



Monthly Update: Onshore Protection (Subclass 866) Visa Processing - September 2024

This report covers the period 1 September 2024 to 30 September 2024.

(a)	the total number of protection visa lodgements made onshore during the period;	2,002
(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;	
	China (exc. Sar)	180
	Vietnam	161
	India	145
	Colombia	126
	Palestinian Authority	118
	Philippines	113
	Indonesia	98
	Malaysia	83
	Pakistan	63
	Fiji	56
	Sri Lanka	49
	Tonga	46
	Nepal	45
	Myanmar	44
	Bangladesh	40
	Thailand	39
	Vanuatu	35
	Iran	34
	Ukraine	33
	Taiwan	32
	Other	462

(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	97	114	0
15 - 24	76	138	0
25 - 34	241	429	<5
35 - 44	199	298	0
45 - 54	108	114	0
55 - 64	79	52	<5
65 - 74	21	14	0
75 and over	14	6	0
* indeterminate / intersex / unspecified			

(e)	the total number of refugee status determinations made during the period;	2,331
(f)	the total number of individuals granted a Final Protection Visa during the period;	253
(g)	the total number of individuals, by country of origin, granted a Final Protection Visa during the period, and the grant rate;	
Malaysia	70	49.30%
Myanmar	62	100.00%
China (exc. Sar)	24	06.69%
Iran	13	65.00%
Pakistan	13	56.52%
Papua New Guinea	11	55.00%
Syria	6	66.67%
Vietnam	6	03.57%
Afghanistan	5	100.00%
Fiji	5	07.81%
Ethiopia	<5	100.00%
India	<5	00.64%
Indonesia	<5	02.86%
Tonga	<5	03.70%
Venezuela	<5	100.00%
Guinea	<5	100.00%
Lebanon	<5	25.00%
Solomon Islands	<5	06.06%
Sri Lanka	<5	07.14%
Yemen	<5	16.67%
Other	11	00.47 %

(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	17	0	16.77%
15 - 24	10	15	0	16.13%
25 - 34	45	40	0	11.18%
35 - 44	31	26	0	09.36%
45 - 54	20	13	0	08.07%
55 - 64	10	<5	0	05.67%
65 - 74	9	<5	0	31.43%
75 and over	<5	<5	0	50.00%
* indeterminate / intersex / unspecified				

(i)	the total number of individuals that were not granted a Final Protection Visa during the period, and the grant rate;	2,078	10.85%
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(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
India		620	00.64%
China (exc. Sar)		335	06.69%
Philippines		182	00.00%
Vietnam		162	03.57%
Indonesia		102	02.86%
Tonga		78	03.70%
Vanuatu		78	01.27%
Malaysia		72	49.30%
Fiji		59	07.81%
Korea (sth)		55	00.00%
Taiwan		42	00.00%
Thailand		33	00.00%
Solomon Islands		31	06.06%
Nepal		29	00.00%
Sri Lanka		26	07.14%
Timor Leste		26	00.00%
Samoa		21	04.55%
Pakistan		10	56.52%
Yemen		10	16.67%
Papua New Guinea		9	55.00%
Other		98	04.20 %

(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	60	74	0	16.77%
15 - 24	42	88	0	16.13%
25 - 34	199	476	0	11.18%
35 - 44	209	343	0	09.36%
45 - 54	144	232	0	08.07%
55 - 64	69	114	0	05.67%
65 - 74	13	11	0	31.43%
75 and over	<5	<5	0	50.00%
* 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;	17	
		Involuntary	Voluntary
		<5	<20

(m)	the total number of refugee status determinations awaiting a decision at the end of the period;	31,160
(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.	86,929

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.