

INQUIRY INTO SUPPORT PROVIDED TO VICTIMS OF CRIME

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I have been a victim of stalking, abuse, threats to harm and harassment and yet the Police have done very little to help me. The family courts have been more supportive and have even questioned why the Police have been so lackadaisical in regard to allowing the online abuse to escalate. I have developed PTSD, my career ruined, future uncertain, homeless, lost income of approximately \$60,000. This could have all been prevented if the Police were more assertive and issued a caution sooner, and/or the Police helped to support a DV order. I currently have a temporary DV order in place that I could only obtain by going direct to the family courts. I also had no other option but seek a Peace and Good Behaviour order through the civil courts. I only wish I knew all of this much earlier, but my mistake was depending on the Police for help. I have already lodged a complaint with the CCC who have agreed to investigate my complaint. Thank you.