Monthly Update: Onshore Protection (Subclass 866) Visa Processing - November 2019

This report covers the period 1 November 2019 to 30 November 2019.

(a) the total number of protection visa lodgements made onshore during the period;	2,316
(b) the total number of protection visa lodgements made onshore at airports, by airport and state, during the period;	0
(c) the total number of individuals, by country of origin, that made a lodgement for a protection visa onshore during the period;	
MALAYSIA	632
CHINA (EXC. SAR)	386
INDIA	316
THAILAND	106
VIETNAM	101
FIJI	95
PAKISTAN	73
PHILIPPINES	68
INDONESIA	53
LEBANON	39
TONGA	36
IRAN	31
SRI LANKA	27
EGYPT	26
NEPAL	25
TAIWAN	23
HKSAR	18
BANGLADESH	17
MYANMAR	17
SOUTH AFRICA	16
OTHER	211

(d) the total number of individuals, by age and gender, that made a lodgement for a protection visa onshore during the period;			
Age Group	F	M	U*
0 - 14	75	107	0
15 - 24	119	209	0
25 - 34	295	488	0
35 - 44	201	330	0
45 - 54	152	202	0
55 - 64	55	57	0
65 - 74	12	7	0
75 and over	6	<5	0
* indeterminate / intersex / unspecified			

(e) the total number of refugee status determinations made during the period;	1,391
(f) the total number of individuals granted a Final Protection Visa during the period;	143

(g) the total number of individuals, by country of origin, granted a Final Protection Visa during the period, and the grant rate;		
Country of origin	Granted a Final Protection Visa during the period	Grant rate
PAKISTAN	17	(54.84 %)
IRAQ	16	(84.21 %)
SAUDI ARABIA	13	(65.00 %)
INDIA	11	(13.92 %)
AFGHANISTAN	8	(80.00 %)
EGYPT	7	(87.50 %)
BANGLADESH	6	(42.86 %)
CHINA (EXC. SAR)	6	(03.85 %)
YEMEN	6	(100.00 %)
ETHIOPIA	5	(100.00 %)
IRAN	5	(71.43 %)

LEBANON	<5	(08.89 %)
MALAYSIA	<5	(00.74 %)
RWANDA	<5	(80.00 %)
MEXICO	<5	(100.00 %)
MYANMAR	<5	(75.00 %)
PAPUA NEW GUINEA	<5	(21.43 %)
STATELESS PERSON	<5	(60.00 %)
SYRIAN ARAB REPUBLIC	<5	(100.00 %)
TURKEY	<5	(40.00 %)
OTHER	14	(01.01 %)

(h) the total number of individuals, by age and gender, granted a Final Protection Visa during the period, and the grant rate;

Age Group	F	M	U*	Grant rate
0 - 14	10	11	0	(25.93 %)
15 - 24	7	10	0	(08.85 %)
25 - 34	25	32	0	(11.42 %)
35 - 44	11	17	0	(09.00 %)
45 - 54	<5	7	0	(04.04 %)
55 - 64	0	<5	0	(01.64 %)
65 - 74	6	<5	0	(41.18 %)
75 and over	<5	<5	0	(42.86 %)

* indeterminate / intersex / unspecified

(i) the total number of individuals that were not granted a Final Protection Visa during the period, and the grant rate;	1,248	(10.28 %)

(j) the total number of individuals, by country of origin, that were not granted a Final Protection Visa during the period, and the grant rate;

Country of origin	Not granted a Final Protection Visa during the period	Grant rate
MALAYSIA	537	(00.74 %)
CHINA (EXC. SAR)	150	(03.85 %)

THAILAND	146	(00.00 %)
FIJI	84	(00.00 %)
INDIA	68	(13.92 %)
VIETNAM	45	(00.00 %)
LEBANON	41	(08.89 %)
SOUTH AFRICA	37	(00.00 %)
NIGERIA	17	(05.56 %)
PAKISTAN	14	(54.84 %)
PAPUA NEW GUINEA	11	(21.43 %)
NEPAL	9	(00.00 %)
TONGA	9	(00.00 %)
BANGLADESH	8	(42.86 %)
SAUDI ARABIA	7	(65.00 %)
VENEZUELA	7	(12.50 %)
KENYA	5	(00.00 %)
TAIWAN	5	(00.00 %)
CAMEROON	<5	(20.00 %)
HKSAR	<5	(00.00 %)
INDONESIA	<5	(20.00 %)
PHILIPPINES	<5	(00.00 %)
OTHER	32	(02.30 %)

(k) the total number of individuals, by age and gender, that were not granted a Final Protection Visa during the period, and the grant rate;

Age Group	F	M	U*	Grant rate
0 - 14	34	26	0	(25.93 %)
15 - 24	45	130	0	(08.85 %)
25 - 34	130	312	0	(11.42 %)
35 - 44	102	181	0	(09.00 %)
45 - 54	73	141	0	(04.04 %)
55 - 64	20	40	0	(01.64 %)

65 - 74	<5	6	0	(41.18 %)
75 and over	<5	<5	0	(42.86 %)
* indeterminate / intersex / unspecified				

(l) the total number of individuals that were not granted a Final Protection Visa that were deported during the period, and the deportation rate;	25	(00.05 %)
	Involuntary	Voluntary
	<5	24

(m) the total number of refugee status determinations awaiting a decision at the end of the period; and	35,445
(n) the total number of individuals that were not granted a Final Protection Visa that have yet to be deported at the end of the period.	46,142

Explanatory notes

This report is produced in accordance with the Senate *Order for the Production of Documents – Airplane People (Your Right to Know)*. The report relates to clients who are applicants of a subclass 866 Protection visa and does not include applicants for temporary protection or safe haven enterprise visas.

'Lodgements' has been interpreted as all lodgements in the previous month regardless of is a lodgement is later found to be invalid, or withdrawn. Should a person lodge multiple applications over a period, they will be counted twice as reporting is event based.

'Refugee status determinations' has been interpreted as all departmental subclass 866 visa decisions made either before or after merits review.

'Grant of a final protection visa' has been interpreted as grant of a protection visa either at primary stage or following remittal from merits review or judicial review.

'Deported' has been interpreted as removals under the *Migration Act 1958*.

The '*total number of individuals that were not granted a Final Protection Visa that have yet to be 'deported' at the end of the period'* includes all people who have applied for a protection visa in Australia since 1994 who, at the end of the period, were in Australia and had: not been granted a protection visa, not been removed under the Migration Act, and were either an unlawful non-citizen or held a bridging visa. The figure includes persons who were seeking merits review of their protection visa refusal at the Administrative Appeals Tribunal or were seeking judicial review.

Where citizenship or age is reported as 'not recorded', this reflects that data is not yet recorded in departmental systems in a reportable field. This could include circumstances where detail on the application is incomplete.