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Hi **s 47F(1)**

Please find attached correspondence from Stephanie Foster to Commissioner Brereton regarding Operation Kingscliff.

Cheers, **s 47F(1)**

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Dear **s 47F(1)**

Attached correspondence for the Secretary's attention together with a Statement of Findings, Opinions and Recommendations in relation to Operation Kingscliff.

With thanks

s 47F(1)

Executive Assistant

The Hon PLG Brereton, AM, RFD, SC

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The Hon Paul Brereton AM RFD SC  
National Anti-Corruption Commissioner

By email: @nacc.gov.au

Dear Commissioner

Thank you for your letter, dated 15 April 2025, attaching your proposed statement of potential findings, recommendations and opinions in relation to Operation Kingscliff.

In my view the statement does not contain any sensitive information as defined by subsection 227(3) of the *National Anti-Corruption Commission Act 2022*. With respect to your advice that you are considering whether or not to release a public version of the report, I note that the statement identifies several individuals other than the three protagonists who were involved in the Commission's investigation. There may be welfare considerations for those individuals should their names be released as part of any public report, and I would welcome the opportunity to work with your office on appropriate handling. Finally, I agree with the proposed recommendations in paragraph 199 of Attachment A to your letter, and can advise that the Department will seek to implement them as a priority.

Yours sincerely

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Stephanie Foster PSM

5 May 2025

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