

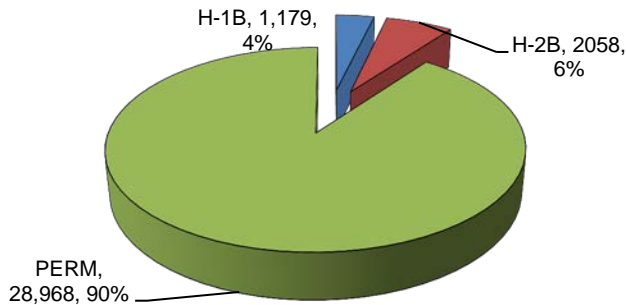
# OFFICE OF FOREIGN LABOR CERTIFICATION

## National Prevailing Wage Center– Selected Statistics, FY 2017

Prevailing Wage (PW) Requests Received <sup>1</sup>						
Program	FYTD	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	% FY Change from FY16
H-1B <sup>2</sup>	4,917	1,066	1,368	1,009	1,474	-11%
H-2B	13,602	4,330	758	1,934	6,580	6%
PERM	149,941	35,295	36,194	39,659	38,793	4%

PW Case Actions						
PW Action	FYTD	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	% FY Change from FY16
Determined <sup>3</sup>	173,859	43,928	45,540	36,612	47,779	30%
Withdrawn	8,866	2,153	2,316	2,219	2,178	8%
Pending <sup>4</sup>	32,205	41,577	32,039	35,509	32,205	-32%

### Pending PW Requests



**32,205 Determinations Remaining as of 9/30/2017**

<sup>1</sup>Please note that applications received will not match posted disclosure data as this data set only includes adjudicated cases.

<sup>2</sup>Data includes H-1B, H-1B1 and E-3 Specialty Occupations Labor Condition Programs

<sup>3</sup>PW Determined cases represent all decisions to include the Initial Determinations, Redeterminations, and Center Director Reviews. These numbers may not match the numbers on previous reports due to changes in case processing status.

<sup>4</sup>Carry-over from previous fiscal year impacted overall volume of PW applications.

Prevailing Wage Determinations Issued FY 2017 (% of total visa program determinations issued FY 2017)			
<b>PERM Top 5 Employers</b>	Intel Corporation	3,272	2.1%
	Microsoft Corporation	2,784	1.8%
	Google, Inc.	1,854	1.2%
	Cisco Systems, Inc.	1,684	1.1%
	Apple, Inc.	1,544	1.0%
<b>PERM Top 5 Occupations</b>	Software Developers, Applications	34,040	21.7%
	Software Developers, Systems Software	12,858	8.2%
	Computer Systems Analysts	11,987	7.6%
	Computer Occupations, All Other	5,309	3.4%
	Electronics Engineers, Except Computer	5,202	3.3%
<b>H-1B Top 5 Employers</b>	Baylor College Of Medicine	214	4.7%
	The University Of Texas M.D. Anderson Cancer Center	203	4.4%
	University Of Illinois	178	3.9%
	Indiana University	165	3.6%
	Massachusetts Institute Of Technology	164	3.6%
<b>H-1B Top 5 Occupations</b>	Biochemists and Biophysicists	663	14.5%
	Medical Scientists, Except Epidemiologists	236	5.2%
	Physicians and Surgeons, All Other	215	4.7%
	Software Developers, Applications	187	4.1%
	Engineering Teachers, Postsecondary	151	3.3%
<b>H-2B Top 5 Employers</b>	ABC Professional Tree Services, Inc.	60	0.5%
	Omni Hotels Management Corp.	57	0.5%
	BrightView Landscape, LLC	48	0.4%
	Stanmar, Inc.	43	0.3%
	Aquasafe Pool Management, Inc.	42	0.3%
<b>H-2B Top 5 Occupations</b>	Landscaping and Grounds keeping Workers	4,189	33.1%
	Maids and Housekeeping Cleaners	870	6.9%
	Construction Laborers	527	4.2%
	Cooks, Restaurant	444	3.5%
	Nonfarm Animal Caretakers	418	3.3%