

Legal and Constitutional Affairs References Committee

COVID-19 Royal Commission inquiry

Professor Paul Griffin's response to adverse comment made in a submission by Red Union Support Hub

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Subject: RE: 2024.04.11 - email to Senate Committee with submission on behalf of Prof Griffin

BUSINESS USE

The submission to the Committee is just for the Committee. In terms of a statement that can be available publicly, Professor Griffin requests that the following statement be made available –

Professor Griffin denies the assertion that he failed to disclose conflicts of interests in court proceedings and notes that no details of the assertion have been provided which would allow the assertion to be properly investigated. He has always identified in reports for courts, or in presentations to the public, his work as a lead researcher for pharmaceutical companies and position as a medical adviser on the advisory board of a pharmaceutical company. His position on Covid 19 and vaccines has been based on his reading of professional literature, information communicated in scientific conferences, his own research and his experience in treating patients suffering from Covid 19. His views are consistent with the majority of respected doctors and researchers in the area.

Thanks

Harry McCay