



## Attachment A

### DECISION RECORD

#### Request Details

FOI Request FA 15/07/00209  
File Number ADF2015/32124

#### Scope of request

- *Information relating to the number of visas the Assistant Minister for Immigration and Border Protection, Michaelia Cash, has personally cancelled or refused due to the character test since 18 September 2013.*
- *Information relating to the number of visas the Assistant Minister for Immigration and Border Protection, Michaelia Cash, has personally not cancelled or refused due to the character test since 18 September 2013.*
- *Information relating to the number of requests for revocation of mandatory visa cancellation the Assistant Minister for Immigration and Border Protection, Michaelia Cash, has personally refused since 10 December 2014.*
- *Information relating to the number of requests for revocation of mandatory visa cancellation the Assistant Minister for Immigration and Border Protection, Michaelia Cash, has personally not granted since 10 December 2014.*
  
- *Information relating to the number of visas the Minister for Immigration and Border Protection, Peter Dutton, has personally cancelled due to the character test since 23 September 2013.*
- *Information relating to the number of visas the Minister for Immigration and Border Protection, Peter Dutton, has personally not cancelled due to the character test since 23 September 2013.*
- *Information relating to the number of requests for revocation of mandatory visa cancellation the Minister for Immigration and Border Protection, Peter Dutton, has personally refused since 23 September 2013.*
- *Information relating to the number of requests for revocation of mandatory visa cancellation the Minister for Immigration and Border Protection, Peter Dutton, has personally not granted since 23 September 2013.*

#### Document in scope

##### ***Production of a relevant document by the Department***

Following the date on which the Department received your FOI request, the Department extracted information relevant to your request from its internal systems. This information has been collated into a table, which has been prepared as a PDF document.

Section 17 of the FOI Act provides that the Department can treat this discrete document, which was produced *after* the date of your request, as the document for which you sought access.

### **Authority to make decision**

I am an officer authorised under section 23 of the FOI Act to make decisions in respect of requests to access documents or to amend or annotate Departmental records.

### **Information considered**

In reaching my decision, I have considered the following:

- ✓ the *Freedom of Information Act 1982*;
- ✓ the document identified above; and
- ✓ the Australian Information Commissioner's Guidelines relating to access to documents held by government.

### **Reasons for decision**

I am satisfied that I have been provided with all the relevant documents to consider in my decision. I have considered the produced document and am satisfied that no exemptions apply. Therefore, I am releasing the relevant document in full.



Authorised decision maker  
Department of Immigration and Border Protection  
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11 December 2015



**Attachment B**

**SCHEDULE OF DOCUMENTS TO DECISION RECORD**

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**1. Document in scope**

<b>Document</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Decision</b>	<b>Legislation</b>
FA 150700209 – Section 501 (character) outcomes by Minister	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>1 page document containing table</li></ul>	Released in full	s 17(c)(i)