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FOREWORD



You opened Migration Yearbook 2006.

Migration is not a new concept or phenomenon in Lithuania. The people of our country travel, due to various reasons go to other states for living, come back. Recently, foreign persons having families with Lithuanian citizens, willing to study, undergoing training, working, being engaged in other legal activity or seeking for asylum more and more often immigrants to our country and obtain the right of permanent or temporary residence.

In order to ensure coordinated character of migration events, the right of free movement of persons inside the state as well as outside it, also maintaining national safety, public order, migration flows are under control. Migration Department under the Ministry of the Interior is a central institution administrating these processes, implementing the state policy in the fields of visas and immigration, procedures of asylum and citizenship of the Republic of Lithuania, issuance and accounting of the documents proving personal identity and citizenship, travel documents, permissions for residence in the Republic of Lithuania and other documents, declaration of residence and free movement of persons.

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1. General

1.1. The Main Events of 2006 in the Areas of Free Movement of Persons, Migration, Visas, Asylum, Citizenship, Issue of Personal Documents and Declaration of Residence

Migration

- On 30 January, under the rule of the Minister of the Interior, new edit of the provisions of the Migration Department under the Ministry of the Interior was approved.
- On 15 March, under the rule of the Minister of the Interior, the working group was established for transfer of the legal provisions of the European Union including Schengen *acquis*, visas, migration and asylum issues, into the legal acts of the Republic of Lithuania.
- On 3 April, under the rule of the Prime Minister, the working group was established for the development of draft Projects (programme) of Management Strategy of Economic Migration.
- On 8 June, under the rule of the Government of the Republic of Lithuania, the new edit of the action plan on the adoption of National Schengen *acquis* was approved.
- On 17 July, under the rule of the Minister of the Interior, the concept of revocation of Control at the internal borders of the Republic of Lithuania and the European Union and reinforcement of the activity of competent authorities in border regions was approved.
- On 31 July, under the rule of the General Commissioner of the Lithuanian Police and Director of the Migration Department under the Ministry of the Interior, specifications of cooperation of the Migration Department under the Ministry of the Interior and Police Department under the Ministry of the Interior in organizing and applying control of the activity of migration units, divisions, groups and passports divisions of territorial police establishments were approved.
- On 16 November, the agreement of three institutions under the Ministry of the Interior – Police Department, Migration Department and State Border Guard Service – was signed, the aim of which is ensuring multilateral exchange of information, and development of inter-institutional cooperation in order to fully implement and properly execute the provisions of Schengen Convention in the territory of the Republic of Lithuania.
- On 28 November, the Law on amendment of the Law on Legal Status of Aliens of the Republic of Lithuania and the leading laws on amendment of the Law on State Fees of the Republic of Lithuania, and on 7 December – the Law on amendment of the Law on declaration of residence of the Republic of Lithuania were passed, where the provisions of 6 Directives of the European Union were transferred.
- On 1 December, under the rule of the Minister of the Interior, a working group for the development of draft provisions of the division of the Ministry of the Interior obliged to coordinate and control the activity of institutions participating in administration of migration processes, was formed.

Visas

- On 6 February, under the rule of the Minister of the Interior and the Minister of Foreign Affairs, the rules of provision of documents for issue of visa, visa issuance, also issuance of a visa in border control posts, extension of the period of stay in the Republic of Lithuania in possession of a visa, visa abolishment, were approved, establishing the order of accreditation of travel organizers and travel agencies.
- On 6 June, under the decision of the Government of the Republic of Macedonia, visa regime was withdrawn for the citizens of the Republic of Lithuania.
- On 27 June, under the rule of the Government of the Republic of Lithuania, the list of state fee objects and the amount of this fee related to visa issuance and extension of period of stay in the republic of Lithuania in possession of a visa, were changed.

- On 11 September, under the rule of the Government of the Republic of Lithuania, visa regime for school students legally residing in the European Union, who come from the third countries, was withdrawn.
- On 24 October, the Resolution was passed in the Seimas of the Republic of Lithuania on the policy of the EU visas for the citizens of neighbouring countries.
- On 24 October, the Republic of Lithuania Law on agreement of the Government of the Republic of Lithuania and the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine on denunciation of travels of citizens, was passed.
- On 24 October, the Republic of Lithuania Law on agreement of the Government of the Republic of Lithuania and the Government of the Republic of Moldova on denunciation of travels of citizens, was passed.

Residence permits

- On 24 April, under the rule of the Minister of the Social Security and Labour, specifications of issue conditions and order of work permits for aliens were approved.
- On 29 May, under the order of the General Commissioner of the Lithuanian Police, the form of check of data on an alien having provided application for issuance temporary or permanent residence permit in the Republic of Lithuania, permit of a family member of the citizen of EU Member State for residence in the Republic of Lithuania or an application for provisions of asylum in the Republic of Lithuania, and the rules of provision of conclusions on an alien were approved.
- On 1 July, National Security Department of the Republic of Lithuania and Migration Department under the Ministry of the Interior signed the agreement on provision of data in order to solve the issues of legal status of persons in the Republic of Lithuania.
- On 16 November, the agreement on provision of personal data was signed by the Board of State Security Fund under the Ministry of Social Affairs and Labour and the Migration Department under the Ministry of the Interior, based on which data is provided on social security premiums of an alien, income subject to social security and other information, when the issues of legal status of an alien in the Republic of Lithuania are solved.
- On 4 December, under the order of the Minister of Social Security and Labour and the Minister of the Interior, specifications of the conditions and the order of issuance of a Work Permit for an alien when he/she stays in the Republic of Lithuania, were approved.

Asylum

- On 11 January, under the order of the Minister of Social Security and Labour, a new edit of specifications of the order of provision of integration of Lithuanian state support for the persons having obtained asylum in the Republic of Lithuania.
- On 14 April, under the order of the Minister of Social Security and Labour multi-yearly programme of the European Refugees Fund in Lithuania (2005–2007) and annual programme of the European Refugees Fund (2005) were approved.
- On 8 August, Migration Department under the Ministry of the Interior and the Ministry of Social Affairs and Labour as well as the European Social Fund Agency of the Support Fund signed a tripartite agreement on provision of support to the project “Enhancing of efficiency of asylum procedure in improving acceptance conditions of asylum seekers” by the Migration Department under the Ministry of the Interior while implementing the programme (2005) of European Refugees Fund in Lithuania, and the project implementation was started. Project value – LTL 176 thousand, including 75 % the resources of the European Refugees Fund, 25 % the resources of common financing of the Lithuanian budget. Project implementation was finished on 31 December 2006.
- On 30 November, under the resolution of the Government of the Republic of Lithuania, acceptance of asylum seekers from the Republic of Malta was approved.

Aliens' Control

- On 20 March, under the rule of the Minister of the Interior, the State Border Guard Service under the Ministry of the Interior was appointed as the central institution responsible for provision of mutual assistance transit related to sending by air transport; the rules on passing and implementation of decisions on ordering aliens to leave, sending, returning and travelling transit through the territory of the Republic of Lithuania, establishing the order of provision of such assistance to the EU Member States.
- On 6 October, under the order of the Commander of the State Border Guard Service under the Ministry of the Interior, instructions of marking and check of travel documents of the persons crossing the state border.
- On 28 December, under the rule of the Government of the Republic of Lithuania, the State Border Guard Service under the Ministry of the Interior was appointed as a national communications point of the Republic of Lithuania designated for exchange of a relevant information among migration management services of the EU Member States implementing the functions of combat against illegal migration, the centre of coordination of return and sending of aliens of the Republic of Lithuania, and the centre of coordination of communication officials of immigration of the Republic of Lithuania.

Citizenship

- On 22 March, under the rule of the Government of the Republic of Lithuania, the order of issue of the documents proving the right for keeping the citizenship of the Republic of Lithuania was changed.
- On 22 March, under the rule of the Government of the Republic of Lithuania, the Commission was established for analysis of the issues of the citizenship of the Republic of Lithuania, and provisions thereof were approved.
- On 29 March, under the rule of the Government of the Republic of Lithuania, the rules of drafting the documents of the citizenship of the Republic of Lithuania and the rules of giving oath to the Republic of Lithuania were approved.
- On 31 March, under the rule of the Minister of the Interior, the persons forming the commission for solving the issues of the citizenship of the Republic of Lithuania were approved.
- On 6 April, the Law on amendment of the Law on Citizenship of the Republic of Lithuania, the Law on amendment of the Law on implementation of the Law on Citizenship of the Republic of Lithuania and the Law on amendment of the Law on Local Municipalities of the Republic of Lithuania were passed.
- On 2 May, under the rule of the Minister of the Interior, the Commission for accepting the oath to the Republic of Lithuania was formed.
- On 3 July, under the order of the Director of the Migration Department under the Ministry of the Interior, specifications of the order on change of provision of application on issuance of the certificate of keeping the right to the citizenship of the Republic of Lithuania, change of the certificate of keeping the right to the citizenship of the Republic of Lithuania, announcement as invalid and destruction, were approved.
- On 18 July, the Law on amendment of the Law on Citizenship of the Republic of Lithuania was adopted.
- On 13 November, the Constitutional Court of the Republic of Lithuania passed the ruling on the compliance of the provisions of legal acts regulating the citizenship relations with the Constitutions of the Republic of Lithuania. It states that a person, except individual cases established by Law on Citizenship, may not be the citizen of the Republic of Lithuania and other state at the same time. According to the Constitutions it is not justified.
- On 20 December, under the rule of the Prime Minister, a working group was established for analyzing the issues related to the existing conditions of the development of Lithuanian statehood in the notion of Lithuanian citizenship and provision of the offers to the Government.

of the Republic of Lithuania regarding legal evaluation of this notion in the Constitutions of the Republic of Lithuania.

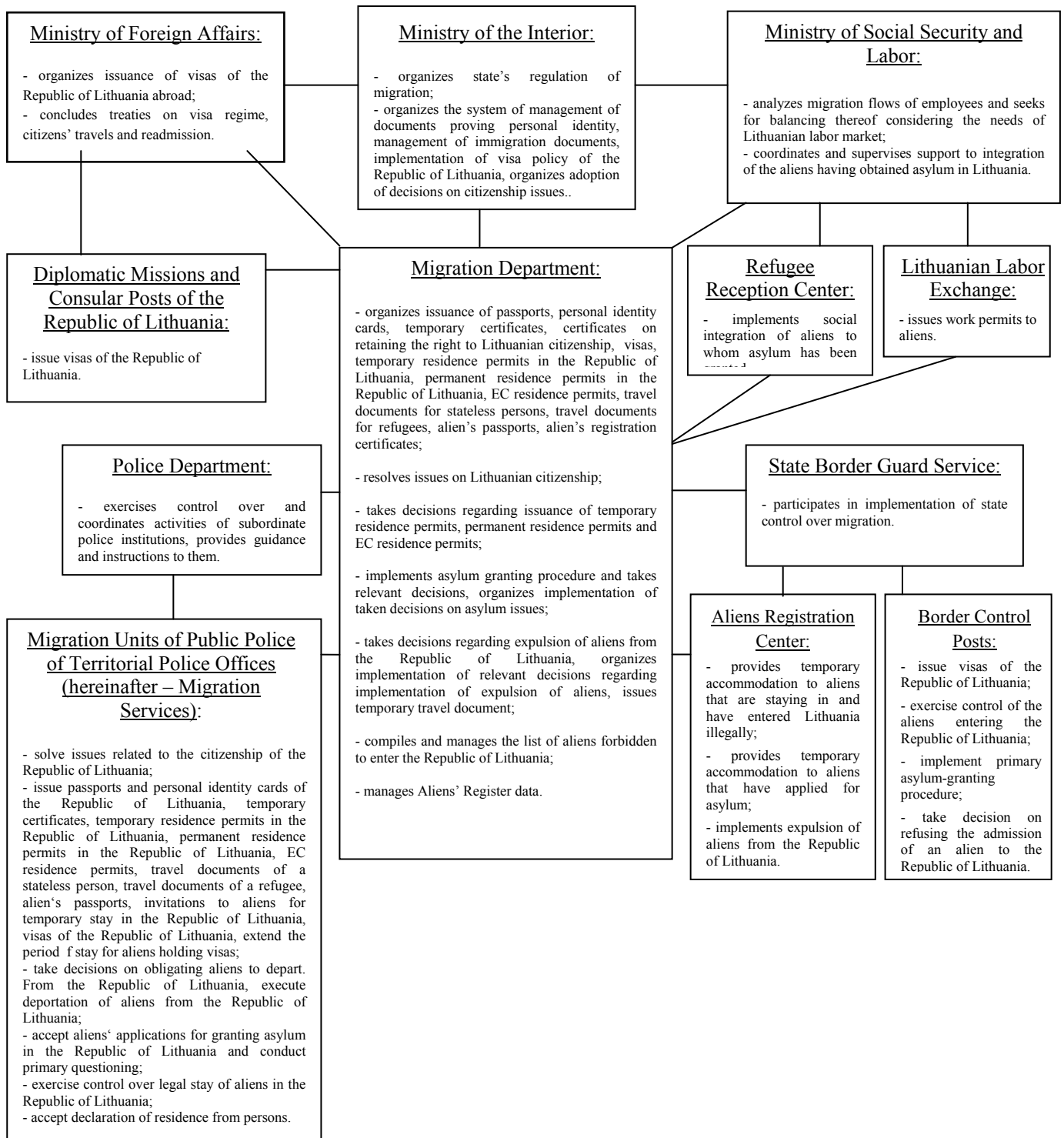
Identification cards and travel documents of the citizens of the Republic of Lithuania

- On 9 February, under the rule of the Minister of Transport, the rules on issue and filling of sailor's certificate of the Republic of Lithuania were approved.
- On 24 February, under the rules of the Minister of the Interior on Implementation of Electronic Inserts the forms of passport and service passport were changed.
- On 25 May the Law on amendment of the Law on Residents' Register of the Republic of Lithuania was passed, providing for managing personal biometric data in the Residents' Register and on the basis of this data issuing personal documents with biometric data.
- On 20 June, the Law on amendment of the Law on Passport of the Republic of Lithuania and Law on amendment of the Law on Service Passport of the Republic of Lithuania were passed.
- On 17 July, under the rules of the Minister of the Interior, the rules for issue of travel documents of a stateless person and alien's passport were changed reducing the period of validity thereof to one year.
- On 18 August, under the rule of the Minister of the Interior, the rules of issuance of refugee's travel documents were changed, the period of validity of this document was reduced to one year.
- On 24 August, under the rule of the Minister of the Interior, requirements for photographs for personal documents were changed.
- On 28 August, additional entries of personal biometric data were stated to be entered into the passports of the Republic of Lithuania and service passports of the Republic of Lithuania.
- On 29 August, under the rule of the Minister of the Interior, the order of issue, change, return, announcement as invalid and destruction of service passport was approved.
- On 2 October, under the rule of the Minister of the Interior, a new edit of the order of issue, change, announcement as invalid and destruction of a passport was approved.
- On 11 December, under the rule of the Minister of Foreign Affairs, regulations of provision of documents regarding issuance and change of passport to the diplomatic missions of the Republic of Lithuania or consular posts in foreign states, sending of these documents and invalid documents proving the personal identity and citizenship of the republic of Lithuania to the Migration Department under the Ministry of the Interior, and handling of a passport to a citizen, were approved.
- On 28 December, under the rule of the Minister of the Interior, implementing the provisions of resolutions on introduction of single form passports approved by the meetings of the board of representatives of the governments of the EC Member States, the new form of passport of the Republic of Lithuania was approved, as well as the description of this form of passport.

Declaration of residence by the citizens of the Republic of Lithuania and by aliens

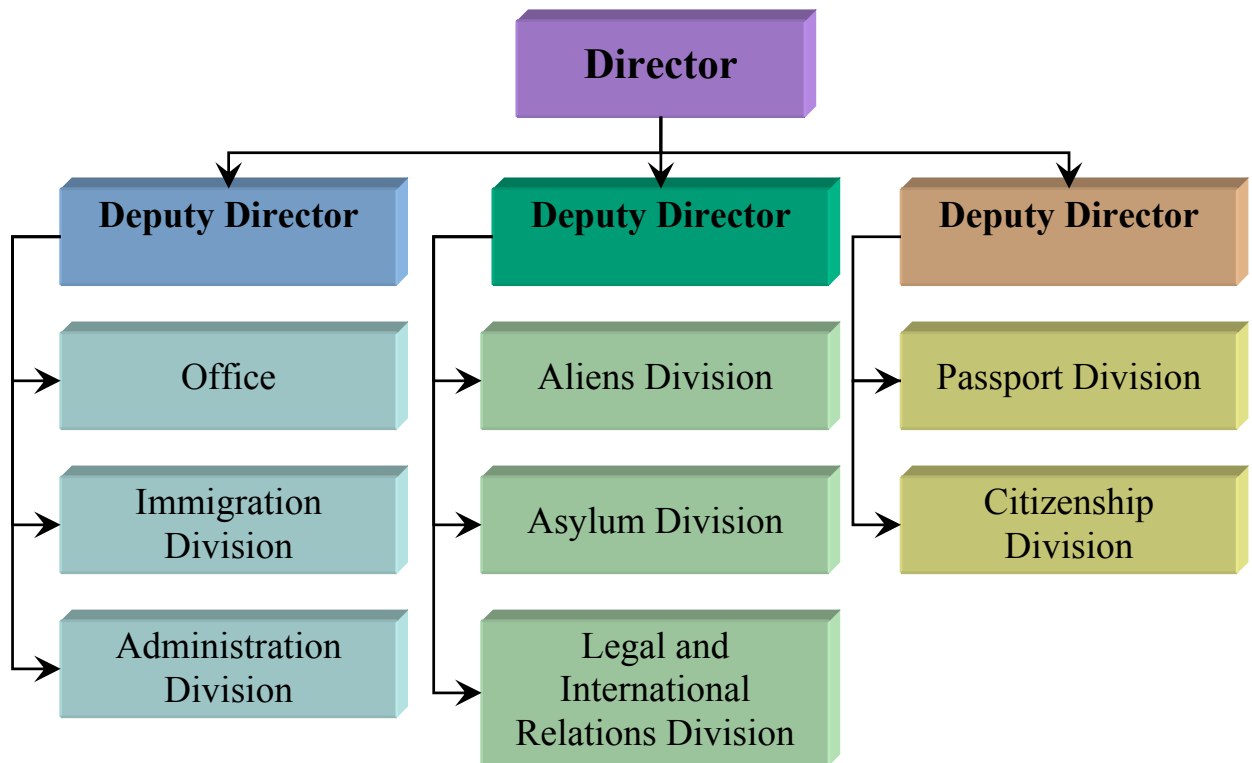
- On 10 July, under the rule of the Government of the Republic of Lithuania, regulations of the order of passing the functions of management of declaration of residence data and accounting of persons with no residence to municipalities were approved. It provides that the municipalities must be ready for implementation of this function from 1 July 2007.
- On 19 July, the Resolution on Coherent State Policy for Management of Emigration Processes was adopted.
- On 1 December, under the rule of the Minister of Foreign Affairs, the description of consular registration order of the citizens of the Republic of Lithuania residing in foreign states and the form of application for registration were approved.

1.2. Structure of Management of Migration Processes in the Republic of Lithuania



1.3. Structure of the Migration Department under the Ministry of the Interior of the Republic of Lithuania

(as of 1 January 2007)



The Migration Department under the Ministry of the Interior of the Republic of Lithuania was established on 21 May 1992 by order of the Minister of the Interior Petras Valiukas upon merging two divisions of the Ministry: the Emigration and Immigration Service under the Ministry of the Interior and the Passport Board of the Ministry of the Interior. Former directors of the Migration Department: Edvardas Gružas (1992–1993), Česlovas Kazimieras Blažys (1993–1995), Vladas Minkevičius (1995–1999). Almantas Gavėnas has been the head of the Migration Department since 1999.

1.4. Main Legal Acts of the Republic of Lithuania Regulating Management of Migration Processes

(as of 1 January 2007)

1. Law of the Republic of Lithuania on the Legal Status of Aliens (as amended, in force since 30 April 2004).
2. Law of the Republic of Lithuania Implementing the Law on the Legal Status of Aliens (in force since 30 April 2004).
3. Law of the Republic of Lithuania on Citizenship (as amended, in force since 1 January 2003).
4. Law of the Republic of Lithuania Implementing the Law on Citizenship (as amended, in force since 1 January 2003).
5. Law of the Republic of Lithuania on Personal Identity Card (in force since 1 January 2003).
6. Law of the Republic of Lithuania Implementing the Law on Personal Identity Card (in force since 21 November 2001).
7. Law of the Republic of Lithuania on Passport (as amended, in force since 1 January 2003).
8. Law of the Republic of Lithuania Implementing the Law on Passport (in force since 28 November 2001).
9. Law of the Republic of Lithuania on Declaration of the Residence (as amended, in force since 1 January 2003).
10. Law of the Republic of Lithuania Implementing the Law on Declaration of the Residence (as amended, in force since 31 March 2000).
11. Treaties of the Republic of Lithuania on travelling of citizens of both states (in force with 4 states: Belarus, Moldova, Russia, the Ukraine).
12. Readmission treaties of the Republic of Lithuania (in force with 24 states: Armenia, Austria, Belgium, Estonia, Greece, Iceland, Spain, Italy, Croatia, Latvia, Poland, Luxembourg, Moldova, the Netherlands, Portugal, France, Romania, Russia, Slovenia, Finland, Switzerland, Sweden, the Ukraine, Germany).

1.5. Number of Aliens Holding Valid Residence Permits in the Republic of Lithuania, as of the beginning of 2006 (thous.)

	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
Aliens ¹ , including those holding residence permits in the Republic of Lithuania	30.5	30.2	32.6	35.3	33.1
Total population ²	3,462.6	3,445.9	3,425.5	3,403.2	3,384.8
Share of aliens in total national population, %	0.88	0.88	0.95	1.04	0.98

Source: ¹ Personalization of Identity Documents Centre under the Ministry of the Interior data of 2003–2006, Migration Department data of 2007.

²Department of Statistics under the Government of the Republic of Lithuania.

1.6. Number of Aliens Residing in the Republic of Lithuania as of the beginning of 2007, by Nationality

Nationality	Holding a permanent residence permit	Holding a permanent residence permit of the European Community	Holding a temporary residence permit	Holding a residence permit of the European Community
European states, including:	14,839	314	4,640	1,472
- EU Member States, including:	-	308	-	1,371
- Latvia	-	59	-	233
- Poland	-	159	-	221
- Germany	-	40	-	273
- European Free Trade Association member states	-	10	-	101
- Other European states, including:	14,839	-	4,640	14
- Armenia	167	-	105	-
- Belarus	2,031	-	1,475	5
- Georgia	82	-	36	-
- Russia	11,033	-	1,755	6
- Ukraine	1,382	-	925	3
North American states, including:	68	-	319	1
- USA	67	-	298	1
Central & South American states	17	-	57	-
Australian & Oceania states	1	-	14	1
Asian states, including:	552	-	866	5
- Israel	115	-	227	-
- Kazakhstan	196	-	48	-
- China	37	-	188	-
- Lebanon	22	-	122	-
African states	17	-	53	-
Stateless persons	5,309	5	106	3
Total:	20,803	319	6,055	1,482

Note. As of the beginning of 2007, nationals of 104 states holding residence permits were residing in the Republic of Lithuania.

Source: Personalization of Identity Documents Centre under the Ministry of the Interior.

1.7. Number of Aliens According to the Municipalities as of the Beginning of 2007

<i>Municipality</i>	<i>Number of aliens</i>	<i>Municipality</i>	<i>Number of aliens</i>
Alytus county	774	Šiauliai county	1,910
Druskininkai	302	Šiauliai city	1,337
Alytus town, region	303	Akmenė region	64
Lazdijai region	23	Joniškis region	93
Varėna region	146	Kelmė region	76
Kaunas county	4,179	Pakruojas region	61
Kaunas city	2,691	Radviliškis region	143
Birštonas	8	Šiauliai region	136
Jonava region	561	Tauragė county	259
Kaišiadorys region	102	Jurbarkas region	62
Kaunas region	306	Pagėgiai	32
Kėdainiai region	365	Šilalė region	30
Prienai region	87	Tauragė region	135
Raseiniai region	59	Telšiai county	680
Klaipėda county	5,161	Mažeikiai region	447
Klaipėda city	4,480	Plungė region	114
Neringa	24	Rietavas	9
Palanga town	206	Telšiai region	110
Klaipėda region	191	Utena county	3,979
Kretinga region	92	Visaginas	3,371
Skuodas region	27	Anykščiai region	62
Šilutė region	141	Ignalina region	227
Marijampolė county	366	Molėtai region	55
Marijampolė	202	Utena region	94
Kalvarija	20	Zarasai region	170
Kazlų Rūda	30	Vilnius county	14,977
Šakiai region	42	Vilnius city	11,519
Vilkaviškis region	72	Šalčininkai region	663
Panevėžys county	858	Širvintai region	94
Panevėžys city	552	Švenčionys region	492
Biržai region	57	Trakai region	298
Kupiškis region	39	Elektrėnai	315
Panevėžys region	95	Ukmergė region	222
Pasvalys region	47	Vilnius region	1,374
Rokiškis region	68	Total:	33,143

Note. The table does not include aliens whose residence declaration data is deleted at the request of the owner of residential premises and who failed to declare residence.

Source: Migration Services.

2. Personal Identity Cards and Travel Documents of the Citizens of the Republic of Lithuania

2.1. Issue of Personal Identity Cards to the Citizens of the Republic of Lithuania

	2003	2004	2005	2006
Number of personal identity cards issued, including:	256,375	282,947	239,475	219,777
- changed	-	10,347	18,718	26,192

Note. Issue of personal identity cards to citizens of the Republic of Lithuania was started in January 2003.

Source: Personalisation of Identity Documents Centre under the Ministry of the Interior.

Personal identity card is the main personal document of the citizen of the Republic of Lithuania proving his/her personal identity and citizenship, and is designated for usage in the Republic of Lithuania.

Personal identity card may be used for travelling to foreign states – parties of appropriate treaties or agreements.

Personal identity card is issued obligatory to every citizen of the Republic of Lithuania residing in Lithuania over 16 years of age, and in case of need – to children under 16.

Source: Article 2 (1,2,4) of Law on Personal Identity Card of the Republic of Lithuania of 6 November 2001.

28 states have recognized personal identity card as valid for travel: Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Czech Republic, Denmark, Great Britain, Estonia, Greece, Spain, Italy, Montenegro, Cyprus, Croatia, Latvia, Poland, Luxembourg, Malta, Netherlands, Norway, Portugal, France, San Marino, Slovakia, Slovenia, Finland, Switzerland, Hungary, Germany (data as of 1 January 2007). Citizens of the Republic of Lithuania are allowed to go to these states with personal identity card.

Source: Consular Department under the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Lithuania.

2.2. Issue of Personal Identity Card to a Citizen of the Republic of Lithuania. Flow Chart

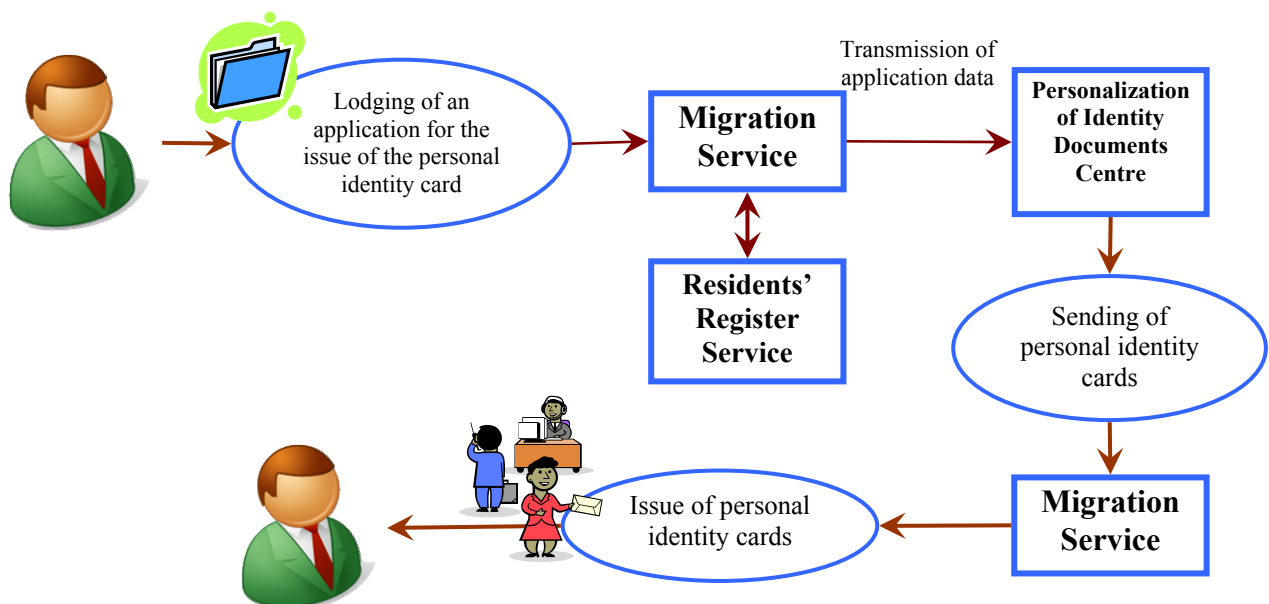
A citizen of the Republic of Lithuania must submit to the Migration Service according to his/her residence:

- an application for the issue of a personal identity card;
- a personal identity document;
- 3 photographs;
- a receipt of payment of a state fee (LTL 10).

Source: Paragraph 10 of the Regulations on Issue, Change, Announcement as Invalid and Termination of Personal Identity Card approved by the rule of the Minister of the Interior of the Republic of Lithuania of 22 October 2002.

Personal identity card is issued not later than within one month from the date of receiving an application by the Migration Service.

Source: Article 5(13) of Law on Personal Identity Card of the Republic of Lithuania of 6 November 2001.



2.3. Issue of Passports of the Republic of Lithuania to the Citizens of the Republic of Lithuania

	2003	2004	2005	2006
Number of passports issued to the citizens residing in the Republic of Lithuania	195,706	228,920	193,433	185,219
Number of passports issued to the citizens residing in foreign states	9,111	11,003	8,042	7,594
Total:	204,817	239,923	201,475	192,813

Note. Issue of passports of the Republic of Lithuania to citizens of the Republic of Lithuania was started in January 2003.

Source: Personalization of Identity Documents Centre under the Ministry of the Interior.

Passport is a personal document of the citizen of the Republic of Lithuania proving his/her personal identity and citizenship and is designated for travel to foreign states.

It is not obligatory to hold a passport; it is issued at the request of the citizen.

Passport is issued to the citizens residing in the Republic of Lithuania or a foreign state.

Passport may be issued to a citizen irrespective to his/her age.

Source: Article 2(1,2), Article 5(2,3,4) of Law on Passport of the Republic of Lithuania of 8 November 2001.

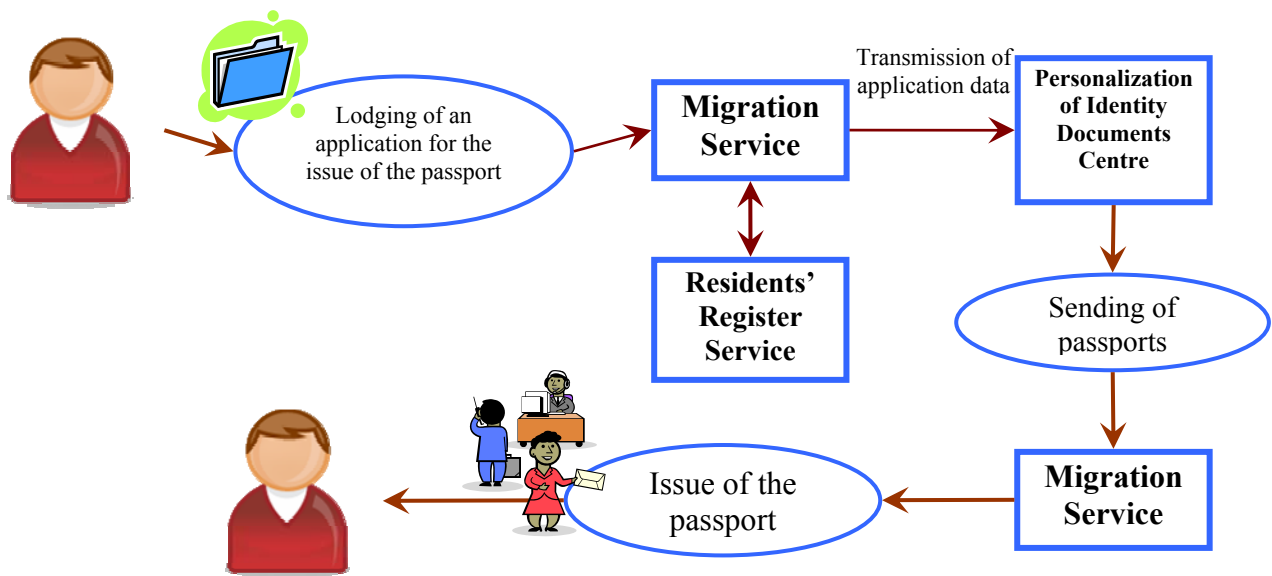
2.4. Issue of Passport of the Republic of Lithuanian to a Citizen of the Republic of Lithuanian Residing in the Republic of Lithuania. Flow Chart

A citizen of the Republic of Lithuania must submit to the Migration Service according to his/her residence:

- an application for the issue of a passport;
- a personal identity document;
- 3 photographs;
- a receipt of payment of a state fee (LTL 60).

Passport of the Republic of Lithuanian is issued not later than within one month from the date of receiving the application by the Migration Service. In urgent cases a passport can be issued within 1 working day or 5 working days.

Source: Paragraphs 5, 7, 9, 32 and 52 of the Order on Issue, Change, Announcement as Invalid or Termination of Passport approved by the rule of the Minister of the Interior of the Republic of Lithuania of 2 October 2006.



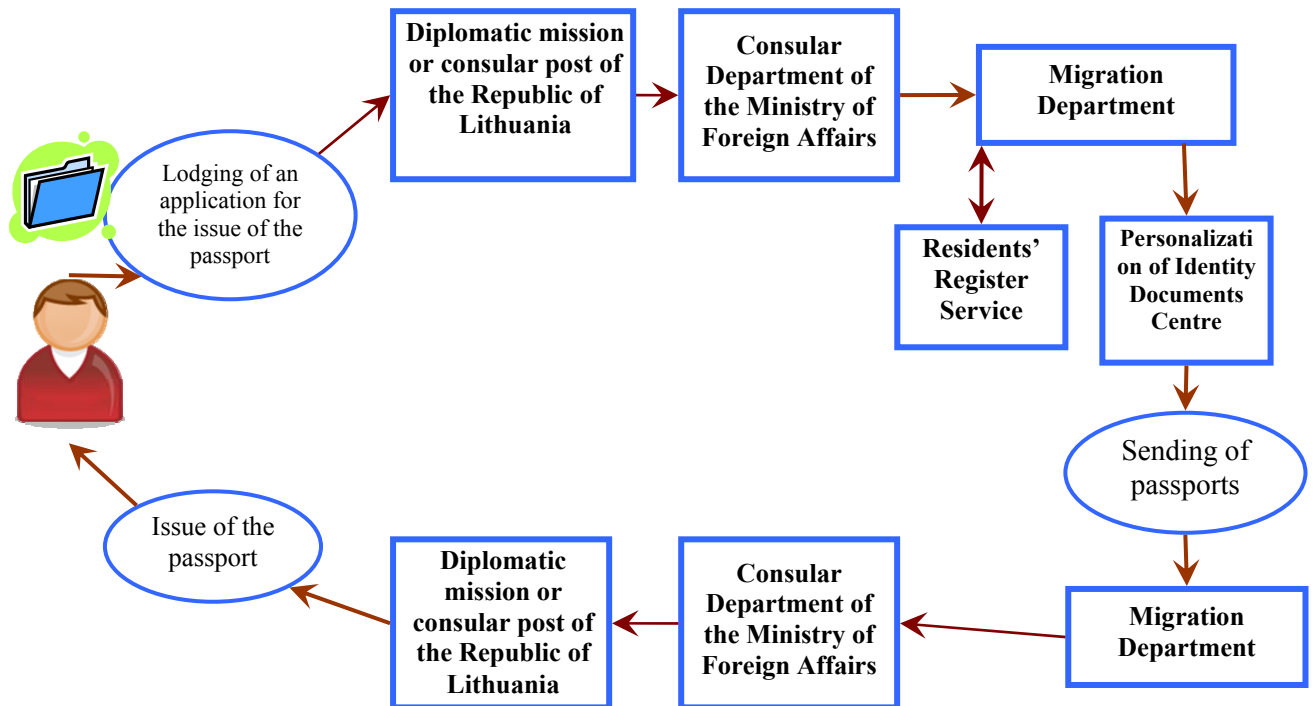
2.5. Issue of Passport of the Republic of Lithuanian to a Citizen of the Republic of Lithuania Residing in a Foreign State. Flow Chart

A citizen of the Republic of Lithuania must submit to a diplomatic mission or a consular post of the Republic of Lithuania:

- an application for the issue of a passport;
- a personal identity document;
- 3 photographs;
- a receipt of payment of a state fee (EUR 20).

A passport of the Republic of Lithuanian is issued not later than within one month from the date of receiving the application by the Migration Department under the Ministry of the Interior. In urgent cases a passport can be issued within 1 working day or 5 working days provided that a Lithuanian citizen submits an application while staying in the Republic of Lithuania.

Source: Paragraphs 5, 8, 9, 32 and 52 of the Order on Issue, Change, Announcement as Invalid or Termination of Passport approved by the rule of the Minister of the Interior of the Republic of Lithuania of 2 October 2006.



3. Migration of the Citizens of the Republic of Lithuania and Aliens

3.1. Number of the Citizens of the Republic of Lithuania and Aliens who Arrived to Reside in the Republic of Lithuania in 2006, by States

States, which the persons arrived from	Total	Including	
		Citizens of the Republic of Lithuania	Aliens
European states, including:	6,732	4,887	1,845
- EU Member States (25), including:	4,137	3,766	371
- Ireland	766	765	1
- Great Britain	1,528	1,506	22
- Spain	366	339	27
- Italy	122	103	19
- Latvia	171	98	73
- Poland	125	68	57
- Sweden	94	84	10
- Germany	575	495	80
- European Free Trade Association member states, including:	144	120	24
- Norway	114	99	15
- Other European states, including:	2,451	1,001	1,450
- Belarus	945	297	648
- Russia	956	571	385
- Ukraine	382	96	286
North American states, including:	639	490	149
- USA	614	474	140
Central & South American States	37	18	19
Australian & Oceania states	23	20	3
Asian states	247	80	167
African states	34	13	21
Not indicated	33	-	33
Total:	7,745	5,508	2,237

Note. The table includes the citizens of the Republic of Lithuania and aliens arriving for residence for the period exceeding 6 months.

Source: Department of Statistics of the Government of the Republic of Lithuania.

3.2. Number of Persons who Arrived to Reside in the Republic of Lithuania in 2006, by Nationality

Nationality	Number of persons
European states, including:	7,369
- EU Member States, including:	5,880
- Latvia	69
- Poland	57
- Lithuania	5,508
- Germany	84
- European Free Trade Association member states, including:	24
- Norway	15
- Other European states, including:	1,465
- Belarus	647
- Russia	396
- Ukraine	294
North American states, including:	150
- USA	141
Central & South American States	20
Australian & Oceania states	3
Asian states	168
African states	21
Without nationality	14
Total:	7,745

Note. The table includes the citizens of the Republic of Lithuania and aliens arriving for residence for the period exceeding 6 months.

Source: Department of Statistics of the Government of the Republic of Lithuania.

3.3. Declaration of Residence of the Citizens of the Republic of Lithuania and Aliens who Arrived to Reside in the Republic of Lithuania. Flow Chart

A citizen of the Republic of Lithuania or an alien must declare his/her residence within 7 working days from the occurrence of the obligation to declare the residence.

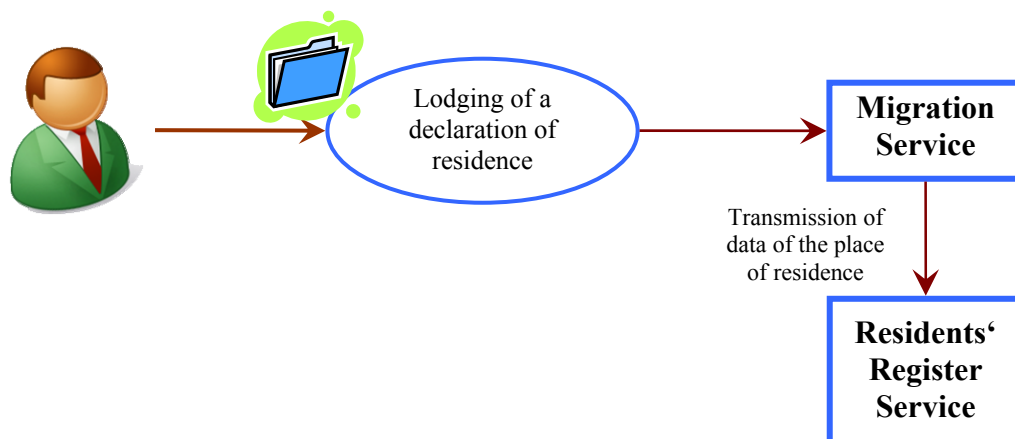
Citizens of the Republic of Lithuania and aliens are treated as having declared their residence from the date of submitting declaration to the Migration Service.

Source: Article 7(6) and 10(1) of Law on Declaration of Residence of the Republic of Lithuania of 2 July 1998.

A citizen of the Republic of Lithuania or an alien, having arrived to the Republic of Lithuania for residence, must submit to the Migration Service according to his/her residence:

- declaration of residence filled in case a person arrives to the Republic of Lithuania for residence;
- personal identity document;
- documents evidencing the title to ownership or another title to lawful management, use or disposal of the residential premises;
- a separate letter of consent signed by the owner (co-owners) or a person authorized by him/her (them) permitting the person to take up residence in the residential premises owned by the owner (co-owners) (except cases when the residence is declared by the owner of the residential premises).

Source: Paragraph 13 of the Declaration of Residence and Declaration Data Management Rules approved by the rule of the Minister of the Interior of the Republic of Lithuania of 2 December 2002.



3.4. Number of Citizens of the Republic of Lithuania and Aliens who Departed for Residence in Foreign States in 2006, by States

State where the persons departed to	Total	Including	
		Citizens of the Republic of Lithuania	Aliens
European states, including:	10,329	8,567	1,762
- EU Member States (25), including:	7,975	7,417	558
- Ireland	1,313	1,306	7
- Belgium	73	69	4
- Denmark	131	118	13
- Great Britain	3,223	3,198	25
- Spain	766	721	45
- Italy	212	175	37
- Latvia	161	95	66
- Netherlands	129	106	23
- France	196	143	53
- Sweden	247	225	22
- Germany	1,114	994	120
- European Free Trade Association member states, including:	278	253	25
- Norway	216	204	12
- Other European states, including:	2,076	897	1,179
- Belarus	720	397	323
- Russia	891	383	508
- Ukraine	295	85	210
North American states, including:	1,869	1,583	286
- USA	1,771	1,521	250
- Canada	98	62	36
Central & South American states	30	17	13
Australian & Oceania states	36	28	8
Asian states, including:	316	74	242
- Israel	80	39	41
African states	22	12	10
Total:	12,602	10,281	2,321

Note. The table includes the citizens of the Republic of Lithuania and aliens departing for residence for the period exceeding 6 months.

Source: Department of Statistics of the Government of the Republic of Lithuania.

3.5. Number of Persons who Departed for Residence to Foreign States in 2006, by Nationality

Nationality	Number of persons
European states, including:	11,971
- EU Member States, including:	10,787
- Latvia	57
- Poland	58
- Lithuania	10,281
- Germany	103
- European Free Trade Association member states, including:	21
- Norway	11
- Other European states, including:	1,163
- Belarus	312
- Russia	503
- Ukraine	209
North American states, including:	242
- USA	236
Central & South American states	15
Australian & Oceania states	7
Asian states	267
African states	11
Stateless	89
Total:	12,602

Note. The table includes the citizens of the Republic of Lithuania and aliens departing for residence for the period exceeding 6 months.

Source: Department of Statistics of the Government of the Republic of Lithuania.

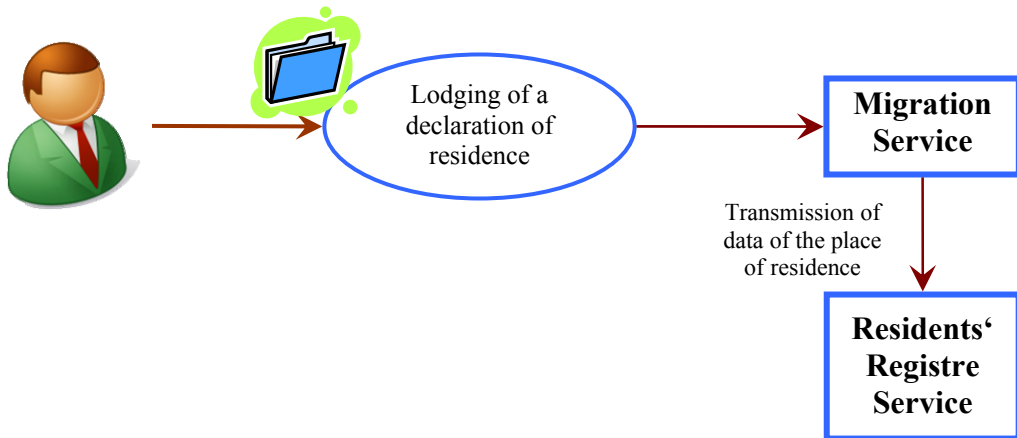
3.6. Declaration of Residence of Citizens of the Republic of Lithuania and Aliens Departing for Residence Abroad. Flow Chart

A citizen of the Republic of Lithuania or an alien departing from the Republic of Lithuania for a period exceeding six months (except an alien holding temporary permission of residence in the Republic of Lithuania) must declare the change of residence within 7 working days before departure. Citizens of the Republic of Lithuania and aliens are treated as having declared residence from the day of submission of declaration to the Migration Service.

Source: Article 7(6) and 10(2) of Law on Declaration of Residence of the Republic of Lithuania of 2 July 1998.

- A citizen of the Republic of Lithuania or an alien must submit to the Migration Service:
- a declaration to be filled in case the person departs from the Republic of Lithuania for a period exceeding six months;
 - a personal identity document.

Source: Paragraph 13 of the Declaration of Residence and Declaration Data Management Rules approved by the rule of the Minister of the Interior of the Republic of Lithuania of 2 December 2002.



3.7. Provision of Data on Declaration of Residence of the Citizens of the Republic of Lithuania and Aliens having Departed from Lithuania through Diplomatic Missions or Consular Offices in Foreign States. Flow Chart

A citizen of the Republic of Lithuania and an alien must declare his/her residence within 7 working days from the occurrence of the obligation to declare the residence.

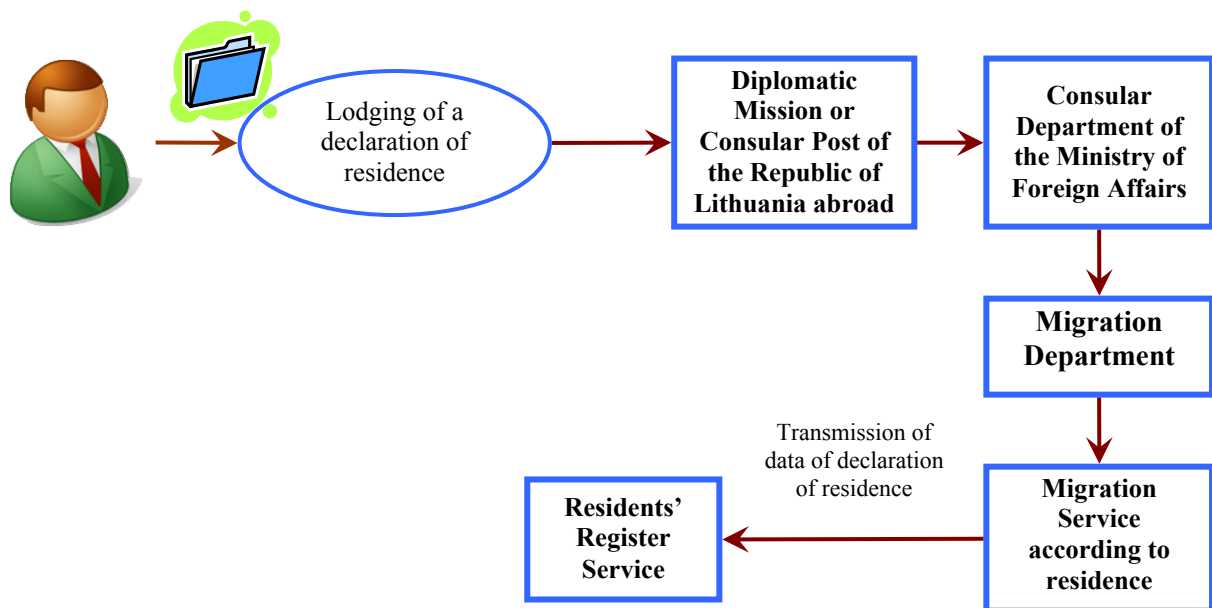
Citizens of the Republic of Lithuania and aliens are treated as having declared their residence from the date of submitting declaration to the Migration Service.

Source: Article 7(6) and 10(1) of Law on Declaration of Residence of the Republic of Lithuania of 2 July 1998.

A citizen of the Republic of Lithuania or an alien residing in a foreign state who after departure from Lithuania stayed in a foreign state for a period exceeding six months must submit to a diplomatic mission or a consular office of the Republic of Lithuania in a foreign state:

- a declaration to be filled in case the person departs from the Republic of Lithuania for residence in a foreign state for a period exceeding six months;
- a personal identity document.

Source: Paragraph 13 of the Declaration of Residence and Declaration Data Management Rules approved by the rule of the Minister of the Interior of the Republic of Lithuania of 2 December 2002.



3.8. Calculation of the Citizens of the Republic of Lithuania and Aliens with no Residence. Flow Chart

A citizen of the Republic of Lithuania or an alien with no residential premises or who due to objective reasons is unable to declare residence following the established order of the Law on Declaration of Residence of the Republic of Lithuania may be included in the calculation of persons with no residence.

Migration Service of the municipality according to the place of residence includes the persons in the calculation of persons with no residence subject to receiving application of the established form of the citizen of the Republic of Lithuania or an alien.

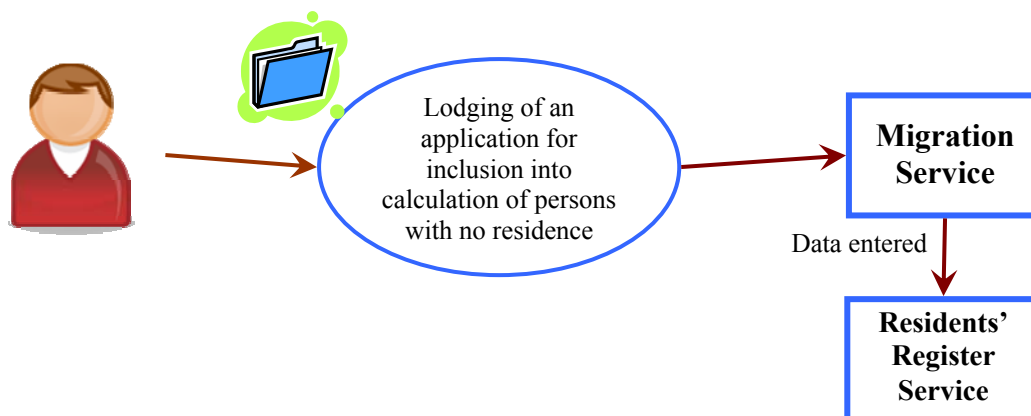
Source: Article 3 (8) and Article 4 (7) of the Law on Declaration of Residence of the Republic of Lithuania of 2 July 1998.

In order to be included in the calculation of persons with no residence a citizen of the Republic of Lithuania or an alien provides the Migration Service with:

- application for inclusion into the calculation;
- personal identity document.

Citizens of the Republic of Lithuania and aliens are treated as being included in the calculation of persons with no residence from the day of registration of application on inclusion in the calculation at the Migration Service.

Source: Paragraphs 10 and 12 of the Rules of Calculation of Persons with no Residence approved by the rule of the Minister of the Interior of the Republic of Lithuania of 31 August 2004.



Calculation of persons with no residence has started since 1 October 2004. Following the data of Residents' Register Service under the Ministry of the Interior of the Republic of Lithuania 8,621 persons were entered into calculation in 2004, in 2005 – 21,604 persons, in 2006 – 15,262 persons.

On 1 January 2007 40,075 persons were included into the calculation of persons with no residence.

4. Visas

4.1. Number of Decisions regarding Applications of Aliens to Issue the Visa of the Republic of Lithuania in 2006, by Place of Submission

Place of submission of application	Decision taken	
	To issue	To reject issuing
Diplomatic Missions and Consular Posts of the Republic of Lithuania	422,899	1,886
Border Guard Posts	2,643	-
Migration Services	87	1
Migration Department	585	-
Consular Department under the Ministry of Foreign Affairs	156	-
Total:	426,370	1,887

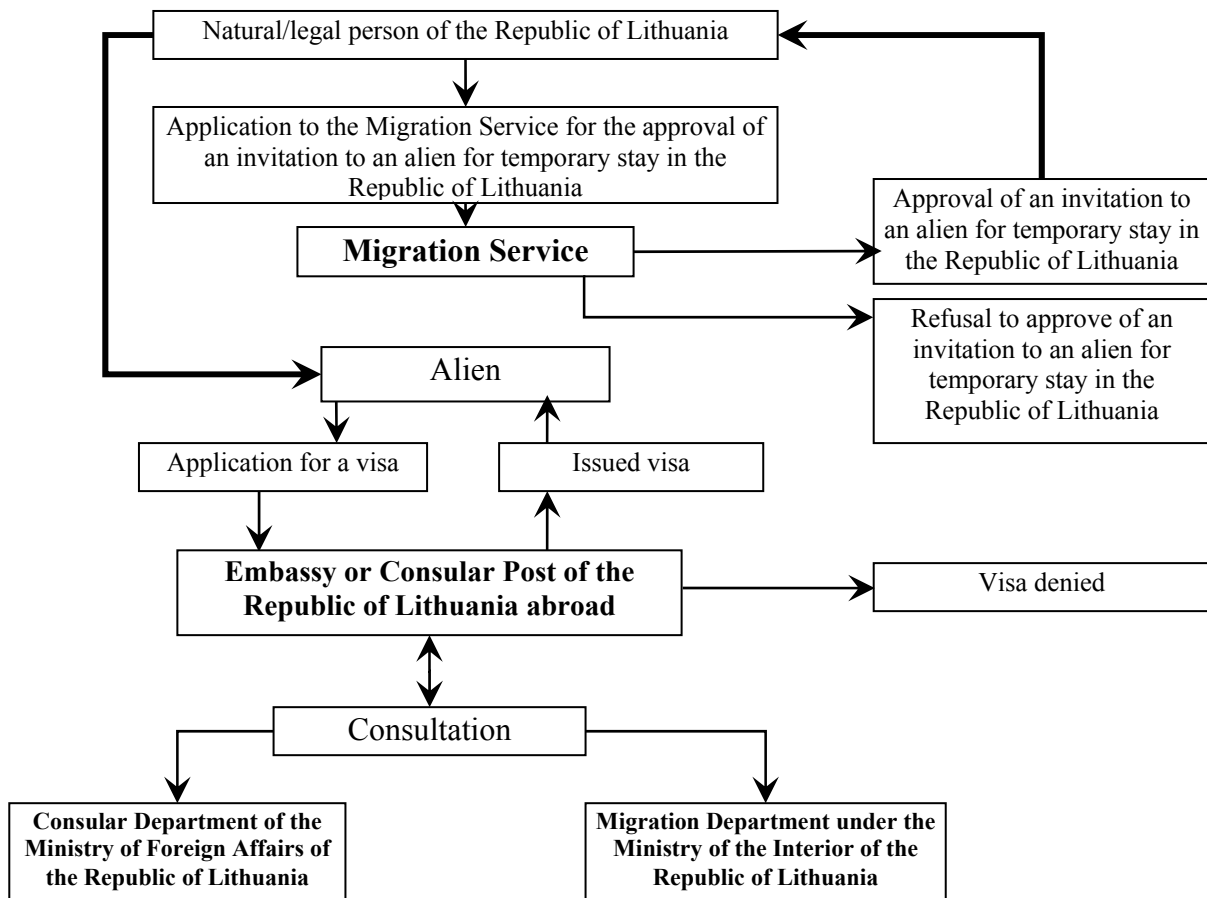
Sources: Consular Department under the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Lithuania, State Border Guard Service under the Ministry of the Interior of the Republic of Lithuania, Migration Department under the Ministry of the Interior of the Republic of Lithuania, Migration Services.

4.2. Number of Visas of the Republic of Lithuania Issued to Aliens, by Type

Type of visa	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
Airport transit (A)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Transit (B)	15,945	13,776	28,413	27,148	54,320	56,804
Short-term (C)	170,596	199,102	256,618	314,700	318,309	365,881
Long-term (D)	369	305	300	674	2,213	3,724
Total:	186,910	213,183	285,331	342,522	374,842	426,409

Sources: Consular Department under the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Lithuania, State Border Guard Service under the Ministry of the Interior of the Republic of Lithuania, Migration Department under the Ministry of the Interior of the Republic of Lithuania, Migration Services.

4.3. Issue of Visa of the Republic of Lithuania to an Alien. Flow Chart



The visa of the Republic of Lithuania may be issued to an alien provided that:

- 1) an alien possesses a valid travel document, unless otherwise established in the International Treaty of the Republic of Lithuania, legal act of the EU or the Government of the Republic of Lithuania;
- 2) an alien possesses documents substantiating the purpose and conditions of the visit and stay in the Republic of Lithuania, available means of subsistence for the period of stay in the Republic of Lithuania or the source of acquisition thereof, the available means for return to an alien's country of origin or for transit via the territory of the Republic of Lithuania to another state, the list of visits and stays in foreign states, and provides them as necessary;
- 3) an alien is not on the list of the aliens forbidden to enter the Republic of Lithuania;
- 4) an alien's stay in the Republic of Lithuania poses no threat to public security, public order or public health;
- 5) an alien is in possession of a valid document evidencing his possession of a valid health insurance;
- 6) an alien has the right to return to the country which he came from or the country the citizen or permanent resident of which he is, or has the right to proceed to another country.

Source: Article 17(1) of Law on Legal Status of Aliens of the Republic of Lithuania of 29 April 2004.

4.4. Number of Decisions on Extension of the Period of Stay in the Republic of Lithuania to Aliens in Possession of a Visa, by Place of Decision-taking

	2003		2004		2005		2006	
	Issue	Reject issuing	Issue	Reject issuing	Issue	Reject issuing	Issue	Reject issuing
Decisions taken by:								
- Migration Services	1,999	6	951	6	578	1	799	23
- Migration Department	-	-	3	-	14	-	21	-
Total:	1,999	6	954	6	592	1	820	23

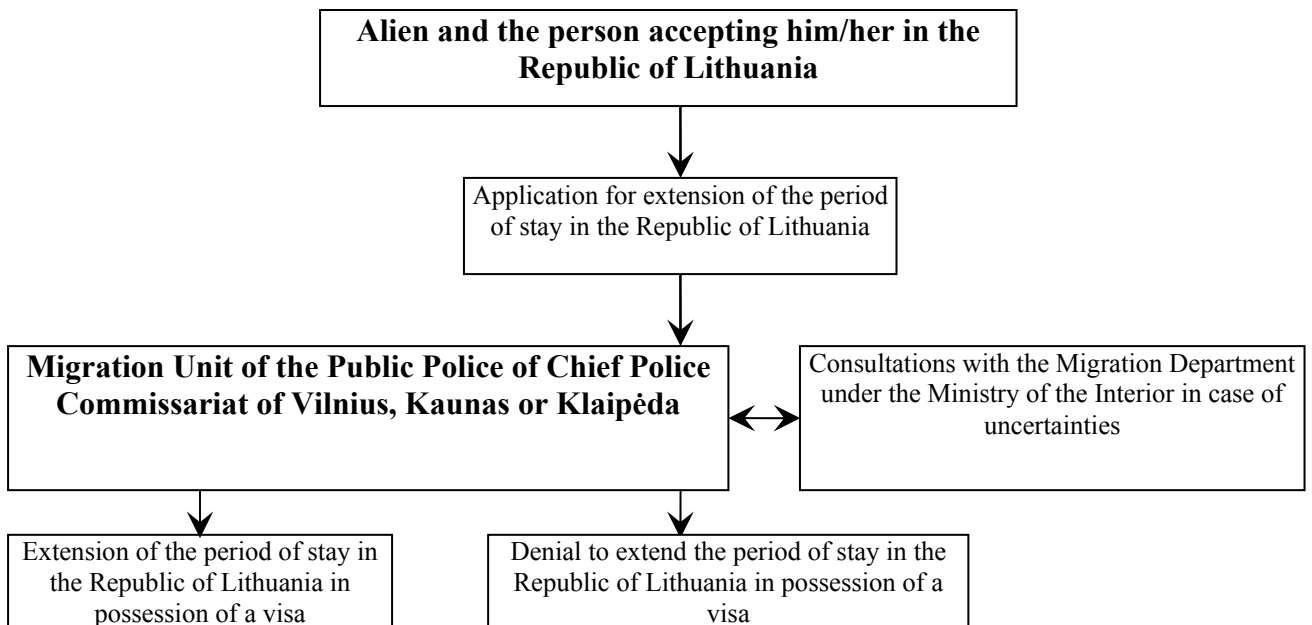
Sources: Migration Department under the Ministry of the Interior of the Republic of Lithuania, Migration Services.

4.5. Number of Decisions on Extension of the Period of Stay of Aliens in the Republic of Lithuania in Possession of a Visa, by Type

	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
Decisions taken:					
- positive	2,102	1,999	954	592	820
- negative	7	6	6	1	23
Total:	2,109	2,005	960	593	843

Sources: Migration Department under the Ministry of the Interior of the Republic of Lithuania, Migration Services.

4.6. Extension of the Period of Stay in the Republic of Lithuania in Possession of a Visa. Flow Chart



For an alien whose visa expired the period of stay in the Republic of Lithuania in possession of a visa may be extended for any of the following reasons which emerged after the issue of the visa:

- 1) acute illness, any other health disorder or condition of organism precluding the alien's departure from the Republic of Lithuania;
- 2) professional activity;
- 3) personal reason which the alien could not have foreseen and could not avoid its emergence during his stay in the Republic of Lithuania being in possession of a visa;
- 4) *force majeure*.

Source: Article 20(1) of Law on the Legal Status of Aliens of the Republic of Lithuania of 29 April 2004.

4.7. List of States, which Citizens may Enter the Republic of Lithuania without Visas **(as of 1 January 2007)**

1. Ireland;
2. Kingdom of Andorra;
3. Republic of Argentina;
4. Australian Commonwealth;
5. Republic of Austria;
6. Kingdom of Belgium;
7. Republic of Bolivia;
8. Federative Republic of Brazil;
9. Brunei Darussalam;
10. Republic of Bulgaria;
11. Czech Republic;
12. Republic of Chile;
13. Kingdom of Denmark;
14. Republic of Estonia;
15. Hellenic Republic;
16. Republic of Guatemala;
17. Republic of Honduras;
18. Republic of Iceland;
19. Kingdom of Spain;
20. Italian Republic;
21. State of Israel;
22. Japan;
23. United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland;
24. United States of America;
25. Canada;
26. People's Republic of China, Hong Kong Special Administrative Region¹;
27. People's Republic of China Macau Special Administrative Region²;
28. Republic of Cyprus;
29. Republic of Costa Rica;
30. Republic of Croatia;
31. Republic of Latvia;
32. Republic of Poland;
33. Principality of Lichtenstein;
34. Grand Duchy of Luxembourg;
35. Federation of Malaysia;
36. Republic of Malta;
37. United Mexican States;
38. Principality of Monaco;
39. New Zealand;
40. Republic of Nicaragua;
41. Kingdom of the Netherlands;
42. Kingdom of Norway;
43. Republic of Panama;
44. Republic of Paraguay;
45. Republic of South Korea;
46. Portuguese Republic;
47. French Republic;
48. Romania;
49. Republic of Salvador;
50. Republic of San Marino;
51. Republic of Singapore;
52. Slovak Republic;
53. Republic of Slovenia;
54. Republic of Finland;
55. Kingdom of Sweden;
56. Swiss Confederation;
57. Oriental Republic of Uruguay;
58. State of the Vatican City / the Holy See;
59. Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela;
60. Republic of Hungary;
61. Federal Republic of Germany.

¹ Abolishing of the visa requirement is only valid for holders of passports of Hong Kong Special Administrative Region.

² Abolishing of the visa requirement is only valid for holders of passports of Macao Special Administrative Region.

**4.8. List of States, which Citizens Holding Diplomatic or Service Passports may
Enter the Republic of Lithuania without Visas
(as of 1 January 2007)**

1. Republic of Armenia (only holders of diplomatic passports);
2. People's Republic of China;
3. Kingdom of Morocco (only holders of diplomatic passports);
4. Republic of Moldova (only holders of diplomatic passports);
5. Republic of Turkey (also holders of special passports);
6. Ukraine.

**4.9. List of States, which may be Entered by the Citizens of the Republic of
Lithuania without Visas
(as of 1 January 2007)**

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| 1. Ireland | 37. Grand Duchy of Luxembourg |
| 2. Republic of Albania | 38. Former Yugoslav Republic of
Macedonia |
| 3. Principality of Andorra | 39. Federation of Malaysia |
| 4. Argentine Republic | 40. Republic of Malta |
| 5. Australia (only for transit*) | 41. Kingdom of Morocco |
| 6. Republic of Austria | 42. Republic of Mauritius |
| 7. Kingdom of Belgium | 43. United Mexican States |
| 8. Republic of Bolivia | 44. Republic of Moldova |
| 9. Bosnia and Herzegovina | 45. Principality of Monaco |
| 10. Republic of Bulgaria | 46. New Zealand |
| 11. Czech Republic | 47. Republic of Nicaragua |
| 12. Republic of Chile | 48. Kingdom of the Netherlands |
| 13. Kingdom of Denmark | 49. Kingdom of Norway |
| 14. Dominican Republic** | 50. Republic of Panama |
| 15. Republic of Ecuador | 51. Republic of Paraguay |
| 16. Republic of Estonia | 52. Republic of Peru |
| 17. Hellenic Republic | 53. Republic of South Korea |
| 18. Georgia | 54. Portuguese Republic |
| 19. Republic of Guatemala | 55. French Republic |
| 20. Republic of Honduras | 56. Romania |
| 21. Republic of Iceland | 57. Republic of Salvador |
| 22. Kingdom of Spain | 58. Republic of San Marino |
| 23. Italian Republic | 59. Republic of Serbia |
| 24. State of Israel | 60. Republic of Singapore |
| 25. Japan | 61. Slovak Republic |
| 26. Republic of Montenegro | 62. Republic of Slovenia |
| 27. United Kingdom of Great Britain and
Northern Ireland *** | 63. Republic of Finland |
| 28. People's Republic of China, Hong Kong
Special Administrative Region | 64. Kingdom of Sweden |
| 29. People's Republic of China Macau
Special Administrative Region | 65. Swiss Confederation |
| 30. Republic of Cyprus | 66. Tunisian Republic (only for tourists) |
| 31. Republic of Colombia | 67. Ukraine |
| 32. Republic of Costa Rica | 68. Oriental Republic of Uruguay |
| 33. Republic of Croatia | 69. State of the Vatican City / the Holy See |
| 34. Republic of Latvia | 70. Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela **** |
| 35. Republic of Poland | 71. Republic of Hungary |
| 36. Principality of Lichtenstein | 72. Federal Republic of Germany |

* Since 1 November 2005 transit visas of Australia have been not demanded although the following requirements are applied:

- it is necessary to hold reserved travel tickets and a valid permit for arrival to the country transit via Australia;
- not allowed to cross the zone of transit border;
- Australia must be left within 8 hours from arrival to this state.

Citizens of the Republic of Lithuania going to Australia need Australian visa.

** only with a tourist card.

*** the Territories and Dependencies of United Kingdom, for which citizens of the Republic of Lithuania do not need entry visas: Anguilla, Bermuda, British Antarctic Territory, British Virgin islands, Gibraltar, Montserrat.

**** Only holders of DEX-2 card.

4.10. List of States, which may be Entered by the Citizens of the Republic of Lithuania Holding Diplomatic or Service Passports without Visas

(as of 1 January 2007)

1. Republic of Armenia (only holders of diplomatic passports)
2. People's Republic of China
3. Sent Lucia (only holders of diplomatic passports)
4. Republic of Turkey
5. Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela

5. Facilitated Transit of the Citizens of Russian Federation

5.1. Issue of Facilitated Transit / Facilitated Railway Transit Documents to the Citizens of the Russian Federation

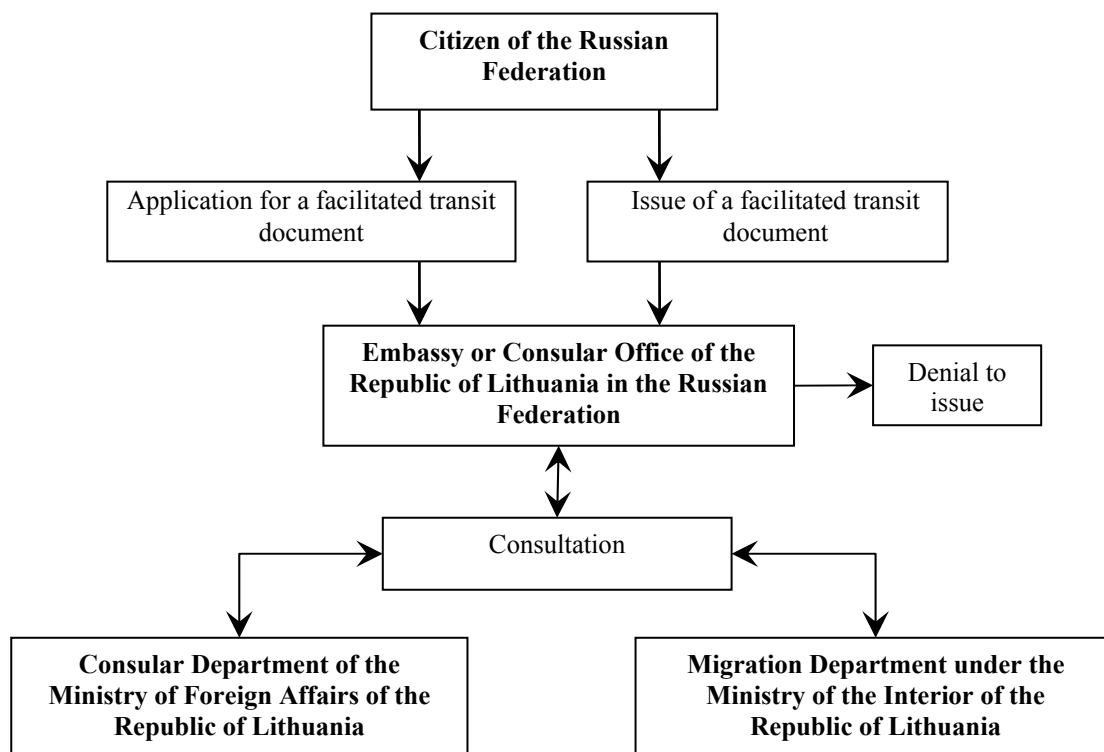
	2003		2004		2005		2006	
	Issue	Reject issuing*	Issue	Reject issuing**	Issue	Reject issuing	Issue	Reject issuing
On issue of a facilitated transit document	2,312	-	3,095	-	4,553	22	1,074	122
On issue of a facilitated railway transit document	156,416	116	292,922	267	220,002	83	263,889	182
Total:	158,728	116	296,017	267	224,555	105	264,963	304

* Since 1 July 2003 when issue of FTDs and FRTDs to citizens of the Russian Federation was started.

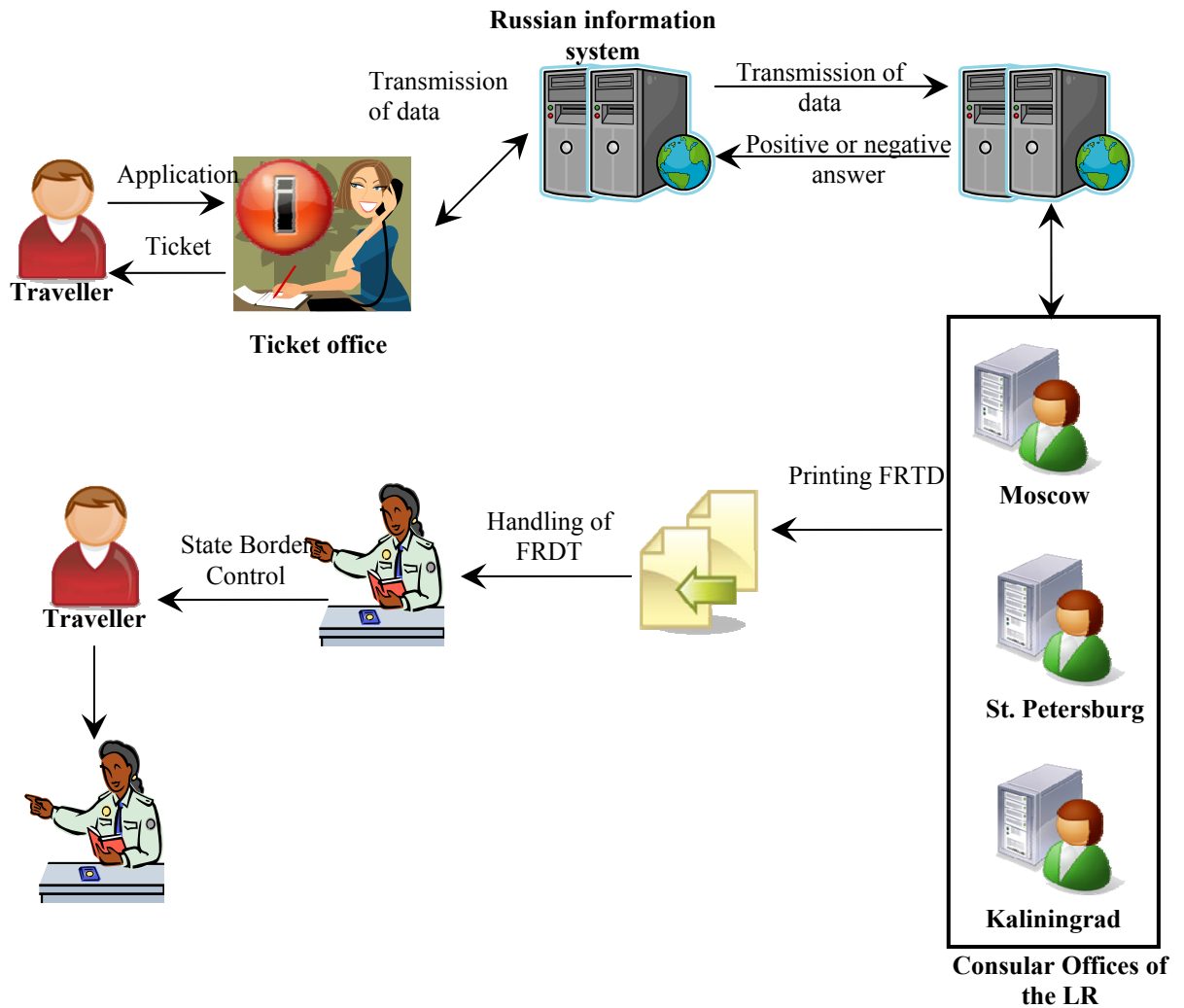
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Source: Consular Department of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Lithuania.

5.2. Issue of Facilitated Transit Documents to the Citizens of the Russian Federation. Flow Chart



5.3. Issue of Facilitated Railway Transit Documents (FRTD) to the Citizens of the Russian Federation. Flow Chart



6. Residence Permits of a Citizens of the European Community Member State

6.1. Number of Applications Filed by Citizens of the EU/EFTA Member States for the Issue/Extension of the Residence Permit of the Citizen of an EC Member State in 2006, by Nationality

Nationality	Number of applications filed
Irish	6
Austrian	14
Belgian	17
Czech	28
Danish	58
British	57
Estonian	16
Greek	9
Icelander	17
Spanish	74
Italian	83
Latvian	154
Polish	185
Maltese	1
Dutch	36
Norwegian	35
Portuguese	44
French	113
Slovakian	15
Slovenian	13
Finish	25
Swedish	32
Swiss	4
Hungarian	3
German	209
Total:	1,248

Note. The table does not include family members of the citizens of the EU / EFTA Member States that are citizens of third countries.

A citizen of the EU Member State has the right to be issued an EC residence permit if he/she intends to:

- 1) be employed in the Republic of Lithuania;
- 2) engage in lawful activities in the Republic of Lithuania;
- 3) provide services in the Republic of Lithuania;
- 4) receive services in the Republic of Lithuania;
- 5) reside in the Republic of Lithuania, having a legal source of subsistence;
- 6) get education, to study at an educational establishment, to take part in a internship programme, to undergo in-service training , to take part in vocational training;
- 7) live with family.

Source: Article 101(1) of Law on the Legal Status of Aliens of the Republic of Lithuania of 29 April 2004 (the provisions are valid until 16 December 2006).

6.2. Number of Applications of Family Members of the Citizen of the EU / EFTA Member State who are the Citizens of Third Countries to Issue / Extend EC Residence Permit in 2006, by Nationality

Nationality	Applications filed
Belarusian	2
Israeli	1
Russian	7
Ukrainian	2
Stateless	3
Total:	15

6.3. Number of Decisions on Issue/Extension of an EC Residence Permit in 2006, by Nationality

Nationality	Decisions on residence permits of the citizen of EC Member State	
	issue / extension	refusal on issue / extension
Irish	6	-
Austrian	13	-
Belgian	18	-
Czech	28	-
Danish	59	-
British	56	-
Estonian	15	-
Greek	14	-
Icelandic	17	-
Spanish	71	-
Italian	81	-
Latvian	154	-
Polish	180	-
Maltese	1	-
Dutch	35	-
Norwegian	33	-
Portuguese	41	-
French	116	-
Slovakian	15	-
Slovenian	13	-
Finnish	24	-
Swedish	36	-
Swiss	4	-
Hungarian	3	-
German	202	-
Total:	1,235	

Note. The table does not include family members of the citizens of EU / EFTA Member States that are citizens of third countries.

6.4. Number of Decisions to Issue / Extension of an EC Residence Permit to Family Members of the Citizen of the EU / EFTA Member State who are the Citizens of Third Countries in 2006, by Nationality

Nationality	Decisions on an EC residence permits	
	issue / extension	refusal on issue / extension
Belarusian	2	-
Israeli	1	-
Russian	8	-
Pakistani	3	-
Thai	1	-
Ukrainian	1	-
Stateless	2	-
Total:	18	-

6.5. Number of Decisions on Issue/Extension of an EC Residence Permit in 2006, by Grounds of Arrival

Ground for Arrival	Decisions on an EC residence permits	
	issue/extension	refusal on issue / extension
Work in the Republic of Lithuania	328	-
Engage in lawful activities in the Republic of Lithuania	51	-
Provide services in the Republic of Lithuania	98	-
Receive services in the Republic of Lithuania	1	-
Reside in the Republic of Lithuania, having a legal source of subsistence	73	-
Get education, to study at an educational establishment, to take part in a internship programme, to undergo in-service training, to take part in vocational training	503	-
Live with family	112	-
Family members of the citizen of the EU / EFTA Member State	69	-
Total:	1,235	-

6.6. Number of EC Residence Permits Issued in 2006, by Nationality

Nationality	Number of EC residence permits issued
Irish	5
Austrian	10
Belgian	17
Czech	20
Danish	61
British	57
Estonian	13
Greek	9
Icelandic	11
Spanish	46
Italian	51
Latvian	155
Polish	139
Maltese	1
Dutch	27
Norwegian	33
Portuguese	15
French	78
Slovakian	6
Slovenian	9
Finnish	32
Swedish	35
Swiss	4
Hungarian	4
German	175
Total:	1,013

Note. The table does not include family members of the citizens of EU / EFTA Member States that are citizens of third countries.

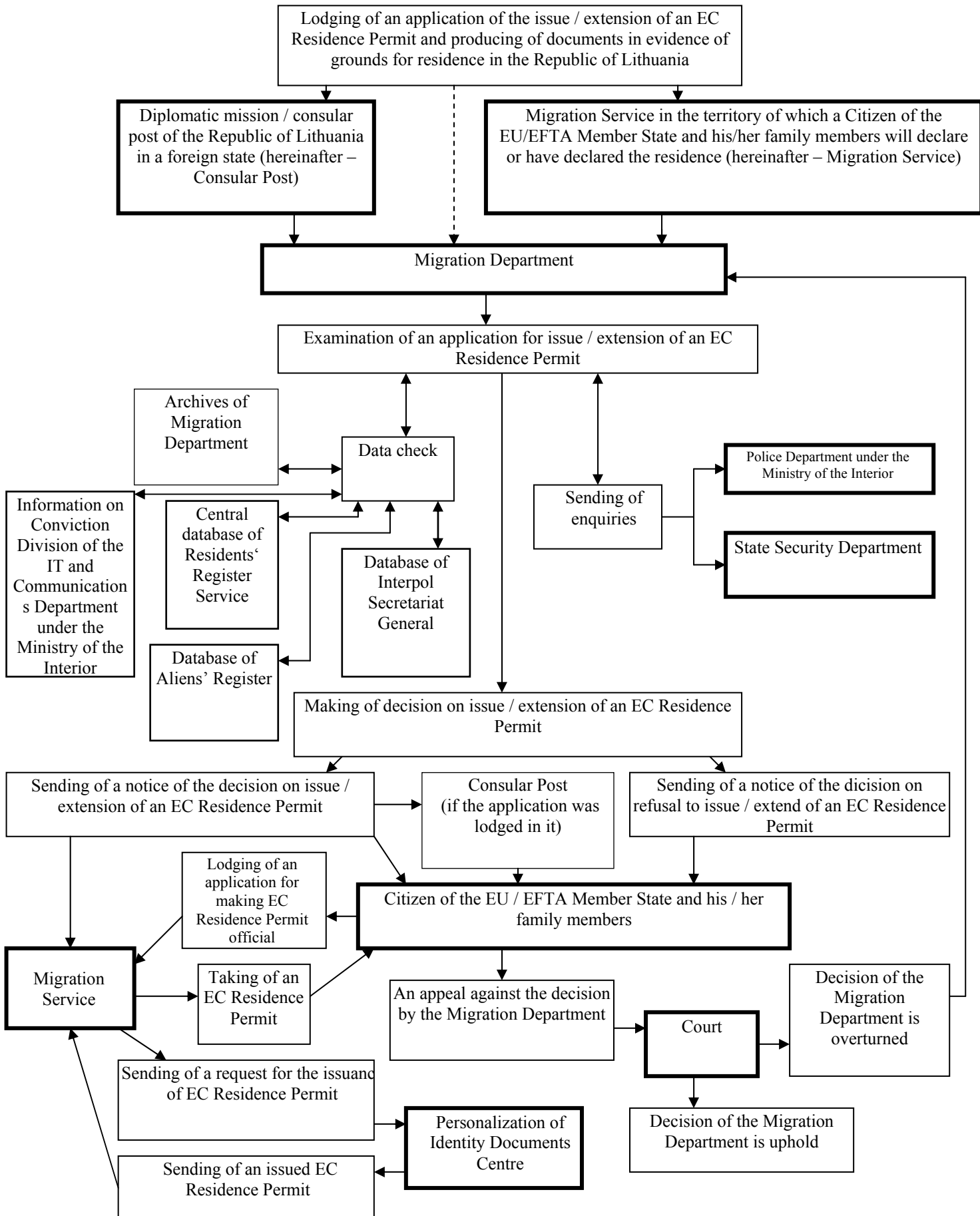
6.7. Number of EC Residence Permits issued to Family Members of the Citizen of the EU / EFTA Member State who are the Citizens of Third Countries in 2006, by Nationality

Nationality	Number of EC residence permits issued
Belarusian	3
New Zealander	1
Pakistani	3
Russian	6
Thai	2
Ukrainian	2
Stateless	2
Total:	19

6.8. Number of EC Residence Permits Issued in 2006, by Grounds of Arrival

Grounds for arrival	Number of EC residence permits issued
Work in the Republic of Lithuania	301
Engage in lawful activities in the Republic of Lithuania	60
Provide services in the Republic of Lithuania	76
Receive services in the Republic of Lithuania	1
Reside in the Republic of Lithuania, having a legal source of subsistence	72
Get education, to study at an educational establishment, to take part in a internship programme, to undergo in-service training, to take part in vocational training	315
Live with family	120
Family members of the citizen of the EU / EFTA Member State	87
Total:	1,032

6.9. Issue/Extension of an EC Residence Permit. Flow Chart



6.10. Number of Applications filed by Citizens of an EU / EFTA Member State for Issue of the EC Permanent Residence Permit in 2006, by Nationality

Nationality	Applications filed
Danish	3
British	3
Estonian	4
Icelandic	1
Spanish	3
Italian	4
Latvian	24
Polish	47
French	7
Finnish	2
Swedish	1
German	23
Total:	122

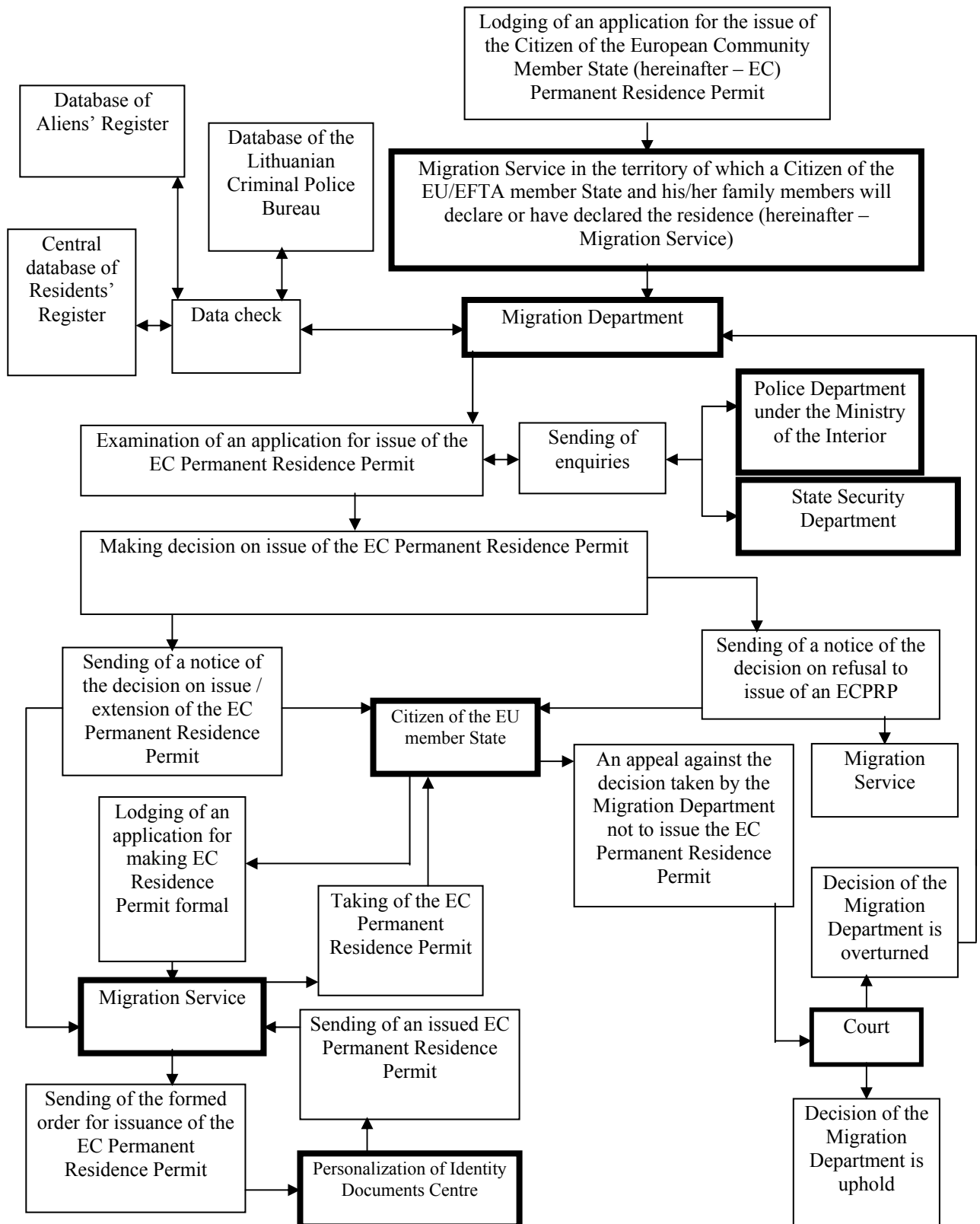
EC permanent residence permit is issued to an alien who is a citizen of the EU Member State and to his / her family members if they lawfully have lived in the Republic of Lithuania for the last 4 years (the provision was in force until 16 December 2006).

Source: Article 104(1) of Law on the Legal Status of Aliens of the Republic of Lithuania of 29 April 2004.

6.11. Number of Decisions on Issue/Extension of the EC Permanent Residence Permit in 2006, by Nationality

Nationality	Decisions on the EC permanent residence permits	
	issue / change	refuse to issue / change
Danish	3	-
British	3	-
Estonian	4	-
Icelandic	1	-
Spanish	3	-
Italian	4	-
Latvian	24	-
Polish	47	-
French	7	-
Finnish	2	-
Swedish	1	-
German	23	-
Total:	122	-

6.12. Issue of an EC Permanent Residence Permit. Flow chart



7. Temporary Residence Permits in the Republic of Lithuania

7.1. Number of Applications Filed by Aliens for the Issue/Replacement of a Temporary Residence Permit in the Republic of Lithuania in 2006, by Nationality

Nationality of an alien	Applications for the issue/replacement of a temporary residence permit in the Republic of Lithuania				
	2002	2003	2004*	2005	2006
European States, including:	4,400	4,324	3,907	4,393	5,835
- Armenia	92	110	112	131	122
- Belarus	614	689	871	1,222	2,092
- Bulgaria	5	92	124	197	86
- Russia	1,316	1,271	1,417	1,570	1,632
- Turkey	51	71	105	113	126
- Ukraine	790	639	706	967	1,486
North American states, including:	402	447	496	476	454
- USA	356	402	450	436	412
Central & South American states	39	38	47	62	66
Australian & Oceania states	17	13	15	21	21
Asian states, including:	989	960	1,005	1,006	1,053
- Israel	139	167	212	230	238
- China	283	282	266	225	248
- Lebanon	167	171	169	149	143
African states	34	34	45	49	74
Stateless	119	110	97	84	92
Total:	6,000	5,926	5,612	6,091	7,595

* Including applications by citizens of EU/EFTA Member States filed before 29 April 2004.

Note. The table does not include aliens that have submitted applications for subsidiary protection in the Republic of Lithuania.

A temporary residence permit in the Republic of Lithuania may be issued / replaced to an alien in the following cases:

- 1) the alien has retained the right to Lithuanian citizenship in the manner prescribed by the Law on Citizenship;
- 2) the alien is a person of Lithuanian descent;
- 3) case of family reunification;
- 4) the alien intends to work in the Republic of Lithuania;
- 5) the alien intends to engage in lawful activities in the Republic of Lithuania;
- 6) the alien intends to get education, to study at an educational establishment, to participate in an internship programme, to undergo in-service training, to take part in vocational training;
- 7) the alien has been put under guardianship/curatorship or he has been appointed guardian/curator;
- 8) the alien may not be expelled from the Republic of Lithuania or his/her expulsion from the Republic of Lithuania has been postponed;
- 9) the alien has been granted subsidiary protection in the Republic of Lithuania;
- 10) the alien has been granted temporary protection in the Republic of Lithuania;
- 11) the alien is unable to leave because of the dangerous physical condition and he is in need of immediate medical aid. The list of the said conditions shall be drawn up by the Health Minister of the Republic of Lithuania.

Source: Article 40(1) of Law on the Legal Status of Aliens of the Republic of Lithuania (without amendment in force since 16 December 2006).

7.2. Number of Decisions on the Issue/Replacement of a Temporary Residence Permit in the Republic of Lithuania for Aliens in 2006, by Grounds for Arrival

Grounds for arrival	Decisions on the Issue/Replacement of a Temporary Residence Permit in the Republic of Lithuania	
	issue / replace	refusal on issue / replacement
The alien has retained the right to citizenship of the Republic of Lithuania in the manner prescribed by the Law on Citizenship	5	-
The alien is a person of Lithuanian descent	3	-
Parents (adoptive parents) of the alien or one of them live in the Republic of Lithuania and are citizens of the Republic of Lithuania	366	1
A child (adoptive child) of the alien lives in the Republic of Lithuania and is a citizen of the Republic of Lithuania	644	-
Spouse of the alien lives in the Republic of Lithuania and is a citizen of the Republic of Lithuania or a foreigner who possesses permanent residence permit in the Republic of Lithuania	1,965	13
Parents (adoptive parents) of the alien live in the Republic of Lithuania) who are incapable for work due to old age pension or disablement and have permanent residence permit	6	1
The alien is in possession of a work permit in the Republic of Lithuania	2,085	1
The alien intends to work in the Republic of Lithuania	317	-
The alien incorporates a company, establishment or organization in the Republic of Lithuania as an owner or joint owner who owns not less than 10 percent of the authorized capital of the company or voting rights, and his stay in Lithuania is necessary for achievement of the objectives of the company, establishment or organization as well as carrying out the activity	271	3
The alien is the head or authorized person of the company, establishment or organization registered in the Republic of Lithuania, if the main purpose of his arrival is work at the company, establishment or organization	97	1
The alien intends to engage in lawful activities in the Republic of Lithuania, the activity of which is not subject to work permission or permission to carry out certain type of activity	151	-
The alien intends to get education, to study at an educational establishment, to participate in an internship programme, to undergo in-service training, to take part in vocational training	870	-
The alien has been appointed guardian/curator of a person who is a citizen of the Republic of Lithuania	5	-
A citizen of the Republic of Lithuania has been appointed guardian/curator of the alien	28	-
The alien is unable to leave because of the dangerous physical condition and he is in need of immediate medical aid	28	-
The alien arrives as a family member of an alien	528	4
Total:	7,369	24

7.3. Number of Positive Decisions on the Issue/Replacement of a Temporary Residence Permit in the Republic of Lithuania for Aliens in 2006, by Grounds for Arrival

Grounds for arrival	2002	2003	2004*	2005	2006
For work under an employment contract	386	475	777	697	2,085
To attain education	602	641	707	698	870
Family reunification including arriving to:	2,382	2,414	2,027	2,257	2,981
- spouse	1,629	1,628	1,335	1,499	1,965
- parents	294	255	242	273	372
- children	459	531	450	490	644
To engage in lawful activities	1,130	1,026	694	1 281	836
Family members of the aliens having obtained a temporary residence permit in the Republic of Lithuania	704	612	540	562	528
Other	1,080	858	314	57	69
Total:	6,274	6,018	5,059	5,557	7,369

* Including positive decisions on applications by the citizens of the EU/EFTA Member States accepted before 30 April 2004.

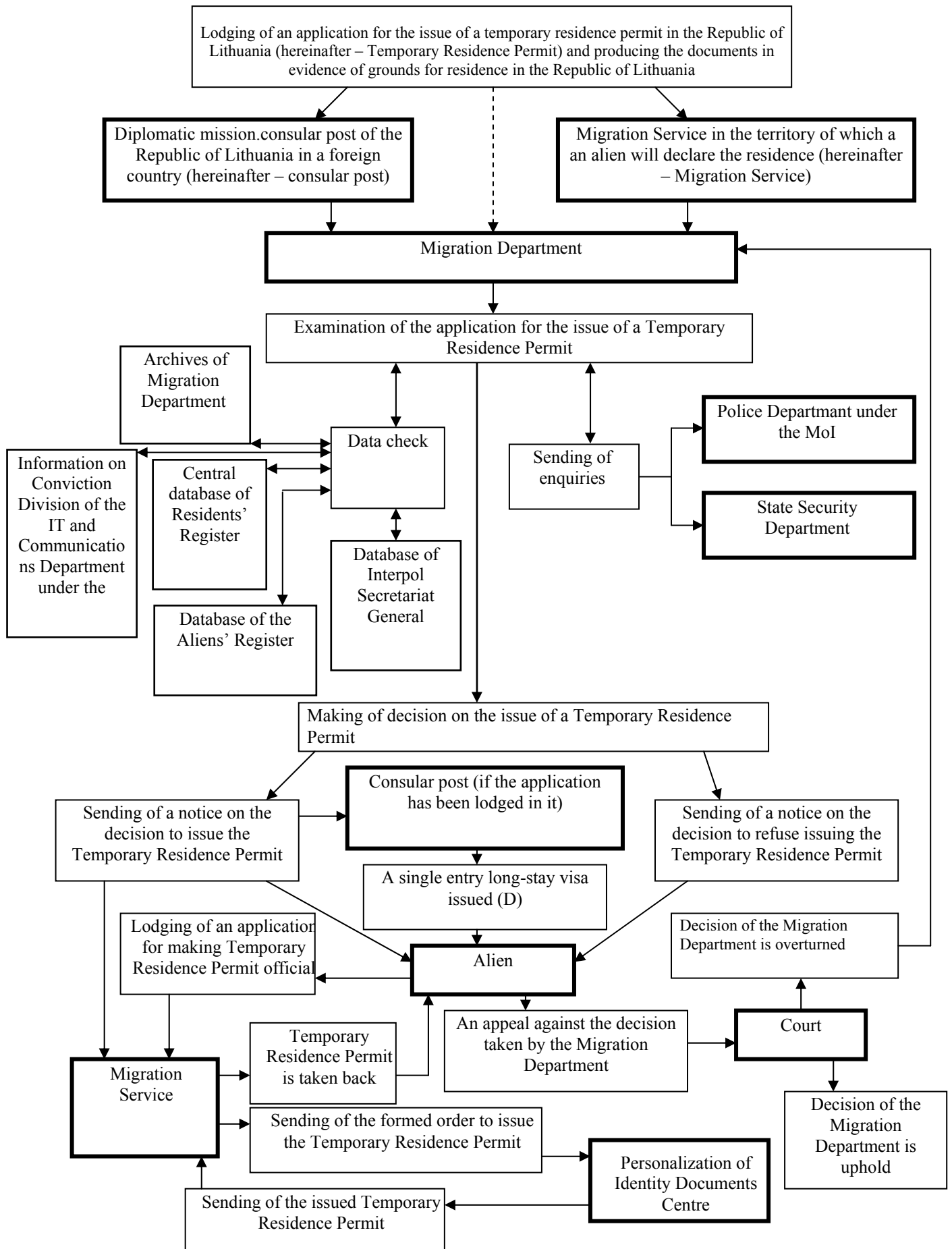
7.4. Number of Temporary Residence Permits in the Republic of Lithuania Issued to Aliens in 2006, by Nationality

Nationality	Temporary Residence Permits in the Republic of Lithuania issued / replaced
European states, including:	5,333
- Belarus	1,679
- Russia	1,998
- Ukraine	1,045
North American states, including:	440
- USA	404
Central & South American states	67
Australian & Oceania states	14
Asian states, including:	1,048
- Israel	269
- China	230
- Lebanon	151
African states	65
Stateless	129
Total:	7,096

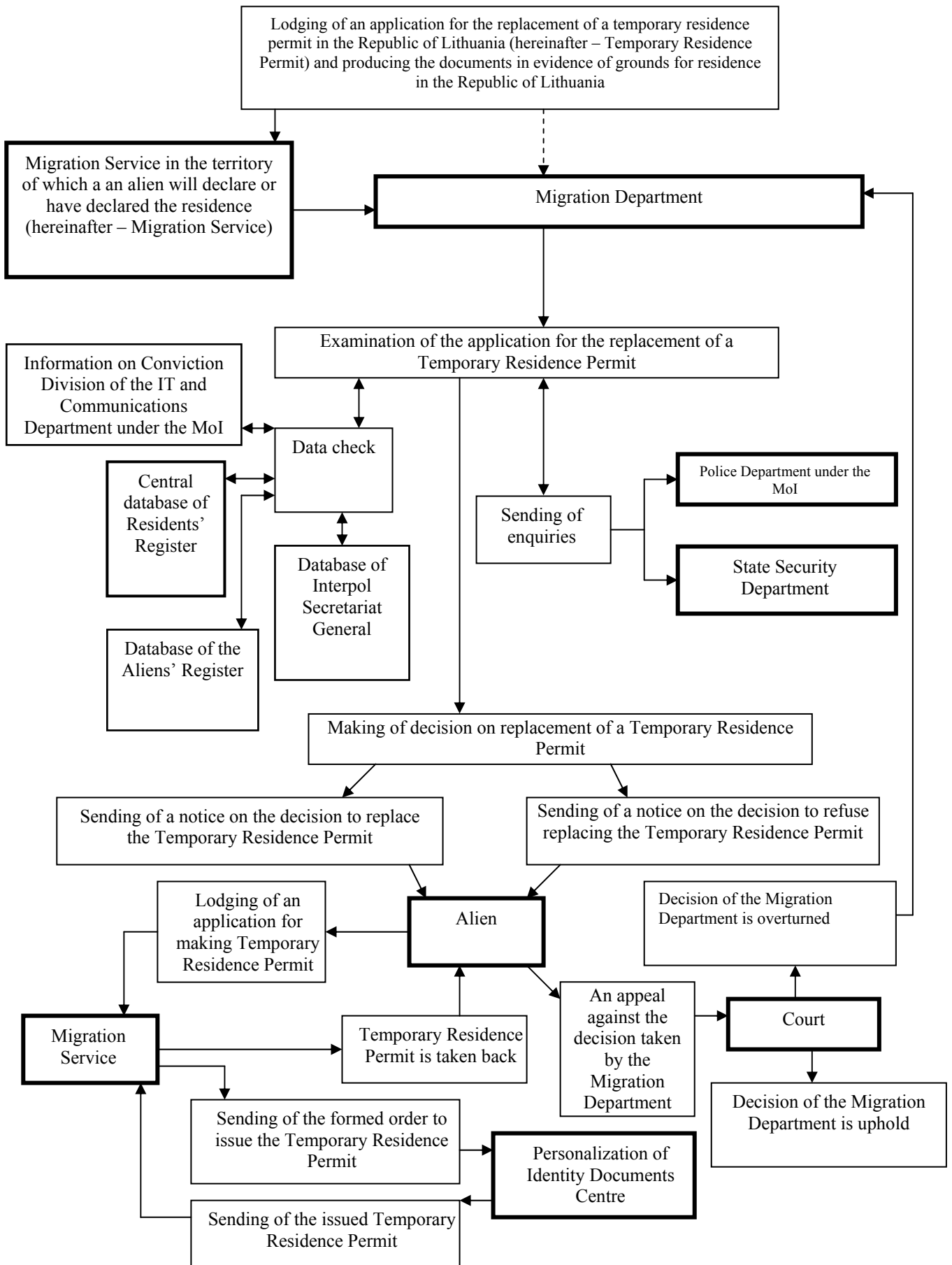
7.5. Number of Temporary Residence Permits in the Republic of Lithuania issued / replaced to Aliens in 2006, by Grounds for Arrival

Grounds for arrival	Temporary Residence Permits in the Republic of Lithuania issued / changed
The alien has retained the right to the citizenship of the Republic of Lithuania following the order established by the Law on Citizenship	12
The alien is a person of Lithuanian descent	6
The alien arrives for family reunification	2,917
The alien intends to work in the Republic of Lithuania	1,723
The alien intends to engage in lawful activities	548
The alien intends to get education, to study at an educational establishment, to participate in an internship programme, to undergo in-service training, to take part in vocational training	853
The alien has been put under guardianship / curatorship or he has been appointed guardian/curator	35
the alien may not be expelled from the Republic of Lithuania following the order established by the Law on Legal Status of Aliens or his/her expulsion from the Republic of Lithuania has been postponed	15
The alien has been granted subsidiary protection in the Republic of Lithuania following the order established by the Law on Legal Status of Aliens	395
The alien is unable to leave because of the dangerous physical condition and he is in need of immediate medical aid	32
Arrives as a family member of aliens	560
Total:	7,096

7.6. Issue of a Temporary Residence Permit in the Republic of Lithuania to an Alien. Flow Chart



7.7. Replacement of a Temporary Residence Permit in the Republic of Lithuania for an Alien. Flow Chart



8. Permanent Residence Permits for Aliens in the Republic of Lithuania

8.1. Number of Applications Filed by Aliens for the Issue of a Permanent Residence Permit in the Republic of Lithuania in 2006, by Nationality

Nationality	Applications filed
Algerian	1
Argentine	1
Armenian	19
Azerbaijani	4
Belarusian	53
Stateless	68
Bolivian	1
Bulgarian	1
Chilean	1
Guinean	3
Indian	2
Iranian	1
Israeli	18
Japanese	3
American	18
Kazakhstan	5
Chinese	19
Columbian	2
Republic of Korea	2
Croatian	1
Lebanese	1
Macedonian	1
Moldovan	4
Peruvian	1
Russian	157
Syrian	1
Somali	2
Sri Lanka	4
Turkish	4
Turkmen	1
Ukrainian	29
Uzbek	1
Vietnamese	11
Total:	440

Note. The table does not include aliens that have been granted the refugee status in the Republic of Lithuania.

8.2. Number of Decisions on the Issue of a Permanent Residence Permit in the Republic of Lithuania to Aliens in 2006, by Nationality

Nationality	Decision on issue of permanent residence permit	
	issue	refuse to issue
Algerian	1	-
Argentine	1	-
Armenian	19	-
Azerbaijani	4	-
Belarusian	50	-
Stateless	68	-
Bolivian	1	-
Bulgarian	1	-
Chilean	1	-
Guinean	3	-
Indian	2	-
Iranian	1	-
Israeli	17	1
Japanese	3	-
American	18	-
Kazakhstan	5	-
Chinese	19	-
Columbian	2	-
Republic of Korea	2	-
Croatian	1	-
Lebanese	1	-
Macedonian	1	-
Moldovan	4	-
Peruvian	1	-
Russian	157	1
Syrian	1	-
Somali	2	-
Sri Lanka	4	-
Turkish	3	-
Turkmen	1	-
Ukrainian	29	-
Uzbek	1	-
Vietnamese	11	-
Total:	435	2

8.3. Number of Permanent Residence Permits in the Republic of Lithuania Issued to Aliens in 2006, by Grounds

Grounds for issue	Number of aliens
Has retained the right to Lithuanian citizenship	6
Is a person of Lithuanian descent	11
Arrived to Lithuania for residence together with a Lithuanian citizen as a member of his/her family	55
Has lost Lithuanian citizenship but resides in the Republic of Lithuania	21
A child under 18 was born in the Republic of Lithuania and one of or both parents has a permanent residence permit	81
A child under 18 resides in the Republic of Lithuania and one of or both parents has a permanent residence permit	48
Was granted refugee status	10
Has been living in the Republic of Lithuania for last 5 successive years having a temporary residence permit	134
Grounds provided for in Article 3 of Law of the Republic of Lithuania Implementing the Law on the Legal Status of Aliens	55
Arrived for residence as family members with an alien who retained the right to the citizenship of the Republic of Lithuania or is a person of Lithuanian descent and live together	5
Total:	426

Source: Personalization of Identity Documents Centre under the Ministry of the Interior

8.4. Number of Aliens who have received Permanent Residence Permits in the Republic of Lithuania, by Nationality

Nationality	2002	2003	2004*	2005	2006
European states, including:	1,146	1,301	807	413	258
- Belarus	172	231	163	60	46
- Russia	735	741	475	266	147
- Ukraine	145	191	109	42	32
North American states	9	12	7	14	12
Central & South American states	-	-	3	5	5
Africans states	2	1	3	4	3
Asian states	47	82	66	70	44
Stateless	228	212	199	106	75
Total:	1,432	1,608	1,085	612	397

* The table includes only those citizens of the EU/EFTA Member States who had obtained permanent residence permits in the Republic of Lithuania before 30 April 2004.

Source: Personalization of Identity Documents Centre under the Ministry of the Interior.

A Permanent Residence Permit in the Republic of Lithuania may be issued provided that the alien:

- 1) has retained the right to citizenship of the Republic of Lithuania according to the procedure established by the Law on Citizenship;
- 2) is a person of Lithuanian descent;
- 3) has entered into the Republic of Lithuania for residence accompanying a citizen of the Republic of Lithuania as the family member;
- 4) has lost Lithuanian citizenship but resides in the Republic of Lithuania;
- 5) is a child under 18 born in the Republic of Lithuania, and one or both of his parents are the citizens of the Republic of Lithuania, whose place of residence is declared in the Republic of Lithuania, or hold a Permanent Residence Permit;
- 6) is a child under 18 born not in the Republic of Lithuania, and one or both of his parents are the citizens of the Republic of Lithuania, whose place of residence is declared in the Republic of Lithuania, or hold a Permanent Residence Permit;
- 7) has been granted a refugee status in the Republic of Lithuania;
- 8) has been living in the Republic of Lithuania for a continuous period of the last 5 years holding a temporary residence permit;
- 9) in the case provided for in Article 3 of the Law Implementing the Law on the Legal Status of Aliens.

Source: Article 53(1) of Law on the Legal Status of Aliens of the Republic of Lithuania of 29 April 2004.

8.5. Number of Replaced Permanent Residence Permits in the Republic of Lithuania for Aliens, by Nationality

Nationality	2002	2003	2004*	2005	2006
European states, including:	1,926	4,342	5,570	3,149	2,164
- Belarus	407	483	607	523	483
- Russia	1,179	3,265	4,474	2,320	1,362
- Ukraine	184	374	357	218	225
North American states	5	7	8	10	13
Central & South American states	1	-	3	2	-
Africans states	3	-	6	3	1
Asian states, including:	90	119	142	114	101
- Israel	32	32	20	24	37
- Kazakhstan	18	49	70	43	28
- Vietnam	10	13	13	15	12
Australia & Oceania	1	-	1	-	-
Stateless	1,227	1,400	1,820	1,377	1,065
Total:	3,253	5,868	7,550	4,655	3,344

* The table includes only those citizens of the EU/EFTA Member States who had replaced permanent residence permits in the Republic of Lithuania before 30 April 2004.

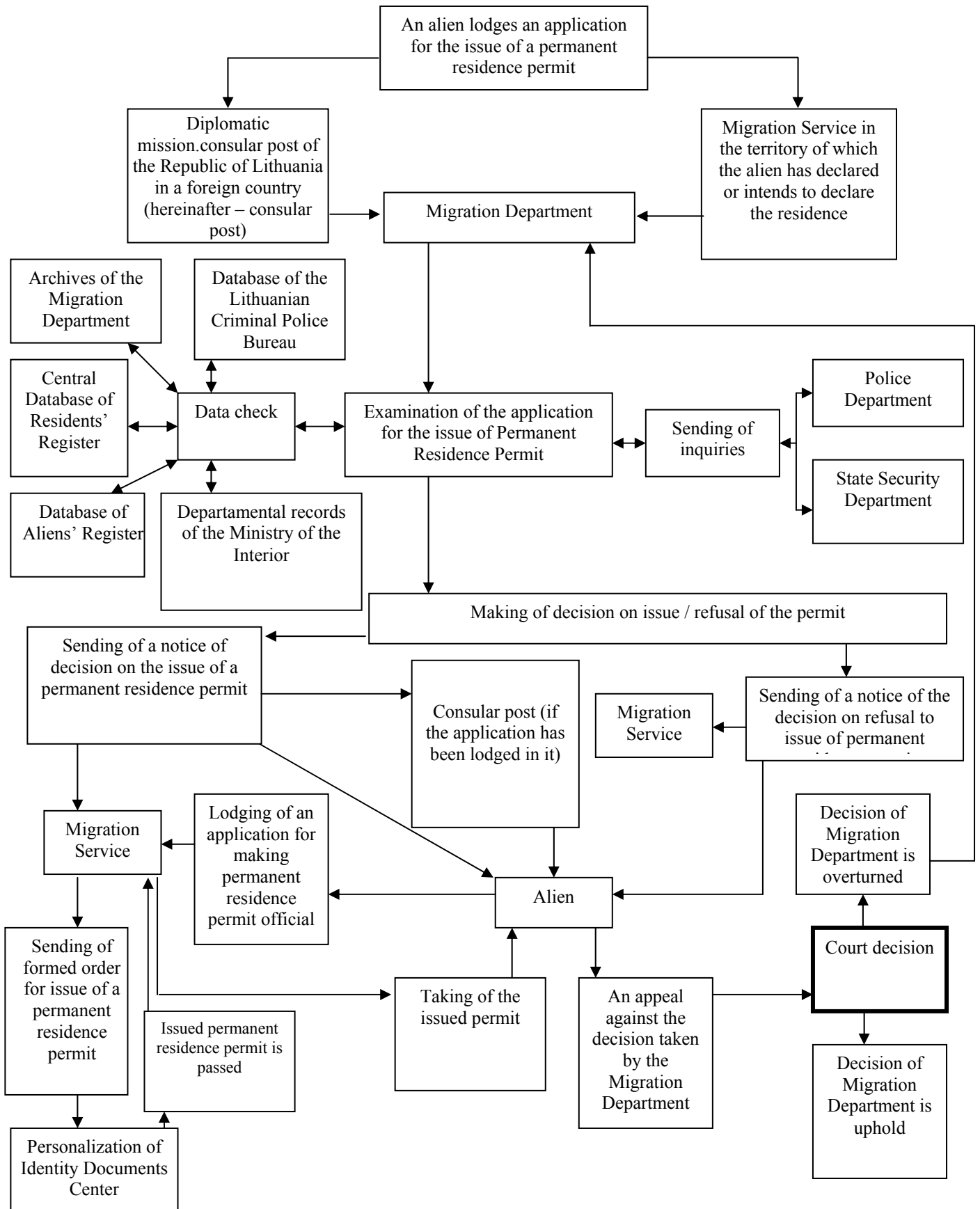
Source: Personalization of Identity Documents Centre under the Ministry of the Interior.

At the request of an alien permanent residence permit in the Republic of Lithuania may be replaced in case:

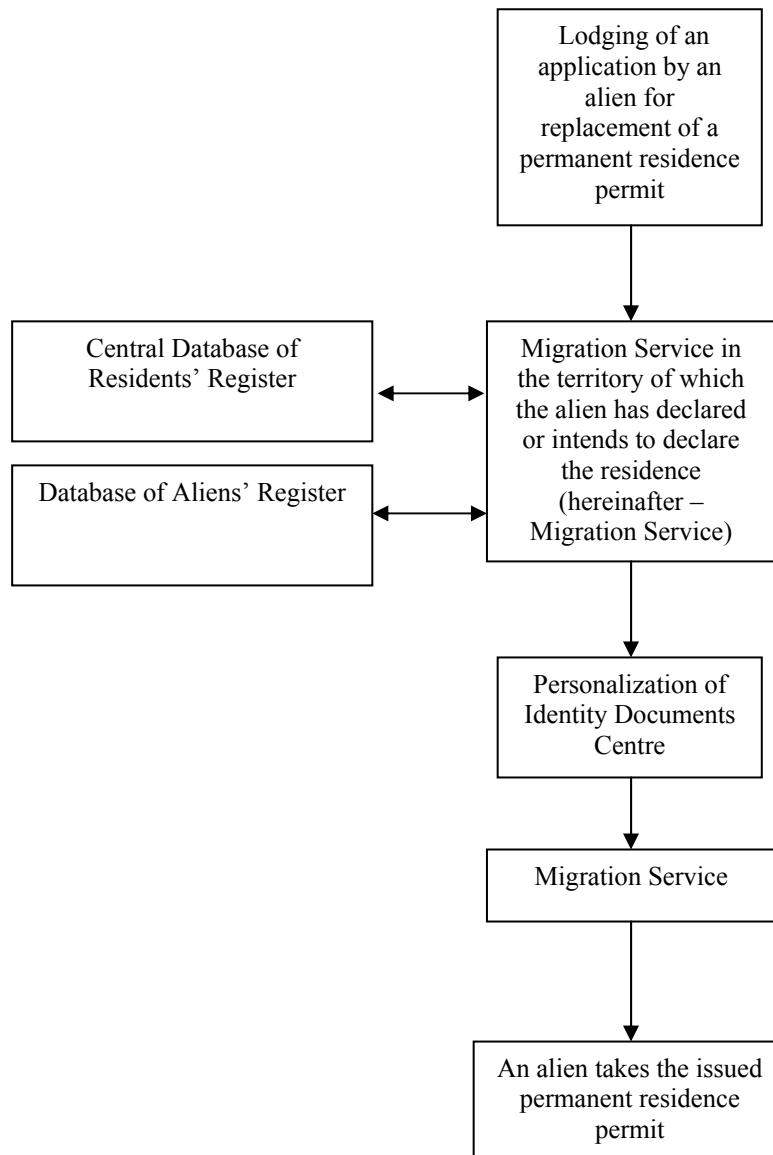
- 1) the alien changes personal data;
- 2) permanent residence permit becomes improper for usage;
- 3) permanent residence permit is no longer valid;
- 4) permanent residence permit includes false entries.
- 5) permanent residence permit is lost.

Source: Article 53(2) of Law on the Legal Status of Aliens the Republic of Lithuania.

8.6. Issue of a Permanent Residence Permit in the Republic of Lithuania to an Alien. Flow Chart



8.7. Replaced of Permanent Residence Permits in the Republic of Lithuania for Aliens. Flow Chart



9. Travel Documents of the Republic of Lithuania Issued to Aliens

9.1. Number of Travel Documents Issued and Extended to Stateless Persons

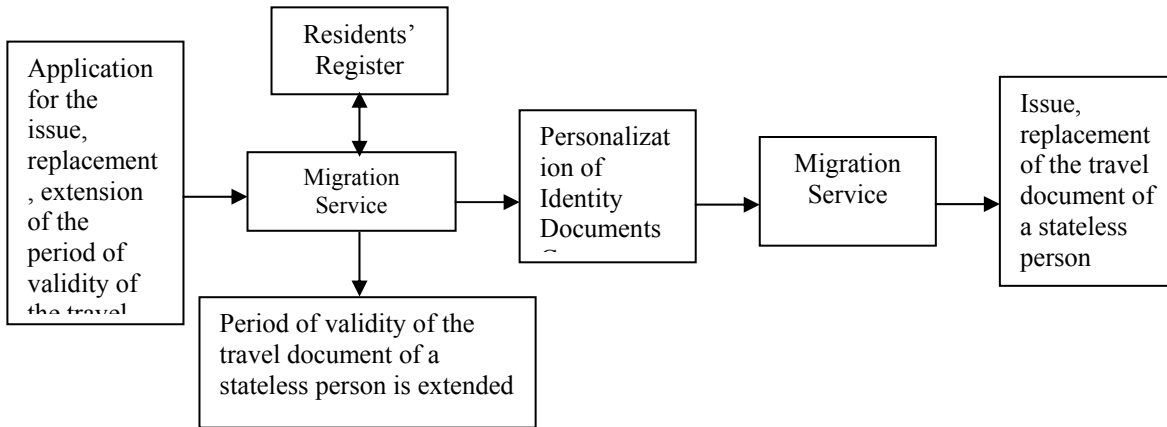
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
Total number issued, including:	508	587	799	698	758
- for the first time	174	129	155	130	102
- replaced	334	458	644	568	656
Extended document's validity	747	682	300	310	190

Sources: Personalization of Identity Documents Centre under the Ministry of the Interior; Migration Services.
Note: Issue of travel documents to stateless persons was started from January 1994.

According to the procedure established by the Minister of the Interior a travel document of a stateless person provided for in 1954 Convention relating to the Status of Stateless Persons may be issued to a stateless person who is entitled to temporary or permanent residence in the Republic of Lithuania but does not possess a travel document valid in a foreign country.

Source: Article 38 of Law on the Legal Status of Aliens of the Republic of Lithuania.

9.2. Issue, Replacement and Extension of a Period of Validity of Travel Documents of Stateless Persons for Stateless Persons Residing in the Republic of Lithuania. Flow Chart



In order to obtain or replace a travel document, a stateless person entitled to temporary or permanent residence in the Republic of Lithuania must submit the following documents to the Migration Service according to his/her residence:

- an application for the issue/replacement of a travel document to a stateless person;
- a valid residence permit in the Republic of Lithuania;
- a travel document issued to a stateless person (in case of replacement);
- a photograph;
- a document proving payment of the state fee of established rate (LTL 25).

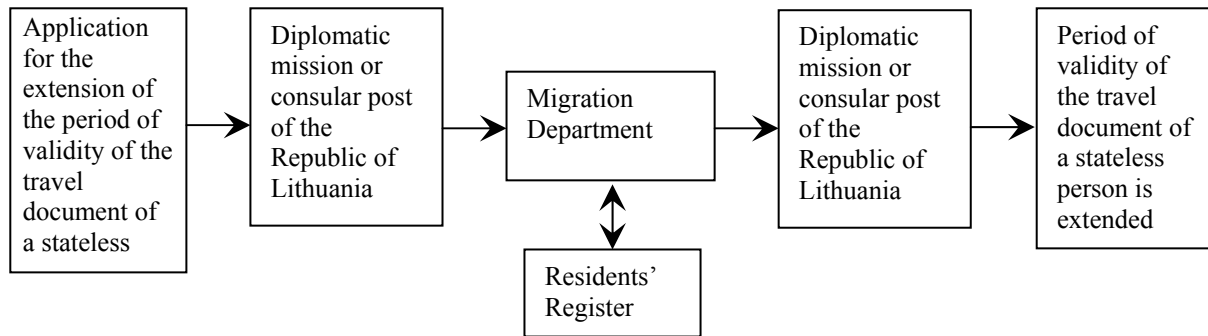
To extend a period of validity of a travel document, a stateless person must submit to the Migration Service according to the residence:

- an application to extend the period of validity of a travel document of a stateless person;
- a valid residence permit in the Republic of Lithuania;
- a valid travel document of a stateless person;
- a receipt of payment of a state fee (LTL 2).

An application for the issue or replacement of a travel document must be examined within one month from the date of lodging an application. In urgent cases the document may be issued within 7 working days from the date of lodging an application. The period of validity of the travel document is extended within 10 working days from the date of lodging an application.

Source: Paragraphs 8, 9, 10, 19, 20 and 21 of the Regulations on Issue Travel Documents for Stateless Persons approved by the rule of the Minister of the Interior of the Republic of Lithuania, 24 November 2005.

9.3. Extension of the Validity of Travel Document of Stateless Persons to a Stateless Person Staying Abroad. Flow Chart



To extend a period of validity of a travel document of stateless person, a stateless person staying abroad must submit to a diplomatic mission or a consular post of the Republic of Lithuania:

- an application to extend the period of validity of a travel document of a stateless person;
- a valid residence permit in the Republic of Lithuania;
- a valid travel document of a stateless person;
- a document proving payment of the consular fee of established rate for extension of validity period (EUR 2).

The period of validity of the travel document is extended within 10 working days from the date of lodging an application.

Source: Paragraphs 10 and 21 of the Regulations on Issue Travel Documents for Stateless Persons approved by the rule of the Minister of the Interior of the Republic of Lithuania, 24 November 2005.

9.4. Issue, Replacement and Extension of a Period of Validity of a Refugee's Travel Document

	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
Issued	1	-	8	6	20
Replaced	11	3	4	5	5
The period of validity of the document is extended	-	-	-	-	-

Source: Migration Services.

In order to go abroad a refugee permanently residing in the Republic of Lithuania is issued a refugee travel document following the order established by the Minister of the Interior.

Source: Article 89(3) of Law on the Legal Status of Aliens of the Republic of Lithuania.

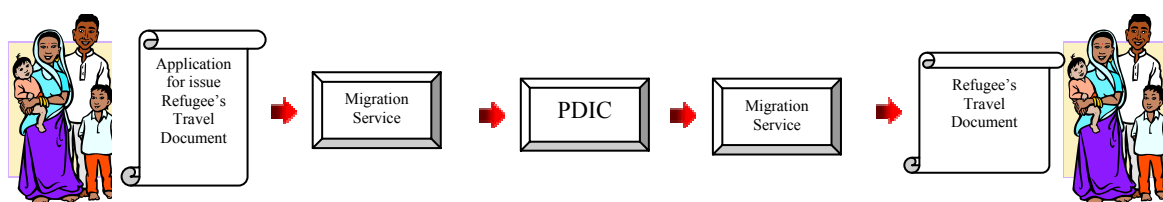
9.5. Issue, Replacement and Extension of a Period of Validity of a Refugee's Travel Document. Flow Chart

In order to obtain, replace or extend the period of validity of a refugee's travel document, an alien who has been granted refugee status in the Republic of Lithuania must submit the following documents to the Migration Service according to his/her residence:

- an application for the issue (replacement) or extension of a period of validity of a refugee's travel document;
- a valid permanent residence permit in the Republic of Lithuania;
- a refugee's travel document in case of replacement or extension of the period of validity;
- a receipt of payment of state fee (LTL 25 for issue/replacement, LTL 2 for extension of the period of validity).

An application for the issue, replacement or extension of a period of validity of a refugee's travel document must be examined not later than within 15 working days from the date of lodging of the application. A refugee's travel document must be issued/replaced within 15 working days from the date of making a decision on the issue/replacement, while a period of validity must be extended within 5 working days from the date of making a decision to extend a period of validity.

Source: Paragraphs 12 and 16 of the Regulations of Issue of Refugee's Travel Document approved by the rule of the Minister of the Interior of the Republic of Lithuania, 7 December 2004.



9.6. Number of Aliens' Passports Issued to Aliens

	2004	2005	2006
Issued total, including:	31	148	64
- for the first time	31	138	28
- replaced	-	10	36
Period of validity of passport extended	-	14	29

Sources: Personalization of Identity Documents Centre under the Ministry of the Interior; Migration Services
 Note: Issuance of aliens' passports was started on 15 November 2004.

9.7. Number of Aliens' Passports Issued to Aliens, by Nationality

Nationality	Aliens' passports issued		
	2004	2005	2006
Afghan	3	18	5
Algerian	-	-	1
Armenian	1	1	-
Belarusian	-	1	-
Iraqi	-	1	1
Pakistani	-	1	1
Russian	27	126	56
Total:	31	148	64

Sources: Personalization of Identity Documents Centre under the Ministry of the Interior.

9.8. Issue and Replacement of an Alien's Passport. Flow chart

In order to obtain an alien's passport an alien must submit to the Migration Service according to the residence:

- an application for the issue of an alien's passport;
- a well-grounded explanation (in a free form) of objective reasons preventing him/her from obtaining a valid passport of a foreign national or an equivalent travel document (hereinafter - Travel Document) from competent authorities of the country of origin and/or documents evidencing that he/she cannot obtain a travel document from competent authorities of the country of origin;
- a valid residence permit in the Republic of Lithuania;
- a photograph;
- a receipt of payment of a state fee (LTL 100).

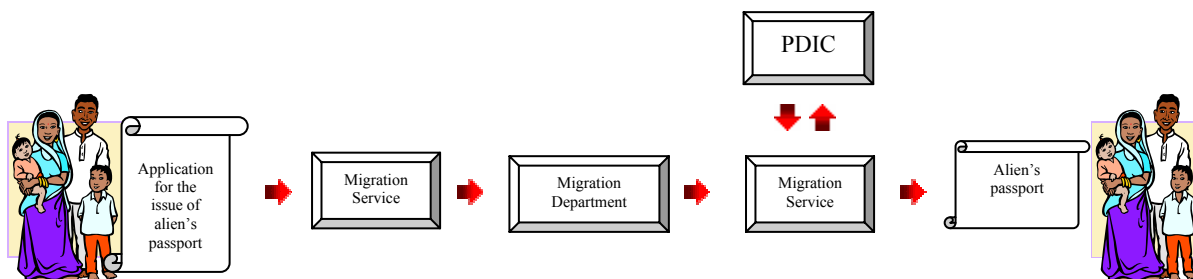
The alien's passport must be issued or replaced within 40 days from the date of receipt of the application by the Migration Service.

In order to extend the period of validity of an alien's passport an alien must submit to the Migration Service according to the residence:

- an application for extension of validity period of an alien's passport;
- a well-grounded explanation (in a free form) of objective reasons preventing him/her from obtaining a valid passport of a foreign national or an equivalent travel document (hereinafter - Travel Document) from competent authorities of the country of origin and(or) documents evidencing that he/she cannot obtain a travel document from competent authorities of the country of origin;
- alien's passport;
- a valid residence permit in the Republic of Lithuania;
- a receipt of payment of a state fee (LTL 100).

The period of validity of an alien's passport must be extended within one month from the date of receipt of the application by the Migration Service.

Source: Paragraphs 11, 12, 22 and 23 of the Regulations of Issue of Alien's Passport approved by the rule of the Minister of the Interior of the Republic of Lithuania, 10 November 2004.



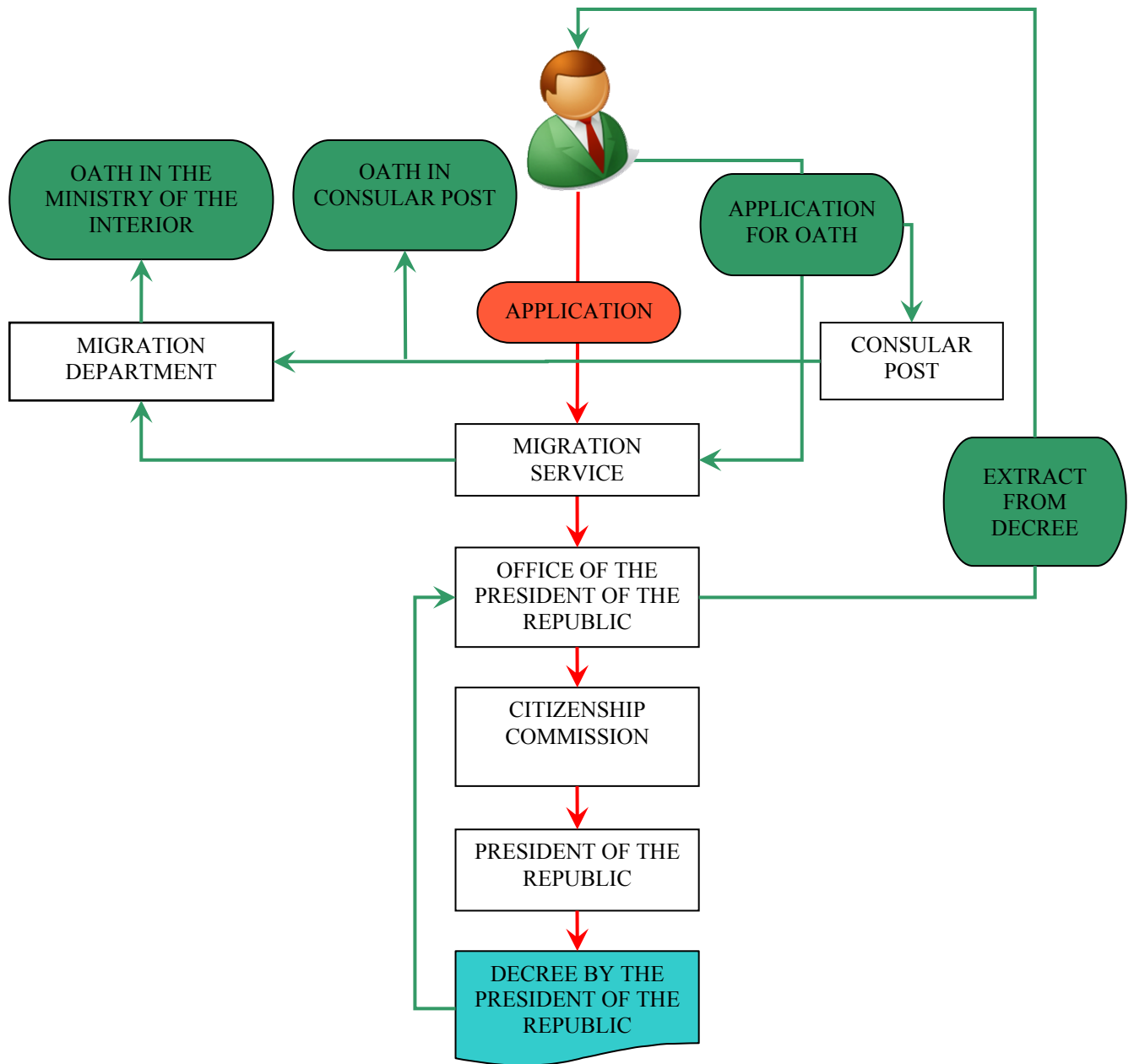
10. Citizenship of the Republic of Lithuania

10.1. Number of Aliens to Whom Lithuanian Citizenship Has Been Granted, by Former Nationality

Nationality at the time of logging of an application for Lithuanian citizenship	Number of persons				
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
Armenian	5	10	18	5	3
Azerbaijani	-	-	2	1	-
Belarusian	20	8	39	24	28
Stateless	363	252	314	214	238
Bolivian	-	-	-	-	1
Bosnian & Herzegovinian	-	1	-	-	-
Bulgarian	1	-	-	-	-
Egyptian	-	-	-	1	-
Georgian	1	1	1	3	2
Iranian	1	-	-	-	-
Israeli	1	2	3	3	-
Kazakh	3	-	9	1	6
Kyrgyz	1	-	-	2	-
Latvian	3	1	1	1	-
Polish	-	1	1	1	1
Lebanese	2	-	1	3	2
Moldovan	1	4	-	4	5
Pakistani	-	-	1	-	-
South African	-	1	-	-	-
Romanian	1	-	-	-	-
Russian	75	87	179	151	151
Syrian	1	-	-	-	-
Tajik	-	1	-	-	-
Turkish	1	-	2	-	-
Ukrainian	24	19	37	21	30
Uzbek	-	1	2	-	-
Total:	504	389	610	435	467

Source: Office of the President of the Republic of Lithuania

10.2. Granting of Lithuanian Citizenship to an Alien. Flow Chart



Upon submitting an application, a person may be granted citizenship of the Republic of Lithuania, provided that he agrees to take the oath of allegiance to the Republic of Lithuania and meets the following conditions:

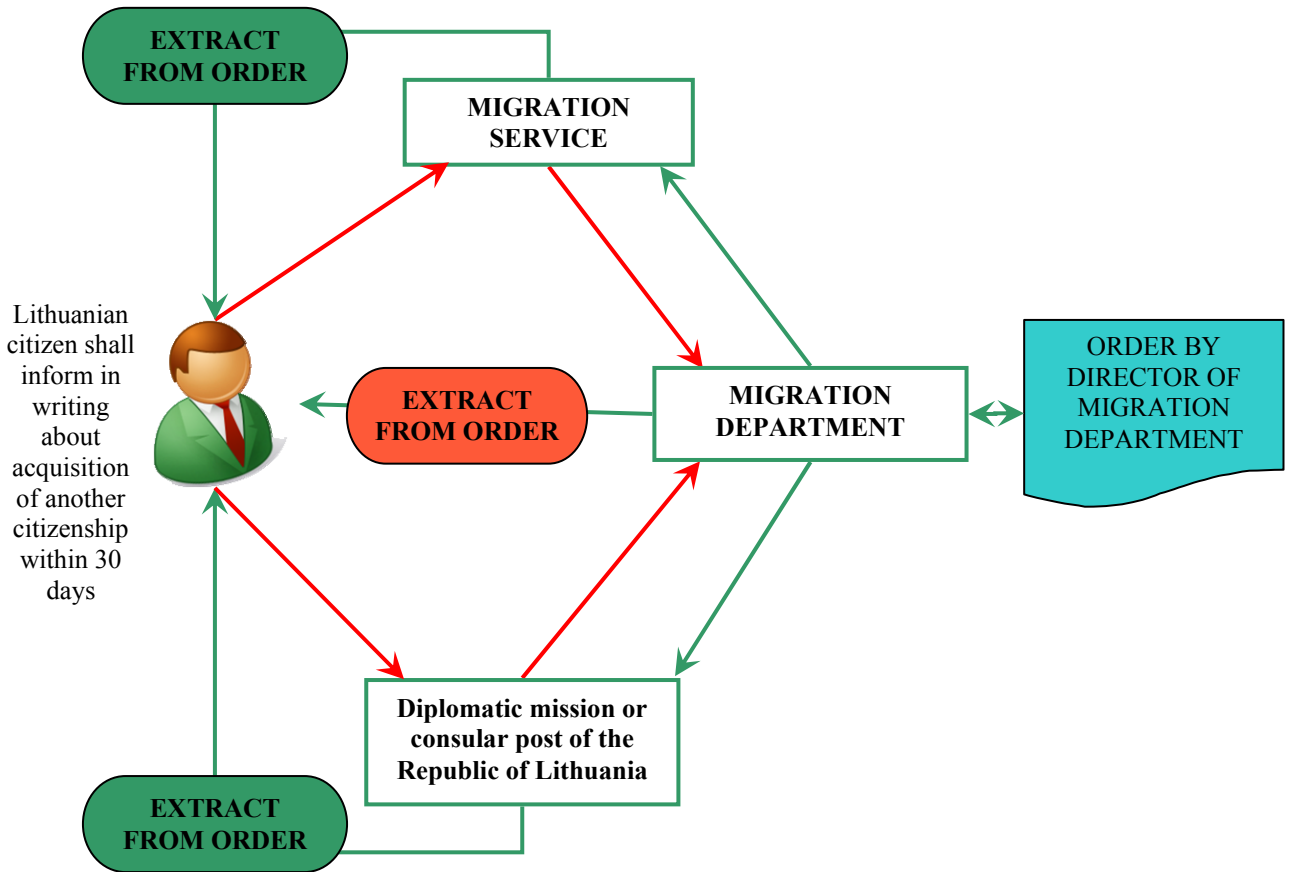
- 1) has passed the official language examination;
- 2) is a permanent resident of the Republic of Lithuania at the time of filing the application;
- 3) for the last 10 years has been permanently residing in the territory of the Republic of Lithuania;
- 4) has a legal source of subsistence in the territory of the Republic of Lithuania;
- 5) has passed the examination on the basic provisions of the Constitution of the Republic of Lithuania;
- 6) is a stateless person or is a citizen of a state under the laws of which he loses citizenship of the said state upon acquiring citizenship of the Republic of Lithuania and notifies in writing of his decision to renounce citizenship of another state held by him after he is granted citizenship of the Republic of Lithuania.

Source: Article 12 of Law on Citizenship of the Republic of Lithuania.

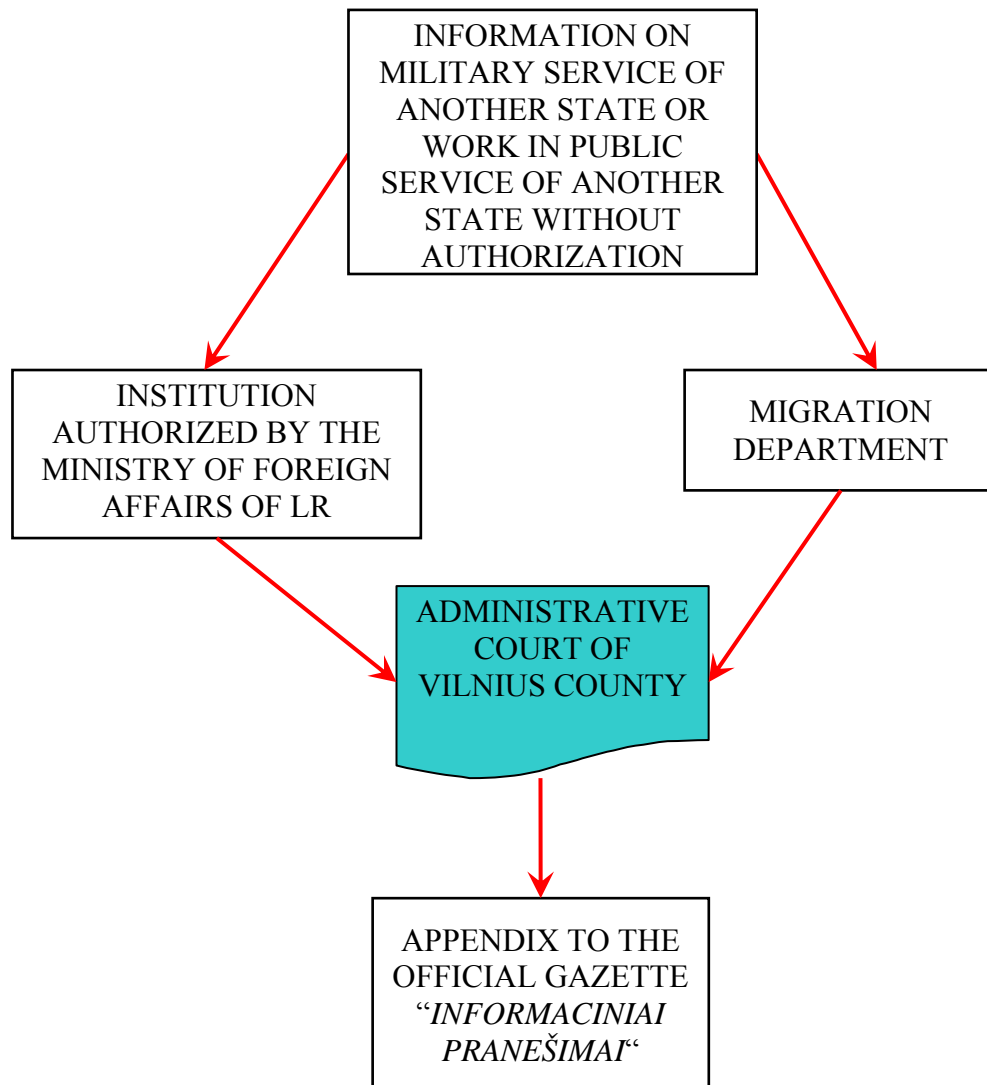
10.3. Number of Persons who have Lost Lithuanian Citizenship, by Reasons

Reason of loss of the citizenship of the Republic of Lithuanian	Number of persons				
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
Refusal from Lithuanian citizenship	264	235	315	207	216
Acquiring citizenship of another state	758	372	386	265	485
The person has lawfully decided on Lithuanian citizenship by 4 November 1991 in accordance with the Law on Citizenship of 3 November 1989, resides in a foreign state and has not approached, before 31 December 2003, institutions authorized by the Minister of the Interior or Lithuanian consular posts in foreign countries for issue of a document evidencing Lithuanian citizenship.	-	-	96	283	197
Severance of actual ties with Lithuania	4	1	1	-	-
Total:	1,026	608	798	755	898

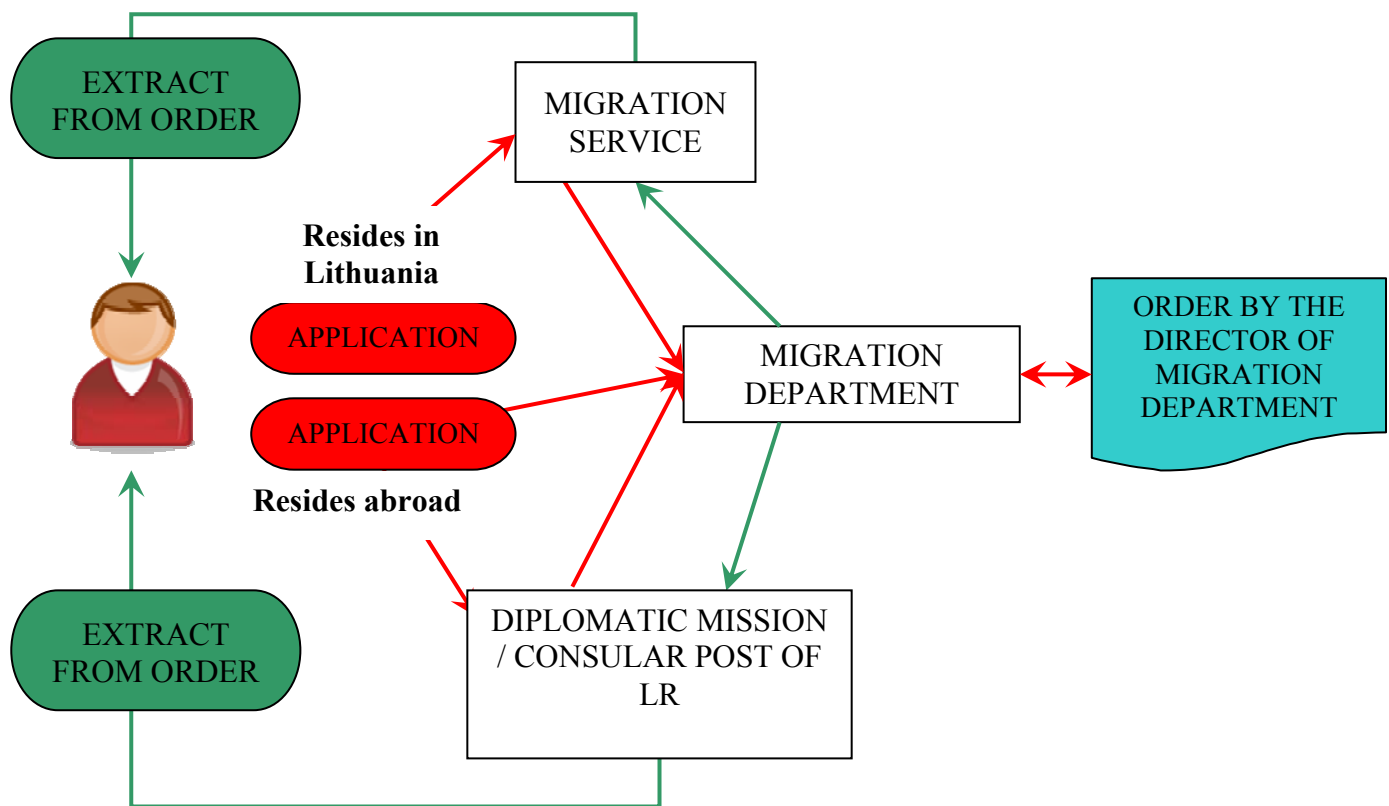
10.4. Loss of Lithuanian Citizenship Upon Acquisition of Citizenship of Another State. Flow Chart



10.5. Loss of Lithuanian Citizenship where the Person is in Military Service or Works in the Public Service of Another State without Authorization of the Government of the Republic of Lithuania. Flow Chart



10.6. Renouncing Citizenship of the Republic of Lithuania. Flow Chart



11. Asylum in the Republic of Lithuania

11.1. Number of Aliens' Applications for Asylum in the Republic of Lithuania, by Nationality

Nationality	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
Afghan	28	25	28	20	23
Algerian				1	
Angolan					2
Armenian	1	3	1		1
Australian			1		
Azerbaijani	1	5	1	1	
Byelorussian	6	12	4	3	7
Bangladeshi					2
Stateless	12	26	14	5	5
Egyptian			5		1
Estonian		1			
Ethiopian					1
Philippine					1
Ghana					6
Georgian	3	1	2	4	4
Indian		25			
Iraqi	8	1	2	5	4
Iranian	1	1			
Israeli	1	2	1		1
Yemeni		1			
Yugoslavian	2				
Cameroonian				1	3
Canadian	1				
Kazakh	1	3	5		
Chinese	1				
Kirghiz		2	1	2	
Congolese	2	2	1	1	1
Cuban					1
Latvian	1				
Polish	1	5			
Lebanese		1			
Liberian				2	
Moldovan		1			1
Nigerian	3	2	2	12	2
Dutch	1				
Pakistani	1	14	20	2	7
Russian	435	481	358	342	369
Syrian					1
Sierra Leonean		2			
Somali	9	5	2	4	2
Sri Lankan	4	4	4	4	2
Togolese				1	1
Turkish	11				1
Ukrainian	9	16	5		3
Uzbek	2		1		6
Vietnamese	1	3			
Zimbabwe					1
Total:	546	644	458	410	459

11.2. Number of Aliens' Applications for Asylum in the Republic of Lithuania and of Decisions Taken in 2006

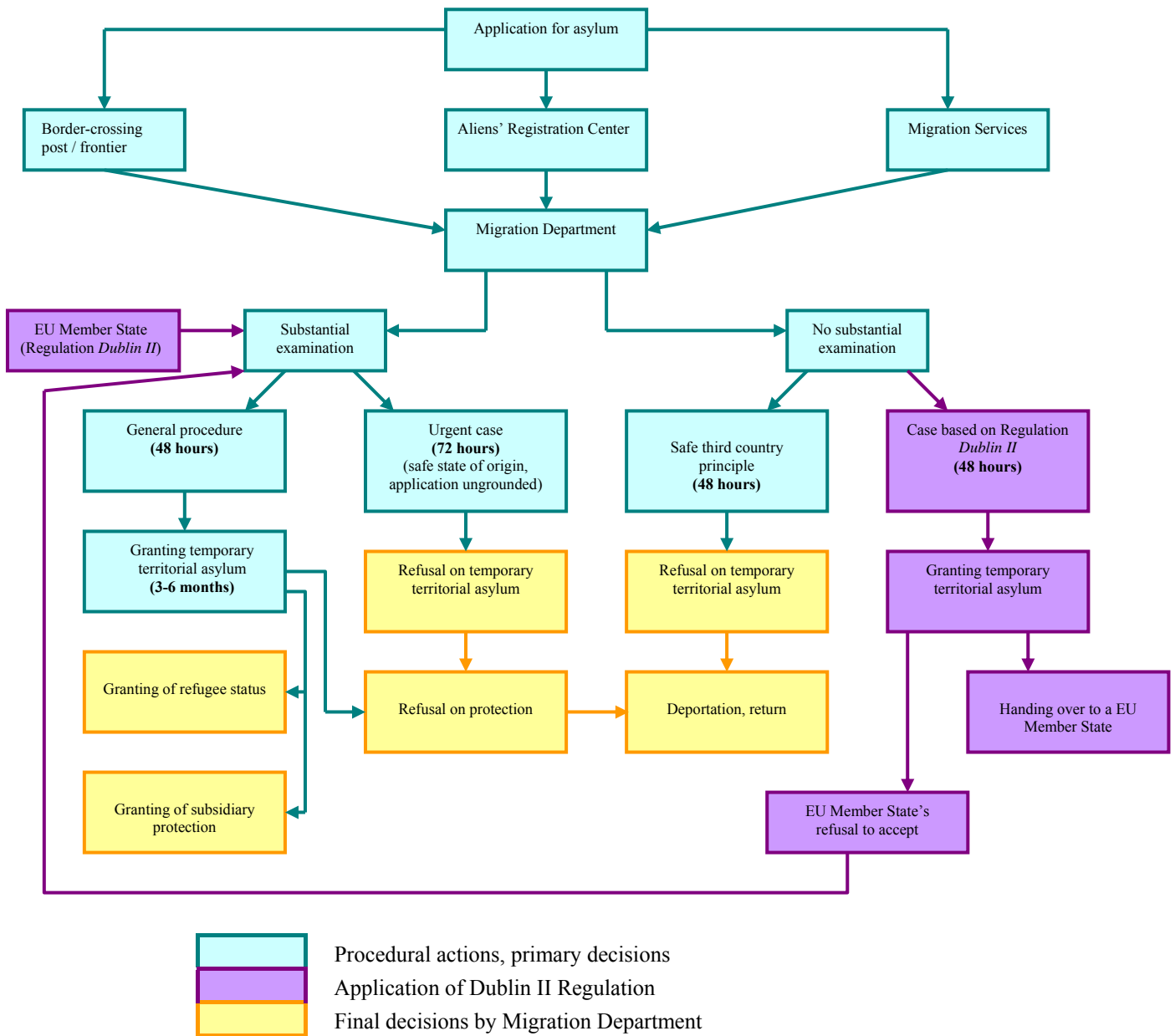
Nationality	Applications				Decisions					
	First application	Second application	Taken back based on Regulation Dublin II	Total	Granted status		Rejected	Examination of application terminated	Pass persons based on Regulation Dublin II	Total
					Refugee status	Subsidiary protection				
Afghan	2	21		23		23			1	24
Angolan	1		1	2						
Armenian	1			1			1			1
Byelorussian	7			7	3		1	1		5
Bangladeshi	2			2						
Stateless	1	4		5		3				3
Egyptian	1			1			1			1
Ethiopian	1			1						
Philippine	1			1			1			1
Ghana	6			6			6			6
Georgia	3		1	4				2		2
Iraqi	2	2		4		1				1
Israeli	1			1				1		1
Cameroonian	2		1	3		2				2
Congolese		1		1		1				1
Cuban	1			1						
Liberian							2			2
Moldovan	1			1				1		1
Nigerian	2			2		1	9			10
Pakistani	4	3		7		2	2			4
Russian	98	271		369	9	343	4	10		366
Syrian			1	1						
Somali		2		2		4				4
Sri Lankan		2		2		2				2
Togolese		1		1		1				1
Turkish	1			1					1	1
Ukrainian	2		1	3			2	1		3
Uzbek	6			6		2				2
Zimbabwe	1			1						
Total:	147	307	5	459	12	385	29	16	2	444
<i>Total (in 2000):</i>	<i>118</i>	<i>288</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>410</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>328</i>	<i>30</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>384</i>
<i>Total (in 2004):</i>	<i>167</i>	<i>291</i>		<i>458</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>407</i>	<i>50</i>	<i>91</i>		<i>460</i>

11.3. Granting Asylum to Aliens in the Republic of Lithuania

Year	Refugee status granted	Subsidiary protection granted *	Rejection of application for asylum	Examination of application terminated
1997	6	-	53	-
1998	28	-	116	108
1999	11	-	171	104
2000	15	80	113	200
2001	3	266	58	97
2002	1	287	37	55
2003	3	485	56	230
2004	12	407	50	91
2005	15	328	30	7
2006	12	385	29	16
Total:	106	2,238	713	908

* Before 30 April 2004, aliens were issued temporary residence permits for reasons on humanitarian grounds.

11.4. Granting Asylum in the Republic of Lithuania. Flow Chart



11.5. Number of Requests for Taking Over of Examination of an Asylum Application Made by the Republic of Lithuania to Other EU Member State Responsible for Examining the Application Lodged by an Alien, 2006

Member State	Alien's nationality	Received		Refused to take over	Agreed to take over	Aliens handed over
		Total	EURODAC			
Austria	Georgian	1	1	1	-	-
Belgium	Georgian	1	1	1	-	-
Great Britain	Ivory Coast	1	1	-	1	-
Latvia	Armenian	1	1	1	-	-
Kingdom of the Netherlands	Russian	1	1	1	-	-
	Iraqi	1	-	1	-	-
Sweden	Angolan	2	-	2	-	-
	Turkish	1	1	-	1	1
Germany	Afghan	1	1	-	1	1
	Cameroonian	1	-	1	-	-
	Georgian	1	-	1	-	-
	Total:	12	7	9	3	2

11.6. Number of Requests for Taking Over of Examination of an Asylum Application Made by Other EU Member States to the Republic of Lithuania Responsible for Examining the Application Lodged by an Alien, 2006

Member State	Alien's nationality	Received		Refused to take over	Agreed to take over	Aliens handed over
		Total	EURODAC			
Austria	Indian	1	-	-	1	-
	Georgian	1	1	-	1	1
Belgium	Russian	1	1	-	1	-
Czech Republic	Byelorussian	1	1	1	-	-
Estonia	Cameroonian	1	-	-	1	1
Italy	Kyrgyz	1	1	-	1	-
Latvia	Byelorussian	1	-	1	-	-
Poland	Ukrainian	1	-	-	1	1
Kingdom of the Netherlands	Byelorussian	1	-	-	1	-
	Georgian	1	1	-	1	1
	Angola	1	-	-	1	1
Slovakia	Indian	1	-	-	-	-
Finland	Congolese	1	-	-	1	-
	Byelorussian	1	-	1	-	-
Germany	Stateless	1	-	-	1	1
	Georgian	1	1	1	-	-
	Russian	1	-	1	-	-
	Total:	17	6	5	11	6

11.7. Number of Aliens Granted the Refugee Status in the Republic of Lithuania, by Nationality

Nationality	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
Byelorussian					3
Russian	1	2	12	15	9
Ukrainian		1			
Total:	1	3	12	15	12

11.8. Number of Aliens to whom Subsidiary Protection has been Granted in the Republic of Lithuania, by Nationality

Nationality	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
Afghan	12	16	26	21	23
Armenian	1	3	1		
Azerbaijan		1	2		
Byelorussian	6	11	1		
Stateless	5	10	7	5	3
Estonian		1			
Iraqi			2	2	1
Iranian		2			
Israeli	1	1			
Yemeni			1		
Yugoslavian	1				
Cameroonian					2
Kazakh	1	3	4		
Chinese		1			
Congolese	2	2	1	1	1
Latvian	1				
Polish		5	1		
Nigerian		1	2		1
Pakistani				2	2
Russian	231	409	348	288	343
Somali	10	5	1	3	4
Sri Lankan	4	3	4	5	2
Togolese				1	1
Ukrainian	8	11	6		
Uzbek	1				2
Vietnamese	1				
German	2				
Total:	287	485	407	328	385

11.9. Number of Unaccompanied Minors – Asylum Seekers, by Nationality and Gender

Nationality	2002		2003		2004		2005		2006	
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
Afghan			1				1			
Armenian			1							
Byelorussian		2		1						
Stateless	2	1	1	1	2					
Estonian				1						
Georgian							2			
Latvian	1									
Nigerian								1		
Pakistani					2				1	
Russian	10	9	9	7	2	5	1	4	2	
Ukrainian				2						
Total:	13	12	12	12	6	5	4	5	3	
	25		24		11		9		3	

11.10. Data on the Procedure for Granting Asylum in the Republic of Lithuania

Year	2003	2004	2005	2006
1. Number of asylum applications lodged	644	458	410	459
2. Causes of a refusal on substantial examination of an application:				
2.1. Safe third state	1	-	-	-
2.2. Dublin II Regulation	-	1	4	2
3. Substantial examination of an asylum application:				
3.1. Positive decisions:	420	419	342	397
3.1.1. on refugee status	3	12	15	12
3.1.2. on subsidiary protection	417	407	328	385
3.2. Negative decisions on asylum	56	50	30	29
3.3. Examination of the application terminated	230	91	7	16
4. Number of applications remaining at the end of the year:				
4.1. Migration Department under the Ministry of Interior	132	28	55	70
4.2. Vilnius District Administrative Court	10	3	7	10
4.3. Supreme Administrative Court of the Republic of Lithuania	3	5	2	14

12. Aliens' Control

12.1. Number of Aliens who were Prohibited to Enter the Territory of the Republic of Lithuania, by Nationality

Nationality	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006*
European states, including:	3,560	5,326	3,861	3,178	2,854
- Byelorussian	911	1,032	716	756	856
- Latvian	383	513	630	257	85
- Russian	1,175	2,522	1,677	1,493	1,465
-Ukrainian	549	585	344	334	312
North America states	3	5	14	3	-
Central & South America states	21	26	18	18	11
Australian & Oceania states	8	-	2	3	-
African states	22	16	84	55	19
Asian states, including:	428	342	668	290	199
-Indian	271	61	84	51	51
Stateless	44	47	55	81	42
Unknown	50	34	75	29	26
Total:	4,136	5,796	4,777	3,657	3,151

* Based on the causes indicated in Schengen Borders Code.

Source: State Border Guard Service under the Ministry of the Interior.

12.2. Number of Aliens who were Prohibited to Enter the Territory of the Republic of Lithuania, by Grounds indicated in Schengen Borders Code, 2006

Grounds for refusing admission	Number of aliens
A) does not have a valid travel document(s)	190
B) possesses untrue / fake / false travel document	20
C) does not have a valid visa or residence permission	2,452
D) possesses untrue / fake / false visa or residence permission	2
E) does not possess appropriate documents justifying the aim and conditions of stay	120
G) does not have sufficient means of subsistence for the period and manner of stay or sufficient means for return to the country of origin or transit	227
H) is a person subject to notice on refusal to allow arrival entered into: - SIS - National Register	12
I) is treated as causing threat to the public order, public health or international relations of one or several EU Member States	128
Total:	3,151

Source: State Border Guard Service under the Ministry of the Interior.

12.3. Number of Aliens Who Were Detained for Illegal Entry to and(or) Illegal Stay in the Territory of the Republic of Lithuania or Subject to Alternative Detention Measure in 2006, by Country of Origin

State of origin of an alien	Number of aliens			
	Detained only for 48 hours	Detained for over 48 hours	Lodged in Alien's Registration Centre not applying restrictions to freedom of movement	Total
European states, including:	27	129	9	165
- Byelorussian	4	37	1	42
- Moldovan	3	25	3	31
- Russian	13	25	5	43
- Ukrainian	3	5		8
Asian states	4	21		25
African states	2	2	3	7
Stateless	11			11
Total:	44	152	12	208

Sources: Migration Department under the Ministry of Interior and Alien's Registration Centre of the State Border Guard Service under the Ministry of the Interior.

12.4. Number of Aliens Who Were Detained for more than 48 Hours for Illegal Entry to and(or) Stay in the Territory of the Republic of Lithuania, by Country of Origin

State of origin of an alien	Number of aliens				
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
European states, including:	169	164	172	125	129
- Azerbaijan	10	5	4	4	4
- Byelorussian	36	28	32	36	37
- Moldavian	7	9	1	14	25
- Russian	60	60	59	28	25
- Ukrainian	19	23	34	17	5
North America states	1	-	-	-	-
Central & South America states	-	-	-	1	-
Australian & Oceania states	-	-	1	-	-
African states	4	5	19	10	2
Asian states, including:	155	114	62	14	21
- Afghan	8	13	8	-	-
- Indian	49	25	2	-	1
- Pakistani	6	17	34	6	2
- Vietnamese	56	15	3	-	-
Total:	329	283	254	150	152

Source: Alien's Registration Centre of the State Border Guard Service under the Ministry of the Interior.

12.5. Number of Aliens Accommodated in the Alien's Registration Centre, by Nationality

Country of origin	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
Afghanistan	8	14	8	5	2
Albania				2	
Algeria	1			1	
Angola					2
Armenia	2	3	5	3	4
Australia			1		
Azerbaijan	10	5	4	5	4
Byelorussia	36	29	34	40	40
Bangladesh		9			2
Guinea-Bissau					2
Egypt		1	16	2	2
Ecuador				1	
Estonia	8	2	2		1
Ethiopia					1
Philippines					3
Ghana				1	6
Georgia	4	3	2	7	15
India	49	25	2	1	1
Iraq	8	1		3	2
Iran	1	1			
Israel				1	2
Yemen		1			
Jordan		1			
Cameroon		1	1	2	2
Canada	1				
Kazakhstan	3	1	4	6	2
China	15	9	2	2	5
Kyrgyzstan	5		1	3	1
Comoros				1	
Congo				2	
Latvia	5	8	8	3	1
Lebanon	1	4	2	1	1
Liberia				2	1
Mali		1			
Moldova	7	9	1	18	29
Nigeria	4		2	9	3
Pakistan	6	17	35	8	5
France		2			
Russia	299	144	113	109	105
Sierra Leone		2			
Syria				1	1
Somali		2	2	6	
Sri Lanka	1	3			
Tajikistan	3		1		1
Togo				1	
Turkey	14	18	2	4	1
Turkmenistan	3				
Ukraine	20	26	35	17	6
Uzbekistan		2	6		9
Vietnam	56	15	3		
Germany		2	1		
Zimbabwe					1
Unknown	5	16	25	11	24
Total:	575	377	318	278	287

Source: Alien's Registration Centre of the State Border Guard Service under the Ministry of the Interior.

12.6. Number of Aliens in Respect of Whom Administrative Offence Protocols Were Drawn up under Article 206 of the Code on Administrative Offences (violation of the procedure of aliens' entry / stay in / passing in transit through / exit from the Republic of Lithuania), by Nationality

Nationality	Number of aliens				
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
European states, including:	319	413	342	977	1,470
- Armenian	16	20	22	21	29
- Byelorussian	63	70	60	149	298
- Russian	155	195	172	654	824
- Ukrainian	35	53	48	92	260
North America states, including:	16	31	23	16	21
- USA	15	30	22	14	19
Central & South America states	2	2	5	6	6
Australian & Oceania states	1	1	1	1	-
African states	9	9	3	9	16
Asian states including:	52	73	77	99	248
- Israel	11	9	16	13	16
- Kazakhstan	10	20	18	20	85
- China	8	19	13	5	8
Stateless	69	73	36	227	281
Unknown	28	43	22	-	-
Total:	496	645	509	1,335	2,042

Source: Data of Migration Services of 2001 - 2004, data of Migration Services and State Border Guard Service under the Ministry of the Interior of 2005 - 2006.

12.7. Number of Aliens with Respect to Whom Administrative Offence Protocols Have Been Drawn up on the Basis of Administrative Offences Provided in the Code on Administrative Offences (CAC), by Offences

Administrative offence	Number of aliens				
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
CAC Article 206 (violation of the procedure of aliens' entry/ stay/ passing in transit through/ exit from the Republic of Lithuania)	496	645	509	1,335	2,042
CAC Article 206¹ (damage to or loss of a permanent residence permit, stateless person's travel document, refugee's travel document or alien's passport)	125	166	173	232	219
CAC Article 206² (accommodating an alien having no passport or equivalent document, travel document, visa of the Republic of Lithuania, temporary/ permanent residence permit in the Republic of Lithuania)	6	10	15	2	9
CAC Article 206³ (employment of or creating conditions for engagement in other activities in order to earn income for subsistence for aliens having no work permit or permanent residence permit in the Republic of Lithuania)	2	3	4	-	1
Total:	629	824	701	1,569	2,271

Source: Data of Migration Services of 2001 - 2004, data of Migration Services and State Border Guard Service under the Ministry of the Interior of 2005-2006.

12.8. Number of Aliens Obligated to Depart from the Republic of Lithuania, by Nationality

Nationality	Number of aliens				
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
European states, including:	193	374	435	865	794
- Armenian	12	16	19	21	45
- Azerbaijan	2	6	7	23	23
- Byelorussian	45	66	68	184	125
- Russian	61	172	229	465	372
- Ukrainian	33	57	76	110	169
North America states, including:	4	11	21	15	9
- USA	4	9	20	13	8
Central & South America States	3	2	1	7	4
Australian & Oceania states	-	-	2	-	-
African states	4	4	6	13	7
Asian states, including:	35	80	95	116	176
- Kazakhstan	8	20	48	33	60
- China	12	14	13	6	8
- Pakistani	-	12	-	2	4
Stateless	5	6	9	8	12
Total:	244	477	569	1,024	1,002

Source: Data of the Migration Department under the Ministry of Interior of the Republic of Lithuania of 2001 – 2004 and data of Migration Services and State Border Guard Service under the Ministry of the Interior of 2005-2006.

12.9. Number of Aliens Expelled from the Republic of Lithuania, by Nationality

Nationality	Number of aliens				
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
European states, including:	227	234	136	148	123
- Azerbaijan	14	16	4	5	5
- Byelorussian	50	44	43	38	26
- Russian	86	92	49	53	32
- Ukrainian	29	32	20	22	9
North America states	1	-	1	-	-
Central & South America states	1	-	-	-	-
African states	-	6	24	7	1
Asian states, including:	66	117	37	22	23
- Indian	18	39	2	1	1
- Pakistani	4	2	20	8	3
- Vietnamese	18	50	-	3	-
Stateless	17	19	8	12	2
Total:	312	376	206	189	149

12.10. Fines for Administrative Offences Foreseen in the Articles of the Code on Administrative Offences (LTL)

CAC Article	Number of fines paid			
	2003	2004	2005	2006
Art. 200	1,045	3,268	3,620	3,930
201 ²	-	6,935	12,645	17,262
204 ¹	435	805	2,490	1,430
206	42,125	16,775	40,845	68,950
206 ¹	1,850	4,250	8,050	750
206 ²	5,800	3,750	7,150	8,000
206 ³	-	1,000	-	4,000
Total:	51,255	36,783	74,800	104,322

Source: Migration Services.

13. Participation in Court Sessions and Meetings of the Supreme Commission on Administrative Disputes

13.1. Data on Participation in Court Sessions and Meetings of the Supreme Commission on Administrative Disputes within the Competence of the Migration Department in 2006, by Nationality of Persons That Have Lodged Complaints (Applications)

Nationality of persons that have lodged complaints (applications)	There is no judgement passed in the case	Decision of the Migration Department is partially revoked and(or) the case is passed for adjudication anew		Decision of the Migration Department is left in force/ comments were accepted			Decision of the Migration Department is revoked	Total
		Administrative Courts and Supreme Commission of Administrative Disputes	Supreme Administrative Court	Courts of general Competence	Administrative Courts and Supreme Commission of Administrative Disputes	Supreme Administrative Court	Administrative Courts and Supreme Commission of Administrative Disputes	
Afghanistan				1			1	2
Algerian					1	1		2
Armenian	1							1
Australian				1	1			2
Byelorussian	1			3				4
Egyptian	1							1
Ghana	5				4		1	10
Israeli	1	1						2
Cameroonian					2	1		3
Chinese	1		1		1			3
Lebanese					1			1
Liberian	1	1	1		2			5
Lithuanian					2	1		3
Moroccan					1	1		2
Nigerian	6	3	1		7	2		19
Pakistani	1				5	2		8
Russian	8	6		6	6	3		29
Togolese		1			1			2
Ukrainian	1							1
German				1				1
Stateless unknown /	1			24	4	1	1	31
Total	28	12	3	36	38	12	3	132

13.2. Data on Participation in Court Sessions and Meeting of the Supreme Commission on Administrative Disputes within the Competence of the Migration Department in 2006, by Content of Complaints (Applications)

Subject of the complaint (application)	Participation in the Courts of General Competence	Participation in Supreme Commission of Administrative Disputes	Participation in Administrative Court of Vilnius County			Participation in Supreme Administrative Court			Total			
	Notices were considered in the case judgement	Judgement is left in force	Judgement is left in force / notices were supported	Judgement is partially revoked and/or the application is passed for new examination	Case terminated Hearing of the case is continued / notices were not supported	Judgement is left in force Appeal is satisfied	Judgement is partially revoked or the case is passed to court / Migration Department for new heading	Judgement is revoked Hearing of the case is continued	Judgement is left in force Notices were supported	Judgement is partially revoked and/or the case is passed for new hearing	Sprendimas panaikintas Atsiliepinams nepriartata	Iš viso
1. Regarding a decision concerning the citizenship of the Republic of Lithuania		2	1	1	2*			1*	3	1		
2.Regarding the decision not to issue / terminate temporary residence permit			5			1	1	2*	6	1		7
3. Regarding dismissal from public service			1						1			1
4. Regarding the application to make a decision to deport the alien from RL					1*	1			1			1
5. Regarding decision not to issue long-term visa			1						1			1
6. regarding establishment of facts of legal significance	33								33			33
7. Regarding issue of personal identity document			2			1			3			3
8. Regarding renewal of the overdue deadline established by law	3				1				3		1	4
9. Regarding annulment of residence declaration data and covering of non-material losses			1			1			2			2
10. Regarding covering of losses			2						2			2
11. Regarding writing of surname in the permanent residence permit								1*				
12. Regarding denying of asylum			23	11	2 11*	8	2	10*	31	13	2 1	46
Total:	36	2	36	12	3	12	3		50 36	15	2 1	104

* There is no final judgement as the case(s) is (are) not finished (not included into the total number of passed decisions).

Note: In 2006 the interests of the Migration Department were represented in 132 cases, including 27 cases not participated (the request was made to hear the case in the absence of the Migration Department). In 2006 104 cases were finished (passed judgements are in force).

14. Consular and State Fees

14.1. Collection of Consular Fee for the Issue of Visas and Other Documents

Name of the object of consular fee	2003	2004	2005	2006
For issue of visa	19,373.2	18,622.6	14,026.2	16,090.5
For issue of facilitated transit document	39.9	53.4	78.1	18.5
For provision of other consular services	638.3	796.8	1,986.7	1,573.8
Total:	20,051.4	19,472.8	16,091.0	17,682.8

Source: Consular Department of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

14.2. Collection of State Duty (LTL thous.)

Object of duty	State duty collected			
	2003	2004	2005	2006
Issue/replacement of personal identity card	2,544.2	2,717.5	2,358.1	2,417.9
Issue/replacement of passport	11,341.1	13,174.7	11,419.8	11,241.4
Issue of certificate of retaining of the right to Lithuanian citizenship	8.9	5.7	0.6	0.7
Issue of temporary certificate	18.2	19.0	21.2	15.6
Issue of certificate of declaration of the residence	388.5	542.4	496.2	480.9
Issue/replacement of permanent residence permit	479.4	440.4	338.5	204.8
Issue/replacement of temporary residence permit and issue/renewal of European Community residence permit	949.6	1,451.0	1,239.8	1,292
Issue of the visa of the Republic of Lithuania, extension of the period of validity	252.6	210.3	208.4	334.3
For issue/ replacement/ renewal of a stateless person's travel document	12.8	15.2	15.5	30.1
For issue of invitation to a natural/legal person	624.5	557.9	694.5	661.4
For issue, replacement, renewal of refugee's travel document	–	0.2	0.2	0.6
For issue, replacement, renewal term of alien's passport	–	0.2	4.3	2.1
For provision of other services	157.6	32.3	80.2	164.9
Total:	16,777.4	19,166.8	16,877.3	16,846.7

Sources: Migration Department under the Ministry of the Interior, Migration Services, State Border Guard Service under the Ministry of the Interior.

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