

**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 a cumulative period of more than 24 months (two years).

Name	Mr X
Citizenship	Country A
Year of birth	1965
Ombudsman ID	1002349-O
Date of DIBP's report	23 March 2016

Detention history

17 January 2012	Detained under s 189(3) of the <i>Migration Act 1958</i> after arriving in Australia aboard Suspected Illegal Entry Vessel 298 <i>Scully</i> .
21 June 2012	Granted a Bridging visa and released from restricted detention
29 August 2014	Re-detained following the expiry of his fifth Bridging visa.
21 September 2016	Granted a Bridging visa and released from restricted detention.

Visa applications/case progression

The Department of Immigration and Border Protection (DIBP) advised that Mr X has been found not to be owed protection under the Refugee Convention and the complementary protection criterion. He has no matters before DIBP, the courts or tribunals and is on a removal pathway.
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Health and welfare

Mr X was provided with treatment and counselling for a range of mental health issues including depression, anxiety, an adjustment disorder and paranoid schizophrenia. DIBP advised that Mr X had a history of suicide attempts and threats of self-harm.	
7 January 2015 – 31 August 2015	Mr X was admitted to a psychiatric hospital on four occasions.

Case status

Mr X has been found not to be owed protection under the Refugee Convention and the complementary protection criterion. He has no matters before DIBP, the courts or tribunals and is on a removal pathway. Mr X was granted a Bridging visa on 21 September 2016 and released from immigration detention.
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