





**Table IX**  
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| Foreign State         | SB  | SC-1 | SC-2 | SI-1 | SI-2 | SI-3 | SQ-1 | SQ-2 | SQ-3 | SU-2 | SU-3 | SU-5 | Total |
|-----------------------|-----|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-------|
| Brunei                | 0   | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0     |
| Burma                 | 1   | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 1     |
| Cambodia              | 0   | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0     |
| China - mainland born | 50  | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 50    |
| - Taiwan born         | 5   | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 5     |
| Hong Kong S.A.R.      | 3   | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 3     |
| India                 | 86  | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 1    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 87    |
| Indonesia             | 2   | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 2     |
| Iran                  | 19  | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 4    | 2    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 25    |
| Iraq                  | 15  | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 147  | 109  | 251  | 0    | 0    | 0    | 522   |
| Israel                | 6   | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 6     |
| Japan                 | 15  | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 15    |
| Jordan                | 10  | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 2    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 12    |
| Korea, North          | 0   | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0     |
| Korea, South          | 13  | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 13    |
| Kuwait                | 0   | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0     |
| Laos                  | 2   | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 2     |
| Lebanon               | 15  | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 1    | 0    | 0    | 16    |
| Malaysia              | 3   | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 3     |
| Maldives              | 0   | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0     |
| Mongolia              | 8   | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 1    | 0    | 9     |
| Nepal                 | 14  | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 14    |
| Oman                  | 0   | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0     |
| Pakistan              | 45  | 0    | 0    | 0    | 1    | 0    | 0    | 2    | 31   | 0    | 0    | 0    | 79    |
| Philippines           | 158 | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 158   |
| Qatar                 | 1   | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 1     |
| Saudi Arabia          | 6   | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 1    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 7     |
| Singapore             | 3   | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 3     |
| Sri Lanka             | 5   | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 5     |
| Syria                 | 3   | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 3     |
| Thailand              | 6   | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 6     |
| Timor-Leste           | 0   | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0     |
| United Arab Emirates  | 2   | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 4    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 6     |









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|---------------------------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|
| Tokelau                               | 0            | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0            |
| Palau                                 | 0            | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0            |
| Papua New Guinea                      | 0            | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0            |
| Samoa                                 | 1            | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0           | 0           | 0           | 1            |
| Solomon Islands                       | 0            | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0            |
| Tonga                                 | 0            | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0            |
| Tuvalu                                | 0            | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0            |
| Vanuatu                               | 0            | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0            |
| <b>Region Total For Oceania</b>       | <b>9</b>     | <b>0</b>    | <b>0</b>    | <b>0</b>    | <b>0</b>    | <b>0</b>    | <b>0</b>     | <b>0</b>     | <b>0</b>     | <b>1</b>    | <b>0</b>    | <b>0</b>    | <b>10</b>    |
| <b>South America</b>                  |              |             |             |             |             |             |              |              |              |             |             |             |              |
| Argentina                             | 8            | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0           | 0           | 0           | 8            |
| Bolivia                               | 2            | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0           | 0           | 0           | 2            |
| Brazil                                | 17           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0           | 1           | 0           | 18           |
| Chile                                 | 2            | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0           | 0           | 0           | 2            |
| Colombia                              | 25           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0           | 0           | 0           | 25           |
| Ecuador                               | 15           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0           | 7           | 0           | 22           |
| Guyana                                | 4            | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0           | 0           | 0           | 4            |
| Paraguay                              | 1            | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0           | 0           | 0           | 1            |
| Peru                                  | 37           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0           | 1           | 0           | 38           |
| Suriname                              | 0            | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0            |
| Uruguay                               | 1            | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0           | 0           | 0           | 1            |
| Venezuela                             | 13           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0           | 0           | 0           | 13           |
| <b>Region Total For South America</b> | <b>125</b>   | <b>0</b>    | <b>0</b>    | <b>0</b>    | <b>0</b>    | <b>0</b>    | <b>0</b>     | <b>0</b>     | <b>0</b>     | <b>0</b>    | <b>9</b>    | <b>0</b>    | <b>134</b>   |
| <b>Grand Totals</b>                   | <b>1,276</b> | <b>0</b>    | <b>0</b>    | <b>49</b>   | <b>41</b>   | <b>106</b>  | <b>1,792</b> | <b>1,596</b> | <b>4,410</b> | <b>5</b>    | <b>100</b>  | <b>0</b>    | <b>9,375</b> |