



Special Commission of Inquiry into LGBTIQ hate crimes

22 June 2023

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By email: [REDACTED]

Dear Mr Hodgetts,

Special Commission of Inquiry into LGBTIQ hate crimes: Summons to produce (NSWPF138)

I refer to the above Inquiry.

Summons NSWPF138

Summons NSWPF1, issued on 18 May 2022 and returnable on 1 June 2022, requested (among other things) all photographs, exhibit book entries, and intelligence and crime information reports held by the NSW Police Force (**NSWPF**) in relation to the death of Kenneth Brennan, whose death falls within Category A of the Inquiry's Terms of Reference. At 10:36pm yesterday, 21 June 2023, the NSWPF produced 94 pages of further materials in relation to Mr Brennan's death in response to this summons.

Inquiry staff have reviewed the further materials overnight, and identified NSW Police Service Information Report Summary No. I 14943773 as being a document that has not previously been produced to the Inquiry in relation to Mr Brennan's death. This Report (**enclosed**) records that on 16 July 2002, police attended a resident at [REDACTED] Summer Hill and took photographs and made records of property belonging to the former occupant of the premises, which were said to relate to Mr Brennan's murder.

These photographs and other records of the property collected by NSWPF do not appear to have been provided to the Inquiry to date. Accordingly, please find **enclosed** a summons requesting the production any photographs of or other records relating to that property (summons NSWPF138).

Timeframe for provision of material

The material requested by summons NSWPF138 ought to have been produced in response to summons NSWPF1, which was returnable on 1 June 2022. In circumstances where the documentary tender hearing in relation to Mr Brennan's death is scheduled for tomorrow, this material is sought on an urgent basis and the summons is returnable today, **Thursday, 22 June 2023 at 5:00pm**.

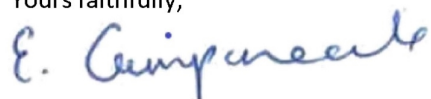
In the event that you anticipate any difficulty with this timeframe, please immediately forward a request for an extension of time in writing. To assist in considering any such application, please provide a brief outline of

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the reasons an extension is sought and the date by which you anticipate being in a position to produce the material sought.

Please do not hesitate to contact Hermione Nicholls at [REDACTED] or on [REDACTED] if you have any queries in relation to this matter.

Yours faithfully,



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Director, Legal
Solicitor Assisting the Inquiry

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