



## Special Commission of Inquiry into LGBTIQ hate crimes

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By email: [REDACTED]

Dear Ms Garaty,

### Special Commission of Inquiry into LGBTIQ hate crimes: Witness list for September hearings

I refer to our ongoing correspondence regarding the resumption of public hearing 2 on 18 September 2023 ("the September hearing").

In particular, I note that the Office of General Counsel, NSW Police Force ("NSWPF") represents Detective Superintendent Craig Middleton, Detective Inspector Paul Grace and Detective Senior Constable Cameron Bignell in the September hearing; and that you will provide statements from these officers on or before 4 September 2023.

The order of witnesses for the September hearing will be finalised once all witness statements have been received by the Inquiry.

I can however indicate that it is presently proposed that the hearing will commence with witnesses related to Strike Force Parrabell, followed by those related to Strike Force Neiwand and Strike Force Macnamir.

I anticipate that DI Grace will be required to give his evidence during the first week of the September hearing. Could you please provide further details of where in Europe DI Grace will be during that week so that arrangements can be made for him to give evidence via AVL.

Please do not hesitate to contact me on 0498 484 133 if you have any queries.

Yours faithfully,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads 'E. Camporeale'.

Enzo Camporeale

Director, Legal

**Solicitor Assisting the Inquiry**