

**WRITTEN QUESTION TO THE CHIEF MINISTER  
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ANSWER TO BE TABLED ON MONDAY 14th JULY 2014**

**Question**

Further to the response given on 17th June 2014, will the Chief Minister set out for members the number of people who have applied for registration cards under the new Control of Housing and Work (Jersey) Law 2012, breaking down the numbers into the nationality and country of origin for all those who have applied during the first full year of its operation?

**Answer**

The figures below show all those people applying for registration cards under the Control of Housing and Work (Jersey) Law 2012 for the first full year of operation of the new law.

Applying for a registration card does not mean people are new to the Island, as we all need registration cards when moving house or changing jobs.

When issuing cards we ask for an applicant's nationality, not country of origin.

<b>Nationality</b>	
British (includes 9,944 Jersey-born)	18,446
Portuguese	3,293
Polish	1,838
Romanian	659
Irish	497
French	212
South African	124
Indian	118
Bulgarian	113
Thai	97
Latvian	81
Kenyan	77
Italian	74
German	69
Filipino	67
Hungarian	61
Spanish	54
Dutch	50
Australian	44
Canadian	40
Zimbabwean	39
Swedish	38
New Zealander	37

American	35
Slovak	31
Czech Republic	30
Pakistani	22
Lithuanian	20
Bangladeshi	19
Russian	19
Brazilian	14
Cypriot	14
Belgian	13
Austrian	11
Chinese	11
Malaysian	11
Turkish	10
Sri Lankan	9
Ugandan	9
Danish	8
Finnish	8
Jamaican	8
Mauritian	8
Maltese	7
Slovenian	7
Swiss	7
Venezuelan	7
Malawian	6
Norwegian	6
Egyptian	5
Estonian	5
Greek	5
Singaporean	5
Tunisian	5
Croatian	4
Grenedean	4
Israeli	4
Japanese	4
Moroccan	4
Cuban	3
Gambian	3
Ghanaian	3
Nigerian	3
Saint Vincentian	3
Ukrainian	3
Zambian	3
Albanian	2
Argentine	2
Barbadian	2

Jordanian	2
Nepalese	2
Tongan	2
Bahamian	1
Belarusian	1
Botswana	1
Bruneian	1
Cambodian	1
Ecuadorean	1
Guyanese	1
Icelandic	1
Indonesian	1
Iranian	1
Kazakhstani	1
Lebanese	1
Mexican	1
Mongolian	1
Sao Tomense	1
Senegalese	1
Vietnamese	1
Total	26,573