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Department of Home Affairs

Monthly Update: Onshore Protection (Subclass 866) Visa Processing - June 2021

This report covers the period 1 June 2021 to 30 June 2021.

(a)	the total number of protection visa lodgements made onshore during the period;	**890**
(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	139
	China (exc. Sar)	123
	Vietnam	71
	Myanmar	65
	India	63
	Vanuatu	44
	Tonga	38
	Thailand	37
	Indonesia	32
	Fiji	27
	Pakistan	26
	Nepal	19
	Philippines	19
	Timor Leste	17
	Kenya	15
	Colombia	12
	Hong Kong	12
	Korea (sth)	11
	Taiwan	10
	Iran	8
	Other	102

(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	44	24	0
15 - 24	33	80	0
25 - 34	123	240	0
35 - 44	60	140	0
45 - 54	31	55	0
55 - 64	29	18	0
65 - 74	8	<5	0
75 and over	<5	<5	0

* indeterminate / intersex / unspecified

(e)	the total number of refugee status determinations made during the period;	**1,442**
(f)	the total number of individuals granted a Final Protection Visa during the period;	211
(g)	the total number of individuals, by country of origin, granted a Final Protection Visa during the period, and the grant rate;	

Iran	36	83.72%
Turkey	26	86.67%
Pakistan	17	39.53%
China (exc. Sar)	15	04.85%
Iraq	15	75.00%
Venezuela	12	75.00%
Lebanon	10	90.91%
Malaysia	8	01.49%
Nigeria	8	100.00%
Afghanistan	7	87.50%
Kenya	6	100.00%
Zimbabwe	6	100.00%
Libya	5	100.00%
Albania	<5	100.00%
Bangladesh	<5	16.00%
Egypt	<5	57.14%
Zambia	<5	100.00%
Indonesia	<5	50.00%
Stateless	<5	42.86%
Colombia	<5	50.00%
Ethiopia	<5	40.00%
Papua New Guinea	<5	66.67%
Syria	<5	100.00%
Uganda	<5	100.00%
Other	8	00.55 %

(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	19	12	0	32.98%
15 - 24	9	11	0	18.69%
25 - 34	18	40	0	13.03%
35 - 44	22	21	0	11.17%
45 - 54	13	12	0	08.90%
55 - 64	9	7	0	17.02%
65 - 74	7	7	0	51.85%
75 and over	<5	<5	0	44.44%

* indeterminate / intersex / unspecified

(i)	the total number of individuals that were not granted a Final Protection Visa during the period, and the grant rate;	1,231	14.63%

(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	528	01.49%
China (exc. Sar)	294	04.85%
Philippines	112	00.00%
India	66	01.49%
Fiji	43	02.27%
Pakistan	26	39.53%
Thailand	26	00.00%
Bangladesh	21	16.00%
Cambodia	19	00.00%
Sri Lanka	11	08.33%
Vietnam	10	09.09%
Taiwan	9	00.00%
Iran	7	83.72%
Tonga	7	12.50%
Iraq	5	75.00%
United Kingdom	5	00.00%
Solomon Islands	<5	20.00%
Stateless	<5	42.86%
Timor Leste	<5	00.00%
Turkey	<5	86.67%
Venezuela	<5	75.00%
Other	22	01.53 %

(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	31	32	0	32.98%
15 - 24	21	66	0	18.69%
25 - 34	109	278	0	13.03%
35 - 44	113	229	0	11.17%
45 - 54	106	150	0	08.90%
55 - 64	35	43	0	17.02%
65 - 74	5	8	0	51.85%
75 and over	<5	<5	0	44.44%

* 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;	12	00.02%
		Involuntary	**Voluntary**
		<5	11

(m)	the total number of refugee status determinations awaiting a decision at the end of the period;	32,989
(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.	59,982

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