

McLary, R-Standards Director

From: McLary, R-Standards Director
Sent: Wednesday, 9 September 2009 2:41 PM
To: 'Michael Elliott'
Subject: RE: REDACTED

Hi Michael

It is interesting that you refer to Bishop Ian Shevill. I have just concluded with the Diocese of North Queensland a matter where a woman who was a student at an Anglican school in NQ alleged that Bishop Shevill raped her. She was aged about 13 at the time [about 195RE It was not possible to fully investigate the allegations but her story was considered to be very plausible and the Diocese made an ex gratia payment to her. The allegations were referred to the police although they would be unable to take any action.

There have been some suggestions that this woman was not the only victim – although no one else has come forward and there are no names suggested.

The Bishop of NQ told me he was not surprised at the allegations even though there have not been any others. It seems that Bishop Shevill was not considered in a good light. He was seen to be arrogant and very conscious of his position as a Bishop. He also had a very troubled second marriage and I think suffered from dementia in his later years.

When I was looking into the matter above, I read through his files but could not find anything much – except the reference to his marriage. The other information is more people's impressions rather than anything concrete.

I would be interested in knowing about anything which may relate to his time in NQ.

Regards

Rod McLary
Director of Professional Standards
Anglican Church of Australia
Province of Queensland
+61 7 3835 2266 [p]
+61 7 3831 9873 [f]
REDACTED [m]

The information contained in the above e-mail message or messages (which includes any attachments) is confidential and may be legally privileged. It is intended only for the use of the person/s or entity to which it is addressed and to be used in an authorised way. As such, the information in it and its attachments may not be used or disclosed except for the purpose for which it has been sent. If you are not the addressee, any form of disclosure, copying, modification, distribution, printing, re-transmitting, storage or any action taken or omitted in reliance on the information is unauthorised. If you received this communication in error, please notify the sender immediately, destroy any hard copies of the e-mail and delete it from your computer system network.

From: Michael Elliott [mailto:MichaelElliott@angdon.com]
Sent: Wednesday, 9 September 2009 2:23 PM
To: McLary, R-Standards Director
Subject: FW: REDACTED

9/09/2009

Hi Rod,
please see below re your enquiry.
Could you please give me an overview of concerns relating to former Bishop of North QLD Ian Shevill.
He served as Bishop of Newcastle Diocese in the late 70's and is now deceased.

Kind Regards

Michael Elliott

Director of Professional Standards

Anglican Diocese of Newcastle

PO Box 29 Carrington NSW 2293 f 02 4940 8087 m [REDACTED]
e michael Elliott@angdon.com w www.angdon.com

From: Rosie Catt [mailto:[REDACTED]]
Sent: Wed 9/09/2009 1:46 PM
To: Michael Elliott
Subject: RE: The Revd [REDACTED]

Hi Michael,

There is nothing that we are aware of that is an issue with [REDACTED]

Cheers

Rosie

Rosie Catt
Compliance Officer
Anglican Diocese of Grafton
PO Box 4
Grafton, NSW.2460
ph. (02) 6642 4122
fax (02) 6643 1814
m [REDACTED]



Visit www.gdif.com.au for details on our Investment Products

On Call and Term Deposit Accounts - currently paying up to 4.35% pa

Please consider the environment before printing this e-mail

The contents of this email are confidential. Any unauthorised use of the contents is expressly prohibited. If you have received this email in error, please advise by telephone (reverse charges) immediately and then delete/destroy the email and any printed copies. Thank you.

9/09/2009

From: Michael Elliott [mailto:MichaelElliott@angdon.com]
Sent: Wednesday, 9 September 2009 10:31 AM
To: Rosie Catt
Subject: FW: REDACTED

Rosie,
are you aware of any issues concerning REDACTED? See below.

Kind Regards

Michael Elliott
Director of Professional Standards
Anglican Diocese of Newcastle

PO Box 29 Carrington NSW 2293 f 02 4940 8087 m REDACTED
e michaelleliott@angdon.com w www.angdon.com

From: McLary, R-Standards Director [mailto:dops@anglicanbrisbane.org.au]
Sent: Wed 9/09/2009 9:32 AM
To: Michael Elliott
Subject: The Revd REDACTED

Hi Michael

The REDACTED being considered for a chaplaincy position in Brisbane. Can you let me know whether there are any matters of concern about him?

He is the Chaplain at REDACTED in the Diocese of REDACTED.

Thanks

Rod McLary
Director of Professional Standards
Anglican Church of Australia

Province of Queensland
+61 7 3835 2266 [p]
+61 7 3831 9873 [f]
REDACTED [m]

The information contained in the above e-mail message or messages (which includes any attachments) is confidential and may be legally privileged. It is intended only for the use of the person/s or entity to which it is addressed and to be used in an authorised way. As such, the information in it and its attachments may not be used or disclosed except for the purpose for which it has been sent. If you are not the addressee, any form of disclosure, copying, modification, distribution, printing, re-transmitting, storage or any action taken or omitted in reliance on the information is unauthorised. If you received this communication in error, please notify the sender immediately, destroy any hard copies of the e-mail and delete it from your computer system network.

9/09/2009