

IMMIGRATION BORDER PATROL

QUESTION XX

Estimate the percentage of cases handled by the Immigration Border Patrol which are brought to the attention of the Patrol by its own agents. By other agents of the Bureau of Immigration and Naturalization. By the Customs Border Patrol. By state and local police officials. By the Bureau of Investigation (Department of Justice). By the Coast Guard. By the Secret Service. By others.

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A record of the number of aliens actually delivered to the Immigration Border Patrol by other enforcement agencies has been maintained only since September, 1935. During that period a total of 524 aliens were delivered to the Patrol Service, as follows: 75 by the Customs Service; 71 by state and municipal authorities, and 378 by agencies not specified. No record is kept of the number of cases brought to the attention of the Immigration Border Patrol as distinguished from actual delivery of aliens. Therefore it is not possible to arrive at any satisfactory estimate of the percentage of cases handled by the Immigration Border Patrol which were brought to its attention by other agencies.