## Citizen VIP: Time Outside the United States

Complete this table with your own information. Practice until you can say each sentence fluently.

| Any Trips? | Have you left the US in the past 5 years? Have you taken any trips outside the US in the past 5 years? <br> Have you been overseas in the last 5 years? <br> Have you gone to any other countries? <br> Since you came to the US, have you traveled to other countries? | No, I haven't taken any trips. <br> Yes, I left the US in the past 5 years. |
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| How Many Trips? | How many trips of 24 hours or more have you taken outside the US in the past 5 years? <br> What are the total trips that you have taken outside the US in the past 5 years? <br> How many trips have you taken outside the US since you became a Permanent Resident? | I took__ trips in total. |
| Where To? | Where did you go? <br> What countries have you traveled to in the past 5 years? | I went to |
| Leave? | When did you leave? What date did you leave? | I left on $\qquad$ (month, day, year) |
| Return? | When did you return? <br> What date did you come back to the US? | I came back on <br> (month, day, year) |
| How Long? | How long did you spend in that country? <br> How long did you stay there? <br> How long were you gone? <br> How long was your trip? <br> How long did your trip last? | I spent ___ days there. |
| Reason for Visit? | Why did you go to that country? Did you visit that country to see family? Did you visit that country on business? Did you visit that country on vacation? | I went there: <br> - On vacation <br> - On business <br> - To see my family. |
| How Many Total Days? | How many total days did you spend outside the US in the past 5 years? <br> What is the total amount of days that you spent outside the US in the past 5 years? How many total days did you spend outside the US since you became a Permanent Resident? | I spent $\qquad$ days in total outside the US. |
| > 6 Months? | Did you stay outside the US for 6 months? Did any of your trips last for more than 6 months? | Six months? No. |

## Time Spent Outside the US in the Last Five Years:

Be prepared to answer this question exactly. Take the time to write down for each trip the date that you left the US, the date that you returned, and how many days or weeks. You will need to know the total number of days that you spent outside the US in the last 5 years. You cannot leave the US for more than 6 months in one trip. Your total days out of the US cannot be more than one year combined ( 365 days).

| Destination | Departure Date | Return Date | Number of <br> Days | Reason for <br> Trip |
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