

# Federal Denials

Reasons Why the NICS Section Denies

November 30, 1998 - June 30, 2016

<u>Rank</u>	<u>Prohibited Category Description</u>	<u>Total</u>
1	Convicted of a crime punishable by more than one year or a misdemeanor punishable by more than two years	724,550
2	Fugitive from Justice	158,836
3	Misdemeanor Crime of Domestic Violence Conviction	124,962
4	Unlawful User/Addicted to a Controlled Substance	115,810
5	State Prohibitor	68,240
6	Protection/Restraining Order for Domestic Violence	52,436
7	Under Indictment/Information	37,837
8	Adjudicated Mental Health	23,876
9	Illegal/Unlawful Alien	17,531
10	Federally Denied Persons File	5,909
11	Dishonorable Discharge	1,003
12	Renounced U.S. Citizenship	72
<b>Total Federal Denials</b>		<b>1,331,062</b>