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The Queensland Child Sexual Abuse Legislative Reform Council wishes to make the following comments re the state Bill and some comments pertinent to the overall issues.

1. The state labor government has watered down the Royal Commission recommendations by 50,000 and sided with the coalition in doing so. The Labor Federal government has raised concern about this point in the Senate.
2. The issue of solicitors fees previously being indexed has not been addressed at a Federal level and the state do not appear to have addressed this.
3. The Commonwealth Bill which the state has signed up too does not say how the formular matrix for payment will occur by Federal Minister.
4. Redress should also include adequate funding of Police and DPP work relating to matters where charges need to be laid. Queensland Police Officers have been unable to do there job and the offenders remain free. The funding of Royal Commission adverse findings need to be dealt with read and prosecuted by Police and DPP now.

I am happy to speak to the Parliamentary Committee.

I give permission to publish my text.

Yours Sincerely

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