

Table VIII
Immediate Relative Visas Issued
Fiscal Year 2006

Foreign State	Spouse of US Citizen IR-1	Spouse of US Citizen (Conditional) CR-1	Child of US Citizen IR-2	Child of US Citizen (Conditional) CR-2	Orphan Adopted Abroad by US Citizen IR-3	Orphan to be Adopted in U.S. by Citizen IR-4	Parent of U.S. Citizen at least 21 years of Age IR-5	Parent of U.S. Citizen who Acquired Status Under Pub. L. 97-271 VI-5	Widow(er) of U.S. Citizen IW-1	Child of Widow(er) of U.S. Citizen IW-2	Total
Africa											
Algeria	50	108	35	2	1	1	77	0	0	0	274
Angola	6	3	6	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	18
Benin	3	2	14	5	0	0	4	0	0	0	28
Botswana	1	4	7	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	13
Burkina Faso	0	4	14	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	21
Burundi	0	3	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	5
Cameroon	36	30	141	8	8	7	88	0	0	3	321
Cape Verde	3	3	175	42	0	0	77	0	0	0	300
Central African Republic	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Chad	2	1	2	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	7
Comoros	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Congo, Republic of the	1	2	4	0	1	1	2	0	0	0	11
Congo, Dem. Rep. of the	7	7	28	0	5	0	27	0	0	0	74
Cote d'Ivoire	17	30	144	15	3	0	29	0	0	0	238
Djibouti	2	2	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	7
Egypt	215	493	256	12	0	2	498	0	0	0	1,476
Equatorial Guinea	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Eritrea	41	89	41	4	4	3	115	0	0	0	297
Ethiopia	369	388	494	18	70	662	960	0	0	0	2,961
Gabon	1	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
Gambia, The	10	5	49	3	0	2	23	0	0	0	92
Ghana	255	104	1,226	17	26	0	219	0	0	0	1,847
Guinea	10	9	63	1	0	1	14	0	0	0	98
Guinea-Bissau	0	2	5	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	9
Kenya	40	61	232	52	7	3	103	0	0	0	498
Lesotho	0	0	1	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	6
Liberia	49	40	234	12	84	269	92	0	0	0	780

Libya	10	21	4	0	1	0	12	0	0	0	48
Madagascar	1	2	1	1	1	0	2	0	0	0	8
Malawi	2	2	3	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	10
Mali	3	8	16	0	3	3	3	0	0	0	36
Mauritania	3	4	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	13
Mauritius	0	4	1	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	9
Morocco	200	246	108	11	3	7	290	0	0	0	865
Mozambique	4	8	1	0	1	0	4	0	0	0	18
Namibia	0	4	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	6
Niger	0	3	5	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	9
Nigeria	311	248	813	17	58	4	895	0	0	0	2,346
Rwanda	0	3	5	0	4	0	2	0	0	0	14
Sao Tome and Principe	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Senegal	64	33	186	1	0	0	30	0	0	0	314
Seychelles	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	2
Sierra Leone	41	29	153	10	9	8	103	0	0	0	353
Somalia	65	63	40	0	0	0	53	0	0	0	221
South Africa	66	89	44	8	11	2	111	0	0	0	331
Sudan	57	124	64	0	0	0	68	0	0	0	313
Swaziland	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Tanzania	7	31	34	5	8	3	32	0	0	0	120
Togo	13	8	60	0	0	1	12	0	0	0	94
Tunisia	26	31	10	0	4	0	12	0	0	0	83
Uganda	14	15	89	0	3	9	30	0	0	0	160
Zambia	3	17	20	16	11	2	2	0	0	0	71
Zimbabwe	7	12	32	4	5	1	17	0	0	0	78

Region Total For Africa	2,015	2,396	4,877	272	342	992	4,017	0	0	3	14,914
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Asia

Afghanistan	66	56	21	0	0	3	127	0	0	0	273
Bahrain	1	5	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	9
Bangladesh	758	662	523	14	0	17	2,214	0	1	0	4,189
Bhutan	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	3
Brunei	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Burma	53	59	43	0	1	0	223	0	0	0	379
Cambodia	421	600	436	150	2	0	528	0	0	0	2,137
China - mainland born	2,019	2,072	1,972	519	5,879	614	7,804	0	5	2	20,886
East Timor	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2

Hong Kong S.A.R.	58	38	61	21	2	23	88	0	0	0	291
India	1,197	3,192	787	114	19	301	7,295	0	0	0	12,905
Indonesia	65	123	67	38	4	0	125	0	1	0	423
Iran	241	246	130	15	0	18	2,192	0	2	0	2,844
Iraq	78	295	28	18	0	0	279	0	0	0	698
Israel	172	157	185	15	0	0	183	0	0	0	712
Japan	691	1,245	109	58	10	32	102	0	1	0	2,248
Jordan	286	717	552	14	0	3	543	0	0	0	2,115
Korea, North	1	1	0	0	0	0	60	0	0	0	62
Korea, South	324	522	191	70	2	1,374	683	0	1	0	3,167
Kuwait	42	97	38	4	0	0	6	0	0	0	187
Laos	17	8	64	4	4	2	79	0	0	0	178
Lebanon	131	219	128	6	3	1	298	0	0	0	786
Malaysia	40	55	29	10	1	0	97	0	0	0	232
Maldives	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mongolia	3	13	22	11	14	0	4	0	0	0	67
Nepal	24	30	36	12	11	55	72	0	0	0	240
Oman	0	2	4	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	8
Pakistan	926	688	1,026	33	0	47	1,419	0	0	0	4,139
Philippines	2,295	1,739	4,433	480	51	194	6,524	0	32	9	15,757
Qatar	6	6	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	14
Saudi Arabia	66	94	106	8	3	0	6	0	0	0	283
Singapore	32	26	18	4	1	0	9	0	0	0	90
Sri Lanka	32	24	20	1	9	0	144	0	0	0	230
Syria	110	125	134	1	0	2	399	0	1	0	772
Taiwan	146	191	83	11	123	64	401	0	2	0	1,021
Thailand	216	363	348	100	6	50	204	0	2	0	1,289
United Arab Emirates	5	38	40	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	87
Vietnam	1,384	1,978	957	230	147	16	2,926	0	0	0	7,638
Yemen	561	311	1,591	4	0	0	62	0	15	13	2,557

Region Total For Asia	12,467	15,999	14,185	1,971	6,293	2,816	35,100	0	64	24	88,919
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Europe

Albania	84	165	27	5	13	0	1,633	0	0	0	1,927
Andorra	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Armenia	9	174	32	24	42	2	103	0	0	0	386
Austria	35	24	0	6	0	0	8	0	0	0	73
Azerbaijan	13	23	7	3	10	0	97	0	0	0	153

Belarus	20	41	24	11	0	0	108	0	0	0	204
Belgium	27	53	11	2	0	0	9	0	0	0	102
Bosnia and Herzegovina	71	235	57	7	2	0	178	0	0	0	550
Bulgaria	65	234	84	35	18	10	463	0	3	0	912
Croatia	36	61	11	2	1	0	52	0	0	0	163
Cyprus	3	10	2	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	18
Czech Republic	35	92	14	6	2	0	29	0	0	0	178
Denmark	45	53	7	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	110
Greenland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Estonia	7	13	8	6	4	0	6	0	0	0	44
Finland	32	46	3	1	0	0	5	0	0	0	87
France	167	169	152	6	0	0	35	0	0	0	529
French Guiana	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
French Polynesia	5	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10
French Southern and Antarctic Lands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Guadeloupe	3	2	10	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	17
Martinique	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	4
New Caledonia	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Reunion	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
St. Pierre and Miquelon	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wallis and Futuna	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Georgia	10	39	46	34	9	0	52	0	0	0	190
Germany	674	559	168	66	1	1	91	0	3	0	1,563
Great Britain and Northern Ireland	866	528	257	49	0	6	356	0	3	0	2,065
Anguilla	1	2	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	9
Bermuda	30	11	13	0	0	0	10	0	0	0	64
British Virgin Islands	1	3	2	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	9
Cayman Islands	1	2	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	6
Falkland Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gibraltar	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
Montserrat	0	1	2	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	8
Pitcairn											
St. Helena	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Turks and Caicos	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Greece	48	38	24	1	1	0	55	0	0	0	167
Hungary	49	113	24	15	10	0	44	0	0	0	255
Iceland	12	19	3	7	0	0	1	0	0	0	42

Ireland	52	54	16	0	0	0	19	0	0	0	141
Italy	166	137	32	6	0	0	81	0	1	0	423
Kazakhstan	30	59	13	22	587	0	55	0	0	0	766
Kyrgyzstan	18	56	20	18	17	0	41	0	0	0	170
Latvia	8	30	10	10	24	0	16	0	0	0	98
Liechtenstein	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lithuania	21	45	61	50	14	0	48	0	0	0	239
Luxembourg	1	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	7
Macedonia	45	148	48	8	1	0	196	0	0	0	446
Malta	3	7	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	12
Moldova	10	47	17	10	15	0	55	0	0	0	154
Monaco	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Montenegro	1	11	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	18
Netherlands	99	108	14	3	0	0	17	0	1	0	242
Aruba	2	3	1	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	10
Netherlands Antilles	3	0	2	2	0	0	4	0	0	0	11
Norway	42	46	15	6	0	0	4	0	0	0	113
Poland	221	299	283	66	67	0	532	0	1	0	1,469
Portugal	30	37	24	4	2	1	48	0	0	0	146
Macau	0	1	5	0	0	0	10	0	0	0	16
Romania	144	472	116	68	0	0	394	0	0	0	1,194
Russia	231	364	263	120	3,698	8	931	0	0	0	5,615
San Marino	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Serbia	4	18	7	1	1	0	7	0	0	0	38
Serbia and Montenegro	214	485	93	18	3	1	378	0	0	0	1,192
Slovakia	16	67	14	4	0	0	34	0	0	0	135
Slovenia	5	12	2	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	22
Spain	128	113	30	5	0	0	52	0	0	0	328
Western Sahara	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sweden	71	152	10	8	0	0	8	0	0	0	249
Switzerland	50	41	16	1	0	0	8	0	0	0	116
Tajikistan	6	15	3	5	0	0	8	0	0	0	37
Turkey	107	197	114	15	0	0	186	0	0	0	619
Turkmenistan	6	4	2	3	0	0	20	0	0	0	35
Ukraine	119	290	176	102	460	0	551	0	0	0	1,698
Uzbekistan	26	78	46	75	5	1	91	0	0	0	322
Region Total For	2,847	5,075	1,925	849	5,005	23	6,610	0	8	0	25,936

North America

New Zealand	60	82	8	5	0	0	6	0	0	0	161
Cook Islands	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Niue	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Palau	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Papua New Guinea	3	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7
Samoa	12	9	10	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	37
Solomon Islands	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Tonga	10	29	10	1	1	0	12	0	0	0	63
Tuvalu	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Vanuatu	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Region Total For Oceania	46	243	40	17	7	0	148	0	0	0	1,139
South America											
Argentina	76	123	77	38	0	0	76	0	0	0	390
Bolivia	58	115	204	87	1	0	214	0	1	0	680
Brazil	211	354	366	189	66	0	270	0	0	0	1,456
Chile	70	127	95	20	3	0	91	0	0	0	406
Colombia	438	796	1,493	585	344	0	1,754	0	1	0	5,411
Ecuador	518	466	1,389	267	31	0	1,984	0	0	0	4,655
Guyana	252	163	493	50	15	4	835	0	0	0	1,812
Paraguay	9	56	41	13	0	0	19	0	0	0	138
Peru	324	469	823	273	37	0	1,192	0	3	1	3,122
Suriname	5	7	7	6	0	1	7	0	0	0	33
Uruguay	10	17	9	10	0	0	25	0	0	0	71
Venezuela	114	124	245	54	0	0	354	0	0	0	891
Region Total For South America	2,085	2,817	5,242	1,592	497	5	6,821	0	5	1	19,065
Grand Totals	31,039	30,247	48,888	6,409	14,588	6,082	82,563	0	98	41	224,187