

Table A
Application Denial Reasons, Fiscal Years 2016–17 Through 2023–24

FISCAL YEAR	NOT A QUALIFYING CRIME	VICTIM INVOLVED IN CRIME	NO EVIDENCE OF INJURY	DID NOT COOPERATE WITH CALVCB	DID NOT COOPERATE WITH LAW ENFORCEMENT	NOT WITHIN TIME LIMIT	INELIGIBLE APPLICANT	DUPLICATE APPLICATION	INSUFFICIENT INFORMATION	NO DENIAL REASON LISTED
2016–17	540	57	403	9	116	27	167	102	2	3,318
2017–18	1,000	111	887	7	288	66	247	195	0	1,223
2018–19	865	89	679	6	213	8	228	157	1	1,016
2019–20	881	69	961	3	178	6	232	207	0	1,236
2020–21	990	101	1,274	3	178	9	145	182	1	1,362
2021–22	986	65	1,206	9	202	11	119	250	1	973
2022–23	1,668	215	797	48	175	6	147	494	0	1,788
2023–24	2,290	294	1,229	63	224	1	150	1,503	2	2,360
Totals	9,220	1,001	7,436	148	1,574	134	1,435	3,090	7	13,276

Source: CalVCB denied applications data.

Note: CalVCB staff do not always enter the denial reasons into its database, but include the reason in the denial letters sent to applicants. Therefore, many denials in the database do not have a denial reason. As a result, the above numbers are an approximation. Additionally, we have omitted the data for fiscal years 2014–15 and 2015–16 as CalVCB used a different system to track claim denials.