

RE: Update - <sup>CKU</sup> Matter

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Dear John,

I agree with your concern. Conflict of interest is not well understood throughout the Diocese.

I suggest you proceed as you have indicated - talk with Phillip Gerber who then should request REDACTED to step aside.

+Brian.

**From:** John Cleary  
**Sent:** Thursday, 3 May 2007 9:39 PM  
**To:** Bishop Brian  
**Subject:** Update - CKU Matter

Dear Bishop,

Moray & Agnew have received a response back from Bilbie Dan indicating that they are willing to attend a mediation at the end of June.

I have called Scott Puxty and advised him of the recent developments regarding Professional Standards and asked him to

- 1/ Review our scheme (as I was directed to by DC) (Chancellor's amendments have been made)
- 2/ Re-consider management of the claim in light of our new scheme

Scott Puxty is still of the view that they should be substantiating (and quantifying) the claim prior to us considering it (I will brief Phillip Gerber here)

I also believe that this matter may need to be dealt with prior to the scheme being finalised and a panel in place to assess future claims.

I have a new concern with how this matter is going to be dealt with going forward and I need to alert you to this :

I recently became aware that REDACTED son, REDACTED is a solicitor employed by Bilbie Dan. My view is that REDACTED should step aside from the CKU matter and the other members of the PSC should be advised also (I am very surprised she hasn't volunteered to do this, although there may be valid reasons). I had a recent conversation with REDACTED regarding the CKU matter and advised her that Bilbie Dan were acting for Mr CKU. She commented then that her son worked there and that she would now need to be more careful in her conversations with her son. My concern is some damage may already have been done simply over the family dinner table. REDACTED and Nicholas Dan work closely on many matters as I understand.

I am happy to contact Phillip Gerber directly about my concern or alternatively suggest to REDACTED directly.

I wanted to seek your view on this prior to taking action

Kind Regards

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