

Petra Taskforce

Weekly Update: 16 July 2007

Taskforce Activities

- Members have spoken to a number of friends of Paul Dale who attended the BBQ at his house on the day of the burglary. This has generated some telephone contact with Paul Dale. He is displeased that we have spoken to his friends and associates.
- Detective Senior Sergeant Shane O'Connell was involved in the Mallia committal for the entire week.
- Enquiries continue regarding [REDACTED]. He was spoken to by Detective Senior Constables Glen Weaver and Sara Morse. This occurred at the Boronia Police Station following numerous visits to his home address. He stated he did not have any information relative to the Hodson murders and [REDACTED] [REDACTED]. He was also spoken to regarding Detective Sergeant [REDACTED] and denied threatening him.
- Work has commenced on telephone intercept and listening device warrants for Andrew Karrison and Rodney Collins @ Earl.
- Meeting has taken place with OPI (John Nolan etc) following the signing of the Memorandum of Understanding.
- Purana telephone intercept product continues to be checked.

Australian Crime Commission Hearings

- No hearings are scheduled for the immediate future.

Office of Police Integrity Hearings

- Hearings to be conducted Thursday and Friday (19-20 July).

Planned Activities

- Analysis of Calls and Call Charge Records for Rodney COLLINS to continue. Still awaiting "cell dumps" re [REDACTED] enquiry.
- Still awaiting arrival of "Cell Dump" ordered in an endeavour to find the calls referred to by [REDACTED].
- Meeting on Wednesday 18 July with taskforce to discuss future direction particularly with regard to telephone intercepts etc.

- Mokbel phones. To meet with Fedpol this week regarding same. (James King).
- Time line of activities of Williams, Dale, Collins and Mokbel to be produced. This is being completed by S/C McGrath and will take some time. She has returned to work this week and has commenced this project.
- Attend OPI hearings.

Personnel

- Detective Senior Constable KERLEY - to return to work at the Academy.
- Detective Sergeant Fitzgerald is on leave until 18 July 2007.
- Detective Senior Sergeant O'Connell has returned from leave. He will be working on the Mallia committal aftermath for a couple of days and then will return to work at Petra.



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