

## Case 30 - Bias Crimes Indicators Review Form

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**Date of Note:** 28 Feb 2017  
**Brief Description:** Murder of William ALLEN (30) on 28 December, 1988.

William Emanuel ALLEN, aged 50 years, was found deceased on the 29 December 1988, at his home address of ■ Newton Street, Alexandria. ALLEN died of the effects of head injuries sustained on the night of the 28 December 1988, following an assault by unknown males in nearby Alexandria Park.

ALLEN was a retired school teacher who identified himself as a homosexual male. ALLEN was also a suspected paedophile, who was cultivating and dealing a large amount of cannabis prior to his death.

The M.O. bears a resemblance to the murder of Richard JOHNSON in 1990 and both murders occurred at the same location, in similar circumstances. Both ALLEN and JOHNSON identified themselves as homosexual males and frequented public toilets in search of sexual partners.

The offenders from the JOHNSON murder were viewed retrospectively as suspects for ALLEN'S murder however no evidence to implicate any of the eight (8) offenders could be obtained.

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<b>Investigation No:</b>	<b>30</b>
<b>Victim/Deceased:</b>	<b>William Emanuel ALLEN</b>
<b>Date of death:</b>	<b>28 December, 1988</b>
<b>Investigation Status:</b>	<b>Unsolved</b>
<b>Offender/s:</b>	<b>N/A</b>
<b>Investigative Unit:</b>	<b>Redfern Detectives</b>
<b>Description:</b>	<p>William Emanuel ALLEN, aged 50 years, was found deceased on the 29 December 1988, at his home address of ■ Newton Street, Alexandria. ALLEN died of the effects of head injuries sustained on the night of the 28 December 1988, following an assault by unknown males in nearby Alexandria Park. ALLEN was a retired school teacher who identified himself as a homosexual male. ALLEN was also a suspected paedophile, who was cultivating and dealing a large amount of cannabis prior to his death. The M.O. bears a resemblance to the murder of Richard JOHNSON in 1990 and both murders occurred at the same location, in similar circumstances. Both ALLEN and JOHNSON identified themselves as homosexual males and frequented public toilets in search of sexual partners. The offenders from the JOHNSON murder were viewed retrospectively as suspects for ALLEN'S murder however no evidence to implicate any of the eight (8) offenders could be obtained. It can be seen that numerous parties would have a strong motive for wanting to murder ALLEN ranging from the straight forward economic motive of drug users, dealers and criminal associates who were involved with ALLEN in his cannabis business, to revenge by previous victims of ALLEN'S predatory sexual behaviour and also bias related crimes committed against homosexual males at the Alexandria Park location.</p>

Indicator 1 – 9 taken from the 'Responding to hate Crime – A multidisciplinary Curriculum for Law Enforcement & Victim Assistance Professionals, National Centre for Hate Crime Prevention, United States Department of Justice Office for Victims of Crime, 2000. Indicator 10 developed by NSWPF Bias Crimes based on research and cases.



	number of suburbs in search of sexual partners. The Alexandria Park toilet block was a noted 'beat' location at the time of ALLEN'S murder.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Victim was engaged in activities promoting his/her group</i></li> </ul>	ALLEN was not known to be involved in any activities promoting any group. There is evidence that ALLEN was a drug supplier and a paedophile and was a frequent beat user however maintained a low profile accordingly.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Incident coincided with a holiday or date of particular significance to the victim or POI's group</i></li> </ul>	The incident occurred on the 28 of December 1988 and although close to Christmas, it is not thought to be of any significance to ALLEN. It is not known if the date had any significance to the offender/s.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Victim, although not a member of the targeted group is a member a member of an advocacy group that supports the victim, or the victim was in company of a member of the targeted group</i></li> </ul>	ALLEN was not a member of any advocacy group and was not thought to be in company with any other persons at the time of his assault on the 28 of December, 1988.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Historical animosity exists between the victim's group and the POI's group</i></li> </ul>	It is unable to be established if there was animosity between ALLEN and the persons who killed him, as they have never been identified. Due to a lack of witnesses in this investigation, it is unclear if this was perceived as a bias related crime or if there is a simpler economic motive behind the assault and robbery of ALLEN. It is likely however that this is a bias related incident, due to the location and level of violence.
Indicators	(y/n)
Evidence of Bias Crime – sufficient evidence/information exists to prove beyond a reasonable doubt that the incident was either wholly or partially motivated by bias towards one of the protected categories and constitutes a criminal offence.	No
Suspected Bias Crime – evidence/information exists that the incident may have been motivated by bias but the incident cannot be proven beyond a reasonable doubt that it was either wholly or partially motivated by bias and constitutes a criminal offence.	Yes
No Evidence of Bias Crime – the incident has been determined as either not being motivated by bias towards a protected group or although bias motivation is in evidence it does not relate to a protected group.	No
Insufficient Information – insufficient information has been recorded to make a determination in regards to bias motivation. This may be due to a lack of detail recorded by police or a lack of information supplied by victim's and/or witnesses.	No

## GENERAL COMMENT

William ALLEN was a retired school teacher who identified himself as a homosexual male. ALLEN was also a suspected paedophile, who was cultivating and dealing a large amount of cannabis prior to his death. Following the initial investigation by Redfern Detectives, there was further investigation conducted into the circumstances surrounding the death of ALLEN. This investigation revealed evidence from witnesses Colin FISK and Robert DUNN, that ALLEN was a supplier of illegal drugs and that he had large sums of money and cannabis on the premises, immediately prior to his murder. ALLEN was also in possession of a large number of video cassettes depicting him and other paedophiles engaging in numerous sex acts with young boys at the time of his death. No offenders were charged in relation to the murder of ALLEN but when describing the attack to witness Harry BERWICK before his death, ALLEN described the offenders as, "██████████". It is unable to be established if there was animosity between ALLEN and the persons who killed him, as they have never been identified. Due to a lack of witnesses in this investigation, it is unclear if this was perceived as a bias related crime or if there is a simpler economic motive behind the assault and robbery of ALLEN. It is likely however that this is a bias related incident, due to the location and level of violence.

## 2. Comments, Written Statements, Gestures

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><i>Bias related comments, written statements or gestures were made by the POI</i></li> </ul>	There is no evidence of any bias related comments, written statements or gestures being made by any persons however there were no direct witnesses to the initial assault of ALLEN that could have identified any comments or gestures by the offenders.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><i>Comments and gestures can occur before, during and after the incident</i></li> </ul>	There is also no evidence to indicate any bias related comments or gestures were made before, during or after the assault of ALLEN.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><i>Victims may not be aware of the significance of gestures made</i></li> </ul>	ALLEN spoke to a number of witnesses directly following his assault in Alexandria Park and did not mention any significant gestures made by any of the persons who assaulted him. ALLEN did have a blood alcohol level of 0.185 grams of alcohol per 100mls of blood which was identified during the toxicology results, from the autopsy conducted by Dr. HOLLINGER.
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<b>GENERAL COMMENT</b>	
As there were no direct witnesses to the initial assault of ALLEN there is no evidence of any bias related comments, written statements or gestures made by any person/s before, during or after the assault. ALLEN spoke to a number of witnesses directly following his assault in Alexandria Park and did not mention any significant information in respect to gestures or comments being made by any of the persons who assaulted him.	
<b>3. Drawings, Markings, Symbols, Tattoos, Graffiti</b>	
<b>Prompts</b>	<b>Comment</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><i>Bias related drawings, markings, symbols or graffiti were left at the scene or were seen on the POI</i></li> </ul>	There were no bias related drawings, markings, symbols or graffiti left at the crime scenes. Investigators reviewed the available crime scene photos and the evidence of Crime Scene Officers Sergeant CAMERON, Constable LITTLE and Constable JONES, which all failed to identify any bias related evidence left at either crime scene location. No persons have ever been charged with ALLEN'S murder and it is unknown if the offenders had any tattoos or bias related markings on their bodies.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><i>Before discounting symbols, ensure that you understand the meaning of the symbol</i></li> </ul>	No symbols were noted at either ALLEN'S home address of ■ Newton Street, Alexandria or the Alexandria Park toilet block where ALLEN was believed to have been assaulted. Crime Scene officers Sergeant CAMERON, Constable LITTLE and Constable JONES do not record any evidence that identifies any symbology at the scene.
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<b>4. Organised Hate Groups (OHG)</b>	
<b>Prompts</b>	<b>Comment</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Objects or items that represent the work of an OHG were left at the scene, e.g. business cards, flyers, burning cross</i></li> </ul>	No objects or items that represented the work of an OHG were discovered at either of the crime scene locations.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>An OHG claimed responsibility</i></li> </ul>	No OHG claimed responsibility for the murder of ALLEN. Numerous suspects in the 1990 murder of Richard JOHNSON were interviewed retrospectively and investigated in relation to the murder of ALLEN but no evidence was identified that implicated any of these persons.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>There are indications that an OHG was involved or active in the area</i></li> </ul>	There are indications that an OHG was likely to be actively targeting homosexual males for assault and robbery offences, at this location, around the time of ALLEN'S assault. Witness Peter MARTIN recalled a conversation between his offsider Wayne MURPHY and ALLEN, after seeing ALLEN on the night he was assaulted. ALLEN said to MURPHY and MARTIN, "Two or three kids have bashed me so I went and got a friend's car." He was out of the car at this stage

	<p>and Wayne said to him, "Are these your car keys?" ALLEN said, "Yes thanks mate." I said, "Which car are you going to drive home." ALLEN said, "This one." I said, "Well you had better move the white car further up the road as there had been a number of homosexuals getting bashed here" (ST-514). The M.O. bears a resemblance to the murder of Richard JOHNSON in 1990 with both murders occurring at the same location, in similar circumstances. At the Coronial Inquest into ALLEN'S death on the 4 July 1989, Coroner Ken WALLER indicated that he thought an OHG was involved in the incident. WALLER summarised, "Yes well in this case the deceased was a fifty year old man apparently homosexual, he was shown to have gone to Alexandria Park a place frequented by that sought of person and was set upon there and bashed and beaten by unknown persons who [REDACTED] at least he said they were. There is no reason to doubt what he said. It's a risk of people as the deceased himself admitted when you're on the beat you take the risk. That people indulge in the sport of chasing and assaulting homosexuals, which is a disgraceful estate of affairs and indeed this is the second case I've had where a person has died as a result of being assaulted in the park. By homosexuals, of course, one can say we shouldn't go to the park, but one can say with perhaps more strength that you shouldn't set about in numbers to assault people to such an extent that you kill them. It's a dreadful sought of business and I wish the people could be caught. It's made even worse by the fact that those violent persons revel and enjoy the situation that the victims don't like to report these crimes to Police because of the indignity that attaches to their roles of cruising homosexuals" (TR-149).</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>MO is similar to known MO of an OHG</i></li> </ul>	<p>Location and M.O. bears a resemblance to the murder of Richard JOHNSON in 1990. JOHNSON was also physically assaulted by a large group of males and suffered horrendous injuries to his head and torso whilst at Alexandria Park toilets. Again the Coroners findings indicate that this was a recurring MO amongst OHG'S.</p>
<b>Indicators</b>	<b>(y/n)</b>
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<p><b>GENERAL COMMENT</b></p>	
<p>No objects or items that represented the work of an OHG were discovered at either of the crime scene locations. No OHG claimed responsibility for the murder of ALLEN. Numerous suspects in the 1990 murder of Richard JOHNSON were interviewed retrospectively and investigated in relation to the murder of ALLEN however no evidence was identified that implicated any of these persons. There are indications that an OHG was likely to be actively targeting homosexual males for assault and robbery offences, at this location, around this time. The location and M.O. bears a resemblance to the murder of Richard JOHNSON in 1990. JOHNSON was also physically assaulted by a large group of males and suffered horrendous injuries to his head and torso, whilst at Alexandria Park toilets, even more so than ALLEN. At the Coronial Inquest into ALLEN'S death on the 4 July 1989, Coroner Ken WALLER indicated that he thought an OHG was involved in the incident. WALLER summarised, "Yes well in this case the deceased was a fifty year old man apparently homosexual, he was shown to have gone to Alexandria Park a place frequented by that sought of person and was set upon there and bashed and beaten by unknown persons who [REDACTED], at least he said they were. There is no reason to doubt what he said. It's a risk of people as the deceased himself admitted when you're on the beat you take the risk. That people indulge in the sport of chasing and assaulting homosexuals, which is a disgraceful estate of affairs and indeed this is the second case I've had where a person has died as a result of being assaulted in the park. By homosexuals, of course, one can say we shouldn't go to the park, but one can say with perhaps more strength that you shouldn't set about in numbers to assault people to such an extent that you kill them. It's a dreadful sought of business and I wish the people could be caught. It's made even worse by the fact that those violent persons revel and enjoy the situation that the victims don't like to report these crimes to Police because of the indignity that attaches to their roles of cruising homosexuals."</p>	
<p><b>5. Previous existence of Bias Crime Incidents</b></p>	
<p><b>Prompts</b></p>	<p><b>Comment</b></p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Victim was visiting a location where previous bias crimes had been committed against members of the victim's group</li> </ul>	<p>Witness Peter MARTIN, a Council Ordinance Inspector provided the following version of events after discovering ALLEN when he returned to the Alexandria Park Toilet block to retrieve his car. MARTIN stated, "We were there for a few minutes when a white coloured XB Falcon station wagon pulled up in front of the small silver car. The driver of the falcon just sat in the</p>

	<p>car and so we walked up to him and Wayne said to him, "What's up with you?" (or something similar). He didn't say anything but just turned his head away from us. I then reached in through the window and shone the torch in his face and I could see that his lips were a bit swollen and there was some blood around his mouth. Wayne said to him, "Is that your blood on the road mate?" He said, "Yes, I was bashed". Wayne said, "Is that your car?" He said, "Yes." Wayne said, "Why are you driving this car then? He said, "Two or three kids have bashed me so I went and got a friend's car". He was out of the car at this stage and Wayne said to him, "Are these your car keys?" He said, "Yes thanks mate". I said, "Which car are you going to drive home". He said, "This one". I said, "Well you had better move the white car further up the road as there had been a number of homosexuals getting bashed here" (ST-514). While there are no official COPS details relating to the location due to lack of data conversion prior to 1992, there appears strong anecdotal evidence from the statements of MARTIN, DUNN and FISK to suggest that previous bias crimes had been committed against homosexual males at the Alexandria Park toilet block.</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Several incidents occurred in the same area and the victims were members of the same group</i></li> </ul>	<p>In 1990, a homosexual male named Richard JOHNSON was also bashed to death in Alexandria Park toilets by a group of young males described as an OHG. Eight (8) young male offenders were charged in relation to the murder of JOHNSON and were also retrospectively considered as suspects in the 1988 murder of ALLEN. These suspects were investigated by Detectives but no evidence was obtained that implicated any of these suspects in ALLEN'S murder.</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Victim has received previous harassing mail, email, social media posts or phone calls or has been the victim of verbal abuse (anti-gay) based on his/her affiliation with a targeted group</i></li> </ul>	<p>It is unknown if ALLEN had been receiving any harassing telephone calls or mail to his home address. None of the witnesses who were friends of ALLEN made any mention of any bias related abuse being observed towards ALLEN.</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Recent bias incidents or crimes may have sparked retaliatory bias crime</i></li> </ul>	<p>There is no evidence to suggest that recent bias incidents or crimes sparked the assault of ALLEN.</p>
<p><b>Indicators</b></p>	<p><b>(y/n)</b></p>
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<b>6. Victim/Witness Perception</b>	
<b>Prompts</b>	<b>Comment</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><i>Witnesses (actual) perceive that the incident was motivated by bias</i></li> </ul>	<p>About 6.30pm on Wednesday the 28 December 1988, ALLEN was located injured and attempting to waive down passing motorists in the middle of Park Road, Alexandria. Witness Harry BERWICK stopped to assist ALLEN recalling the following conversation with ALLEN who said, "I've been bashed" and then he said either "Can you help me" or drive me home. I noticed that his face was covered in blood. I leant across and opened the front passenger door for him. He sat in the passenger seat and I saw his hands were covered in blood also. I leant across and closed the door for him. I commenced to drive off towards Buckland Street and I said, "This is very dangerous place to be and you should report it to the Police." I also said, "Did you see who did it." He said, "██████████". They bashed and kicked me whilst I was on the ground, the bastards, and they took my money and keys." He continued to direct me to his home and I kept imploring him to contact the Police. He replied, "That's what you expect when</p>

	<p>you do the beat." I believed him to be a homosexual and by his comment believed that he frequented that particular area of Alexandria Park which is known to be frequented by Homosexuals." "I could smell alcohol on his breath. I noticed that he was bleeding from the nose. He was most lucid in his speech and did not appear to be outraged by the incident" (ST-513). Due to the unique situation created by the time lapse between the assault of ALLEN and his subsequent death, he himself made comment to a number of witnesses, not just BERWICK about being bashed in the Alexandria Park toilets. It appears that ALLEN believes that his assault was bias related as displayed when he stated, "That's what you expect when you do the beat" (ST-513).</p>
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7. Motive of Offender/s	
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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>POI was previously involved in similar incident or is a member/associates with members of an OHG</i></li> </ul>	<p>It is unknown if any of the suspects involved in the murder of ALLEN were suspects for other bias related incidents or were members or associates of members of an OHG. It is certainly a possibility that some of the same offenders were involved in both the murder of ALLEN and JOHNSON.</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>The victim was in company of a member of the targeted group</i></li> </ul>	<p>ALLEN appeared to be alone at the time of his assault, which occurred in the Alexandria Park toilets. Witness BERWICK who picked up ALLEN directly after the assault did not report seeing any other persons in the vicinity of the toilet block (ST-513).</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>The victim was perceived to be breaking from traditional conventions or working non-traditional employment</i></li> </ul>	<p>ALLEN had previously been employed as a High School Science Teacher but had recently retired due to medical reasons. Evidence obtained during the investigation suggested ALLEN was supplementing his pension by cultivating, supplying and selling cannabis. At the time of his death, witness FISK recalled a conversation with fellow witness DUNN where they discussed ALLEN having \$40,000 sitting in a pot plant at his home address. FISK said, "Robert, what would forty thousand dollars be sitting in a pot plant for?" DUNN replied, "Bill has been dealing marihuana for years" (ST-693). It also appears that ALLEN was manufacturing a substance known as 'Amyl Nytrate,' an illegal drug that is widely used in the homosexual community. When shown a number of photos taken by Crime Scene Officers of ALLEN'S residence, DUNN stated, "A photograph marked 30 on the rear, is of the shed at the back of the house and you can see scientific apparatus. This was used by Bill to make amyl nitrate, which was used by himself and given to his friends" (ST-693). ALLEN was also actively engaged in making pornographic video tapes of young boys with associate and witness DUNN. FISK stated to Police, "I have known a man named Robert DUNN for about six years during that time I met, very briefly a man who Robert described as his 'best friend' and his work partner at Marist Brothers College, Peshurst, by the name of Bill ALLEN. Robert and Bill engaged in the making of pornographic movies of young boys over the years I saw some of these movies at Robert's place and both Bill and Robert appeared in several of them" (ST-690).</p>

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><i>The POI has a history of previous crimes with similar MO and involving other victims of the same group</i></li> </ul>	<p>No persons have been charged with the murder of ALLEN. A number of suspects were identified during the course of the investigation. The M.O. of physical assault is similar to the 1990 murder of Richard JOHNSON which occurred at the same location.</p>
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GENERAL COMMENT	
<p>It is unknown if any of the suspects involved in the murder of ALLEN were suspects for other bias related incidents or were members or associates of members of an OHG. It is certainly a possibility that some of the same offenders were involved in both the murder of ALLEN and JOHNSON. ALLEN had previously been employed as a High School Science Teacher but had recently retired due to medical reasons. Evidence obtained during the investigation suggested that ALLEN was supplementing his pension by cultivating, supplying and selling cannabis. At the time of his death, witness FISK recalled a conversation with fellow witness DUNN where they discussed ALLEN having \$40,000 sitting in a pot plant at his home address. FISK asked, "Robert, what would forty thousand dollars be sitting in a pot plant for?" DUNN replied, "Bill has been dealing marihuana for years." It also appeared that ALLEN was manufacturing a substance known as 'Amyl Nytrate', an illegal drug that is widely used in the homosexual community. When shown a number of photos taken by Crime Scene Officers of ALLEN'S residence, DUNN stated, "A photograph marked 30 on the rear, is of the shed at the back of the house and you can see scientific apparatus. This was used by Bill to make amyl nitrate, which was used by himself and given to his friends." ALLEN was also actively engaged in making pornographic video tapes of young boys with associate and witness DUNN. Witness FISK stated to Police, "I have known a man named Robert DUNN for about six years during that time I met, very briefly a man who Robert described as his 'best friend' and his work partner at Marist Brothers College, Penshurst, by the name of Bill ALLEN. Robert and Bill engaged in the making of pornographic movies of young boys over the years I saw some of these movies at Robert's place and both Bill and Robert appeared in several of them." It can be seen that numerous parties would have a strong motive for wanting to murder ALLEN. Ranging from the straight forward economic motive of drug users, dealers and criminal associates who were involved with ALLEN in his cannabis business, to revenge by previous victims of ALLEN'S predatory sexual behaviour and also bias related crimes committed against homosexual males at the Alexandria Park location. The actual motive behind this murder has never been established but it is possible that it is bias related, as it cannot be disproved either.</p>	

8. Location of Incident	
Prompts	Comment
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><i>The victim was in or near an area or place commonly associated with or frequented by members of a particular group e.g. beat</i></li> </ul>	<p>ALLEN was initially assaulted at Alexandria Park toilets, Park Road, Alexandria. The location is a well known 'beat' which was frequented by homosexual males who wished to engage in sexual activities with other males. Council Inspector Peter MARTIN had a conversation with ALLEN about 12.30am on Thursday the 29 December, 1988, when ALLEN returned to Alexandria Park toilets to retrieve his motor vehicle. MARTIN said to ALLEN, "Well you had better move the white car further up the road as there had been a number of homosexuals getting bashed here". He said, "Yes I know." He said, "Can you wait here while I move the car up." I said, "Okay." He then drove the car about forty yards up the road and parked it under a street light near a tree (ST-514). Witness FISK recalled a conversation with DUNN, where DUNN stated, "Col, it could have been anyone, but Bill had a [REDACTED] and he used to cruise Alexandria Park, near the school" (ST-693). Witness BERWICK who picked up ALLEN directly following the assault stated to Police, "I commenced to drive off towards Buckland Street and I said this is very dangerous place to be and you should report it to the Police." BERWICK went on to say of ALLEN, "I believed him to be a homosexual and by his comment believed that he frequented that particular area of Alexandria Park which is known to be frequented by Homosexuals" (ST-513).</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><i>The location of an incident has specific significance to the victim or POI group e.g. cemetery, religious building, historical landmark, etc</i></li> </ul>	<p>The location has no specific significance to ALLEN other than it being a well known location that males went to meet other males and engage in sexual activities.</p>
Indicators	(y/n)
Evidence of Bias Crime – sufficient evidence/information exists to prove beyond a reasonable doubt that the incident was either wholly or partially motivated by bias towards one of the protected categories and constitutes a criminal offence.	Yes
Suspected Bias Crime – evidence/information exists that the incident may have been motivated by bias but the incident cannot be proven beyond a reasonable doubt that it was either wholly or partially motivated by bias and constitutes a criminal offence.	No

<p>No Evidence of Bias Crime – the incident has been determined as either not being motivated by bias towards a protected group or although bias motivation is in evidence it does not relate to a protected group.</p>	<p>No</p>
<p>Insufficient Information – insufficient information has been recorded to make a determination in regards to bias motivation. This may be due to a lack of detail recorded by police or a lack of information supplied by victim's and/or witnesses.</p>	<p>No</p>
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<p><b>9. Lack of Motive</b></p>	
<p><b>Prompts</b></p>	<p><b>Comment</b></p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><i>No clear economic or other motive for the incident exists</i></li> </ul>	<p>ALLEN had previously been employed as a High School Science Teacher but had recently retired due to medical reasons. Evidence obtained during the investigation suggested that ALLEN was supplementing his pension by cultivating, supplying and selling cannabis. At the time of his death, witness FISK recalled a conversation with fellow witness DUNN where they discussed ALLEN having \$40,000 sitting in a pot plant at his home address. FISK said, "Robert, what would forty thousand dollars be sitting in a pot plant for?" "Bill has been dealing marihuana for years" (ST-693). There is a clear economic motive for assaulting and robbing ALLEN with the \$40,000 never being located or recovered. As previously discussed, it can be seen that numerous parties would have a strong motive for wanting to murder ALLEN. Ranging from the straight forward economic motive of drug users, dealers and criminal associates who were involved with ALLEN in his cannabis business, to revenge by previous victims of ALLEN'S predatory sexual behaviour and also bias related crimes committed against homosexual males at the Alexandria</p>



	<p>Park location. At the Coronial Inquest into ALLEN'S death on the 4 July 1989, Coroner Ken WALLER indicated that he thought an OHG was involved in the incident. WALLER summarised, "Yes well in this case the deceased was a fifty year old man apparently homosexual, he was shown to have gone to Alexandria Park a place frequented by that sought of person and was set upon there and bashed and beaten by unknown persons who [REDACTED] at least he said they were. There is no reason to doubt what he said. It's a risk of people as the deceased himself admitted when you're on the beat you take the risk. That people indulge in the sport of chasing and assaulting homosexuals, which is a disgraceful estate of affairs and indeed this is the second case I've had where a person has died as a result of being assaulted in the park. By homosexuals, of course, one can say we shouldn't go to the park, but one can say with perhaps more strength that you shouldn't set about in numbers to assault people to such an extent that you kill them. It's a dreadful sought of business and I wish the people could be caught. It's made even worse by the fact that those violent persons revel and enjoy the situation that the victims don't like to report these crimes to Police because of the ignantly that attaches to their roles of cruising homosexuals" (TR-149).</p>
Indicators	(y/n)
Evidence of Bias Crime – sufficient evidence/information exists to prove beyond a reasonable doubt that the incident was either wholly or partially motivated by bias towards one of the protected categories and constitutes a criminal offence.	No
Suspected Bias Crime – evidence/information exists that the incident may have been motivated by bias but the incident cannot be proven beyond a reasonable doubt that it was either wholly or partially motivated by bias and constitutes a criminal offence.	No
No Evidence of Bias Crime – the incident has been determined as either not being motivated by bias towards a protected group or although bias motivation is in evidence it does not relate to a protected group.	No
Insufficient Information – insufficient information has been recorded to make a determination in regards to bias motivation. This may be due to a lack of detail recorded by police or a lack of information supplied by victim's and/or witnesses.	Yes

**GENERAL COMMENT**

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**10. Level of Violence**

Prompts	Comment
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><i>The level of violence and injuries sustained by the victim/s is greater than would be expected for a crime of that type</i></li> </ul>	<p>Evidence suggests that ALLEN was subjected to a lengthy and violent assault prior to his death. The autopsy report was completed by Dr. Sylvia HOLLINGER at Glebe Morgue on the 30 December 1988. Report Number 88/2164 relates. Dr. HOLLINGER listed the following injuries in the report: "Red and blue bruising was present on the dorsa of both hands and around both wrists. A stellate laceration was present above the left eyebrow. A markedly swollen and bruised left upper eyelid was present and less blue bruising was present of the right upper and lower eyelids. A red abrasion was present on the nose and on the left hand side of the nose. The right cheek was swollen and on xray a fracture of the ramus of the mandible was present on the right side. A thin laceration was present on the lower lip. [REDACTED]. This hand was x rayed and no foreign bodies were found. Two purple bruises were present above left elbow. A linear red abrasion was present on the back of the right arm. A red abrasion was present on the left knee. A swollen upper lip was present. Blue bruising was present on the front of the left leg. A circular purple bruise was present on the right side of</p>



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Insufficient Information – insufficient information has been recorded to make a determination in regards to bias motivation. This may be due to a lack of detail recorded by police or a lack of information supplied by victim's and/or witnesses.	No
<b>GENERAL COMMENT</b>	
In the autopsy report, Dr. HOLLINGER noted numerous injuries to ALLEN'S head and face and expressed the following opinion in relation to the cause of death: "In my opinion death had taken place about 2 days previously and the cause of death was 1. Direct cause is: HEAD INJURY WITH BRAIN DAMAGE ASSOCIATED WITH ALCOHOL INGESTION." The crime scene photos taken by Crime Scene Officer Constable LITTLEL show substantial swelling and bruising to the face of ALLEN, indicating he was subjected to a prolonged and violent assault whilst at Alexandria Park.	
<b>SUMMARY OF FINDINGS</b>	
<p><b>Indicator:</b> Suspected Bias Crime (SBC)</p> <p><b>Comment:</b> William Emanuel ALLEN, aged 50 years, was found deceased about 12.30pm on the 29 December 1988, at his home address of ■ Newton Street, Alexandria. ALLEN died of the effects of head injuries sustained on the night of the 28 December 1988, following an assault by unknown males in nearby Alexandria Park. ALLEN was a retired school teacher who identified himself as a homosexual male. Close friend of ALLEN and convicted paedophile Robert DUNN provided the following information regarding ALLEN'S sexuality. "I first met William ALLEN in the middle of 1979 when I was still teaching. I met him at a conference and we struck up a relationship. I knew Bill to be a homosexual and I would call at his house about three times a week and assist him with a course that he was doing at Sydney University." ALLEN had previously been employed as a High School Science Teacher but had recently retired due to medical reasons. Evidence obtained during the investigation suggested that ALLEN was supplementing his pension by cultivating, supplying and selling cannabis. At the time of his death, witness Colin FISK recalled a conversation with DUNN where they discussed ALLEN having \$40,000 sitting in a pot plant at his home address. FISK said, "Robert, what would forty thousand dollars be sitting in a pot plant for?" "Bill has been dealing marihuana for years." It also appeared that ALLEN was manufacturing a substance known as 'Amyl Nitrate', an illegal drug that is widely used in the homosexual community. When shown a number of photos taken by Crime Scene Officers of ALLEN'S residence, DUNN stated, "A photograph marked 30 on the rear, is of the shed at the back of the house and you can see scientific apparatus. This was used by Bill to make amyl nitrate, which was used by himself and given to his friends." ALLEN was also actively engaged in making pornographic video tapes of young boys with associate and witness DUNN. FISK stated to Police, "I have known a man named Robert DUNN for about six years during that time I met, very briefly a man who Robert described as his 'best friend' and his work partner at Marist Brothers College, Penshurst, by the name of Bill ALLEN. Robert and Bill engaged in the making of pornographic movies of young boys over the years I saw some of these movies at Robert's place and both Bill and Robert appeared in several of them." ALLEN was initially assaulted at Alexandria Park toilets, Park Road, Alexandria. The location is a well known 'beat' which was frequented by males who wished to engage in sexual activities with other males. No objects or items that represented the work of an OHG were discovered at either of the crime scene locations. There are indications that an OHG was actively targeting homosexual males for assaults and robbery offences around this time. Witness Peter MARTIN recalled a conversation between his offsider and fellow Council Worker Wayne MURPHY and ALLEN, after seeing ALLEN on the night he was assaulted. ALLEN said to MURPHY and MARTIN, "Two or three kids have bashed me so I went and got a friend's car." He was out of the car at this stage and Wayne said to him, "Are these your car keys?" ALLEN said, "Yes thanks mate." I said, "Which car are you going to drive home?" ALLEN said, "This one." I said, "Well you had better move the white car further up the road as there had been a number of homosexuals getting bashed here." The M.O. bears a resemblance to the murder of Richard JOHNSON in 1990 and both murders occurred at the same location, in similar circumstances. Both ALLEN and JOHNSON identified themselves as homosexual males and frequented public toilets in search</p>	

of sexual partners. The offenders from the JOHNSON murder were viewed retrospectively as suspects for ALLEN'S murder however but no evidence to implicate any of the eight (8) offenders could be obtained. In regards to ALLEN'S injuries and the level of violence used, Dr. HOLLINGER expressed the following opinion in relation to the cause of death of ALLEN: "In my opinion death had taken place about 2 days previously and the cause of death was 1. Direct cause is: HEAD INJURY WITH BRAIN DAMAGE ASSOCIATED WITH ALCOHOL INGESTION." Dr. HOLLINGER'S statement in company with the crime scene photos taken by Crime Scene Officer Constable LITTLER, show substantial swelling and bruising to the face of ALLEN, indicating he was subjected to a prolonged and violent assault whilst at Alexandria Park. It can be seen that numerous parties would have a strong motive for wanting to murder ALLEN. Ranging from the straight forward economic motive of drug users, dealers and criminal associates who were involved with ALLEN in his cannabis business, to revenge by previous victims of ALLEN'S predatory sexual behaviour and also bias related crimes committed against homosexual males at the Alexandria Park location. At the Coronial Inquest into ALLEN'S death on the 4 July 1989, Coroner Ken WALLER indicated that he thought an OHG was involved in the incident. WALLER summarised, "Yes well in this case the deceased was a fifty year old man apparently homosexual, he was shown to have gone to Alexandria Park a place frequented by that sought of person and was set upon there and bashed and beaten by unknown persons [REDACTED], at least he said they were. There is no reason to doubt what he said. It's a risk of people as the deceased himself admitted when you're on the beat you take the risk. That people indulge in the sport of chasing and assaulting homosexuals, which is a disgraceful estate of affairs and indeed this is the second case I've had where a person has died as a result of being assaulted in the park. By homosexuals, of course, one can say we shouldn't go to the park, but one can say with perhaps more strength that you shouldn't set about in numbers to assault people to such an extent that you kill them. It's a dreadful sought of business and I wish the people could be caught. It's made even worse by the fact that those violent persons revel and enjoy the situation that the victims don't like to report these crimes to Police because of the indignity that attaches to their roles of cruising homosexuals."