

7 November 2007

Mr L Cornelius  
Assistant Commissioner  
Ethical Standards Department  
Level 1, Building A  
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Melbourne Vic 3005

Dear Luke

**Re: Receipt of Complaint from the Police Association regarding the  
Publishing of Details of Task Force Briars – C 303/1018/2007**

In response to your letter dated 29 October 2007 on this issue, this office has noted the contents of the letter.

I can confirm that the Office of Police Integrity (OPI) is investigating the unauthorised disclosure of the information contained in the media article referred to.

In regards to your request for advice on your proposed correspondence to The Police Association, the OPI position would be that ESD would neither confirm nor deny the existence of any of their investigations with the TPA whilst they are in their investigative phase.

Should you have any further concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me on (03) [REDACTED]

Yours sincerely



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