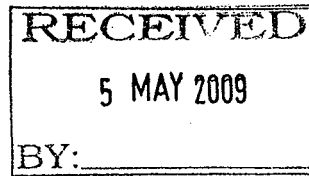


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Dear Madam,

Re: Dr John Philip Rolleston MPO 085512

The above matter has been referred to the Director of Proceedings after consultation with the NSW Medical Board.

The Commission is currently obtaining legal advice from Senior Counsel with regard to initiating a prosecution against the above named doctor in the Medical Tribunal for professional misconduct. The basis for this prosecution is a number of allegations of sexual misconduct made by three complainants against Dr Rolleston. The conduct is alleged to have occurred in the 1970's in the practice of medicine.

The Commission has a re-registration file for Dr Rolleston regarding his application for re-registration after being removed from the roll by order of the Medical Disciplinary Tribunal of 27 February 1987. On reading the decision *In re John Philip Rolleston and The Health Commission of NSW* it appears that Dr Rolleston was convicted of offences in June 1975 and again in April 1986. Senior Counsel is of the opinion that there may be information in some of the earlier matters that would assist in forming an opinion as to whether a prosecution should be commenced against Dr Rolleston.

Could you please supply the Commission with a copy of any Medical Board files in relation to these earlier complaints against Dr Rolleston. Any material supplied by the Medical Board to the Commission would be provided to Senior Counsel for the purpose of legal advice. Counsel is hoping to conclude the advice by Monday (11 May 2009).

If you have any enquires please contact me on 9219 7533.

Yours faithfully,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "R. Ianna". The signature is written in black ink and is positioned above the printed name.

Rhonda Ianna