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DEAR BISHOP SLATER,

I AM IN RECEIPT OF YOUR LETTER DATED 24TH DEC AND IN ALL SINCERITY DO NOT QUESTION YOUR GOOD INTENTIONS NOR DO I TAKE OFFENSE TO YOU TAKING THE MICKEY OUT OF ME BY WAY OF REFERENCE TO MY USE OF WORDS. BUT YOU ARE WRONG, YOU CAN MEET WHAT I AM SEEKING BY STANDING UP & BEING COUNTED & ACKNOWLEDGING THE TRUTH.

THE APOLOGY ISSUED TO ME IN NO WAY ADDRESSED ME, ^{CA} [REDACTED] IT SHOWED NO ADMISSION OF RESPONSIBILITY. I DO NOT WISH TO BE UNGRATEFUL FOR THE GREAT EFFORT TAKEN TO PHOTOCOPY A BLANKET APOLOGY THAT COULD HAVE BEEN MEANT FOR JACK SPRAYS CAT & HAS NO INDICATION OF WHAT YOU KNOW OF MY OWN PERSONAL TRAUMA. IT SHOWED NOT ONE OUNCE OF UNDERSTANDING OF THE RUINATION OF MY CHILDHOOD DUE TO UNLAWFUL DISGUSTING PRACTICES COMMITTED AGAINST INNOCENT CHILDREN ENTRUSTED TO CARE UNDER THE BANNER OF THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND NORTH COAST CHILDRENS HOME. LIKE IT OR NOT THE HOME WAS CERTIFIED UNDER THE ACT FOR THE CARE OF CHILDREN WITH THE OVERARCHING BODY BEING THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND LISMORE, NO MATTER HOW THAT CONTROL WAS DISPERSED & RECORDS SUPPORT THAT FACT.

WE THE ABUSED DO NOT BLAME YOU BUT YOU NEED TO TAKE OWNERSHIP & EXERCISE YOUR AUTHORITY & ACT ON WHAT YOU KNOW TO BE TRUTH TO NEGATE THE SAD MISGUIDED ASSUMPTIONS OF MR COMBEN, KEVIN & GARTH BLAKE & THE FACTUAL TRUTH OF ABUSE.

MY EXISTANCE WAS NOT AN "EXPERIENCE" IT WAS AN ABHORRENT EXISTANCE THAT BY 40-DAYS STANDARDS IS TOTALLY UNACCEPTABLE.

WE WERE SHOWN NO COMPASSION, NO LIFE LESSONS, NO LOVE & NO KINDNESS.

THE GIVEN LESSONS WERE HOW TO EMBARRASS FERRA, HOW TO CODE IN ANY WAY, HOW TO BE ABUSED, HOW TO LIVE WITHOUT ENCOURAGEMENT. HOW TO SHUT UP & ACCEPT YOU WERE NOTHING. GREAT GROUNDING FOR A YOUNG LIFE! YET SOME OF US SURVIVED.

WOULD IT BE ACCEPTABLE FOR THOSE CHILDREN YOU LOVE TO BE TREATED IN THAT MANNER? NO NOT IN A MILLION YEARS.

I HAVE NO DOUBT THAT SHOULD THOSE ABUSES BE VISITED ON THOSE YOU HAVE LOVED YOU WOULD EXPECT NO LESS THAN WE ARE ASKING.

MY BROTHER CARRIES ON HIS BACK THE PROOF OF CRIMINAL VIOLENCE & YOU I HOPE HAVE MADE YOURSELF AWARE OF THE ACCOUNTS IN PERSONAL STORIES TO CONVINCED YOU THIS WAS NOT A HAPPY HEALTHY HOME.

I BELIEVE THE HOME IN ITS INCEPTION WAS ESTABLISHED WITH ANY GOOD INTENTION.

HISTORICAL DATA CLEARLY INDICATED THAT & I HAVE NO DOUBT THE INTENTION WAS OF

THE SAME VALUE IN THE YEARS TO FOLLOW.
 HOWEVER THAT WAS NOT SO + YOU KNOW
 THAT. IT IS BEYOND MY COMPREHENSION HOW
 THE CHURCH CAN CONTINUE TO DIVORCE ITSELF
 FROM THE FACILITY & CLAIM ONLY A PASTORAL
 INPUT. IT IS CERTAINLY TIME TO GET SOME
 SPINE & TAKE OWNERSHIP OF THESE DEBILITATING
 LIES. IT WON'T CAUSE MUCH MORE OF
 A NEGATIVE ATTITUDE^{TO} THE CHURCH BY THE PUBLIC
 WHO HAVE HEARD IT ALL BEFORE & ARE
 TO A DEGREE DESENSITISED. YOU KNOW THE
 STORY "WHEN THE COCK CROWS" IT WOULD
 GO A LONG WAY TO ASSIST IN HEALING
 BY THOSE WHO WERE ABUSED.

I AM 63 & I STILL HAVE NOT LEARNT
 TO LOVE & EMBRACE THE PERSON I AM.
 I EXPECT NOTHING FOR ME, THAT IS HOW
 DEEP ROOTED THE LESSONS TAUGHT TO ME
 HAVE MANIFESTED WITHIN ME. THAT SAY
 IS WHY THE CHURCH NEEDS TO
 SERIOUSLY RECONSIDER THE APOLOGY TO
 ME; TELL ME WHAT YOU ARE SORRY FOR.
 & MAKE SURE YOU INCLUDE GIVING ME AWAY
 TO A UNFIT FAMILY & DEPRIVING ME OF THE
 ONLY FAMILY I HAD, THAT HAD UNTOUD REPERCUSSION
 ON US. PLEASE DO NOT FORGET THE BEATINGS
 THE PSYCHICAL & MENTAL ABUSE, THE
 MOLESTING OF A SMALL BODY & THE FEAR
 & PANIC ATTACKS THAT HAVE BEEN MY DAILY
 COMPANION.

THE CHURCH NEEDS TO LEARN FROM
 THE LESSONS TAUGHT FROM THE PUBLIC.

YOU ARE SUCH A CONTRADICTION NOT WITH
 LITTLE COURAGE & NOT A LOT OF HONESTY.
 I LOOK FORWARD TO YOUR REVISED

APPOLOGY. I STILL BELIEVE I SHOULD BE COMPENSATED WITHIN THE GUIDELINES AS I TOLD YOU TO YOUR FACE.

I NEED THIS RESPONSIBILITY AND THE TRUE FACTS VALIDATED.

I WATCHED THE PRIME MINISTER APOLOGISE TO THE ABORIGINAL STOLEN GENERATION. HE SAID WHAT HE WAS SORRY FOR - & IT DIDN'T HURT A BIT.

WE ALL IN THIS LIFE HAVE OUR BRIDES TO GROSS & I AM PROUD OF THE PERSON I KNOW I AM. DESPITE MY GROUNDING, THE GOD GIVEN RIGHT TO BASIC VALUES AFFORDED AT BIRTH TO EACH OF US - MINE TO EMBRACE, MINE TO DESTROY, MINE ALONE TO EXERCISE THE GIFT OF FREE WILL, THAT WITHOUT MY PERMISSION WAS STOLEN, BY THE VERY PEOPLE DECREED TO BE BEYOND QUESTION.

ONCE AGAIN I WAIT YOUR RESPONSE

Shereen CA

I WAS VERY SORRY TO LEARN THAT SOME OF THE PEOPLE WHO SIGNED THE RELEASES STILL HAVO NOT RECEIVED THE PROMISED APOLOGY.