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From: **Josephine Cashman** <jcashman@brii.com.au>

Date: Wed, 20 Nov. 2019, 10:36

Subject: Fwd: Seeking a briefing from the Crime Commission and AFP Commissioners

To: Ken Wyatt1 <ken.wyatt@aph.gov.au>

Cc: Lomas, Jarrod <Jarrod.Lomas@ia.pm.gov.au>

Dear Minister Wyatt

Marcia is sending emails asserting I have threatened to resign. I want you to know I am committed to the essential work of the Senior Advisory Group and have no intention of resigning.

I would be grateful for your support for the Commissser briefings I have called for. Minister Pavey is aware of community corruption.

Thank you for the opportunity to serve on the committee.

Regards

Josephine

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From: **Marcia Langton** <m.langton@unimelb.edu.au>

Date: Wed, 20 Nov. 2019, 08:08

Subject: Re: Seeking a briefing from the Crime Commission and AFP Commissioners

To: Josephine Cashman <jcashman@brii.com.au>

But why threaten to resign?

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From: Josephine Cashman <jcashman@brii.com.au>

Sent: Tuesday, 19 November 2019 1:06:29 PM

To: Marcia Langton <m.langton@unimelb.edu.au>

Subject: Re: Seeking a briefing from the Crime Commission and AFP Commissioners

Given the nature of the Committee brief, I am committed to ensuring on ground community risks are considered and managed with sensitivity and rigour, Josephine

On Tue, 19 Nov. 2019, 11:53 Marcia Langton, <m.langton@unimelb.edu.au> wrote:

You are threatening to resign from the Senior Advisory Group if we cannot organise a briefing from the ACC. Do you want that on the record? Is that what you mean to say.

From: Josephine Cashman <jcashman@brii.com.au>

Date: Tuesday, 19 November 2019 at 11:48

To: Marcia Langton <m.langton@unimelb.edu.au>

Subject: Re: Seeking a briefing from the Crime Commission and AFP Commissioners

Dear Marcia

I have a right to request a formal briefing on behalf of my NSW people. There is no need for a proposal, as the guest speakers will be invited to brief our Committee on matters of grave concern to on the ground Aboriginal people. The briefing will be intrinsically linked to the success of the Voice and the outcomes of our Committee.

Regards

Josephine

On Tue, 19 Nov. 2019, 11:16 Marcia Langton, <m.langton@unimelb.edu.au> wrote:

Josephine

Please withdraw this email and write a proposal not a threat.

I don't think you can see how badly this reads.

Marcia

From: Josephine Cashman <jcashman@brii.com.au>
Date: Monday, 18 November 2019 at 19:18
To: Marcia Langton <m.langton@unimelb.edu.au>
Cc: Ken Wyatt1 <ken.wyatt@aph.gov.au>, "Lomas, Jarrod" <Jarrod.Lomas@ia.pm.gov.au>
Subject: Seeking a briefing from the Crime Commission and AFP Commissioners

Dear Marcia,

As discussed I am seeking a briefing from the Crime Commission and AFP Commissioners ASAP. The senior advisory group should have the opportunity to speak to them. For my safety I am seeking a private meeting so I may speak frankly about matters subject to investigations involving leaders of the Uluru Statement movement. I am concerned about organised crime networks operating in Aboriginal communities and often run by leaders of powerful Aboriginal community organisations.

Unless this abuse of power is addressed, the voice process cannot work and I will not be able to support it.

There is a risk the voice may give more power for criminals and increase their cult like behaviour. Informing the community the government hates them and no one cares about them is being used to silence communities. The continued distribution of large quantities of the drug ice and the support given to abusers of children is not acceptable.

I have considered possible solutions and wish to test them against the formal operational advice we receive.

Regards