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ASSESSMENT REPORT

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REQUESTED BY: P.KELLYNOTIFICATION DATE: 21/03/1991 TIME: 16:41
CHILD'S NAME : ICIL

PERSON #: 5877

CHILD'S DETAILS

D.O.B. : REDACTED/1976 SEX : Male

ADDRESS : REDACTED

ADDRESS NO: 223163

PHONE (AH) :

ASSESSMENT DETAILS

DATE : 28/03/1991 TIME : 09:00
PLACE : MATER DEI SPECIAL SCHOOL
PRIMARY
WORKER : THORN, ANNE (8946052)

ATTENDEE(S) DETAILS

NAME

DAVID PACKER

STATUS

DISTRICT OFFICER

NARRATIVE

Prior to the interview with CIL the following information was gained from Mrs Carol Poultney, Residential Coordinator and Sister Marie, School Counsellor. According to Mrs Poultney CIL lived in the residential cottage at Arnold Ave, Camden for two years and was moved to Berrallier Drive, Camden at the commencement of 1990. CIL was moved due to statements made by the other staff members who felt that CIL's preferred treatment was causing problems with the other residents. Also some parents had also commented that CIL was receiving many privileges denied other residents. The male Social Educator of Arnold Ave was stated as saying at the time that this was due to his efforts to overcome CIL's institutionalisation. It was suggested that it would be better to treat all the children equally. This however did not occur so it was decided that for both CIL and the Social Educator it would be preferable to move CIL. It also appears that contact between the S.Ed. and CIL continued with frequent meetings occurring both at school and on weekends and holidays when CIL was in the care of his foster family. The Soc. Ed. also joined the foster family while they were on holiday in Queensland.

CIL took quite some time to settle into his new home but he has been most settled this year while the Soc. Ed. was overseas. The Soc.Ed. contacted CIL when he returned and CIL exhibited a number of angry tantrums, hitting and kicking his current Soc. Ed. His behaviour at school also deteri

When D.Os. David Packer and Anne Thorn interviewed CIL it became evident that it would require a number of talks with CIL to establish some rapport and enable CIL to relax. He was extremely reluctant to talk about his previous Soc.Ed. denying that he had been in the habit of meeting him at the bus stop and walking down the street to buy a drink.

As CIL went on holidays with his foster family to Victoria that afternoon it was decided to speak to CIL again when he returns.

According to the school principal Ms Sue Dixon the Social Educator has been informed that he is not to have further contact with CIL as it is felt that it is not in the best interests of CIL and is placing his future development at risk.

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Interview with CIL on Tuesday 11/6/91.
 Present : and D.O.D.S. Anne Thorn.
 and I had lunch and talked in an effort to allow CIL to relax. While
 he was happy to talk on a number of topics any mention of his previous
 Social Educator caused silence. He did however say that CID was a very good
 friend and helped get him out of trouble on a number of occasions.

Information from staff at Mater Dei informed me that although CID had been
 instructed to not have any contact with CIL as it was very apparent that
 CIL became emotionally disturbed after contact with him. CID failed to c
 omply with this by continuing to meet CIL at the bus stop in the mornings
 and taking CIL to the local shops and later drive him to school. Because o
 f this matter CID resigned at Mater Dei. He has now left the area and has
 returned to England.

CIL has a number of changes occurring in his life over the next few months.
 With the alleged perpetrator in England he is not currently at risk. The abus
 e has not been substantiated.
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