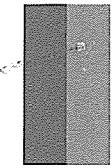


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June 28, 2000

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Dear REDACTED

Thank you for your letter. I am sorry to hear of your experience, of which I had been unaware.

I had planned to ring you to ask if you would like to come in to talk over the matters you have raised, but yesterday Telstra knocked some phone lines out, and our phones and faxes are apparently not going to be working until Friday. The best way of contacting me in the meantime may be by a message on 04 1972 5174; or by e-mail to headmaster@stpauls.qld.edu.au

I am also not yet certain of my movements during the coming School vacation (July 1 to 16).

I would be happy to meet with you to talk through the matters you have raised if you wish; alternatively you may prefer to meet with someone further removed from the School, for example, a representative of the Anglican Diocese. (Both the School and the Diocese of which it is part have been working with others similarly affected. I should be happy to provide contact details for you.)

By way of clarification, the School did not receive any complaint regarding Mr Lynch's behaviour until the time of his death. The investigations undertaken since 1997, which we undertook once it seemed that more than a single person may have been involved, were structured to respect the privacy needs expressed by those who had then come forward.

Please let me know the direction you would prefer to take from here.

With best wishes,

Yours sincerely,

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Headmaster



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