

**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 24 months (two years).

Name	Mr X
Citizenship	Country A
Year of birth	1986
Ombudsman ID	1002455-O
Date of DIBP's report	16 July 2016

Detention history

17 July 2014	Detained under s 189(1) of the <i>Migration Act 1958</i> after living unlawfully in the community.
10 October 2016	Granted a Bridging visa and released from restricted detention.

Visa applications/case progression

2 October 2007	Mr X arrived in Australia on a Higher Education Sector visa. His visa was cancelled under s 137J on 21 April 2010 due to non-attendance.
17 July 2014	Located and detained after living unlawfully in the community.
8 August 2014 – 23 March 2016	Mr X lodged unsuccessful applications for protection and for Bridging visas. He was awaiting the outcome of judicial review of the refusal of his Protection visa application.

Health and welfare

Mr X was provided with treatment for physical health issues. He also received treatment and counselling for anxiety.
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Case status

Mr X has been found not to be owed protection under the Refugee Convention and the complementary protection criterion. At the time of the Department of Immigration and Border Protection's review he was awaiting the outcome of judicial review. Mr X was granted a Bridging visa on 10 October 2016 and released from immigration detention.
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