

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

Under s 486O of the Migration Act 1958

This is the first s 486O report on Mr X who remained in restricted immigration detention for more than 36 months (three years).

Name	Mr X
Citizenship	Country A
Year of birth	1976
Ombudsman ID	1002520
Date of DIBP's reports	30 April 2015, 22 October 2015 and 21 April 2016

Detention history

23 April 2013	Detained under s 189(3) of the <i>Migration Act 1958</i> after arriving on the Cocos (Keeling) Island aboard Suspected Illegal Entry Vessel 669 <i>Sandbach</i> .
9 June 2016	Granted a Bridging visa and released from restricted detention.

Visa applications/case progression

The Department of Immigration and Border Protection (DIBP) advised that prior to ministerial intervention, Mr X was 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.	
20 November 2015	Mr X lodged a Safe Haven Enterprise visa application.
29 February 2016	He accepted DIBP's offer of the Primary Application Information Service.

Health and welfare

Mr X was provided with treatment for shoulder pain and a knee injury. He was also provided with treatment and counselling for a range of mental health issues including a history of torture and trauma and depression.

Other matters

20 April 2016	Mr X was interviewed by Ombudsman staff.
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Case status

Mr X was granted a Bridging visa on 9 June 2016 and released from immigration detention.
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