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	2
Chad	0	6	0	6	0	0	1	7
Comoros	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Congo, Dem. Rep. of the	25	540	39	579	13	5	5	627
Congo, Rep. of the	0	5	0	5	5	0	1	11
Cote d'Ivoire	51	177	11	188	8	9	9	265
Djibouti	0	11	1	12	0	2	0	14
Egypt	19	174	10	184	3	41	382	629
Equatorial Guinea	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	2
Eritrea	8	129	3	132	3	1	6	150
Eswatini	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1
Ethiopia	140	1,061	24	1,085	151	30	103	1,509
Gabon	1	11	1	12	1	0	0	14
Gambia, The	7	22	0	22	3	0	2	34
Ghana	86	114	3	117	29	53	99	384
Guinea	4	20	1	21	1	0	3	29
Guinea-Bissau	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1
Kenya	71	191	0	191	28	31	89	410
Lesotho	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Liberia	52	78	1	79	8	2	17	158
Libya	0	18	0	18	1	0	12	31
Madagascar	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	7
Malawi	1	3	4	7	3	0	0	11
Mali	2	3	0	3	0	0	0	5
Mauritania	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	2
Mauritius	0	1	0	1	0	0	3	4
Morocco	31	350	25	375	43	9	215	673
Western Sahara	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mozambique	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Namibia	0	4	1	5	0	0	1	6
Niger	2	7	0	7	0	0	0	9
Nigeria	105	69	1	70	22	148	309	654

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	1st	2A Exempt	2A Subject	2A Total	2B	3rd	4th	
Mongolia	6	7	4	11	1	0	2	20
Nepal	18	1,708	141	1,849	44	28	263	2,202
Oman	1	1	0	1	0	0	2	4
Pakistan	80	330	17	347	66	298	1,598	2,389
Philippines	522	864	17	881	695	543	689	3,330
Qatar	1	6	1	7	2	0	15	25
Saudi Arabia	11	101	8	109	10	25	68	223
Singapore	0	8	1	9	2	5	18	34
Sri Lanka	6	176	10	186	8	47	166	413
Syria	32	114	5	119	28	122	445	746
Taiwan	31	63	10	73	18	86	269	477
Thailand	95	160	12	172	44	26	76	413
Timor-Leste	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
United Arab Emirates	11	14	4	18	8	30	34	101
Vietnam	519	1,275	10	1,285	597	1,314	7,810	11,525
Yemen	139	885	15	900	63	788	233	2,123
<b>Region Total For Asia</b>	<b>2,630</b>	<b>11,913</b>	<b>605</b>	<b>12,518</b>	<b>3,110</b>	<b>7,893</b>	<b>25,622</b>	<b>51,773</b>
<b>Europe</b>								
Albania	103	619	35	654	131	217	601	1,706
Andorra	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Armenia	204	125	38	163	36	73	51	527
Austria	1	3	1	4	0	0	0	5
Azerbaijan	4	40	9	49	3	4	8	68
Belarus	21	81	24	105	8	26	11	171
Belgium	2	1	0	1	2	0	0	5
Bosnia and Herzegovina	9	11	0	11	0	23	39	82
Bulgaria	68	41	1	42	7	28	37	182
Croatia	0	1	1	2	1	2	2	7
Cyprus	0	1	0	1	0	2	0	3
Czech Republic	1	14	1	15	1	0	1	18
Denmark	0	3	0	3	0	1	3	7
Faroe Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Greenland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Estonia	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1
Finland	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	2
France	35	63	5	68	13	19	36	171
French Polynesia	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1
French Southern and Antarctic Lands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
New Caledonia	0	3	0	3	0	0	0	3

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Foreign State	Family Preferences							Family Preference Total
	1st	2A Exempt	2A Subject	2A Total	2B	3rd	4th	
Poland	78	62	20	82	31	82	90	363
Portugal	8	16	2	18	7	4	8	45
Macau	0	3	0	3	0	0	7	10
Romania	14	22	2	24	6	22	32	98
Russia	113	224	51	275	39	53	35	515
San Marino	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Serbia	11	51	5	56	2	4	15	88
Slovakia	2	1	0	1	0	0	8	11
Slovenia	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Spain	18	20	6	26	2	15	9	70
Sweden	8	8	0	8	2	2	11	31
Switzerland	1	5	1	6	1	0	0	8
Tajikistan	4	28	29	57	3	0	0	64
Turkey	15	128	5	133	15	14	80	257
Turkmenistan	5	30	2	32	1	2	5	45
Ukraine	166	997	88	1,085	80	212	124	1,667
Uzbekistan	54	1,650	118	1,768	63	29	35	1,949
Vatican City	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Region Total For Europe</b>	<b>1,167</b>	<b>5,031</b>	<b>538</b>	<b>5,569</b>	<b>556</b>	<b>1,188</b>	<b>1,750</b>	<b>10,230</b>
<b>North America</b>								
Antigua and Barbuda	13	14	0	14	6	5	7	45
Bahamas, The	10	20	2	22	5	0	0	37
Barbados	21	13	0	13	4	3	10	51
Belize	28	26	1	27	1	10	9	75
Canada	59	86	10	96	12	94	126	387
Costa Rica	42	132	11	143	26	20	53	284
Cuba	199	7,905	2,083	9,988	578	14	11	10,790
Dominica	64	31	2	33	6	27	15	145
Dominican Republic	1,616	5,922	71	5,993	3,808	592	909	12,918
El Salvador	1,484	4,818	243	5,061	2,001	747	980	10,273
Grenada	41	13	2	15	20	16	13	105
Guatemala	464	1,990	110	2,100	422	301	325	3,612
Haiti	308	423	5	428	333	151	215	1,435
Honduras	845	1,590	81	1,671	522	324	318	3,680
Jamaica	1,713	1,324	78	1,402	359	392	404	4,270
Mexico	1,357	12,520	0	12,520	944	2,233	3,262	20,316
Nicaragua	216	393	46	439	63	93	84	895
Panama	48	43	2	45	11	39	8	151
Saint Kitts and Nevis	22	6	0	6	0	1	4	33
Saint Lucia	65	39	2	41	6	17	12	141

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Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	29	12	0	12	8	7	13	69
Trinidad and Tobago	251	114	10	124	38	134	172	719
<b>Region Total For North America</b>	<b>8,895</b>	<b>37,434</b>	<b>2,759</b>	<b>40,193</b>	<b>9,173</b>	<b>5,220</b>	<b>6,950</b>	<b>70,431</b>
<b>Oceania</b>								
Australia	4	23	0	23	4	23	26	80
Christmas Island	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cocos (Keeling) Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Norfolk Island	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fiji	16	35	0	35	2	84	133	270
Kiribati	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Marshall Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Micronesia, Federated States of	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nauru	0	2	0	2	1	0	0	3
New Zealand	3	1	0	1	1	3	7	15
Cook Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Niue	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tokelau	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Palau	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Papua New Guinea	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Samoa	0	1	0	1	0	2	0	3
Solomon Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tonga	1	4	0	4	0	13	18	36
Tuvalu	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Vanuatu	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Region Total For Oceania</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>125</b>	<b>184</b>	<b>407</b>
<b>South America</b>								
Argentina	54	68	6	74	21	27	32	208
Bolivia	79	106	8	114	35	35	52	315
Brazil	230	514	26	540	57	122	207	1,156
Chile	21	20	3	23	11	3	21	79
Colombia	1,205	1,712	143	1,855	542	454	768	4,824
Ecuador	675	1,485	108	1,593	811	468	678	4,225
Guyana	437	360	14	374	111	275	156	1,353
Paraguay	1	11	3	14	1	4	7	27
Peru	196	195	6	201	125	129	473	1,124
Suriname	6	4	1	5	4	0	0	15

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Uruguay	5	10	0	10	1	0	2	18
Venezuela	205	548	38	586	121	83	140	1,135
<b>Region Total For South America</b>	<b>3,114</b>	<b>5,033</b>	<b>356</b>	<b>5,389</b>	<b>1,840</b>	<b>1,600</b>	<b>2,536</b>	<b>14,479</b>
<b>Grand Totals</b>	<b>17,045</b>	<b>64,813</b>	<b>4,558</b>	<b>69,371</b>	<b>15,315</b>	<b>16,475</b>	<b>38,594</b>	<b>156,800</b>

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**Employment Preferences**

Foreign State	1st	2nd	3rd	Other Workers	3rd Total
<b>Africa</b>					
Algeria	0	2	2	0	2
Angola	0	0	0	0	0
Benin	0	0	2	0	2
Botswana	0	2	0	0	0
Burkina Faso	0	0	0	0	0
Burundi	0	0	0	0	0
Cabo Verde	0	0	0	0	0
Cameroon	1	17	13	2	15
Central African Republic	0	0	0	0	0
Chad	0	0	0	0	0
Comoros	0	0	0	0	0
Congo, Dem. Rep. of the	0	8	0	1	1
Congo, Rep. of the	0	0	0	0	0
Cote d'Ivoire	0	2	0	0	0
Djibouti	0	0	0	0	0
Egypt	7	96	46	17	63
Equatorial Guinea	0	0	0	0	0
Eritrea	0	0	0	0	0
Eswatini	0	0	4	1	5
Ethiopia	3	6	4	0	4
Gabon	0	0	1	0	1
Gambia, The	0	0	0	0	0
Ghana	0	17	353	0	353
Guinea	0	0	0	0	0
Guinea-Bissau	0	0	0	0	0
Kenya	2	5	1,225	0	1,225
Lesotho	0	0	0	0	0
Liberia	0	1	0	0	0
Libya	0	0	3	0	3
Madagascar	0	0	0	0	0
Malawi	0	0	5	7	12
Mali	0	0	0	0	0
Mauritania	0	0	0	0	0
Mauritius	0	0	0	0	0
Morocco	13	4	2	1	3
Western Sahara	0	0	0	0	0
Mozambique	0	0	0	0	0
Namibia	0	0	0	2	2
Niger	0	0	0	0	0
Nigeria	19	175	1,232	8	1,240

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Rwanda	0	5	0	0	0
Sao Tome and Principe	0	0	0	0	0
Senegal	0	0	0	0	0
Seychelles	0	0	0	0	0
Sierra Leone	0	0	0	4	4
Somalia	0	0	0	0	0
South Africa	73	33	228	111	339
South Sudan	0	0	0	0	0
Sudan	0	1	2	0	2
Tanzania	1	3	1	0	1
Togo	0	0	1	0	1
Tunisia	2	7	6	4	10
Uganda	0	0	23	0	23
Zambia	0	2	42	1	43
Zimbabwe	2	6	316	334	650
<b>Region Total For Africa</b>	<b>123</b>	<b>392</b>	<b>3,511</b>	<b>493</b>	<b>4,004</b>

**Asia**

Afghanistan	6	0	7	1	8
Bahrain	0	0	8	0	8
Bangladesh	20	49	15	44	59
Bhutan	0	5	1	3	4
Brunei	0	1	4	1	5
Burma	0	1	0	29	29
Cambodia	0	1	6	46	52
China - mainland born	3,566	294	861	118	979
Hong Kong S.A.R.	24	23	46	35	81
India	651	139	1,187	18	1,205
Indonesia	0	0	8	1	9
Iran	129	197	98	16	114
Iraq	1	6	4	0	4
Israel	16	17	71	11	82
Japan	61	57	107	23	130
Jordan	11	22	155	21	176
Korea, North	0	0	0	0	0
Korea, South	176	1,584	590	221	811
Kuwait	0	10	42	0	42
Laos	0	0	0	0	0
Lebanon	7	12	113	8	121
Malaysia	2	10	24	2	26
Maldives	0	0	0	0	0

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Mongolia	0	0	6	33	39
Nepal	57	48	286	47	333
Oman	0	0	17	0	17
Pakistan	17	44	257	59	316
Philippines	8	60	15,990	415	16,405
Qatar	2	0	90	0	90
Saudi Arabia	2	27	273	8	281
Singapore	5	11	48	1	49
Sri Lanka	16	10	34	0	34
Syria	3	10	24	5	29
Taiwan	31	112	63	29	92
Thailand	7	5	114	93	207
Timor-Leste	0	0	0	0	0
United Arab Emirates	5	17	721	0	721
Vietnam	7	48	50	542	592
Yemen	0	0	1	0	1
<b>Region Total For Asia</b>	<b>4,830</b>	<b>2,820</b>	<b>21,321</b>	<b>1,830</b>	<b>23,151</b>
<b>Europe</b>					
Albania	3	6	23	109	132
Andorra	0	0	0	0	0
Armenia	35	10	56	5	61
Austria	6	1	3	0	3
Azerbaijan	12	4	5	3	8
Belarus	10	8	12	5	17
Belgium	5	12	1	1	2
Bosnia and Herzegovina	0	2	2	2	4
Bulgaria	2	4	19	8	27
Croatia	4	0	6	0	6
Cyprus	0	2	3	0	3
Czech Republic	4	14	2	5	7
Denmark	6	3	8	0	8
Faroe Islands	0	0	0	0	0
Greenland	0	0	0	0	0
Estonia	1	0	3	0	3
Finland	0	0	7	0	7
France	59	68	32	6	38
French Polynesia	0	0	0	0	0
French Southern and Antarctic Lands	0	0	0	0	0
New Caledonia	0	0	0	0	0

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Saint Barthelemy	0	0	0	0	0
Saint Martin	0	0	0	0	0
St. Pierre and Miquelon	0	0	0	0	0
Wallis and Futuna	0	0	0	0	0
Georgia	3	5	2	3	5
Germany	34	18	48	3	51
Great Britain and Northern Ireland	155	67	262	25	287
Anguilla	0	0	0	0	0
Bermuda	1	0	7	0	7
British Indian Ocean Territory	0	0	0	0	0
British Virgin Islands	0	0	0	0	0
Cayman Islands	0	0	0	0	0
Falkland Islands	0	0	0	0	0
Gibraltar	0	0	0	0	0
Montserrat	0	0	0	0	0
Pitcairn	0	0	0	0	0
St. Helena	0	0	0	0	0
South Georgia and the South Sandwich Islands	0	0	0	0	0
Turks and Caicos Islands	0	0	0	1	1
Greece	11	3	3	2	5
Hungary	9	9	6	9	15
Iceland	3	0	0	2	2
Ireland	18	15	23	2	25
Italy	64	24	83	32	115
Kazakhstan	15	3	3	1	4
Kosovo	3	0	0	13	13
Kyrgyzstan	0	3	0	1	1
Latvia	4	0	4	0	4
Liechtenstein	0	0	0	0	0
Lithuania	1	4	10	3	13
Luxembourg	0	0	0	0	0
Malta	0	0	0	0	0
Moldova	1	2	2	3	5
Monaco	0	0	0	0	0
Montenegro	0	0	1	0	1
Netherlands	6	15	3	7	10
Aruba	0	0	1	0	1
Curacao	0	0	0	0	0
Sint Maarten	0	0	3	0	3
North Macedonia	0	2	6	30	36
Norway	1	6	3	2	5
Svalbard	0	0	0	0	0

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Poland	12	18	97	152	249
Portugal	2	5	9	6	15
Macau	0	0	0	1	1
Romania	5	5	15	15	30
Russia	159	57	63	18	81
San Marino	0	0	0	0	0
Serbia	4	3	14	20	34
Slovakia	1	2	0	0	0
Slovenia	0	1	0	0	0
Spain	44	32	41	11	52
Sweden	24	6	8	0	8
Switzerland	7	3	3	0	3
Tajikistan	1	4	1	1	2
Turkey	56	47	52	5	57
Turkmenistan	2	0	7	7	14
Ukraine	44	20	37	38	75
Uzbekistan	8	0	5	0	5
Vatican City	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Region Total For Europe</b>	<b>845</b>	<b>513</b>	<b>1,004</b>	<b>557</b>	<b>1,561</b>

**North America**

Antigua and Barbuda	0	0	7	0	7
Bahamas, The	0	0	51	0	51
Barbados	0	0	6	0	6
Belize	0	0	12	0	12
Canada	69	73	181	9	190
Costa Rica	4	12	5	7	12
Cuba	6	0	6	0	6
Dominica	0	0	8	0	8
Dominican Republic	9	9	14	10	24
El Salvador	7	1	34	145	179
Grenada	0	0	10	0	10
Guatemala	3	9	18	53	71
Haiti	0	2	4	2	6
Honduras	0	7	37	39	76
Jamaica	8	4	536	45	581
Mexico	70	19	282	849	1,131
Nicaragua	0	0	18	5	23
Panama	2	1	6	0	6
Saint Kitts and Nevis	0	0	0	0	0
Saint Lucia	0	0	8	0	8

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**Employment Preferences**

Foreign State	1st	2nd	3rd	Other Workers	3rd Total
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	0	0	9	0	9
Trinidad and Tobago	1	9	64	31	95
<b>Region Total For North America</b>	<b>179</b>	<b>146</b>	<b>1,316</b>	<b>1,195</b>	<b>2,511</b>
<b>Oceania</b>					
Australia	19	10	10	0	10
Christmas Island	0	0	0	0	0
Cocos (Keeling) Islands	0	0	0	0	0
Norfolk Island	0	0	0	0	0
Fiji	2	0	1	0	1
Kiribati	0	0	0	0	0
Marshall Islands	0	0	0	0	0
Micronesia, Federated States of	0	0	0	0	0
Nauru	0	0	0	0	0
New Zealand	9	2	7	0	7
Cook Islands	0	0	0	0	0
Niue	0	0	0	0	0
Tokelau	0	0	0	0	0
Palau	0	0	2	0	2
Papua New Guinea	0	0	1	0	1
Samoa	0	0	0	0	0
Solomon Islands	0	0	0	0	0
Tonga	0	0	0	0	0
Tuvalu	0	0	0	0	0
Vanuatu	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Region Total For Oceania</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>21</b>
<b>South America</b>					
Argentina	104	25	85	14	99
Bolivia	0	8	4	19	23
Brazil	420	1,391	313	347	660
Chile	15	9	15	1	16
Colombia	40	31	80	41	121
Ecuador	7	6	23	56	79
Guyana	1	1	9	1	10
Paraguay	0	6	2	1	3
Peru	4	11	10	15	25
Suriname	0	0	0	0	0

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**Employment Preferences**

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Foreign State	1st	2nd	3rd	Other Workers	3rd Total
Uruguay	0	18	1	0	1
Venezuela	76	79	118	63	181
<b>Region Total For South America</b>	<b>667</b>	<b>1,585</b>	<b>660</b>	<b>558</b>	<b>1,218</b>
<b>Grand Totals</b>	<b>6,674</b>	<b>5,468</b>	<b>27,833</b>	<b>4,633</b>	<b>32,466</b>

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## **Employment Preferences**

Foreign State	BC	SD	SE	SF	SG	SH	SJ	SK	SL	SN	SR	SSC	4th Total
Poland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Portugal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Macau	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Romania	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Russia	8	0	45	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	53
San Marino	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Serbia	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Slovakia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Slovenia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Spain	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sweden	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Switzerland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tajikistan	10	0	55	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	65
Turkey	0	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9
Turkmenistan	0	0	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	16
Ukraine	2	2	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9
Uzbekistan	0	0	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	16
Vatican City	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Region Total For Europe</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>375</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>428</b>

## North America

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Foreign State	<b>Employment Preferences</b>													
	BC	SD	SE	SF	SG	SH	SJ	SK	SL	SN	SR	SSC	4th Total	
Uruguay	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Venezuela	0	0	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	
<b>Region Total For South America</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>101</b>	
<b>Grand Totals</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>509</b>	<b>2,948</b>		<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3,568</b>

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**Preference Visas Issued**  
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Foreign State	Employment Preferences										Employment Preference Total	
	-----5th Unreserved-----					-----5th Set-Asides-----						
	5th Employment Creation (C5)	5th Target Employment (T5)	5th Regional Areas (I5)	5th Pilot Program (R5)	5th Non-Reserved Pool (Pub. L. 117-103)	5th Set-Aside (High Unemployment)	5th Set-Aside (Rural)	5th Set-Aside (High Unemployment)	5th Set-Aside (Infrastructure)	5th Total		
<b>Africa</b>												
Algeria	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	49	
Angola	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	8	
Benin	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	
Botswana	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	
Burkina Faso	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	
Burundi	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	
Cabo Verde	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20	
Cameroon	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	54	
Central African Republic	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	
Chad	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Comoros	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Congo, Dem. Rep. of the	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	26	
Congo, Rep. of the	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	60	
Cote d'Ivoire	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	
Djibouti	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	
Egypt	0	0	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	265	
Equatorial Guinea	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Eritrea	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	37	
Eswatini	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	
Ethiopia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	140	
Gabon	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	
Gambia, The	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	
Ghana	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	410	
Guinea	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	14	
Guinea-Bissau	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	
Kenya	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,255	
Lesotho	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Liberia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	
Libya	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	
Madagascar	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	24	
Malawi	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	
Mali	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	
Mauritania	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Mauritius	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	
Morocco	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	35	
Western Sahara	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Mozambique	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Namibia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	
Niger	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	
Nigeria	0	0	38	0	0	0	0	0	0	38	1,592	

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Foreign State	Employment Preferences										
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	5th Employment Creation (C5)	5th Target Employment (T5)	5th Regional Areas (I5)	5th Pilot Program (R5)	5th Non-Reserved Pool (Pub. L. 117-103)	5th Set-Aside (High Unemployment) (Rural)	5th Set-Aside (High Unemployment)	5th Set-Aside (Infrastructure)	5th Total	Employment Preference Total	
Uruguay	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	20	
Venezuela	1	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	6	352	
<b>Region Total For South America</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>165</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>192</b>	<b>3,763</b>	
<b>Grand Totals</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>199</b>	<b>6,636</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>6,882</b>	<b>55,058</b>	

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Foreign State	Family and Employment Preferences Grand Total
<b>Africa</b>	
Algeria	239
Angola	26
Benin	164
Botswana	5
Burkina Faso	106
Burundi	34
Cabo Verde	391
Cameroon	1,326
Central African Republic	5
Chad	7
Comoros	0
Congo, Dem. Rep. of the	653
Congo, Rep. of the	71
Cote d'Ivoire	273
Djibouti	15
Egypt	894
Equatorial Guinea	2
Eritrea	187
Eswatini	6
Ethiopia	1,649
Gabon	15
Gambia, The	39
Ghana	794
Guinea	43
Guinea-Bissau	2
Kenya	1,665
Lesotho	0
Liberia	168
Libya	34
Madagascar	31
Malawi	23
Mali	12
Mauritania	2
Mauritius	6
Morocco	708
Western Sahara	0
Mozambique	0
Namibia	8
Niger	13
Nigeria	2,246

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Foreign State	Family and Employment Preferences Grand Total
Rwanda	135
Sao Tome and Principe	2
Senegal	89
Seychelles	2
Sierra Leone	466
Somalia	158
South Africa	659
South Sudan	8
Sudan	88
Tanzania	60
Togo	518
Tunisia	49
Uganda	144
Zambia	68
Zimbabwe	729
<b>Region Total For Africa</b>	<b>15,037</b>
<b>Asia</b>	
Afghanistan	580
Bahrain	14
Bangladesh	2,865
Bhutan	9
Brunei	8
Burma	346
Cambodia	1,430
China - mainland born	16,538
Hong Kong S.A.R.	959
India	12,441
Indonesia	146
Iran	2,307
Iraq	322
Israel	224
Japan	333
Jordan	1,391
Korea, North	0
Korea, South	3,807
Kuwait	235
Laos	82
Lebanon	1,016
Malaysia	140
Maldives	0

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Foreign State	Family and Employment Preferences Grand Total
Mongolia	60
Nepal	2,698
Oman	21
Pakistan	2,922
Philippines	19,900
Qatar	123
Saudi Arabia	536
Singapore	118
Sri Lanka	544
Syria	819
Taiwan	925
Thailand	640
Timor-Leste	0
United Arab Emirates	852
Vietnam	12,979
Yemen	2,428
<b>Region Total For Asia</b>	<b>90,758</b>
<b>Europe</b>	
Albania	1,875
Andorra	0
Armenia	643
Austria	16
Azerbaijan	130
Belarus	222
Belgium	24
Bosnia and Herzegovina	99
Bulgaria	215
Croatia	17
Cyprus	8
Czech Republic	46
Denmark	26
Faroe Islands	0
Greenland	0
Estonia	5
Finland	9
France	345
French Polynesia	1
French Southern and Antarctic Lands	0
New Caledonia	3

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Foreign State	Family and Employment Preferences Grand Total
Saint Barthelemy	0
Saint Martin	4
St. Pierre and Miquelon	0
Wallis and Futuna	0
Georgia	383
Germany	248
Great Britain and Northern Ireland	929
Anguilla	1
Bermuda	22
British Indian Ocean Territory	0
British Virgin Islands	7
Cayman Islands	2
Falkland Islands	0
Gibraltar	0
Montserrat	4
Pitcairn	0
St. Helena	0
South Georgia and the South Sandwich Islands	0
Turks and Caicos Islands	6
Greece	64
Hungary	71
Iceland	5
Ireland	85
Italy	336
Kazakhstan	98
Kosovo	309
Kyrgyzstan	80
Latvia	27
Liechtenstein	0
Lithuania	67
Luxembourg	0
Malta	2
Moldova	147
Monaco	0
Montenegro	65
Netherlands	47
Aruba	6
Curacao	5
Sint Maarten	13
North Macedonia	315
Norway	29
Svalbard	0

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Foreign State	Family and Employment Preferences Grand Total
Poland	647
Portugal	67
Macau	16
Romania	142
Russia	916
San Marino	0
Serbia	132
Slovakia	14
Slovenia	3
Spain	202
Sweden	75
Switzerland	21
Tajikistan	136
Turkey	450
Turkmenistan	78
Ukraine	1,817
Uzbekistan	1,978
Vatican City	0
<b>Region Total For Europe</b>	<b>13,755</b>
<b>North America</b>	
Antigua and Barbuda	52
Bahamas, The	88
Barbados	57
Belize	87
Canada	729
Costa Rica	312
Cuba	10,808
Dominica	153
Dominican Republic	12,971
El Salvador	10,468
Grenada	115
Guatemala	3,698
Haiti	1,575
Honduras	3,776
Jamaica	4,892
Mexico	21,616
Nicaragua	940
Panama	160
Saint Kitts and Nevis	33
Saint Lucia	149

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Foreign State	Family and Employment Preferences Grand Total
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	78
Trinidad and Tobago	834
<b>Region Total For North America</b>	<b>73,591</b>
<b>Oceania</b>	
Australia	120
Christmas Island	0
Cocos (Keeling) Islands	0
Norfolk Island	0
Fiji	276
Kiribati	0
Marshall Islands	0
Micronesia, Federated States of	0
Nauru	3
New Zealand	33
Cook Islands	0
Niue	0
Tokelau	0
Palau	2
Papua New Guinea	1
Samoa	3
Solomon Islands	1
Tonga	36
Tuvalu	0
Vanuatu	0
<b>Region Total For Oceania</b>	<b>475</b>
<b>South America</b>	
Argentina	462
Bolivia	351
Brazil	3,793
Chile	120
Colombia	5,055
Ecuador	4,341
Guyana	1,365
Paraguay	37
Peru	1,178
Suriname	15

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<b>Foreign State</b>	<b>Family and Employment Preferences Grand Total</b>
Uruguay	38
Venezuela	1,487
<b>Region Total For South America</b>	<b>18,242</b>
<b>Grand Totals</b>	<b>211,858</b>