



Freedom of Information Request – FA 25/12/01587

Number of Bridging Visa R's granted since 24 October 2025

Since 24 October 2025 the total number of Bridging Visa R's granted was 132.

Number of Bridging Visa R's holders who have been removed voluntarily and involuntarily to Nauru since 22 October 2025

Since 22 October 2025 and as at 30 November 2025, 4 individuals have been transferred to Nauru under the Third Country Reception Arrangement.

2 individuals were removed involuntarily and 2 were removed voluntarily.

**FOI to Note 1 – In December 2025's Senate Estimates the department shared that as at 30 November 2025 there have been 5 individuals transferred to Nauru.*

**FOI to Note 2 – A/g Chief Superintendent Removal Operations provided breakdown of voluntary versus involuntary removal statistic which has now been updated as the parameter requested is since 22 Oct 2025 so should not include removals before 22 Oct 2025 and after 20 Nov 2025 as figures from 1 Dec 2025 has not been publicised by the Dept in Senate Estimates.*

The number of Bridging Visa R's holders who have had applications for Naruan Long Term Stay Visas made on their behalf as at 19 January 2025

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The number of Long Term Stay Visas granted as at 19 January 2026

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Available data on the detention of BVR holders once granted a Long Term Stay Visa, limited to:

- a. The time ABF attended to detain the visa holder;
- b. The number of ABF officers sent to detain the visa holder.

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Notes:

1. Source: Department of Home Affairs (internal documents)

Caveats:

- *This information is provided for the specific purpose of this request.*