REPORT BY THE COMMONWEALTH AND IMMIGRATION OMBUDSMAN FOR TABLING IN PARLIAMENT

Under s 4860 of the Migration Act 1958

This is the third s 486O report on Master X who has remained in immigration detention for more than 54 months (four and a half years).

The first report 1001852 was tabled in Parliament on 25 February 2015 and the second report 1002905 was tabled in Parliament on 31 August 2016. This report updates the material in those reports and should be read in conjunction with the previous reports.

| Name | Master X |
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| Citizenship | Country A |
| Year of birth | 1999 |
| Ombudsman ID | 1001115-0 |
| Date of DIBP's reports | 31 August 2016 and 1 March 2017 |
| Total days in detention | 1640 (at date of DIBP's latest report) |

Recent detention history

Since the Ombudsman's previous report (1002905) Master X has remained in community detention.

Recent visa applications/case progression

| 1 March 2017 | The Department of Immigration and Border Protection (the department) advised that Master X's application for a Safe Haven Enterprise visa (SHEV) continues to be considered. |
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| The department advised that Master X will not be considered for the grant of a Bridging visa while he is a minor. | |

Health and welfare

International Health and Medical Services advised that Master X was reviewed by a general practitioner for a fracture and minor skin concerns.

Case status

Master X was detained on 3 September 2012 after arriving in Australia by sea as an unaccompanied minor aged 13 and has been held in detention for over four and a half years.

On 1 September 2015 Master X lodged a SHEV application. The department advised that his application remains under consideration.