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Parliamentary Crime and Corruption Committee

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Dear Sir,

Review of the Crime and Corruption Commission

i acknowledge that this submission is late and I do apologise. I am volunteering as a voice or an advocate for many victims affected by corruption that have not been heard due to the current legislative or systemic blocks. Due to the support I have been giving both members of the public and police of late, I have only become aware of submissions for this enquiry at late notice. I do ask that this submission is accepted.

I have had first hand experience of corruption, and have a strong understanding of where the process is fractured in relation to people having their complaint heard. I have self represented and taken successful action against the Queensland Police Service.

I have also been the key support person holding the hand of many victims of police brutality, and instrumental in bringing the issue to the attention of the public of late by sharing my view with various media bodies. It is through this process that I have had direct access to what is occurring at the front line.

It is my intention to cover and add insight on some key points.

: What the current complaints system looks like from the perspective of a member of the public or a lay person unable to afford legal advice, making a complaint.

: What the complaints system looks like for police against other police Senior to them. And the need for the CCC to support police exposing internal misconduct.

: Access to, and taking Vision of alleged Police Brutality .

; Transparency by Senior Level Members of the Queensland Police Service

: Key Leadership Flaws

: Internal Review on the Gold Coast .

: Concerning practices with regard to the handling of complaints, and abuse of court processes.

: The cost of Justice.

: The Police Union's public position on brutality.

: Removing barriers between members of the public and their access to justice and making a complaint.

I would like the opportunity to express these points orally. Legal and political input is clearly needed for change to occur, however it is paramount that the people that these decisions affect, are part of the process.

Kind Regards,

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