



## Special Commission of Inquiry into LGBTIQ hate crimes

11 October 2023

Dennis Peter O'Toole  
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By email: [REDACTED]

Dear Mr O'Toole,

### Special Commission of Inquiry into LGBTIQ hate crimes

I refer to the above Inquiry, and to our earlier correspondence in relation to the death of William Dutfield. I note that you were invited to provide a statement and/or submission in that matter by 5:00pm on 16 October 2023.

### Investigative Practices Hearing

As a matter of courtesy, I write to advise that on 4 to 7 July 2023 and 15 August 2023 respectively, the Inquiry conducted a public hearing dealing with changes to NSW Police Force ("NSWPF") investigative practices and procedures. In connection with the Investigative Practices Hearing, Counsel Assisting has made written submissions dated 15 September 2023 which address the death of Mr Dutfield from [814] – [827]. On 10 October 2023, the Inquiry received written submissions in reply on behalf of the Commissioner of the NSWPF. Those submissions are accessible at the following link:

<https://lgbtiq.specialcommission.nsw.gov.au/hearings/public-hearing-13-4-7-july-and-15-august-2023/>

If you wish to be heard in relation to the submissions filed in connection with the Investigative Practices Hearing, please provide your response by no later than **10:00am on 23 October 2023**, or alongside your submissions in respect of the death of Mr Dutfield.

If you have any queries in relation to this matter, please do not hesitate to contact Aleksandra Jez at [REDACTED].

Yours faithfully,

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

Enzo Camporeale  
Director, Legal  
**Solicitor Assisting the Inquiry**