

POLICE MEMBER / VETERAN CONTACT

NAME: Jack BLAYNEY
RANK: Assistant Commissioner (Retired)
CONTACT DETAILS: [REDACTED]

SUMMARY OF CONTACT:

The following is the investigator's note of conversations with the named member or former member. The conversations were informal for the purposes of directing enquiries only. Members and former members were not given notice of the issues to be discussed and did not have access to source material. They were not provided with this report to confirm the accuracy of the notes.

D/A/Sgt ABBOTT - 14/02/2019 1145hrs, cold call made to Jack BLAYNEY in relation to NTP # 024.

Nil issues with contact via telephone for future reference, alternatively happy with email correspondence.

- Stated retired in 2018. Upon retiring he left all his diaries and daybooks with his staff officer at the time Ian LYNDSEY.
- Stated nil items left in his possession
- Happy to speak again if required.

Above email provided and same emailed a copy of his NTP for reference.

Email chain referenced below.

Thanks Andrew. The Notice does not refer to 'personal holdings' in my possession. However, I will accept the advice you have provided relating to this matter and advise that I do not possess any of the documentation described in the Notice.

Jack Blayney

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On Fri, 15 Feb 2019 at 10:40 am, ABBOTT, Andrew <andrew.abbott@police.vic.gov.au> wrote:

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Good morning Mr Blayney,

At this stage the request only relates to personal holdings you may have in your possession.

It is anticipated the Commission will in the near future serve a notice to produce on Victoria Police in relation to the holdings possessed associated to you and others involvement linked to 3838.

Staff from my office will be tasked to collate and assess any information sought by the Commission.

Should a requirement be made for you to review and or refresh your mind in relation to the information relating to 3838 then the opportunity will certainly be afforded to you.

At this stage my office will reply to the current notice to produce on your behalf.

Let me know if you need anything further.

Regards

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From: Jack Blayney [mailto:PII]
Sent: Thursday, 14 February 2019 18:03
To: ABBOTT, Andrew
Subject: Re: Jack Blayney Notice to Produce [DLM=Sensitive:Personal]

Thank you Andrew.

On reading the Notice it is clear to me that the request to produce is much broader than matters I have previously responded to i.e IBAC.

There are registered references that appear to relate to 3838 that I have not been aware of previously (2958, G3-05, 013-99 and 23577918) and therefore have not reviewed my diaries and notebooks accordingly.

The period applicable to the Notice relates to 1/1/1995 to today. Again, I have not previously reviewed my diaries, notebooks etc back to anywhere near 1995.

The documentation that I would need to review would be extensive, is not in my possession and could not possibly be provided by 4 pm on 19th February.

I seek advice on how the response to this Notice should be managed.

Regards

Jack Blayney

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On Thu, 14 Feb 2019 at 12:58 pm, ABBOTT, Andrew <andrew.abbott@police.vic.gov.au> wrote:

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Good afternoon Mr Blayney,

Thanks again for your time, as discussed,

Please see attached Notice to Produce (NTP) documents.

This is a Notice to Produce documents/records, it is not a Notice to Attend hearings (that may come later).

From our conversation it would appear many of these items will result in nothing to produce response for you, with that being the case you do not need to do anything further with this document. It is being provided to you for your reference.

Corrs Chambers Westgarth are the lawyers working on behalf of Victoria Police should you require any further information unable to be provided by my office. Also attached are some support options available to yourself. We are liaising closely with TPA (Tim Peck) and can put you in direct contact with him if required.

If you have any issues or queries feel free to contact Superintendent Paul MILLET, Inspector Wayne Woltsche, Senior Sergeant Brett Pattie or myself at any time.

Regards,

Andrew ABBOTT | Detective A/Sergeant

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