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Last night Commanding Officer 308SQN contacted SQNLDR(AAFC) Darren Banfield to inform him that he had received a report from CUO CJS 308SQN, allegedly the boyfriend of CWOFF CJG, stating that he had received a facebook message from the CWOFF nominating another female cadet from 308SQN who had a sexual relationship with LAC(AAFC) Adams.

CO 308 spoke with CDT CJH 17 old in the presence of her parents where she provided an admission to having oral sex with LAC(AAFC) Adams on three separate occasions over a period of several months. The parents advised that LAC(AAFC) Adams had been tutoring their daughter outside of the AAFC and is possibly where the relationship developed. During the interview CDT CJH nominated a further two (2) females as potentially having an involvement with LAC(AAFC) Adams. Both are no longer members of the AAFC. CDT CJH did not state that these former cadets had a sexual relationship but stated that she had seen them in close physical contact with LAC(AAFC) Adams.

A summary of alleged involvement with LAC(AAFC) Adams is now:

CWOFF CJE 17 old, 302SQN - admitted to sexual relationship at January promotion course at Wagga.

CWOFF CJG 17 old, 310SQN- admitted to having a sexual relationship at January promotion course at Wagga.

CDT CJH 17 old, 308SQN-admitted to having a sexual relationship.

It is believed to have occurred outside the AAFC.

ex-CSGT REDACTED 18 old, 308SQN terminated May13, alleged by CJH to have seen in close physical contact. No allegation of a sexual relationship.

ex CSGT REDACTED 17 old, 308SQN terminated Feb10, alleged by CUO CJS to have been seen in close personal contact. No allegation of a sexual relationship.

ex CSGT REDACTED 19 old, 307SQN terminated Jun11, alleged by CJH to have been seen in close personal contact. No allegation of sexual relationship.

CWOFF REDACTED 19 old, 315SQN, nominated by CJG to have been seen in close personal contact. No allegation of sexual relationship.

The Commanding Officer of 308SQN, FLTLT(AAFC) Michael Casey is also the nominated support person from AAFC for LAC(AAFC) Adams. FLTLT(AAFC) Casey is now in an untenable situation and cannot continue as the support person for LAC(AAFC) Adams. The arrangement for Defence to take over as supporting

LAC(AAFC) Adams is now an urgent issue as the AAFC is no longer capable of providing the degree of support required.

As this matter has now progressed with a further 3 females being nominated as having a relationship with LAC(AAFC) Adams, 308 Squadron is dealing with a major incident. SQNLDR(AAFC) Banfield, who was the principal investigating Officer, has been instructed by me to take over co-ordination of welfare of those involved. I have asked him to inquire with CO 308SQN as to any welfare assistance that may be needed on a squadron basis.

As this matter has now spread across the Wing we are concerned that it will circulate through the cadet network and become common knowledge. The risk of it then being picked up by outside sources, eg media, is a real risk. I would seek assistance from Defence to develop a plan on how best to manage potential approaches for information by outside sources.

Regards

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