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Dear Sirs,

BQP RE:

ats BRISBANE GRAMMAR SCHOOL

We refer to the above and to your correspondence dated 18 June 2003 and confirm that we are presently obtaining instructions regarding the Offer of Settlement as made in this matter.

We have recommended to our client that same be rejected.

We have also sought medical reports from our client's treating psychologist in the REDA On receiving that report we will revert to you without delay.

In the interim, we note that you have raised the issue of the limitation period. Kindly confirm by way of return that you do not intend to oppose the matter on the basis of limitation, failing which we will make application to the Court without further reference to you for an extension of time. Should we require to proceed on that basis we will seek an order for costs on an indemnity basis against your client.

With respect to the possible claim you may make with security costs against our client, we confirm that we are seeking instructions in that regard from our client and will revert to you without delay.

In the interim we note that you have yet to address the issues raised in our correspondence of 10 June 2003 regarding Practice Direction No 4 of 2002. Should you not be prepared to provide our office with your proposals regarding the resolution of the matter i.e. by way of proper disclosure from your client and interrogatories should liability not be admitted, then we will make application to the Registrar and seek direction. Should we be required to proceed on that basis we will seek an order for costs against your client on an indemnity basis.

We await your response and should you have any queries whatsoever in relation to this matter, please do not hesitate to contact the writer, our Mr Dean Bax, or in his absence, our Mr David Frank.

Yours faithfully

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