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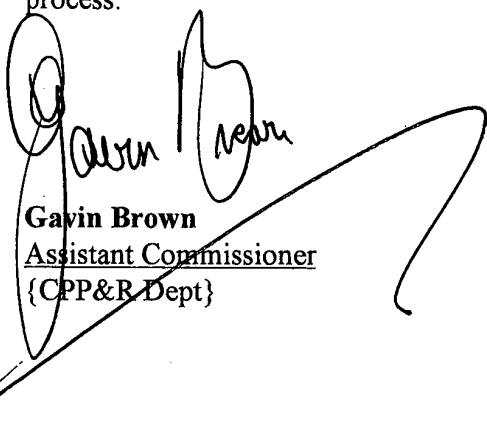
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Dear Richard,

Thank you for your letter of 18 October regarding the new procedures to be adopted by the Catholic Church in dealing with clergy from the Archdiocese of Melbourne against whom there has been an allegation of criminal conduct.

The proposed amendment seems eminently helpful for the reasons we discussed at the meeting of 16 October.

I have taken the opportunity of discussing the draft of the new procedures with Detective Senior Sergeant Chris O'Connor of our Child Exploitation Unit. The Senior Sergeant, as I do, believes the new procedures should be a considerable improvement on the previous guidelines. Needless to say, the Force is concerned to see the practical application of the process.



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