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MOST MOVERS STAY WITHIN THE SAME COUNTY FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE
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ABOUT 39 MILLION PEOPLE MOVED IN THE UNITED STATES BETWEEN 2006 AND 2007, ACCORDING TO THE U-S CENSUS BUREAU. ABOUT 25 MILLION OF THOSE MOVERS STAYED IN THE SAME COUNTY. MORE THAN SEVEN-MILLION MOVED TO A DIFFERENT COUNTY IN THE SAME STATE, AND ABOUT FIVE-MILLION MOVED TO A DIFFERENT STATE. HOUSING RELATED ISSUES WERE THE MOST COMMON REASONS GIVEN FOR MOVING. FAMILY- AND EMPLOYMENT-RELATED REASONS WERE OTHER REASONS REPORTED. MORE MOVERS FROM ABROAD SAID WORK FIGURED MOST PROMINENTLY IN THEIR DECISION TO MOVE. THESE FIGURES ON GEOGRAPHICAL MOBILITY INCLUDE DATA ON THE REASONS WHY PEOPLE MOVE, THE TYPE OF MOVE, THE DISTANCE MOVED AND THE CHARACTERISTICS OF THOSE WHO MOVED. FOR MORE DETAILS, VISIT W-W-W-DOT-CENSUS-DOT-GOV.

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