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To: AWI
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 Subject: Re: Confidential
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Dear Ms AWI I have information on AWK At our insistence he left Melbourne, has REDACTED REDACTED married. I am cheking this further. The full name of Harry is being investigated. I hope that the clinical staff will know more. I will keep you posted. I will not contact your parents, nor insatigate any publicity. Regards, John de Campo

>Dear Dr. de Campo,

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>Thank you for your response. It actually took a lot of courage to send
 >you what I did. When I read your response I suddenly felt like a huge
 >load had been lifted from me to have it out in the open. I have been
 >haunted for so many years by the fact that this disgusting man may still
 >be working (volunteering?) at a hospital and my fear that this would
 >possibly attract media/public attention has prevented him from being
 >stopped. I also want some revenge and now feel strong and confident
 >enough about myself to be able to put the wheels in motion to hopefully
 >achieve this. If the investigation and his identification is going to
 >give him even half the agony that I and who knows how many others have
 >been through, not only while in the RCH, but also mentally for several
 >years later, I will be very satisfied.

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>I will tell you my name (AWI [REDACTED], born REDAC 1968) now because I
 >trust that you will only reveal it to persons who can assist in the
 >investigation. I imagine the hospital and yourself are just as opposed
 >to having this made public as I am. Your confirmation of my assumption
 >would be appreciated.

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>Perhaps you are wondering why I suddenly had the courage to bring this
 >to your attention - probably because of the convenience of writing
 >something and pressing the send button while I had the courage and also
 >because I am very happy with my life and career - this is the one thing
 >that haunts me though. I've been living in Japan (this time) for 4 years
 >straight and this trip back to Australia will be the longest since
 >leaving. I will tell you now that I am hoping you will have at least
 >identified the man (Harry) and started a thorough investigation before I
 >return to Japan around January 31. Over the years particularly during my
 >late teens I often had thoughts/nightmares about having the opportunity
 >to kill him. No, I don't need "help", given the experience this is
 >probably quite a normal feeling to have.

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>I would like to ask that you do not contact my parents - they would die
 >if they suddenly had a phone call out of the blue about this. They know
 >nothing about the harassment. I am the eldest of 7, and my mother in
 >particular has enough worries without this - it really is the last thing
 >either of them need to deal with.

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>I presume you will try and access my history and it probably portrays me
 >as a very disturbed teenager. I can recall a psychiatrist/psychologist?
 >asking me during a visit if my father had ever touched me or something
 >to this effect. When I think over this I now realize that I must have
 >been giving out signs of "harrasment". My father is the most loving and
 >best father any person could wish for. He lives his life for his family
 >(5 daughters and 2 sons) and always has.

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>I will be happy to assist you in anyway to try and track down the man in
 >question and if you have any questions I will try to answer. Some
 >further information that may be of use; he had a dark beard and black

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>hair, possibly slightly overweight, but this may have just been through
>my eyes as a child. He was sometimes accompanied by [AWK] (who
>I think may have also been involved with the asthma foundation), but the
>molester (Harry) usually came during the week by himself, in the
>afternoons if I recall correctly. His age, I'm really not sure - when
>you're that young its easy to be wrong. Its unlikely that he was older
>than 40, possibly younger than 35.

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>The psychologist's name was "Sarah", black hair. She just used to sit
>there and wait for me to talk and I for a long time I used to have to
>visit her and we'd say nothing during the whole consultation.

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>Dr. Landu (sp.) was my doctor and Dr. Phelan sometimes met with me. I
>think they thought I was a naughty child because I can recall being
>scolded for hiding in a cupboard during one of the recreation nights
>they had on the physio. floor when the outside volunteers came into
>"entertain" us. I was also accused of stealing a wallet from a coat
>which was hanging in the cupboard I hid - this accusation really upset
>me and still makes me angry. I've never stolen anything in my life.

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>During the final part of my stay, after recovering from the golden
>staff(?) infection and prior to my parents insisting on my discharge, I
>was transferred to another wing which I understood to be the psychiatric
>ward. Doesn't it seem strange that a happy 13 year old can go into
>hospital for chronic asthma and be on very high doses of prednisolone
>medication and then 5-6 months later, just prior to being discharged, is
>placed in a psychiatric ward (I've only just thought of this while
>writing this message).

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>I hope that the above is of some assistance. I hope that you understand
>that the last thing I want to do is cause the hospital any trouble, its
>for this reason that I've tried to give you as much information as I
>have. All I'd like is a bit of peace of mind over something that has
>continued to bother me for far too many years now.

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>As I think I may have mentioned in my first message, I will be arriving
>in Melbourne this Saturday and plan to be in Australia until about
>January 31. I presume you would like the opportunity to discuss this
>with me, please let me know if and when would be most convenient to
>meet.

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>Yours sincerely,
>AWI [redacted]

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>John de Campo wrote:

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>> [AWI] Thanks for your e mail. This is very disturbing. In have
>> commenced an investigation with very senior staff, including experts in the
>> area. Knowing your name would be of some assistance, but not vital at at
>> this time. I will keep you posted. Regards, John

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