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Foreign State	5th Employment Creation	5th Target Employment	5th Regional Target Areas	5th Regional Pilot Program	5th Total	Employment Preference Total	Grand Total
Africa							
Algeria	0	0	0	0	0	16	171
Angola	0	0	0	0	0	0	23
Benin	0	0	0	0	0	5	39
Botswana	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Burkina Faso	0	0	0	0	0	3	35
Burundi	0	0	1	0	1	1	12
Cabo Verde	0	0	0	0	0	2	1,060
Cameroon	0	0	0	0	0	11	543
Central African Republic	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
Chad	0	0	4	0	4	4	5
Comoros	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Congo, Dem. Rep. of the	0	0	1	0	1	43	351
Congo, Rep. of the	0	0	0	0	0	21	31
Cote d'Ivoire	0	0	1	0	1	18	208
Djibouti	0	0	0	0	0	0	13
Egypt	0	0	58	0	58	262	1,419
Equatorial Guinea	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Eritrea	0	0	0	0	0	141	338
Eswatini	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Ethiopia	0	0	5	0	5	120	1,574
Gabon	0	0	0	0	0	0	8
Gambia, The	0	0	0	0	0	11	156
Ghana	0	0	1	0	1	107	1,455
Guinea	0	0	0	0	0	4	174
Guinea-Bissau	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Kenya	0	1	6	0	7	520	1,034
Lesotho	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Liberia	0	0	0	0	0	7	500
Libya	0	0	10	0	10	10	43
Madagascar	0	0	0	0	0	15	17
Malawi	0	0	0	0	0	5	14
Mali	0	0	0	0	0	0	51
Mauritania	0	0	0	0	0	0	33
Mauritius	0	0	0	0	0	0	7
Morocco	2	0	5	0	7	33	495
Western Sahara	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mozambique	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Namibia	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Niger	0	0	0	0	0	1	5
Nigeria	0	0	77	0	77	868	3,603
Rwanda	0	0	1	0	1	8	57
Sao Tome and Principe	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Senegal	0	0	0	0	0	26	273
Seychelles	0	0	0	0	0	1	2
Sierra Leone	0	0	0	0	0	1	190
Somalia	0	0	0	0	0	3	86

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South Africa	0	0	111	0	111	230	345
South Sudan	0	0	0	0	0	14	24
Sudan	0	0	2	0	2	12	156
Tanzania	0	0	0	0	0	21	86
Togo	0	0	0	0	0	13	225
Tunisia	0	0	0	0	0	12	33
Uganda	0	0	2	0	2	47	192
Zambia	0	0	0	0	0	10	24
Zimbabwe	0	0	0	0	0	69	108
Region Total For Africa	2	1	285	0	288	2,697	15,230
Asia							
Afghanistan	0	0	6	0	6	13	369
Bahrain	0	0	10	0	10	23	37
Bangladesh	0	0	20	0	20	142	8,241
Bhutan	0	0	0	0	0	3	4
Brunei	0	0	0	0	0	3	5
Burma	2	0	4	0	6	27	620
Cambodia	0	0	7	0	7	110	722
China - mainland born	25	76	3,789	4	3,894	4,954	18,183
- Taiwan born	1	5	400	0	406	630	1,397
Hong Kong S.A.R.	0	5	135	0	140	200	766
India	2	35	466	0	503	2,508	15,780
Indonesia	0	1	7	0	8	19	218
Iran	0	0	6	0	6	61	582
Iraq	0	0	34	0	34	42	434
Israel	0	0	1	0	1	72	178
Japan	0	0	86	0	86	242	307
Jordan	0	0	7	0	7	83	1,513
Korea, North	0	0	4	0	4	4	4
Korea, South	8	0	650	0	658	2,824	3,571
Kuwait	0	0	6	0	6	56	297
Laos	0	0	0	0	0	15	136
Lebanon	0	0	9	0	9	83	884
Malaysia	0	0	16	0	16	42	183
Maldives	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mongolia	0	0	2	0	2	35	80
Nepal	0	0	4	0	4	169	1,089
Oman	0	0	0	0	0	20	27
Pakistan	0	3	42	0	45	431	5,298
Philippines	0	0	11	0	11	4,304	17,475
Qatar	1	1	12	0	14	46	77
Saudi Arabia	0	0	29	0	29	110	359
Singapore	0	7	18	0	25	37	84
Sri Lanka	0	0	3	0	3	51	251
Syria	0	0	31	0	31	74	495
Thailand	0	0	14	0	14	73	318

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Turks and Caicos Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Greece	0	0	8	0	8	45	116
Hungary	0	0	0	0	0	39	69
Iceland	0	0	0	0	0	1	3
Ireland	0	0	0	0	0	31	46
Italy	0	5	20	0	25	143	260
Kazakhstan	0	0	1	0	1	38	92
Kosovo	0	0	0	0	0	4	330
Kyrgyzstan	0	0	0	0	0	17	60
Latvia	0	0	0	0	0	6	25
Liechtenstein	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lithuania	0	0	0	0	0	10	74
Luxembourg	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Malta	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Moldova	0	0	0	0	0	21	108
Monaco	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Montenegro	0	0	0	0	0	0	108
Netherlands	0	0	3	0	3	25	54
Aruba	0	0	0	0	0	2	9
Curacao	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Sint Maarten	0	0	0	0	0	0	8
North Macedonia	0	0	0	0	0	17	227
Norway	0	0	2	0	2	4	6
Svalbard	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Poland	0	0	11	0	11	174	638
Portugal	0	0	0	0	0	24	61
Macau	0	0	3	0	3	5	15
Romania	0	0	4	0	4	52	283
Russia	0	1	58	0	59	271	833
San Marino	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Serbia	0	0	0	0	0	23	142
Slovakia	0	0	5	0	5	17	30
Slovenia	0	0	0	0	0	1	6
Spain	0	0	4	0	4	74	176
Sweden	0	0	10	0	10	36	59
Switzerland	0	0	13	0	13	27	31
Tajikistan	0	0	0	0	0	27	88
Turkey	0	0	64	0	64	243	428
Turkmenistan	0	0	0	0	0	1	19
Ukraine	0	2	8	0	10	145	1,067
Uzbekistan	0	0	0	0	0	13	607
Vatican City	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Region Total For Europe	3	12	335	0	350	2,616	10,371
North America							
Antigua and Barbuda	0	0	0	0	0	10	92
Bahamas, The	0	0	0	0	0	28	79

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Barbados	0	0	0	0	0	19	76
Belize	0	0	0	0	0	4	134
Canada	1	0	30	0	31	371	644
Costa Rica	0	0	1	0	1	27	213
Cuba	0	0	1	0	1	5	4,259
Dominica	0	0	0	0	0	12	168
Dominican Republic	0	0	5	0	5	56	25,878
El Salvador	0	0	0	0	0	62	5,333
Grenada	0	0	0	0	0	0	105
Guatemala	0	0	0	0	0	45	2,045
Haiti	0	0	0	0	0	60	3,174
Honduras	0	0	0	0	0	28	1,626
Jamaica	0	0	0	0	0	923	5,706
Mexico	5	0	69	3	77	818	21,077
Nicaragua	0	0	0	0	0	27	899
Panama	0	0	2	0	2	11	154
Saint Kitts and Nevis	0	0	0	0	0	1	98
Saint Lucia	0	0	0	0	0	15	154
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	0	0	0	0	0	13	72
Trinidad and Tobago	0	0	1	0	1	49	695
Region Total For North America	6	0	109	3	118	2,584	72,681
Oceania							
Australia	0	0	2	0	2	44	94
Christmas Island	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Cocos (Keeling) Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Norfolk Island	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fiji	0	0	0	0	0	5	288
Kiribati	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Marshall Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Micronesia, Federated States of	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nauru	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
New Zealand	0	0	1	0	1	25	39
Cook Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Niue	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tokelau	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Palau	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Papua New Guinea	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Samoa	0	0	0	0	0	2	7
Solomon Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tonga	0	0	0	0	0	0	46
Tuvalu	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Vanuatu	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Region Total For Oceania	0	0	3	0	3	77	478

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South America							
Argentina	0	0	37	0	37	154	294
Bolivia	0	0	2	0	2	24	275
Brazil	0	10	272	0	282	792	1,415
Chile	0	0	3	0	3	15	101
Colombia	0	0	25	0	25	191	2,442
Ecuador	0	0	6	0	6	87	2,892
Guyana	0	0	0	0	0	39	2,843
Paraguay	0	0	0	0	0	5	49
Peru	0	0	6	0	6	63	2,485
Suriname	0	0	1	0	1	6	50
Uruguay	0	0	0	0	0	7	30
Venezuela	0	6	51	0	57	363	895
Region Total For South America	0	16	403	0	419	1,746	13,771
Grand Totals	52	178	7,652	7	7,889	28,538	219,476