REPORT (ABRIDGED) BY THE COMMONWEALTH AND IMMIGRATION OMBUDSMAN FOR TABLING IN PARLIAMENT

Under s 4860 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 30 months (two and a half years).

Name	Mr X
Citizenship	Stateless (claimed), born in Country A
Year of birth	1984
Ombudsman ID	1002424-0
Date of DIBP's reports	3 June 2016 and 2 December 2016

Detention history

28 March 2013	Detained under s 189(1) of the <i>Migration Act 1958</i> after arriving in Australia aboard Suspected Illegal Entry Vessel 627 <i>Barracuda</i> .
30 May 2013	Granted a Bridging visa and released from restricted detention.
6 August 2014	Re-detained under s 189(1) following criminal charges.
4 January 2017	Granted a Temporary Protection visa (TPV) and released from restricted detention.

Visa applications/case progression

9 July 2013	Lodged a Protection visa application.
3 June 2016	The Department of Immigration and Border Protection advised that following legislative amendment, Mr X's original Protection visa application is now taken to be a valid application for a TPV.
4 January 2017	Granted a TPV.

Health and welfare

Mr X was provided with treatment for physical health issues. He also received treatment and counselling for a range of mental health issues including anxiety, an adjustment disorder and depression.

Case status

Mr X was granted a TPV on 4 January 2017 and was released from immigration detention.