

SUBMISSION
OF
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My position in this matter is one of a person who has tried to expose corruption within the Queensland police service on many occasions and has encountered opposition, lies & deceit from every government department I have approached especially the Crime & Misconduct Commission which carried on to the Crime & corruption Commission, the Integrity Commission and possibly the Parliamentary Crime & Misconduct Commission.

The allegations I put before the Crime & Misconduct Commission involved 3 Queensland police officers, [REDACTED] & a local businessman [REDACTED] who was a member of the [REDACTED] two of the police officers I mentioned have been jailed in the past for other crimes.

I have received constant trouble, threats, and “stonewalling” on the part of individuals in the city of Townsville and certain Qld government departments since I first contacted the Crime and Misconduct Commission in the year 2003.

I do know when a person is set-up or framed by police that same person’s file is “tagged” by police for the term of their life and that person will never know a normal life.

I am employed as a taxi driver and deal with the public during every shift.

I am hoping my information will help open a proper investigation into the Qld government departments I will mention and more-so the allegation’s I have made of corrupt Qld police officers a [REDACTED] & local businessman.

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[REDACTED]
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[REDACTED]

I will condense this information as best I can.

I sent a letter to the C.M.C. in February of 2004 and received a reply dated the 24/02/2004 stating they had received my letter and would respond at the proper time, I had concerns at that time about local police following me home and parking outside my residence, this reply came from the office of the [REDACTED] of the C.M.C.

On the 02/03/2004 I sent a letter to the C.M.C. detailing my allegations of the corruption of three police officers and how two of these police officers had been jailed in the past for other

crimes and how I was forced to sign an indemnity and I was not allowed to read that indemnity at the time.

At this time (2004) I was also writing to the Queensland police service asking for information under the freedom of information act, while I did receive a certain amount of information I found when I asked for the location of a police officer, [REDACTED] all information stopped from the police service, I then began receiving letters from the police service stating the same reply, ("we do not know what you're looking for" or "we do not know what you mean")

In March of 2004 I received another reply from the C.M.C. and I was told they would do nothing about my allegations and the letter went on to explain official corruption, again this letter came from the office of [REDACTED] C.M.C.

I then tried to get help through legal means by making appointments with local solicitors to see if they could help me with no good result, I then began to speak with local [REDACTED] on the 08/09/2006 I had an appointment to speak with [REDACTED], I told him of my allegations and left information with his secretary, I received a letter from [REDACTED] office informing me I should take my information to the C.M.C.

Sometime after my meeting with [REDACTED] I forwarded my information on to the C.M.C., I received a letter from the C.M.C. dated the 30/04/2007 telling me the C.M.C. would consider my information, this letter was sent from the office of the [REDACTED], C.M.C.

On the 24/05/2007 I received a reply from the C.M.C. informing me they would do nothing about my allegations, this reply came from the office of the [REDACTED] C.M.C.

I then let stopped sending correspondence to the C.M.C.

In early 2009 it occurred to me that the only people who have read my information are officers of the C.M.C. so I used my P.C. to make 5 D.V.D.s, each containing 350 pages of information, on the 03/03/2009 I sent each one of those 5 D.V.D.s to the Premiers office, [REDACTED] the police minister's office, [REDACTED] the Qld attorney general's office and the federal attorney general's office, [REDACTED] the last D.V.D. I sent to the C.M.C., I never received a reply from the police minister's office, [REDACTED] or the federal attorney general's office, [REDACTED] I also found some time later that all these Queensland government department's (including [REDACTED] had been told to forward my information on to the C.M.C.

On the 02/04/2009 I went to the Townsville city mall to make a phone call to the C.M.C. to enquire if they had received my D.V.D. of information as I had not heard from them, I spoke to [REDACTED] who told me [REDACTED] name was [REDACTED] I asked [REDACTED] if the C.M.C. had received my information & [REDACTED] replied, "I don't know, I'll have a look, can you tell me what it's about" I told [REDACTED] "it's about corrupt police and an indemnity and [REDACTED] [REDACTED] then said to me, "oh did it go to [REDACTED] department" I then replied, "you're kidding, your telling me [REDACTED] has [REDACTED] own department in the C.M.C., [REDACTED] replied, "yes" I then said, "no wonder I can't get anything done, [REDACTED] in it" [REDACTED] did not seem to know what to say, I then asked [REDACTED] if [REDACTED] would continue looking for my D.V.D. & [REDACTED] replied "yes" I gave [REDACTED] my phone number and [REDACTED] told me [REDACTED] would call me when [REDACTED] found it, sometime later [REDACTED] called me and confirmed that [REDACTED] had found my D.V.D.

I found later that [REDACTED] official title was, [REDACTED] attached to the C.M.C. I also realised that [REDACTED] had "tagged" my information for [REDACTED] eye's only" because all the reply's I received from the C.M.C. came from the [REDACTED] office, surely any legal professional would deem this situation to be a "conflict of interest" on [REDACTED] part.

On the 21/04/2009 I applied to the transport department for a driver's authority to drive a taxi, I received a reply from the transport dept 6 weeks later, this reply was a refusal for a D.A. and cited a "category B driver disqualifying offence" as I read through the refusal, I found pages citing [REDACTED] criminal allegation's & [REDACTED] of these allegations were of [REDACTED] crime's, I still have that letter.

One month later I received a second letter from the transport dept and again this letter was another refusal for a D.A. citing a speeding fine, but I realised this second letter was sent to me to cover-up the first letter with the criminal allegations.

Approximately 5 years later I was made aware who was responsible for sending the first D.A. with [REDACTED] criminal allegations, one was an employee of the transport department who was dismissed from the transport department & the other person [REDACTED] [REDACTED] I was also made aware both these people know [REDACTED]

On a particular day I heard a local news report while I was at work explaining the Queensland shadow cabinet would be holding a community cabinet meeting in Townsville at the Ridges Southbank on Palmer St. within 2 to 3 days, I then searched for a phone number to call a representative of the Liberal party to ask if I could speak to the shadow attorney general, at first I was told that all of the bookings were filled, I then explained I only needed a short time with the shadow attorney general, sometime later the representative called me & told me I could have only a few minutes with the shadow attorney general.

I went to Ridges Southbank at the agreed time and met with the shadow attorney general, [REDACTED] and gave him a brief explanation of my situation I also gave him the same D.V.D.s I had sent to the other Qld gov dept's.

I received a letter from [REDACTED] M.P. dated, May 2011, this letter explained he had sent letters to the attorney general, [REDACTED] & the chair of the C.M.C. [REDACTED] and would contact me when he received a response.

I received another letter from [REDACTED] M.P. dated the 01/07/2011, this letter contained a response from [REDACTED] (chair of the C.M.C.) sent to [REDACTED] this letter contained a review of the allegations I had made in the past to the C.M.C. [REDACTED] and I had to read this letter a number of times as I was not understanding the content of the letter until I realised my original information had been changed, I can only surmise somebody within the C.M.C. had changed my information before it was sent on to [REDACTED]

I also noticed at this time any correspondence from the C.M.C. to [REDACTED] did not come from the office of [REDACTED] attached to the C.M.C.

Sometime later I was sent a letter by [REDACTED] explaining that an investigation into my allegations would take place by the C.M.C. and the "[REDACTED]" attached to the C.M.C., [REDACTED] this letter was informing that [REDACTED] was no longer a member of the C.M.C. but I have never known the circumstances of [REDACTED]

departure from the C.M.C. I was also given the name of the C.M.C. officer who would make the investigation, [REDACTED] I then tried to contact [REDACTED] by phone on 3 separate occasions, I finally got to speak to [REDACTED] on the 06/02/2011 [REDACTED] told me [REDACTED] had sent a letter to me requesting more information and the chairperson of the C.M.C. wanted to read my information, (I now believe the chairperson of the C.M.C. wanted to read my information because [REDACTED] changed my original information) I told [REDACTED] I had sent information to the C.M.C. for years, I then asked her how much information [REDACTED] had, [REDACTED] replied, "just your e-mail I think" I said are you sure, [REDACTED] replied, "wait a minute, I'll check" [REDACTED] then said to me, "no just your e-mail" I replied "[REDACTED] took my information when he left the C.M.C." [REDACTED] did not say yes or no [REDACTED] made the sound "hmmm" I then told [REDACTED] I would send more information.

On the 16/02/2011 I mailed a D.V.D. to [REDACTED] of the C.M.C. containing 350 pages of information concerning corruption.

Sometime after this event I rang the C.M.C. and asked to speak to [REDACTED] and I was told [REDACTED] no longer worked for the C.M.C., I then asked who would investigate my allegations and was told, "somebody will pick it up" the person I spoke to never gave me their name.

Around this time, I received a letter from the attorney general, [REDACTED] explaining that I should make a complaint to the parliamentary crime & misconduct commission, (Integrity services) so I did.

The result of my complaint to the P.C.M.C. was to be told that an officer of the C.M.C. had authored a report about me and sent that report to the P.C.M.C. now the P.C.M.C. claimed parliamentary privilege over this report which meant I was not allowed to have access to that report.

It was also around this time I had told [REDACTED] I would finish a document & forward it on to [REDACTED], I never finished that document, they had finally worn me down.

At this point I would like to advise the enquiry of an event that occurred in my life in 1999, [REDACTED]

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they could see the accusations against me were false but they would write a report, some years later I received a copy of that report which had been heavily redacted to protect my accuses, I received this report under the F.O.I. act.

Another event that happened in my life in relation to this matter occurred approximately five years ago when I was working in the taxi I was driving at the time, I was driving to the local casino when three people walked out together onto the pedestrian crossing in front of the casino and I recognised two of these people immediately, one person was and I can only presume the person was holding hands with was partner, the other male person I recognised was a neighbour from my youth,

in fact has led a very protected life and was in the company of a local

I once received a certain amount of trouble from who has the same last name as the in the city of Townsville.

I then tried to put my dealings with the Queensland government behind me and get on with my life, in the year 2013 I met a number of people who I was acquainted with & these people told me I should again try to apply for a Drivers Authority, I thought this was a bad idea but I considered I was unemployed at the time and finally tried again to get a D.A. & on this occasion was successful, I began driving taxi's early in 2014.

In the year 2015 I decided to move to Brisbane to try and get away from the trouble I was receiving in Townsville and found within two days the trouble I thought I had left in Townsville had followed me to Brisbane.

In late 2015 I lost my car in a flood in Brisbane and realised I had no choice but to return to Townsville.

Late in the year of 2016 I became aware of a government department, Office of the information commissioner and their role for the general public, I wrote to this dept with the goal of getting access to the report that was with the P.C.M.C. and then put together a comprehensive submission of some seventy three pages with documentation, after several reviews on the part of the O.I.C. I was told the P.C.M.C. would not allow me to have access to that report, during this time I mainly corresponded with the I have no complaint of did her job well, in fact last correspondence to me and the last line of the letter stated, "Shane, get a lawyer"

I am not sure if the following pages has relevance to this submission so I will include it.

I first became aware of an organisation known as the in 2004, at that time members of this organisation were holding a meeting in the barbeque area of, as I walked past this group I noticed they were actually staring at me with what I can only describe as hatred, some months later this same group held another meeting in and I experienced the same situation of being stared at with hatred, I've never known what the role in the community is, I have received trouble from who I believe are members of this same association for 8 years, in fact a local & manager of has a sign above his in Townsville.

When I returned from Brisbane in 2015 I shared accommodation with a friend until I could afford my own rental accommodation, I moved to an address of [REDACTED] Townsville and within 60 days received an Ergon electricity bill for \$1,100.00, this unit had no modern appliances, the appliances I used in that unit were a pedestal fan, television, stove ,fridge & hot water, I complained about this bill to the owner and Ergon and eventually \$700.00 of this bill was paid by a family & child services dept, I've never understood this event.

I have become convinced over the years that I have become a "person of interest" to a Queensland organisation known as "[REDACTED]" there was a time when I would shop at the [REDACTED] shopping centre in Townsville and once saw [REDACTED] in the company of a local [REDACTED] person in the carpark observing me quite intently while the [REDACTED] person spoke to [REDACTED] but I also believe there are people in this town who use and manipulate the system for their own ends especially [REDACTED]

Between the years of 2014 & as late as 2021 I have regularly been stopped by police on my way home from work and been given a breath test and license check by police, this usually occurred in the early hours of the morning as I always worked night shift, this occurrence stopped when I had "Black Vue" camera's installed at front and rear of the car I drive.

The car I drive is registered in [REDACTED] name.

Last year, 2021 I approached [REDACTED] and explained the trouble I receive in Townsville, approximately 1 week later [REDACTED] assistant rang me and told me to go to the police, this is the same advice I have received from every [REDACTED] I have ever approached.

I refuse to go to the source of the trouble I receive, Queensland police.

In 2019 I had a heart attack because of the constant stress I'm under, the information I have freely given in this submission is less than 1% of what has occurred in my life in the time that I have tried and been effectively stopped by a very corrupt system in explaining the truth of the matter, I've had my mail intercepted and opened before I received it, I've had a P.C. crashed & destroyed, I've been shown that I'm tracked through my personnel phone and as recently as the day after I began writing this submission [REDACTED] rang me to tell me my phone is regularly "tapped" I am regularly threatened when I'm driving my personal car or the taxi I drive by [REDACTED] and all of this happens because of 3 corrupt police officers, 1 corrupt [REDACTED] and a local [REDACTED] businessman.

I do not believe I am the only person in the state of Queensland who has been attacked in the manner I have described in this submission, I have found the reasoning behind this sustained attack upon myself lies with the [REDACTED] who never implemented all of the guidelines suggested by the original Fitzgerald inquiry and because of this fact Queensland government departments will always be open to corruption.

The contents of this submission are also the reason I have never been able to lead a normal life.

Regards, [REDACTED]

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