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Subject: FW: AEC referral [DLM=For-Official-Use-Only]

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G'day again Pablo,
Just letting you know we are preparing a MinBrief for our Minister on this. Are you comfortable with us stating you have referred 42 incidents of alleged multiple voting to us? Further, in our Min Brief we mention the formal recount of ballot papers indicate a margin of 35 votes. Do you have any issues with us stating that? We understand the 35 vote margin is public knowledge.

Cheers,
Roger



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From: Brown, Roger
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G'day Pablo,
Your referral has been received and accepted.
We are today deploying investigators to Townsville. Once sorted in situ, they will commence local enquiries, with the forthcoming weekend being targeted for approaches to those 42 persons identified by AEC as having voted twice.
As things progress we'll keep you updated.

Cheers,
Roger



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From: Pablo Carpay [<mailto:Pablo.Carpay@aec.gov.au>]
Sent: Thursday, 28 July 2016 10:38 AM
To: Brown, Roger
Cc: Anna Robinson; Kellie Browning
Subject: RE: AEC referral [SEC=UNOFFICIAL]
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Good morning roger.

Just touching base.

Anything by way of an update in terms of where things are at from your side? Our Commissioner asked for an update in terms of "next steps", so anything you can advise that we can share in terms of timing, broad process etc would be appreciated.

A brief Email response would be fine, or a quick call - and if you can't reach me, Anna Robinson is available on 7 [REDACTED]

Thanks again

Pablo

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G'day Pablo,

As discussed, your email with the Referral document attached has been received.

Cheers,

Roger



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From: Pablo Carpay [<mailto:Pablo.Carpay@aec.gov.au>]

Sent: Wednesday, 27 July 2016 3:17 PM

To: Brown, Roger

Cc: Andrew Gately; Anna Robinson; Kellie Browning

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Good afternoon Roger

The referral is attached.

Mr Andrew Gately, one of our Assistant Commisisoners (7 [REDACTED]), is flying to Townsville tomorrow and will be on the ground with another staff member to assist as necessary over the weekend.

I and others remain contactable of course as well if and as required.

Regards

Pablo

Pablo Carpay

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