

REPORT BY THE COMMONWEALTH AND IMMIGRATION OMBUDSMAN FOR TABLING IN PARLIAMENT

Under s 486O of the Migration Act 1958

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

The first report 1001756 was tabled in Parliament on 29 October 2014. 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	1995
Ombudsman ID	1002273
Date of DIBP's reports	24 February 2015 and 27 July 2015
Total days in detention	1,097 (at date of DIBP's latest report)

Recent detention history

Since the Ombudsman's previous report (1001756), Mr X has remained in community detention.

Recent visa applications/case progression

31 July 2014	Federal Circuit Court (FCC) reserved judgment in relation to the Refugee Review Tribunal's decision.
17 July 2015	FCC further adjourned Mr X's case and reserved judgment. The matter remains ongoing.

Health and welfare

30 July 2014 – 3 September 2014	International Health and Medical Services (IHMS) reported that Mr X has a history of stress and low mood because of his immigration pathway and attended three psychology sessions.
12 December 2014	A psychologist reported that Mr X's previously reported symptoms of stress were resolved and that his primary issue was that he was bored. No further concerns were raised.

Information provided by Mr X

Mr X was offered the opportunity to discuss his detention circumstances with Ombudsman staff but declined to do so.

Case status

Mr X has been found not to be owed protection under the Refugee Convention and the complementary protection criterion. He is awaiting the outcome of judicial review.