

CISCP11A INVESTIGATION SUMMARY

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CHILD'S NAME : CIB

## CHILD'S DETAILS

D.O.B. : REDACTED 1977 SEX : FEMALE

ADDRESS : REDACTED

ADDRESS NO: 106875

PHONE(AH):

## INVESTIGATION DETAILS

DATE : 07/06/1991 TIME : 15:00

PLACE : REDACTED

PRIMARY

WORKER : STEPANIK, ISABEL (7422548)

## ATTENDEE(S) DETAILS

\*\*NAME\*\*

\*\*STATUS\*\*

CIB

NATURAL MOTHER

CIB

SUBJECT CHILD

ISABEL STEPANIK

DISTRICT OFFICER

GLEN BALL

OFFICER FROM D.D. SERVICES

## NARRATIVE

6/6/91 P/CALL TO SUE DIXON, PRINCIPAL, MATER DEI SCHOOL - REDACTED -  
NO CONTACT, MESSAGE LEFT.

6/6/91 P/CALL TO JUDITH CASE, SOCIAL WORKER, NEPEAN HOSPITAL  
REDACTED TO ENQUIRE ABOUT CIB 'S MEDICAL  
EXAMINATION. MISS CASE STATED CIB HAS NOT HAD A SEXUAL ABUSE  
EXAMINATION. SHE SAID DR. CREAGAN DIAGNOSED CIB AS HAVING  
'RECTAL ULCER'. AS YET IT HAS NOT BEEN ABLE TO BE DETERMINED  
WHAT CAUSED THE ULCER, WHETHER IT BE MEDICAL OR TRAUMA REASON.  
MISS CASE INDICATED DR. CREAGAN WANTS TO FOLLOW UP WHAT CAUSED  
THE ULCER AND A LETTER HAS BEEN SENT TO CIB FOR A  
FOLLOW UP. MISS CASE ALSO STATED MOTHER APPEARS AS A VERY  
PROTECTIVE PERSON.

6/6/91 P/CALL TO DR ANNE GILROY - REDACTED - NO CONTACT.

6/6/91 P/CALL TO CIB (W. REDACTED) (H. REDACTED) -  
NO CONTACT.

6/6/91 PHONE CALL FROM SUE DIXON - RETURNING MY CALL REGARDING  
CIB. MISS DIXON STATED THE CHILD IS AT  
HOME WITH MUM BUT THAT THE CHILD WILL BE BACK ON MONDAY  
EVENING (10/6/91).

MISS DIXON ALSO STATED THAT THEY DO HAVE A BOY CALLED REDACTED HE CAME  
IN AUGUST 1990 AND WAS PLACED IN THE COTTAGE AT THE BEGINNING OF THE  
YEAR. REDACTED IS A MIDDLE/MODERATE RETARDED RANGE.

MRS DIXON WAS QUESTIONED ABOUT WHY CIB WAS REQUESTED TO TERMINATE  
HIS EMPLOYMENT. SHE STATED THAT SHE HAS BEEN WORKING WITH FACS AT  
CAMPBELLTOWN TEAM ON A SPECIFIC CASE AND IT WAS AGREED FOR CIB NOT  
TO HAVE CONTACT WITH THIS PARTICULAR CHILD. CIB WAS SEEN TO HAVE  
CONTACT WITH THIS CHILD AND HE WAS ALSO SEEN TALKING TO THIS CHILD  
AT A BUS STOP, CONSEQUENTLY CIB WAS ASKED TO RESIGN. MRS DIXON STATED  
THAT CIB 'S TERMINATION OF EMPLOYMENT HAD NOTHING TO DO WITH CIB 'S

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INCIDENT. SHE ALSO STATED THAT THE CAMDEN POLICE HAVE BEEN ADVISED OF CIB'S SITUATION AND DETECTIVES TREVOR FARREL AND WARREN SHIEL ARE INVOLVED IN THIS CASE (REDACTED)

6/6/91 P/CALL TO CIB (REDACTED) - NO CONTACT, MESSAGE LEFT FOR HER TO CONTACT ME. I WAS INFORMED I COULD NOT CONTACT CIB AT HOME AS SHE WAS HAVING HER PHONE NO. CHANGED TODAY.

6/6/91 P/CALL TO DR ANN GILROY - REDACTED DR GILROY STATED SHE INTERVIEWED CIB ON WEDNESDAY 5/6/91. ACCORDING TO DR GILROY, CIB HAD SAID THAT ONE OF THE BOYS PUSHED HER AND MADE HER BLEED. SHE SAID THAT THE BOY'S NAME WAS REDACTED AT THE TIME OF THE INTERVIEW CIB WAS PLAYING WITH THE SCISSORS AND SHE CONSISTENTLY SAID THAT REDACTED CUT HER WITH THE SCISSORS.

DR GILROY SAID THAT CIB WAS ADAMANT THAT IT WAS REDACTED WHO HURT HER BUT THAT CIB THOUGHT IT WAS CID. WHEN DR GILROY WAS ASKED WHY SHE DID NOT REPORT THE CASE SHE SAID SHE DID, SHE RANG THE SOCIAL WORKER AT NEPEAN HOSPITAL WHO ADVISED HER THE CASE HAD ALREADY BEEN REPORTED TO FACS AT CAMPBELLTOWN. SHE SAID SHE ALSO SUGGESTED TO CIB TO REPORT TO SUTHERLAND FACS.

7/6/91 P/CALL TO CAMDEN POLICE - ADVISED DET. WARREN SHIEL IS OUT IN THE FIELD AND WILL GET IN TOUCH WITH ME.

7/6/91 P/CALL FROM DET. WARREN SHIEL - ADVISED THEY ARE FOLLOWING UP THE MATTER AND WILL CONTACT THIS OFFICER IN THE AFTERNOON TO FIND OUT WHETHER THE CHILD HAS DISCLOSED ANYTHING DURING THE INTERVIEW.

7/6/91 P/CALL TO P.O.W. HOSPITAL, SPOKE TO KAREN BARKER RE REFERRAL FOR CIB. KAREN ADVISED US THIS MONDAY (10.6.91) IS A LONG WEEKEND AND TO PHONE BACK ON TUESDAY OTHERWISE IF CHILD NEEDS TO BE ASSESSED AS A MATTER OF URGENCY TO SPEAK TO THE SOCIAL WORKER ON CALL ON 3990111.

7/6/91 HOME VISIT MADE BY ISABEL STEPANIK, D.O. SUTHERLAND D.C. AND GLEN BALL, OFFICER FROM D.D. SERVICES KOGARAH TO REDACTED CIB AND CIB SEEN AND INTERVIEWED.

INTERVIEW WITH CIB :

I FOUND INTERVIEWING CIB RATHER DIFFICULT - SHE WAS FIDGETING AND APPEARED VAGUE IN HER ANSWERS. CIB STATED THAT IT WAS REDACTED WHO TOUCHED HER 'RIGHT UNDERNEATH' 'HE STICK ONE OF HIS NAILS UP' - REDACTED AND I WERE BOTH BLEEDING FROM A PAIR OF BIG BLACK SCISSORS' - 'IT WAS BLEEDING OUT OF MY BOTTOM' - 'REDACTED WAS BLEEDING OUT OF HIS BOTTOM'. I SAID: 'WHAT HAPPENED THEN?' SHE SAID: 'REDACTED PUT THE SCISSORS UNDER HIS BED AND DUG A BIG HOLE. REDACTED HURT HIMSELF WITH THE SCISSORS.' I SAID: "DID REDACTED HAVE ANY CLOTHES ON?" SHE SAID: "NO." I SAID: "WAS IT DAY TIME OR NIGHT TIME?" SHE SAID: "IT WAS NIGHT TIME WHEN HE DID IT." I SAID: "WAS ANYONE ELSE IN THE ROOM?" SHE SAID: "CID WAS IN REDACTED'S ROOM." I SAID: "WHO ARE THEY?" SHE SAID: "THEY ARE THE BOYS AT THE COTTAGE. REDACTED WAS IN THE ROOM TOO." I SAID: "WHAT HAPPENED THEN?" SHE SAID: "REDACTED WALKED IN MY ROOM AND STICKED HIS NAIL UP AT ME." I SAID: "DID IT HURT?" SHE SAID: "YES, IT HURT." I SAID: "DID YOU CALL FOR HELP?" (CIB DID NOT ANSWER, AFTER A WHILE SHE SAID) "REDACTED STICK

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THE NEEDLE AND THE PEN IN MY BOTTOM, HE STICK THE GLASS IN AND IT HURT."

AT THIS POINT IT WAS FELT TO TERMINATE THE INTERVIEW AS CIB OBSERVED A PEN IN MY HANDS, TOOK IT FROM ME AND BEGAN TO ASSOCIATE THE PEN AS THE TOOL REDACTED USED TO HURT HER. CIB BEGAN TO MAKE SOME DRAWINGS ON THE PAPER.  
INTERVIEW WITH CIB :

CIB STATED THE FOLLOWING:

"I'VE HAD THIS FUNNY FEELING ABOUT CID , MY FIRST IMPRESSION WAS THAT CID WAS A HOMOSEXUAL. I QUESTIONED ALL THE MALE STAFF IN THE HOME. I AM REALLY ANGRY. WHEN CIB TOLD ME THAT CID HAD BEEN DRINKING I REPORTED IT TO THE NUNS. I FELT CID WAS TRYING TO HIDE SOMETHING WHEN HE STATED THAT HE CAUGHT 'REDACTED' WITH THE OTHER BOY". I THOUGHT HE WAS TRYING TO COVER UP SOMETHING. WHEN THIS INCIDENT HAPPENED ABOUT CIB (TAKEN TO HOSPITAL) CID KEPT ON RINGING ME WANTING TO FIND OUT WHAT HAPPENED WITH CIB AND KEPT ASKING ME "ARE YOU SURE YOU DON'T KNOW ABOUT THE DIAGNOSIS." CIB STATED ALL SHE WAS CONCERNED ABOUT WAS THAT IT WAS A MASSIVE HAEMORRAGE.

CIB WAS ADVISED TO TAKE CIB TO P.O.W. HOSPITAL FOR AN ASSESSMENT. CIB WAS CO-OPERATIVE IN CIB HAVING A MEDICAL EXAMINATION DONE.

11/6/91 P/CALL FROM KAREN BARKER, SOCIAL WORKER, P.O.W. RE CIB REDACTED STATING THAT THE HISTORY DID NOT WARRANT AN EXAMINATION. APPARENTLY ONE OF THE DOCTORS THERE WAS ENQUIRING WHY THIS EXAMINATION WAS REQUIRED WHEN THE INCIDENT HAPPENED ON 25TH MAY. KAREN STATED THEY ARE GOING TO GET IN TOUCH WITH NEPEAN HOSPITAL AND REQUEST THE REPORT FROM DR CREAGAN.

11/6/91 P/CALL TO CIB TO FIND OUT RE P.O.W. REFERRAL. CIB STATED SHE BELIEVED IT WAS DR YEE (NOT SURE ABOUT THE SPELLING) WHO SAW CIB AT P.O.W. ON SATURDAY (8/6/91) DR YEE FELT IT WAS OF NO SIGNIFICANCE TO PUT CIB THROUGH ANOTHER MEDICAL EXAMINATION AS THE RECTAL ULCER MAY BE ALREADY HEALED. DR YEE INFORMED CIB HE WAS GOING TO REQUEST DR CREAGAN'S REPORT AS CIB IS ALSO A PATIENT OF DR WISE FROM P.O.W.

CIB WAS FIRM IN HER VIEWS THAT SHE HONESTLY BELIEVED IT WAS CID AND NOT REDACTED WHO DID IT. SHE SAID: "THE STAFF KNOW PLENTY, THEY BELIEVE THIS PERSON (CID) IS THE GUILTY ONE AND NOT THE BOY REDACTED I DON'T BELIEVE THE ACT WAS DONE BY SCISSORS, I BELIEVE IT WAS DONE BY THE PERPETRATOR."

CIB WENT ON TO SAY SHE TOOK CIB BACK TO SCHOOL LAST NIGHT (10/6/91) AND HAS MADE AN APPOINTMENT TO SEE DR CREAGAN ON FRIDAY 14/6/91 AT 2 P.M. SHE ALSO ENQUIRED ABOUT THE POSSIBILITY OF SEEING DR LEVY AT THE SAME TIME AND WAS TOLD SHE COULD NOT SEE DR LEVY UNTIL 14 DAYS AFTER DR CREAGAN HAS SEEN HER. WHEN SHE ASKED WHY SHE WAS TOLD IT WAS OF NO VALUE TO SEE DR LEVY THE SAME DAY AS SHE SAW DR CREAGAN. DR LEVY'S APPOINTMENT IS FOR 28/6/91.

14/6/91 P/CALL TO SUE DIXON REDACTED - I WAS TOLD SUE DIXON WAS NOT

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IN, SPOKE TO SISTER MARY ABOUT [REDACTED] SISTER MARY INFORMED [REDACTED] IS ONE OF THE BOYS WHO LIVES IN THE COTTAGE. HE WAS PLACED IN THE COTTAGE AT THE BEGINNING OF THIS YEAR. I ASKED WHETHER IT WAS A POSSIBILITY OF [REDACTED] ENTERING CIB'S ROOM. SISTER SAID SHE COULD NOT COMMENT ON THAT BUT THERE WAS A RULE IN THE COTTAGE THE CHILDREN WERE NOT ALLOWED TO GO IN SOME ONE ELSE'S ROOMS AND THAT CHILDREN USUALLY MEET IN THE KITCHEN, IN THE CORRIDORS AS IN ANY NORMAL HOUSE. I REQUESTED SISTER MARY TO LET SUE DIXON KNOW I HAVE RANG.

12/6/91 P/CALL TO DR CREAGAN - NEPEAN HOSPITAL [REDACTED] - NO CONTACT. DR CREAGAN'S SURGERY [REDACTED] - MESSAGE LEFT.

12/6/91 P/CALL TO JUDITH CASE, SOCIAL WORKER NEAPEAN HOSPITAL [REDACTED] - NO CONTACT, MESSAGE LEFT.

17/6/91 P/CALL TO JUDITH CASE - NO CONTACT, MESSAGE LEFT.

17/6/91 P/CALL TO DR CREAGAN ABOUT CIB'S REPORT. DR CREAGAN STATED HE DOES NOT DISCUSS THINGS OVER THE PHONE AS A MATTER OF PRINCIPLE, THAT IF WE WANT ANYTHING TO KNOW ABOUT CIB, IT SHOULD BE REQUESTED IN WRITING AND WITH CIB'S APPROVAL AS IT WAS HER CHILD WE ARE TALKING ABOUT. HOWEVER, DR CREAGAN INFORMED THAT HE SAW CIB ON FRIDAY 14/6/91 AND SAID CIB WAS GOING TO TAKE CIB TO SEE DR GILROY THIS MORNING (17/6/91).

19/6/91 P/CALL TO CIB, ADVISED OF DR CREAGAN'S STATEMENT REGARDING CIB'S REPORT. CIB INDICATED THAT SHE WILL SEND ME A COPY OF THE REPORT. CIB SOUNDED ANGRY AND UPSET ABOUT THE INTERVIEW. SHE SAID DR CREAGAN IS SENDING A COPY OF HIS REPORT TO P.O.W. AND TO DR GILROY.

CIB SOUNDED ANGRY AND UPSET TOWARDS DR CREAGAN. SHE SAID THAT IT APPEARS THAT DR CREAGAN DOES NOT WANT TO COMMIT HIMSELF, OR TO BE INVOLVED IN THE MATTER AND IS GIVEN HER A WISHY WASHY STATEMENT "THAT THE ULCER COULD BE AS A RESULT OF CONSTIPATION; OF STRONG MEDICATION AND IN MOST CASES AS A RESULT OF TRAUMA."

CIB SAID SHE ASKED THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS TO DR CREAGAN:

"DID YOU TEST CIB FOR AIDS OR FOR HEPATITIS B?" DR CREAGAN ANSWERED: "NO." HE THEN AGREED WITH HER IT SHOULD BE DONE AND ASKED CIB WHETHER SHE WOULD LIKE HIM TO ARRANGE IT. CIB RESPONDED 'NO'. CIB ASKED DR CREAGAN: "COULD IT BE DONE BY AN ACT OF SCISSORS." DR CREAGAN SAID: "IT COULD HAVE BEEN."

CIB SAID DR CREAGAN IS GOING TO REQUEST FOR CIB TO HAVE PATHOLOGY TEST DONE ON HER. APPOINTMENT HAS BEEN MADE FOR CIB TO BE SEEN BY DR SUGERMAN ON 21/6/91. SHE ALSO INFORMED THAT SUE DIXON, PRINCIPAL AT MATER DEI SCHOOL RANG UP (5/6/91) AND TOLD HER THAT SHE HAS DISMISSED CIB AND THAT SHE WOULD TOTALLY UNDERSTAND IF SHE (CIB) WOULD NOT SEND CIB TO MATER DEI. CIB ANSWERED "NOT IN THE CONTRARY" AND SENT CIB BACK MORE IN PRINCIPLE THAN ANYTHING ELSE. ACCORDING TO CIB CIB RETURNED BACK ON 16/6/91 AS SHE WAS ONE WEEK AT HOME WITH HER FROM 10TH TO 14TH JUNE 1991.

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3/7/91 P/CALL TO CIB (4.15 PM) (REDACTED) - NO  
CONTACT, MESSAGE LEFT.ISABEL STEPANIK,  
D.O. SUTHERLAND.

\*\*\* END TEXT THIS SECTION \*\*\*

\*\*\* End of Report \*\*\*