

**ASSESSMENT (ABRIDGED) BY THE COMMONWEALTH OMBUDSMAN  
FOR TABLING IN PARLIAMENT**

*Under s 486O of the Migration Act 1958*

This is the first s 486O assessment on Mr X who remained in immigration detention for a cumulative period of more than 30 months (two and a half years).

<b>Name</b>	Mr X
<b>Citizenship</b>	Country A
<b>Year of birth</b>	1989
<b>Ombudsman ID</b>	1002551-O
<b>Date of DIBP's reports</b>	6 December 2016 and 6 June 2017
<b>Total days in detention</b>	912 (at date of DIBP's latest report)

**Detention history**

2 January 2008	Detained under s 189(1) of the <i>Migration Act 1958</i> after arriving in Australia as an irregular air arrival without a valid visa.
20 March 2008	Granted a Protection visa and released from immigration detention.
23 February 2015	Re-detained under s 189(1) following his release from a correctional facility and the cancellation of his visa under s 501.
June 2017	Mr X was released from immigration detention when he voluntarily departed Australia.

**Visa applications/case progression**

The Department of Immigration and Border Protection (the department) advised that Mr X had been found not to be owed protection under the Refugee Convention and complementary protection criterion. He had no outstanding matters before the department, courts or tribunals and was on a removal pathway.	
24 March 2017	Mr X requested removal from Australia.

**Health and welfare**

Mr X was provided with treatment for physical health issues including ongoing back pain, degenerative spinal concerns and a wrist injury. He also received treatment and counselling for a history of torture and trauma.
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**Case status**

Mr X was released from immigration detention when he voluntarily departed Australia in June 2017.
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