ASSESSMENT BY THE COMMONWEALTH OMBUDSMAN FOR TABLING IN PARLIAMENT

Under s 4860 of the Migration Act 1958

This is the fifth s 486O assessment on Ms X who has remained in immigration detention for more than 84 months (seven years). The previous assessments are:

1425/13 tabled in Parliament on 26 June 2013 1001083 tabled in Parliament on 19 March 2014 1001630 tabled in Parliament on 3 June 2015 1002731 tabled in Parliament on 8 November 2016.

This assessment provides an update and should be read in conjunction with the previous assessments.

Name	Ms X
Citizenship	Country A
Year of birth	1987
Ombudsman ID	1000508-O
Date of DIBP's reviews	11 December 2016 and 11 June 2017
Total days in detention	2,550 (at date of DIBP's latest review)

Recent detention history

Since the Ombudsman's previous assessment (1002731), Ms X has remained in community detention.

Recent visa applications/case progression

29 May 2017	Ms X's case was referred to the Minister for consideration to lift the bars under ss 46A and 48B of the <i>Migration Act 1958</i> to allow Ms X to apply for a temporary visa.
	The Department of Immigration and Border Protection advised that Ms X's removal from Australia would not be progressed until the Minister has considered this submission.

Health and welfare

International Health and Medical Services advised that Ms X did not receive treatment for any major physical or mental health issues during this assessment period.

Case status

Ms X has been found not to be owed protection under the Refugee Convention and the complementary protection criterion and has remained in detention for more than seven years.

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