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

Under s 4860 of the Migration Act 1958

This is the second s 486O report on Mr X who remained in restricted immigration detention for more than 36 months (three years).

The first report 1002288-O was tabled in Parliament on 14 September 2016. This report updates the material in that report and should be read in conjunction with the previous report.

Name	Mr X
Citizenship	Country A
Year of birth	1958
Ombudsman ID	1002288-01
Date of DIBP's reports	28 June 2016 and 12 January 2017

Recent detention history

8 February 2017	Granted a Bridging visa and released from restricted detention.
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Recent visa applications/case progression

The Department of Immigration and Border Protection (the department) advised that Mr X's case was affected by the judgment handed down on 2 September 2015 by the Full Federal Court (FFC), which found that the International Treaties Obligations Assessment (ITOA) process undertaken by the department was procedurally unfair.

The Minister appealed the FFC decision and on 27 July 2016 the High Court found that the ITOA process was not procedurally unfair.

21 December 2016The Federal Court dismissed Mr X's appeal against the department's
decision in relation to his protection claims.

Health and welfare

Mr X was provided with treatment for shoulder pain, high cholesterol and high blood pressure.

Case status

Mr X was granted a Bridging visa on 8 February 2017 and was released from immigration detention.