CHART NAME: APPLICATIONS FOR IMMIGRATION BENEFITS

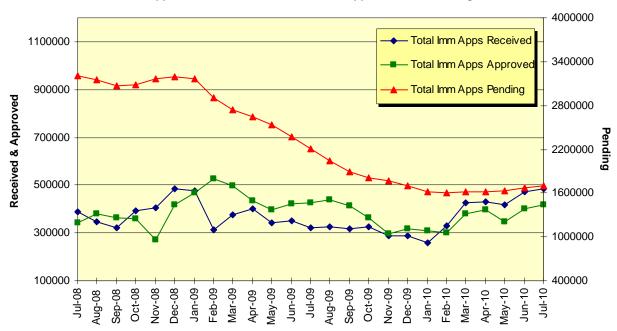
WHAT IT DISPLAYS: The below chart provides data on applications and petitions received by USCIS for immigration benefits in July 2010. This chart excludes all data associated with the citizenship related applications.

WHAT IT SHOWS: Immigration application receipts increased 50 percent compared to the number received in July 2009. July 2010 approvals decreased by 2 percent, denials decreased by 55 percent, and pending decreased less than 23% compared to July 2009.

	Month			Fiscal Year			Total FY
Immigration Applications	July 2010	July 2009	% Change	FY 2010 to Date	FY 2009 to Date	% Change	2009
Received	483,986	323,483	50%	3,718,722	3,870,830	-4%	4,510,694
Approved	415,794	425,354	-2%	3,529,821	4,218,070	-16%	5,069,167
Denied	40,774	90,801	-55%	476,323	609,955	-22%	751,253
Pending	1,699,198	2,209,456	-23%	1,699,198	2,209,456	-23%	1,890,357

Data source: PAS G-22.2¹

Applications for Benefits: Received, Approved, and Pending



- Major receipt volumes in July 2010 include: 148,073 I-765 employment authorizations; 64,245 I-90 green card renewals/replacements; 59,806 I-821 temporary protected status; 49,698 I-130 immediate/all other petitions; 43,466 I-485 applications to adjust status; 34,764 I-131 travel document/advance parole; 29,741 I-129 forms filed.
- Major volumes of pending applications at the end of July 2010 include: 494,722 I-130 immediate/all other petitions; 387,087 I-485 applications to adjust status; 241,030 I-765 employment authorizations; 167,234 I-90 green card renewals/replacements; 93,303 I-821 temporary protected status; 71,536 I-131 travel document/advance parole; 71,453 I-129 forms filed; 56,816 I-751 remove conditions spouse jointly/waive.

¹ The Performance Analysis System (PAS) is the USCIS System of Record for capturing and reporting field office and service center performance data. The G-22.2 is the PAS data entry worksheet used to collect monthly Immigration Application statistics.