REPORT 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 Mr X who has remained in restricted immigration detention for a cumulative period of more than 42 months (three and a half years).

The first report 1002340 was tabled in Parliament on 24 February 2016. This report updates the material in that report and should be read in conjunction with the previous report.

Name	Mr X
Citizenship	Country A
Year of birth	1966
Ombudsman ID	1001271-0
Date of DIBP's reports	16 March 2016 and 12 September 2016
Total days in detention	1276 (at date of DIBP's latest report)

Recent detention history

Since the Ombudsman's previous report (1002340), Mr X has remained at Yongah Hill Immigration Detention Centre.

Recent visa applications/case progression

16 March 2016	The Department of Immigration and Border Protection (DIBP) advised that Mr X withdrew his request for voluntary removal.
27 May 2016	Lodged a Protection visa application.
18 August 2016	Protection visa application refused.
29 August 2016	Appealed to the Administrative Appeals Tribunal (AAT).

Health and welfare

International Health and Medical Services (IHMS) advised that Mr X was referred for physiotherapy and provided with education after presenting with bilateral knee pain.

IHMS further advised that Mr X did not require treatment for any major mental health issues and was advised to self-refer to the mental health team as required.

Case status

Mr X has been found not to be owed protection under the Refugee Convention and the complementary protection criterion. At the time of DIBP's latest review Mr X was awaiting the outcome of his appeal to the AAT.