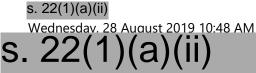


From: Sent: To: Cc: Subject:



RE: HPRM: RE: SL Refugee caseload [DLM=For-Official-Use-Only]

For-Official-Use-Only

All

It is to confirm that UNHCR Geneva are on board with our request for referrals for 270 persons.



Kind regards

s. 22(1)(a)(ii)
Offshore Humanitarian Program Section
Humanitarian Program Capability Branch | Refugee, Humanitarian and Settlement Programs Division
Immigration and Settlement Services Group
Department of Home Affairs
P: s. 22(1)(a)(ii)
@homeaffairs.gov.au

For-Official-Use-Only

Released by Departmen

Freedom

the

under

22(1)(a)

Our tentative request for the referrals needs to deliver 250 resettlement places stands at 270 (an approximate number). It includes 30 (or more) places for vulnerable women and children (in addition to 240 general referrals) in an attempt to align the Sri Lanka resettlement to the government's focus on women and children. **s.** 22(1)(a)(ii)

In short:

Resettlement Target = 250 UNHCR referrals requested = 270 (240 general + 30 vulnerable women and children)

Regards

s. 22(1)(a)(ii) Offshore Humanitarian Program Section Humanitarian Program Capability Branch | Refugee, Humanitarian and Settlement Programs Division Immigration and Settlement Services Group Department of Home Affairs P: s. 22(1)(a)(ii) <u>homeaffairs.gov.au</u>

For-Official-Use-Only



Document 28 Pg 3 Colombo 7 Sri Lanka www.homeaffairs.gov.au | www.srilanka.embassy.gov.au

s. 22(1)(a)(ii)For-Official-Use-Only s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

For-Official-Use-Only

(1)(a)(ii) For Official Use Only (a)epartment of 6 eedom 20 U. For Official Use Only the eased From: s. 22(1)(a)(ii) @homeaffairs.gov.au> 5 Date: Tuesday, August 27, 2019 at 6:56:06 AM To: s. 22(1)(a)(ii) 3

For-Official-Use-Only

Dear colleagues

s. 22(1)(a)(ii), s. 47E(d)

s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

I have attempted to respond to your questions below. Happy to elaborate if I have missed anything.

No-SAMS policy – s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

Having said this, there is additional focus on vulnerable women and children in this year's program in general. The Minister has set the target of resettling as many as 60 per cent females (of all ages) this year overall in addition to a dedicated allocation of 20 percent for the Vulnerable Women and Children cohort. Hence, the prioritisation of families (to include women and girls) over single adult males. **S. 22(1)(a)(ii)**

Where given a choice, a family will trump a single or equal number of singles.

0

ment

Depar

SE

eased

0

the

E

0110

s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

UNHCR headquarters in Geneva have been made aware of policy parameters (including the focus on VWC and othe vulnerable cohorts such as LGBTQI, UHMs) applicable to this year's program. **s.** 22(1)(a)(ii)

s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

There is some flexibility in

considering referrals for other nationalities if they fall among the VWC, LGBTQI and UHM cohorts.

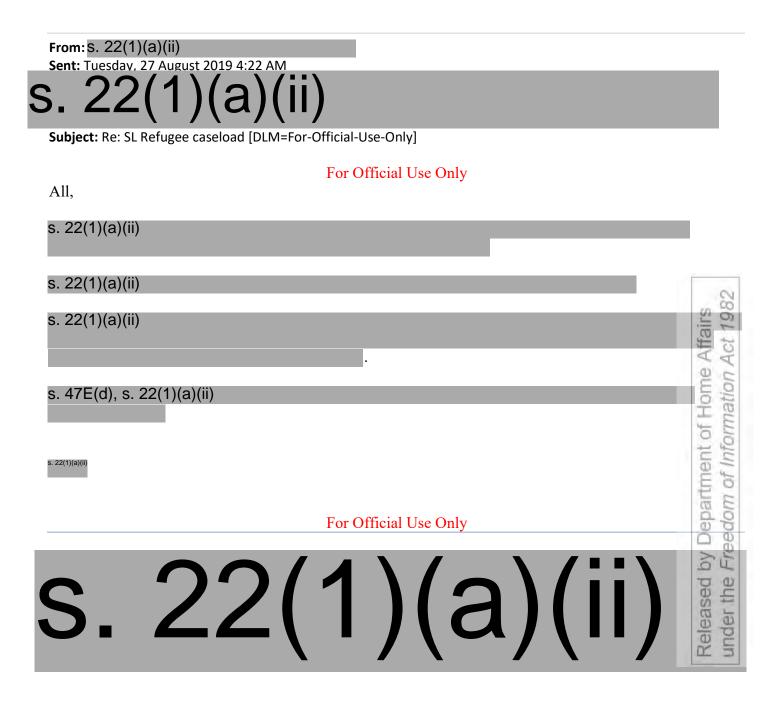
s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

Kind regards

s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

Offshore Humanitarian Program Section Humanitarian Program Capability Branch | Refugee, Humanitarian and Settlement Programs Division Immigration and Settlement Services Group Department of Home Affairs P: s. 22(1)(a)(ii) @homeaffairs.gov.au

For-Official-Use-Only



Important Notice: The content of this email is intended only for use by the individual or entity to whom it is addressed. If you have received this email by mistake, please advise the sender and delete the message and attachments immediately. This email, including attachments, may contain confidential, sensitive, legally privileged and/or copyright information.

Any review, retransmission, dissemination or other use of this information by persons or entities other than the intended recipient is prohibited. The Department of Home Affairs and ABF respect your privacy and have obligations under the Privacy Act 1988.

Unsolicited commercial emails MUST NOT be sent to the originator of this email.



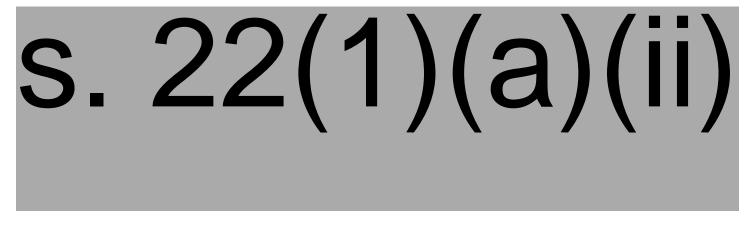
From: Sent: To: s. 22(1)(a)(ii) Tuesday, 27 August 2019 11:26 AM s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

Subject:

RE: SL Refugee caseload [DLM=For-Official-Use-Only]

For-Official-Use-Only

Dear colleagues



No-SAMS policy – Your understanding is correct that no-SAMs policy will not apply to the Sri Lanka caseload. Having said this, there is

additional focus on vulnerable women and children in this year's program in general. The Minister has set the target of resettling as many as 60 per cent females (of all ages) this year overall in addition to a dedicated allocation of 20 percent for the Vulnerable Women and Children cohort. Hence, the prioritisation of families (to include women and girls) over single adult males. **S. 22(1)(a)(ii)**

Where given a choice, a family will trump a single or equal number of singles.

s. 22(1)(a)(ii)		fairs t 1982
		Ac
s. 22(1)(a)(ii)		Home
	e been made aware of policy parameters (including the focus on VWC a JHMs) applicable to this year's program. s. 22(1)(a)(ii)	Jodua
		n of
		epa
s. 22(1)(a)(ii)		y D(
		he F
		eas er t
		Rel

No Somalis/Sudanese/South Sudanese - The government has deprioritised these nationalities and we will not consider any referral for a refugee from these countries s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

There is some flexibility in

considering referrals for other nationalities if they fall among the VWC, LGBTQI and UHM cohorts.

s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

Kind regards

s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

Offshore Humanitarian Program Section Humanitarian Program Capability Branch | Refugee, Humanitarian and Settlement Programs Division Immigration and Settlement Services Group Department of Home Affairs P: s. 22(1)(a)(ii) | E: s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

For-Official-Use-Only

From: S. 22(1)(a)(ii) Sent: Tuesday, 27 August 2019 4:22 AM To: s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

Subject: Re: SL Refugee caseload [DLM=For-Official-Use-Only]

For Official Use Only

All,

On the SAMs, there are a number who have families (wives and some with children) who are still in Pakistan so there might be some broader resettlement considerations.	s 982
is correct re others having gotten in before us in regards to the bulk of the family units.	Affair Act 1:
s. 22(1)(a)(ii)	lome ation
s. 22(1)(a)(ii)	nt of H Iforma
s. 22(1)(a)(ii)	Departmer
For Official Use Only	sed by the Fra
From: s. 22(1)(a)(ii) Date: Monday, August 26, 2019 at 7:06:10 PM	Releas

Document 29 Pg 3 To: s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

Subject: RE: SL Refugee caseload [DLM=For-Official-Use-Only]

For-Official-Use-Only

s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

22(1)(a)

s. 22(1)(a)(ii) **Minister-Counsellor Home Affairs** Australian High Commission New Delhi 1/50 G Shantipath Chanakyapuri, New Delhi-110021 Mob: s. 22(1)(a)(ii) s. 22(1)(a)(ii) www.india.highcommission.gov.au

From: s. 22(1)(a)(ii) Sent: Monday, 26 August 2019 5:18 PM To: s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

Subject: RE: SL Refugee caseload [DLM=For-Official-Use-Only]

For-Official-Use-Only

22(1)(a)

98

50

ne Affairs Act

eleased by Depa

Freec

the

er DD

Document 29 Pg 5

I advised that we give high priority to women at risk, LGBTIQ cases (they have none) and UHMs (they may have some to give us).

22(1)(a)(ii)

s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

Senior Migration Officer **Department of Home Affairs** Australian High Commission, Colombo 21 Srimath R G Senanayake Mawatha (formerly Gregory's Road) Colombo 7, Sri Lanka s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

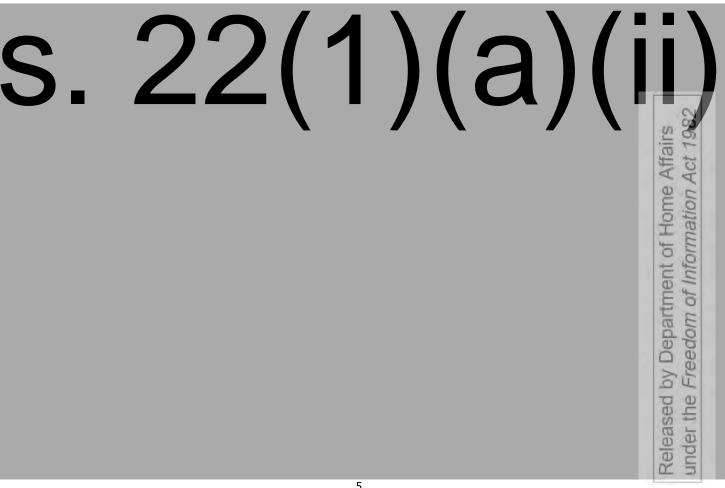
www.homeaffairs.gov.au www.srilanka.embassy.gov.au

From: S. 22(1)(a)(ii) Sent: Friday, 23 August 2019 12:04 PM To:s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

Subject: SL Refugee caseload [DLM=For-Official-Use-Only]

For-Official-Use-Only

s. 22(1)(a)(ii)



Document 29 Pg 6 S. 22(1)(a)(ii) www.india.highcommission.gov.au

From:	Humanitarian Helpdesk
Sent:	Monday, 1 July 2019 4:03 PM
To:	s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

Subject: **Attachments:** 2019-20 humanitarian program allocations Definition- 2019-20 -For Posts.docx; 2019-20 HP Allocations - FINAL.xlsx

Dear All

The Minister has decided to keep the humanitarian program for 2019-20 at the current level, i.e., 18,750 -- 17,100 (91%) places are dedicated for the offshore component and 1,650 (9%) for the onshore component.

s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

Program distribution

The Minister has distributed the offshore program into two broad elements.

- 1. Regional allocations 12,490 places (73%)
 - (including 100 places for 'Oppressed Women, including a. s. 22(1)(a)(ii) from Saudi Arabia'); 20 partment of Home Affairs 0

Y

Information

eleased 5

- b. s. 22(1)(a)(ii)
- c. s. 22(1)(a)(ii)
- d. s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

Note: Within the Regional allocations there is a target of 50% for women.

- 2. Cohort specific allocations (not limited by geography) -- 4,610 places (27%)
 - a. Community Support Program 1,000 places (6%) there is a target of 50% for women;
 - b. Vulnerable women and children (VWC) 3,500 places (20%);
 - c. LGBTQI Pilot 100 places (1%);
 - d. UHMs with no ties to Australia (Pilot) 10 places

Women in the program

edom of An overarching policy caveat associated with the 2019-20 program is the specified proportion of 50 percent for women -- over and above 20 percent places dedicated for 'vulnerable women and children'. It requires that outside 2**2(1)**(a of the dedicated 3,500 places for the VWC component, at least 50 percent of places must be filled by women? the

Women as a proportion of Offshore Component in 2019-20	Allocation
Of the 12,490 regional places, there is a target of 50% for women	6,245
Of the 1,000 Community Support Program places, there is a target of 50% for women	500
Vulnerable women and children	3,500
Total Women and their vulnerable children	10,245
Total Women as a proportion of Offshore Component	60%

Definition of 'vulnerable women and children'

Vulnerable women and children (VWC) extends the 'women-at-risk' definition to the subclasses beyond, but including, 204. Please refer to the attached glossary for further information.

Definition of 'oppressed women' from Saudi Arabia and the Middle East

This allocation is aimed at providing a solution to women escaping Saudi Arabia and other rigid patriarchal countries on the Arabian peninsula such as Yemen and the Gulf states, where local customs and the male-guardianship laws oppress and control women.

Allocation of cohort specific component

In working out how to allocate the 'cohort specific' component, we considered the characteristics of on-hand and historical caseloads across various regions. For example, we tend to have more women-at-risk and LGBTQI cases referred by UNHCR in Africa than anywhere else; almost all of Yazidi applications which satisfy the definition of VWC are processed by Amman and Ankara; many women and children without male protection come through Dubai's 'split family' Afghan cases.

While overall allocations made to Posts do not separately lists their share of 'cohort specific allocations', the expected notional allocations are shown as a separate column in the attached table. Here an assumption is made that by virtue of a post or a region delivering their overall allocations, due to the inherent composition of their caseload, with a level of considered planning, will lead to the delivery of their share of the 'cohort specific' component. Not every Post is required to deliver exactly 20 percent of their allocations as VWC. Some will end up have a greater share of VWC and others less.

s. 22(1)(a)(ii)	ome ation
	of H orma
s. 22(1)(a)(ii)	tment of Infi
	Depar
	d by e Fre
Kind regards	eleased der the

Document 30 3 s. 22(1)(a)(ii) Offshore Humanitarian Program Section Humanitarian Program Capability Branch | Refugee, Citizenship and Multicultural Programs Division Immigration and Citizenship Services Group Department of Home Affairs

P: +s. 22(1)(a)(ii)



From: Sent: To: s. 22(1)(a)(ii) Tuesday, 2 July 2019 8:33 AM s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

Subject:

RE: 2019-20 humanitarian program allocations

His. 22(1)(a)(ii)

Thank you for your email.

s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

We have a greater flexibility in terms nationalities to pick when it comes to the vulnerable women and children or LGBTQI cohorts. **s. 47F(1)**. If you are able to get a visibility on UNHCR Jakarta's inventory around these two cohorts, it should assist in planning Jakarta's allocations/delivery better. We will be happy to consider swapping your Afghan places for VWV/LGBTQI applicants from other nationalities.

s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

Kind regards

s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

Offshore Humanitarian Program Section Humanitarian Program Capability Branch | Refugee, Citizenship and Multicultural Programs Division Immigration and Citizenship Services Group Department of Home Affairs P s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

From: S. 22(1)(a)(ii) Sent: Monday, 1 July 2019 7:47 PM To: S. 22(1)(a)(ii)

Subject: FW: 2019-20 humanitarian program allocations [SEC=UNCLASSIFIED]

UNCLASSIFIED

D	ea	r	s. 2:	2(1)(a



s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

s. 22(1)(a)(ii), s. 47F(1)

As flagged last week, given the policy settings applying to Indonesia including the UNHCR registration date cut off, there are only around 300 Afghan clients left with the UNHCR who could potentially be referred to us. The potential for health and security complications, including difficulties obtaining penal clearances/waivers, is significant unless post is permitted to use other nationalities to fill the 100 spots. It may also be difficult to meet the gender balance requirements for 2019-20 without additional nationalities.

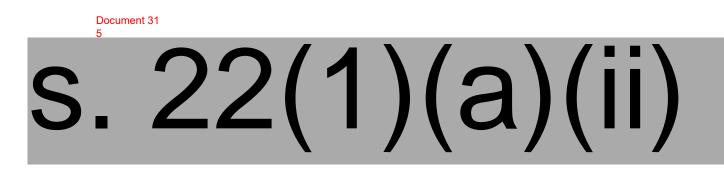
s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

Kind regards,

s. 22(1)(a)(i

A/g Principal Migration Officer (First Secretary) Department of Home Affairs Australian Embassy Jakarta Phone: s. 22(1)(a)(ii) Email s. 22(1)(a)(ii) www.indonesia.embassy.gov.au | >> @DubesAustralia | I Australian Embassy Jakarta

From: Humanitarian Helpdesk S. 2 Sent: Monday, 1 July 2019 1:03 PM	22(1)(a)(ii)	I
To:s. 22(1)(a)(ii)		
		Affairs Act 1982
		Affairs let 198
		ne /
		Hor
		t of
		nen f In
		artr m o
		. Depar
		by I Fre
		sed
		Relea





From:	s. 22(1)(a)(ii)	
Sent:	Tuesday, 23 April 2019 1:43 PM	
То:	s. 22(1)(a)(ii)	
Subject:	FW: UHM resettlement pilot [DLM=For-Official-Use-Only]	
Attachments:	s. 22(1)(a)(ii)	pilot,
	LGBTQ pilot.pdf; 20190404 s. 22(1)(a)(ii)	
Follow Up Flag: Flag Status:	Follow up Flagged	

For-Official-Use-Only

As discussed.

s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

Director | Offshore Humanitarian Program Section Humanitarian Program Capability Branch

s. 22(1)(a)(ii) s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

For-Official-Use-Only

From: s. 22(1)(a)(ii) Sent: Wednesday, 17 April 2019 3:49 PM To: s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

Subject: FW: UHM resettlement pilot [DLM=For-Official-Use-Only]

For-Official-Use-Only

His. 22(1)(a)(ii),

Home Affairs The AS Child Wellbeing Branch has approved the pilot parameters (see below email). These parameter being

198

Act

Information

Fre

the

b und

Released

- Single UHMs aged 13/14 •
- Younger children if within a sibling group
- From any cultural background/ethnicity •

Pilot being 10 children.

Bepartment of F I would also like to add - the UHM Program is demand driven and further suitable UHMs can be catered for the Program. No.

Regards s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

For-Official-Use-Only

From: S. 22(1)(a)(ii)

Sent: Wednesday, 17 April 2019 2:27 PM To: S. 22(1)(a)(ii)

Subject: FW: UHM resettlement pilot [DLM=For-Official-Use-Only]

For-Official-Use-Only

s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

Thanks for the time on the phone. Further to the email from ^{s. 22(1)(a)(ii)} below (s. 22(1)(a)(ii) I am happy for our branch to support the pilot, noting the Minister has already made the decision and Migration Policy Branch is leading this. I agree with our suggested parameters in the dot points below and I understand our service providers will be able to accommodate ten minors under existing/proposed arrangements. Please let s. 22(1)(a)(ii) know my views so they are able to contact UNHCR.

Regards s. 22(1)(a)(i)

s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

Assistant Secretary Child Wellbeing Health Services Policy and Child Wellbeing Division Corporate and Enabling Group Department of Home Affairs P: s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

E: s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

For-Official-Use-Only

From: s. 22(1)(a)(ii) Sent: Tuesday, 16 April 2019 6:55 PM To: s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

Subject: FW: UHM resettlement pilot [DLM=For-Official-Use-Only]

For-Official-Use-Only

Hi^{s. 22(1)(a)(i}

The meeting this afternoon was mainly to discuss what parameters we might have around a cohort of IGOC minors who would potentially participate in the pilot. (The only brief we have is that Minister Coleman had asked that a UHM resettlement pilot of about 10 places be included in the 2019-20 Humanitarian Program and that it should involve children with no existing ties to Australia (IGOC minors). **s**. 22(1)(a)(ii)

The following is what was agreed this afternoon:

- Single UHMs aged 13/14
- Younger children if within a sibling group
- From any cultural background/ethnicity

The rationale for this age group(s) is mainly to provide them with better settlement outcomes as they would be in the UHM Program for about 4 years or more. If a child enters the program at age 13/14 we would be able to provide them with at least 2 years of intensive case management focused on settlement before they begin their transition to adulthood. Residential care is not the preferred approach for children aged 12 and under who do not arrive with siblings. Children participating in this pilot will be under the care of service provides directly contracted by the Department.

s. 22(1)(a)(ii)	
s. 22(1)(a)(ii)	
s. 22(1)(a)(ii)	
s. 22(1)(a)(ii)	Affairs Act 1982
Thanks.	
Kind regards	f H
s. 22(1)(a)(ii) A/g Director UHM and Guardianship Section Child Wellbeing Branch	epartment of dom of Inforr
Health Services Policy and Child Wellbeing Division Corporate and Enabling Group Department of Home Affairs P: s. 22(1)(a)(ii)	D
For-Official-Use-Only	Released under the

From: s. 22(1)(a)(ii) Sent: Tuesday, 16 April 2019 12:30 PM To: s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

Subject: FW: UHM resettlement pilot [DLM=For-Official-Use-Only]

For-Official-Use-Only

Hi ^{s. 22(1)(a)(ii)}

Following on from our meeting this morning, I've provided my comments below on the ideal target group for the pilot.

- Single UHMs aged 13/14
- Younger children if within a sibling group
- From any cultural background/ethnicity

s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

UHM and Guardianship Section Child Wellbeing Branch | Health Services Policy and Child Wellbeing Division Corporate and Enabling Group Department of Home Affairs P s. 22(1)(a)(ii) homeaffairs.gov.au

For-Official-Use-Only

From: s. 22(1)(a)(ii)	5
Sent: Tuesday, 16 April 2019 9:59 AM	S 8
To:s. 22(1)(a)(ii)	Affairs Act 196
Subject: FW: UHM resettlement pilot [DLM=For-Official-Use-Only]	Aff
	Home
For-Official-Use-Only	ati
FYI	of
	nf
	of l
For-Official-Use-Only	un un
	epartment dom of Inf
	ep
From: s. 22(1)(a)(ii)	D
Sent: Tuesday, 9 April 2019 3:31 PM	Er
To: s. 22(1)(a)(ii)	0 0
	sed
	E as
	elea
	R 3

s. 22(1)(a)(ii) Subject: FW: UHM resettlement pilot [DLM=For-Official-Use-Only]

For-Official-Use-Only

Many thanks^{s. 22(1)(a)(ii)} forward to meeting you and your team soon.

Kind regards

s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

Assistant Director UHM and Guardianship Section Child Wellbeing Branch Health Services Policy and Child Wellbeing Division Corporate and Enabling Group Department of Home Affairs **P**: **s. 22(1)(a)(ii)**

For-Official-Use-Only

From: s. 22(1)(a)(ii) Sent: Tuesday, 9 April 2019 3:13 PM To: s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

Subject: UHM resettlement pilot [DLM=For-Official-Use-Only]

For-Official-Use-Only

Hi^{s. 22(1)(a)(ii)}

Thanks for setting up a meeting to discuss the UHM resettlement pilot. s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

	2
	s 8
	1 air
	Ct U
	44
	90 5
	tic
	Hom natio/
	E
	5 t
	19
	Eð
Director	LE
Humanitarian and International Protection Policy Section	epar
Migration Policy Branch	00
Immigration, Citizenship and Multiculturalism Policy Division	Ge D
Ph: s. 22(1)(a)(ii)	SE
Email:s. 22(1)(a)(ii)	UU
	sed
	10.0
	elea

M

Document 32 6

From: Sent: To:	Humanitarian Helpdesk Tuesday, 10 November 2020 10:55 AM s. 22(1)(a)(ii)	
Subject:	Humanitarian Helpdesk Humanitarian Program 2020–21 - provisional recommencement [SEC=OFFICIAL:Sensitive]	

OFFICIAL: Sensitive

Dear s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

We still do not have formal go-ahead from the Minister for broader recommencement of Class XB processing, but in the meantime we now have authority from our Division head to recommence processing of a *small number of cohorts*.

Cohorts

Specifically, please recommence progressing and granting those grant-ready cases (both from Refugee and SHP streams) which align with the following cohorts in line with direction from our Division head:

- Women and children (those who meet last year's VWC definition from any cohort you were allocated last program year)
- Yazidis
- Syrians (maintaining 90/10 and no-SAM parameters per previous program years)
- Central and South American cohorts

s. 22(1)(a)(ii)		
s. 22(1)(a)(ii)		
		rs 982
		irs 19
		Affai Act 1
		Affa
		tment of Home of Information.
		ato
		f I
		o li
		int Int
s. 22(1)(a)(ii)		epartment dom of Inf
		by Depar Freedom
		de
		00
		 5 P
	 	sed
		eas
		Relea
		Rel
		TT 3

Document 35 2

2		
	s. 22(1)(a)(ii)	
		_
	facilitated.	
s. 22(1)(a)(ii)		

Kind regards,

s. 22(1)(a)(ii) Offshore Humanitarian Program Section Humanitarian Program Capability Branch | Refugee, Humanitarian and Settlement Division Immigration and Settlement Services Group Department of Home Affairs P: s. 22(1)(a)(ii) E:s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

OFFICIAL: Sensitive



From:	s. 22(1)(a)(ii)			
Sent:	Thursday, 19 December 2019 9:13 AM			
То:	s. 22(1)(a)(ii)			
Subject:	FW: UNHCR Referrals 2019-20 [SEC=PROTECTED]			

For your information, read out from s. 22(1)(a)(ii) meeting with UNHCR.

s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

A/g Assistant Secretary Humanitarian Program Capability Branch Refugee, Humanitarian and Settlement Division Immigration and Settlement Services Group **Department of Home Affairs** P: s. 22(1)(a)(ii) Es. 22(1)(a)(ii)

From: S. 22(1)(a)(ii) Sent: Thursday, 19 December 2019 8:46 AM To: s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

Subject: RE: UNHCR Referrals 2019-20 [SEC=PROTECTED]

PROTECTED

Thanks Thanks much appreciated.

A/g First Assistant Secretary Refugee, Humanitarian and Settlement Division Immigration and Settlement Services Group Department of Home Affairs P: s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

PROTECTED

From: s. 22(1)(a)(ii) Sent: Thursday, 19 December 2019 7:38 AM To: s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

Subject: Fwd: UNHCR Referrals 2019-20 [SEC=PROTECTED]

PROTECTED

1982

Act

Freedom of Information.

Department of Home Affairs

Released by the

under

Hi^{s. 22(1)(a}



By way of quick update before tomorrow's telecon:

We met with s. 22(1)(a)(ii) of UNHCR on Tuesday afternoon. advised that as at 6 December UNHCR had only delivered around third of the promised referrals. And that realistically to be processed this financial year the remaining referrals needed to be received before the end March. s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

²²⁽¹⁾⁽⁴⁾⁽⁾ suggested a number of reasons for the slow outtake. These and the ensuing discussions are briefly summarized below:

1. Missions had been working to a four quarter year - with final numbers to come in the fourth quarter. s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

2. Africa quotas had changed on two occasions - initially they were 2500 - then increasing to over 4000 - before again being capped by Australia at 2500 [s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

3.s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

We were advised that NZ would be doir	ng a
mission to Equator by the end of March with the view of identifying 100 candidates lik	ely 🗞
Columbians]	airs
4. s. 22(1)(a)(ii)	Ac
	ion
	Honat
	forr
	f In
	n o
	epa
	V D ree
Ill be up and available for a chat from 4pm tomorrow your time if you want to flesh out	some
more detail	the
	del
	A U



PROTECTED

From: S. 22(1)(a)(ii)

Date: Wednesday, 18 December 2019 at 20:41:24

To:s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

Subject: UNHCR Referrals 2019-20

s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

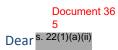
S. 477E(d) Between of Information of



From: s. 22(1)(a)(ii) Sent: 11 December 2019 23:37 To: s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

Subject: RE: Update: UNHCR Referrals 2019-20 [SEC=UNCLASSIFIED]

UNCLASSIFIED



My apologies I could not respond to you sooner. Much of our team's focus during the intervening period has been on undertaking a (early) review of the program delivery and outcomes for the Minister due to his keen interest in the progress of the humanitarian program. The Minister took the opportunity to unequivocally reaffirm his absolute commitment to these two policy priorities:

- Delivery of 20 percent resettlement places to vulnerable women and children (which matches your Women • at Risk and UHM profiles).
- Delivery of the minimum 440 places, primarily for Venezuelans, from the Americas. •

While the latter priority needs a separate discussion, the first priority fits in with the proposed revised submission plan of UNHCR. s. 47C(1)

s. 47C(1)

	ŗ
	F
	airs 1982
	of Home Affairs ormation Act 19
Kind regards 5. 22(1)(a)(ii) Offshore Humanitarian Program Section Humanitarian Program Capability Branch Refugee, Humanitarian and Settlement Programs Division Immigration and Settlement Services Group	by Department of Home Affairs Freedom of Information Act 1982

Humanitarian Program Capability Branch | Refugee, Humanitarian and Settlement Programs Division Immigration and Settlement Services Group Department of Home Affairs

P: s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

Released by

under the

From: s. 22(1)(a)(ii) Sent: 26 September 2019 03:51 To:s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

Subject: RE: Update: UNHCR Referrals 2019-20 [SEC=UNCLASSIFIED]

UNCLASSIFIED

Dear^{s. 22(1)(a)(ii)} I

22(1)(a)(ii)

Kind regards

s. 22(1)(a)(ii) Offshore Humanitarian Program Section Humanitarian Program Capability Branch | Refugee, Humanitarian and Settlement Programs Division Immigration and Settlement Services Group Department of Home Affairs P:s. 22(1)(a)(ii)





0)

J

atio

s. 47E(d)

From: s. 22(1)(a)(ii) Sent: 12 September 2019 06:57 To: s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

Subject: RE: Update: UNHCR Referrals 2019-20 [SEC=UNCLASSIFIED]

UNCLASSIFIED

Dear^{s. 22(1)(a)(ii)}

s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

Kind regards

s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

Program Section Humanitarian Program Capability Branch | Refugee, Humanitarian and Settlement Programs Division Immigration and Settlement Services Group Department of Home Affairs P: s. 22(1)(a)(ii)

UNCLASSIFIED

s. 47E(d)

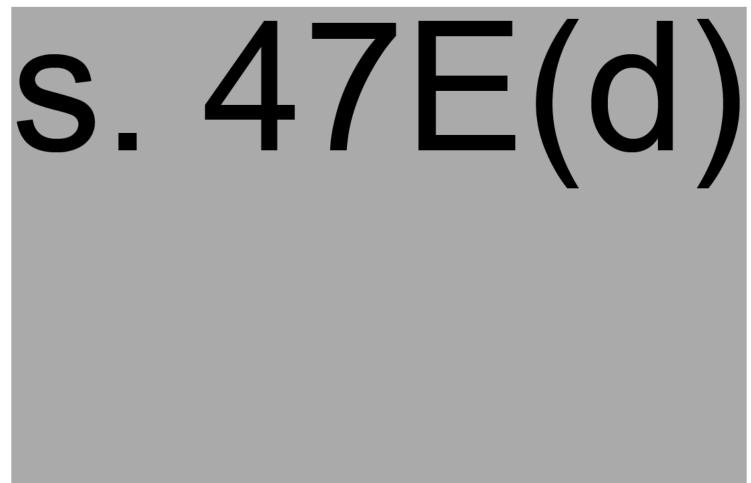
198

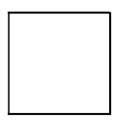
Released by Department of Home Affairs

Freedom of Information Act

the

under







s.	22	(1)(a)(i	i)	
		•			•		

s. 22(1)(a)(ii)		
From: Sent: To:	s. 22(1)(a)(ii) Friday, 13 December 2019 10:24 AM s. 22(1)(a)(ii)	
Subject:	RE: Update: UNHCR Referrals 2019-20 [SEC=UNCLASSIFIED]	
UNCLASSIFIED		
Dear ^{s. 22(1)(a)(ii)}		
s. 22(1)(a)(ii)	ll.	
s. 22(1)(a)(ii)		
may recall that in our request for	ica are a combination of 320 places for Venezuelans and 120 places under referrals (on 30 May 2019) for the 2019-20 program, we had requested r uelan places and 100 additional places (non-nationality specific but from S and Children.	referrals to
s. 22(1)(a)(ii)		
	s. 22(1)(a)(ii)	
Happy holidays in case we don't h	nave a further opportunity to interact this year.	
s. 22(1)(a)(ii)		
s. 22(1)(a)(ii) Offshore Humanitarian Program Sect Humanitarian Program Capability Bra Immigration and Settlement Services Department of Home Affairs P: <mark>s. 22(1)(a)(ii)</mark>	nch Refugee, Humanitarian and Settlement Programs Division	me Affairs on Act 1982
UNCLASSIFIED	7E(d)	Released by Department of Home under the Freedom of Information.

s. 47E(d)

s. 47E(d)