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O'CONNOR: Uh time is now um uh 12 minutes past 4 on Monday the 13<sup>th</sup> day of August 2012. Detective Inspector John O'Connor uh trying to contact Nicola Gobba-Gobbo on her mobile [REDACTED]

*(Phone rings)*

GOBBO: Hello?

O'CONNOR: Nic, John O'Connor.

GOBBO: Hello?

O'CONNOR: Yeah Nic John O'Connor.

GOBBO: Hello, how are you?

O'CONNOR: Good, good. Are you able to talk?

GOBBO: Um sort of yeah.

O'CONNOR: Yep. Um I've spoken to the uh people uh or about your question re that document.

GOBBO: Oh yes yep.

O'CONNOR: Yes. And uh that's been told-I've been told that is not going to be used.

GOBBO: I gather that the document wasn't going to be used. I was more concerned about the information.

O'CONNOR: Yeah well, I've been told it's not going to be used so-

GOBBO: Ok.

O'CONNOR: So-

GOBBO: And that means it would be protected under PII if it was subpoenaed?

O'CONNOR: Yeah well, the only people who would know about it would be you and the people at Briars, wouldn't it?

GOBBO: Yeah, I know but say for example John say for example somebody issued the subpoena that you know in broad terms calls for any information from human sources or informers or whatever, it would be protected, wouldn't it?

O'CONNOR: Yeah, the generic one yeah. My understanding is it would be protected, they're not relying on it at all to be used.

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GOBBO: I mean I look don't - - like like I'd be telling anybody about it, not even my solicitor knows about it.

O'CONNOR: No, I realise that but I um yeah. So, um yeah so that's the answer to that. That's- so I hope that's-

GOBBO: That's um that's good. That's one less thing for ... to worry about.

O'CONNOR: Yep. Alright.

GOBBO: I mean don't get me wrong John. I actually hope that they charge those two police officers.

O'CONNOR: Uhh what the Briars stuff?

GOBBO: Yeah, I hope that Waters and Lalor get charged um I have no doubt that Waters was-was involved based on the things that he said to me.

O'CONNOR: Yep

GOBBO: Um regardless of whether I was a witness I hope that they get charged at the end of the day.

O'CONNOR: Mm.

GOBBO: And I expect some kind of an answer from the Commonwealth DPP tomorrow morning in relation to um the Dale trial starting on the 16<sup>th</sup> of September.

O'CONNOR: Yep. Oh well hopefully-hopefully that'll be good news for you.

GOBBO: Well look I've made- I've made a pretty um pretty strongly worded complaint because if I sought legal advice from you in relation to specifically about being called as a witness in terms of settlement and that kind of thing so obviously that means you're privy to all kinds of information and then you turn around and you act for Dale, I think that is just absolutely outrageous.

O'CONNOR: This is um-that's that bloke [REDACTED] or something?

GOBBO: [REDACTED]. Yep yep it is- it would be different if um say for example, he was just providing general advice and not specific to me but just say general advice about a subpoena about a general issue. But to be provided with specific information about my dealings with Victoria Police and all kinds of information and then to be acting for Dale - it is - in relation to the recorded conversation that I made and trying to get it excluded from evidence um but that just blows me away.

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O'CONNOR: Mm. that's the uh oh well hopefully that uh will give you some comfort when you get a phone call tomorrow from the uh...

GOBBO: Yeah well, I'll wait and see what happens. And I understand it's going to be raised at the directions hearing tomorrow morning in the Supreme Court, so I'll wait to hear what happens.

O'CONNOR: How'd the painting go on the weekend?

GOBBO: Really good, and I gotta tell you, I managed to fill a six cubic metre rubbish skip all by myself.

O'CONNOR: Jeepers.

GOBBO: I was so crippled- actually there's no other word for it- I was so fucked that yesterday I couldn't move. I was just gone.

O'CONNOR: Well take it easy this week.

GOBBO: Yeah but going really really well. It's um it's just you know- you know basically to sell a house um with five kids and everybody's kind of happy for Nic to do everything. They just pick at me in relation to the quotes I get for various things and then say will you organise it and you deal with it, so they like to be-

O'CONNOR: Is this-

GOBBO: But I reckon I could go on that um you know that tv show The Block?

O'CONNOR: Oh yeah well-

GOBBO: Well I'm quite -I'm quite talented at plastering and painting now.

O'CONNOR: Oh, very good

GOBBO: I kind of like learning new things and I reckon if you're a um if you're a single female who wanted to pick up a bloke, the one place to do it is Bunnings.

O'CONNOR: Yeah probably when you're going to Bunnings though Nic, is when you're going in there for one thing and end up with about a basket load of other things that you don't need.

GOBBO: Yeah that's exactly what's happened every time I've been there.

O'CONNOR: Yep.

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GOBBO: Although it's really strange. I've been to Bunnings, like last week I think I went three or four times. Each time I went there I ran into the same Supreme Court judge.

O'CONNOR: Oh, did ya?

GOBBO: Yeah weirdest thing um you know obviously he wasn't at work cause it was during work hours but anyway.

O'CONNOR: Um you take care and uh I'll speak with you soon.

GOBBO: Alright um there is one other thing I wanted to raise with you but I need - I've gotta have um a document in front of me. Can I give you a call um tomorrow morning say um I'm going to be with those tradespeople until about um 10 o'clock so I can't...say after 10?

O'CONNOR: Well can I give you a call in the afternoon cause I'm tied up.

GOBBO: Yep yeah that's fine. Yep terrific.

O'CONNOR: Ok I'll give you a call tomorrow arvo sometime alright.

GOBBO: Yep any time's fine.

O'CONNOR: Are you available in the evening too Nic or not?

GOBBO: Yeah yeah. Yeah, no problems.

O'CONNOR: Ok take care. Speak soon.

GOBBO: Thank you. See ya bye.

O'CONNOR: See ya. Bye.

*(Call ends)*

O'CONNOR: Uh time is now uh 4.18pm. Finish recording.

*End of recording.*