



Australian Government
Department of Immigration and Border Protection

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In reply please quote:

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Michael Cordover

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Dear Mr Cordover

Acknowledgement of Freedom of Information request

This letter refers to a request received under the *Freedom of Information Act 1982* (the FOI Act) on 15 June 2015 seeking access to:

Please provide me with all documents produced or received by the Department between 1 April 2015 and 8 June 2015, excluding any enquiries from journalists after 2 June 2015, relating to the payment of people smugglers in order to "turn the boats around."

Your request has been allocated a FOI Request Number FA 15/06/01125. Please include your FOI Request Number in all correspondence with the Freedom of Information Section.

Processing times

The statutory time allowed under the FOI Act for processing requests is 30 days. Requests are generally processed in the order in which they are received.

Contacting the FOI Section

If you wish to discuss this matter, I can be contacted using the details provided below.

Contacting the department

You can contact us with a general enquiry in a number of ways including by email, through our website, by telephone through our Contact Centres or offices around the world, or in person. In Australia you can call 13 18 81 between 9 am and 4 pm Monday to Friday. Details on contacting our offices outside Australia are available on our website at www.immi.gov.au.

Yours sincerely

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