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ATTENTION: [REDACTED]

Re: Father George Parker.

Dear [REDACTED]

Originally <sup>CKA</sup> [REDACTED] attended Port Macquarie Police Station and reported the matter to Detective <sup>REDACTED</sup> [REDACTED] on the 7 February, 2000 and a statement was obtained from him by <sup>REDACTED</sup> [REDACTED].

As Detective <sup>REDACTED</sup> [REDACTED] was being rotated into uniform around that time, he would not be able to complete the investigation.

Based on what <sup>CKA</sup> [REDACTED] said in his statement, Detective <sup>REDACTED</sup> [REDACTED] made inquiries with the office of Anglican Dean of Newcastle.

At that time they could not /would not provide details of when Father Parker practiced at Gateshead, but informed him that Father Parker was now practicing at Ararat in Victoria.

As I was travelling to Victoria on the 14 February, 2000 to extradite another offender I was requested to initially interview Father Parker. This is set out in my statement.

Detective <sup>REDACTED</sup> [REDACTED] also arranged to obtain a statement from <sup>CKB</sup> [REDACTED] on the 11 February, 2000.

The dates were based on what <sup>CKA</sup> [REDACTED] and <sup>CKB</sup> [REDACTED] had provided Detective <sup>REDACTED</sup> [REDACTED].

It was thought that when Father Parker was interviewed he may be able to provide exact details of when he was at Gateshead, however, he refused to answer any questions.

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From memory, I contacted the office of the Dean of Newcastle just prior to just prior to taking out the summonses for Parker. That office could not assist me when Parker was at Gateshead.

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Det. A/Insp.  
15/8/2001.