REPORT (ABRIDGED) BY THE COMMONWEALTH AND IMMIGRATION OMBUDSMAN FOR TABLING IN PARLIAMENT

Under s 4860 of the Migration Act 1958

This is the second s 486O report on Ms X and her children who remained in immigration detention for more than 36 months (three years).

The first report 1001917 was tabled in Parliament on 13 May 2015. This report updates the material in that report and should be read in conjunction with the previous report.

Name	Ms X (and children)
Citizenship	Stateless (claimed), born Country A
Year of birth	1980
Ombudsman ID	1003338
Date of DIBP's reports	22 April 2015 and 29 September 2015

Detention history

1 October 2012	Ms X and her three children were detained under s 189(3) of the <i>Migration Act 1958</i> after arriving in Australia aboard Suspected Illegal Entry Vessel 460 <i>Odgers</i> .
3 February 2016	Granted Bridging visas and released from community detention.

Visa applications/case progression

The Department of Immigration and Border Protection advised that prior to ministerial intervention,		
Ms X and her children were part of a cohort who had not had their protection claims assessed as they arrived in Australia after 13 August 2012 and were subject to the bar under s 46A.		
10 August 2015	Ms X and her children lodged a Temporary Protection visa application.	

Health and welfare

The family was provided with treatment for a range of physical issues.

Other matters

Ms X and her children arrived in Australia with her husband, Mr Y, who is the subject of a separate Ombudsman report.

Ms X was served with an intervention order on 22 April 2014 following an alleged incident of domestic violence against Mr Y. The couple are now estranged.

Case status

Ms X and her children were granted Bridging visas on 3 February 2016 and released from immigration detention.