

ASSESSMENT 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 has remained in immigration detention for more than 24 months (two years).

Name	Mr X
Citizenship	Country A
Year of birth	1977
Ombudsman ID	1002649-O
Date of department's report	28 April 2017
Total days in detention	730 (at date of department's report)

Detention history

29 April 2015	Detained under s 189(1) of the <i>Migration Act 1958</i> after being refused immigration clearance at Melbourne International Airport. He was transferred to Maribyrnong Immigration Detention Centre (IDC).
14 May 2015	Transferred to Christmas Island IDC.
23 October 2015	Transferred to Facility B.
October 2017	Removed from Australia.

Visa applications/case progression

Mr X arrived in Australia on 28 April 2015 on a visitor visa which was cancelled under s 116 the following day.	
19 July 2016	Temporary Protection visa application (TPV) refused.
4 October 2016	The Administrative Appeals Tribunal affirmed the refusal of Mr X's TPV application.
25 October 2016	Applied to the Federal Circuit Court for judicial review.

Health and welfare

International Health and Medical Services (IHMS) advised that Mr X received treatment and attended counselling for the management of major depression.

IHMS further advised that Mr X received treatment for tuberculosis, eye issues and gastroesophageal reflux.

Other matters

Mr X advised the Department of Home Affairs that his father resides in Melbourne and is an Australian citizen.

Case status

Mr X was detained on 29 April 2015 after being refused immigration clearance and remained in an immigration detention facility for more than two years.

Mr X was released from immigration detention when he was involuntarily removed from Australia in October 2017.