

**Commission into Sexual Abuse**  
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Mr Anthony and Mrs Chris Foster

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Dear Chris and Anthony,

**Re: Emma Louise**

I refer to previous discussions and correspondence and now enclose herewith a copy of my proposed report to the Compensation Panel.

I invite your comments upon it, and subject to that, I also invite you to have Emma sign the application for compensation form. If you consider that it is not desirable to have her worry about these matters, it is permissible for you both to sign it on her behalf.

You will see from the draft report that I have raised the issue of the impact which the pursuit of the application for compensation might have upon Emma, and as I have stated in that context, it may be helpful to discuss this with Carelink.

Should there be any queries arising from the above, please advise and I will endeavour to deal with same.

My kind regards.

Yours sincerely,

  
Peter O'Callaghan  
Independent Commissioner