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Status Resolution Officer  
NSW Status Resolution  
Immigration and Citizenship Services Group  
Department of Home Affairs

Dear Nadia,

1. Please accept my sincere apology for being out of the loop from around the 10th May 2018. Unfortunately, I suffered a nervous breakdown but after seeing my psychiatrist, Dr. George Jacobs last Tuesday and together with some medication, I'm now slightly back on my feet. I was in my personal 'black hole' and totally disoriented and thus disconnected from my phone and email messages during that period.
2. During my consultation with Dr Jacobs, I mentioned your remark about a Psychiatric Report. I mentioned the Psychiatric Report to you as it was part of the lengthy discussions that I had previously with Michael. It was also agreed between Michael and me that I would be granted a three month extension on my Bridging Visa after advising him of the aforementioned report and also providing him with a bank statement and a current Israeli passport.
3. I realised recently that there were problems with my being issued with a new Israeli passport. To do that I have to travel to Canberra to visit the Israeli Embassy. I intend to and will have the financial capacity of doing so in the next four weeks.
4. It would be most appreciated if you would express to Michael my gratitude for his patience and kindness in this matter. He requested the Report as evidence that I am progressing in my request for ministerial intervention. Please find attached the current draft of the Report.
5. On 7 June 2018, at the Kings Cross Community & Police meeting, I was approached by Senior Sergeant Matt Kitchener who informed me that there was a current warrant to be served on me. We then went to Kings Cross Police Station where I was served a subpoena to give evidence at the Downing Centre Local Court on a criminal matter on 8 October 2018. That matter involves an incident of murder and grievous bodily harm to which I was a witness.

6. In 1999 I emigrated to Australia on the Independent Executive Scheme but became entangled in a civil matter involving a real property deal and an ensuing bitter ongoing litigation which has had a critical impact on my migrant status. That matter is still before the NSW Supreme Court. Please find attached the Directions that were made by the Principal Registrar of the Court on 8 May 2018.
  
7. As you can see in my file I have a letter of support from the Hon. Malcolm Turnbull, who is the current Prime Minister of Australia. Just by this fact you can imagine how difficult and time consuming the preparation of my request for the Ministerial Intervention is. Due to what I have mentioned above, it would be most appreciated if you would extend my bridging visa by three months.

Yours faithfully,

Amir Bodenstein