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

Under s 4860 of the Migration Act 1958

This is the first s 4860 report on Mr X who remained in restricted immigration detention for a cumulative period of more than 24 months (two years).

Name	Mr X
Citizenship	Country A
Year of birth	1966
Ombudsman ID	1002285-O
Date of DIBP's report	12 January 2016

Detention history

13 October 2012	Detained under s 189(3) of the <i>Migration Act 1958</i> after arriving in Australia aboard Suspected Illegal Entry Vessel 480 <i>Jauncey</i> .
	Mr X arrived with his wife, Ms Y, their daughter and his sister-in-law, Ms Z.
23 July 2013	Granted a Bridging visa with his family and released from community detention.
22 October 2014	Re-detained under s 189(1) following criminal offences and transferred to Villawood Immigration Detention Centre. His family remain in the community on Bridging visas.
3 February 2016	Granted a Bridging visa and released from restricted detention.

Visa applications/case progression

21 October 2014	Mr X was arrested and charged with criminal offences including domestic violence. On 8 December 2014 he pleaded guilty and entered into a good behaviour bond.
16 November 2015	Mr X lodged a Temporary Protection visa application.

Health and welfare

Mr X was provided with treatment for significant physical issues including a coronary artery disease, a blood cell disorder and benign vocal cord and tongue lesions. He was also provided with treatment and counselling for a range of mental health issues including, insomnia and depression.

Case status

Mr X was granted a Bridging visa on 3 February 2016 and released from immigration detention.