

QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING: 17 OCTOBER 2011

IMMIGRATION AND CITIZENSHIP PORTFOLIO

(SE11/0242) Program 3.1: Border Management

Senator Cash asked:

Since August 2008 how many illegal boats arrived directly from countries other than Indonesia? Which country did those boats depart from? Can you provide the Committee with the details of when those boats arrived, the composition of passengers and their port of departure and the outcome of their claims?

Answer:

Twenty-two boats arrived from countries other than Indonesia. Details are in the following table.

SIEV	Date of Arrival	Departure point	Composition of passengers
SIEV27- Judbury	27/11/2008	Chilaw, Sri Lanka	12 Sri Lankan adult males
SIEV33- Chatswood	02/04/2009	Negombo, Sri Lanka	50 Sri Lankan adult males
SEIV37- Glebe	22/04/2009	Negombo, Sri Lanka	32 Sri Lankan adult males
SIEV46- Randwick	28/06/2009	Malaysia	193 Sri Lankan adults (2 females and 191 males)
SIEV47- Sefton	11/07/2009	Malaysia	72 Sri Lankans (11 female, 55 males, 6 accompanied minors - 5 males, 1 female)
SIEV48- Thornleigh	13/08/2009	Malaysia	77 Sri Lankans (76 males, 1 female) 1 accompanied male minor
SIEV55- Collingwood	20/09/2009	Negombo, Sri Lanka	53 Sri Lankan adult males, 1 male minor
SIEV56-Darlington	23/09/2009	Malaysia	100 Sri Lankan adult males
SIEV59- Glenroy	30/09/2009	Batticaloa, Sri Lanka	43 Sri Lankan adult males
SIEV66-Northcote	22/10/2009	Batticaloa, Sri Lanka	32 Sri Lankan adult males
SIEV69- Reservoir	01/11/2009	Negombo, Sri Lanka	39 Sri Lankan adult males (includes 12 deceased at sea)
SIEV102- Ferndale	06/02/2010	Negombo, Sri Lanka	49 Sri Lankan adult males
SIEV108- Langford	28/02/2010	Chennai, India	58 Sri Lankans. 51 adult males, 3 adult females, 4 accompanied minors (3 females and 1 male)
SIEV116- Viveash	19/03/2010	Malaysia	94 Sri Lankans (12 adult females, 72 adult males, 10 accompanied minors – 6 females and 4 males) and 1 adult Burmese male.
SIEV143- Driver	09/05/2010	Mannar, Sri Lanka	59 Sri Lankans (2 male UAM, 15 accompanied minors- 6 females, 9 males), 28 males and 14 females).
SIEV145- Gunn	10/05/2010	Puttalam, Sri Lanka	83 Sri Lankans (73 males, 7 females and 3 female accompanied minors)
SIEV161- Dunmore	18/06/2010	Saigon, Vietnam	26 Vietnamese (2 UAM females, 2 adult females, 20 adult males and 2 UAM)
SIEV204- Jesmond	02/11/2010	Negombo, Sri Lanka	63 Sri Lankans (46 males, 9 females and 8 accompanied minors (5 females, 3 males)
SIEV232- Verdon	04/03/2011	Pondicherry, India	18 Sri Lankans (16 males and 2 females)
SIEV234- Yabstey	12/03/2011	Vung Tau, Vietnam	35 Vietnamese (26 males, 7 females and 2 accompanied minors – 1 male and 1 female)
SIEV243- Inman	22/04/2011	Talaimannar, Sri Lanka	81 Sri Lankans (41 males, 15 females and 24 accompanied minors – 14 males and 10 females) and 1 male UAM.
SIEV245- Keeling	05/05/2011	Quy Nhan, Vietnam	63 Vietnamese (42 males, 16 females and 5 accompanied minors – 4 females and 1 male)

Outcomes recorded in DIAC systems as at 14 November 2011 were as follows:

SIEV	Screened into RSD process	Granted visa	Not finalised to visa grant or removal	Removal (voluntary or involuntary)
SIEV27- Judbury	12	0	0	12
SIEV33- Chatswood	49	13	1	35
SEIV37- Glebe	30	8	1	21
SIEV46- Randwick	193	186	7	0
SIEV47- Sefton	71	67	4	0
SIEV48- Thornleigh	77	69	5	3
SIEV55- Collingwood	53	43	5	5
SIEV56-Darlington	99	91	8	0
SIEV59- Glenroy	42	26	13	3
SIEV66-Northcote	32	24	8	0
SIEV69- Reservoir	27	24	3	0
SIEV102- Ferndale	49	21	28	0
SIEV108- Langford	58	23	35	0
SIEV116- Viveash	95	20	75	0
SIEV143- Driver	59	12	47	0
SIEV145- Gunn	83	24	59	0
SIEV161- Dunmore	11	0	9	2
SIEV204- Jesmond	63	0	63	0
SIEV232- Verdon	18	0	17	1
SIEV234- Yabstey	33	0	33	0
SIEV243- Inman	81	0	81	0
SIEV245- Keeling	41	0	41	0