

The Muslim Bans

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Muslim Ban 1.0 Executive Order 13769: January 27, 2017
 Muslim Ban 2.0 Executive Order 13780: March 6, 2017
 Muslim Ban 3.0 Presidential Proclamation 9645: September 24, 2017

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countries affected by the ban since January 2017

Chad*
 Iran*
 Iraq*
 Libya*
 North Korea**
 Somalia*
 Sudan*
 Syria*
 Venezuela**
 Yemen

* No longer included in Muslim Ban 3.0
 ** The scope of the Ban on nationals from these two non-Muslim majority countries are drastically different



34 times President Trump referenced the Ban on Twitter



19 times President Trump referenced the Ban after an attack by a Muslim



12 times Donald J Trump referenced a Muslim Ban as a Presidential Candidate

11 times struck down by courts

5 times put forth before the Supreme Court

90+ legal challenges filed against the Muslim Ban



60,000- 100,000 visas revoked since Muslim Ban 1.0

Only 2 out of 8,406 visa waiver applications approved*

* Between December 8, 2017 to January 8, 2018 (Muslim Ban 3.0)

- ▽ 13% decrease in immigrant visas issued to citizens from Muslim majority countries (March 2017 to October 2017)
- ▽ 20% decrease in non-immigrant visas issued from Muslim majority countries (April 2017)
- ▽ 30% decrease in non-immigrant visas issued from Arab countries (April 2017)
- ▽ 52% decrease in non-immigrant visas issued to citizens of Iran (April 2017)
- ▽ 68% decrease in non-immigrant visas issued to citizens of Somalia (April 2017)
- ▽ 55% decrease in non-immigrant visas issued to citizens from countries named in Muslim Ban 2.0: Iran, Libya, Somalia, Sudan, Syria and Yemen (April 2017)

* All percentages are compared to 2016 monthly averages

Religious background of refugees entering the U.S.:

February 2017
 Muslim: 50%
 Christian: 41%



June 2017
 Muslim: 31%
 Christian: 57%

Of all refugees resettled in the U.S. between January 2017 and November 2017:

40% decrease in Muslims

(from 50% in January 2017 to less than 10% in November 2017)



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The Bridge Initiative is a research project on Islamophobia at Georgetown University. Visit bridge.georgetown.edu for more information.

For the tool used to compile President Trump's tweets from Twitter, check out the The Bridge Initiative's Interactive Timeline

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