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Department of Home Affairs

Monthly Update: Onshore Protection (Subclass 866) Visa Processing - January 2022

This report covers the period 1 January 2022 to 31 January 2022.

(a)	the total number of protection visa lodgements made onshore during the period;	**692**
(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	95
	China (exc. Sar)	84
	India	63
	Vietnam	39
	Vanuatu	33
	Myanmar	32
	Tonga	32
	Thailand	31
	Fiji	25
	Korea (sth)	22
	Pakistan	22
	Nepal	15
	Indonesia	13
	Samoa	12
	Bangladesh	11
	Cambodia	10
	Sri Lanka	10
	Brazil	9
	Ethiopia	8
	Philippines	8
	Taiwan	8
	Other	110

(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	17	31	0
15 - 24	17	58	0
25 - 34	70	186	0
35 - 44	51	108	0
45 - 54	32	53	0
55 - 64	19	26	0
65 - 74	10	9	0
75 and over	<5	<5	0

* indeterminate / intersex / unspecified

(e)	the total number of refugee status determinations made during the period;	**850**
(f)	the total number of individuals granted a Final Protection Visa during the period;	152
(g)	the total number of individuals, by country of origin, granted a Final Protection Visa during the period, and the grant rate;	

Iran	16	94.12%
Pakistan	16	48.48%
China (exc. Sar)	11	10.78%
Venezuela	11	100.00%
Turkey	9	81.82%
Yemen	9	100.00%
Indonesia	6	28.57%
Papua New Guinea	6	50.00%
Afghanistan	5	100.00%
Burundi	5	83.33%
Egypt	5	83.33%
Libya	5	100.00%
Ethiopia	<5	40.00%
Fiji	<5	57.14%
Jordan	<5	80.00%
Myanmar	<5	100.00%
Sudan	<5	80.00%
Syria	<5	100.00%
Zimbabwe	<5	100.00%
Lebanon	<5	100.00%
Malaysia	<5	01.45%
Somalia	<5	100.00%
Other	11	01.29 %

(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	16	16	0	39.51%
15 - 24	<5	<5	0	11.36%
25 - 34	24	31	0	17.46%
35 - 44	11	21	0	15.24%
45 - 54	5	8	0	10.40%
55 - 64	7	0	0	12.73%
65 - 74	<5	<5	0	31.25%
75 and over	<5	<5	0	75.00%

* indeterminate / intersex / unspecified

(i)	the total number of individuals that were not granted a Final Protection Visa during the period, and the grant rate;	698	17.88%

(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	204	01.45%
China (exc. Sar)	91	10.78%
Vietnam	87	00.00%
Taiwan	68	00.00%
India	34	00.00%
Thailand	34	00.00%
Colombia	17	00.00%
Pakistan	17	48.48%
Brazil	15	00.00%
Indonesia	15	28.57%
Sri Lanka	13	00.00%
Peru	11	00.00%
Bangladesh	8	11.11%
Philippines	8	00.00%
Vanuatu	8	00.00%
Congo	7	22.22%
Ethiopia	6	40.00%
Papua New Guinea	6	50.00%
Ireland	<5	00.00%
Mauritius	<5	00.00%
Russian Federation	<5	00.00%
Other	37	04.35 %

(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	18	31	0	39.51%
15 - 24	12	27	0	11.36%
25 - 34	89	171	0	17.46%
35 - 44	66	112	0	15.24%
45 - 54	37	75	0	10.40%
55 - 64	16	32	0	12.73%
65 - 74	9	<5	0	31.25%
75 and over	<5	0	0	75.00%

* 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;	6	00.01%
		Voluntary	
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(m)	the total number of refugee status determinations awaiting a decision at the end of the period;	29,678
(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.	64,864

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 whether 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.

The total number of refugee status determinations awaiting a decision at the end of the period has been interpreted to include any application that has not been finalised, invalidated, withdrawn, refused or granted since lodgement.

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.