

FILE NOTE**MATTER: 06-0030****27 October 2006****RE: THE CORPORATE TRUSTEES & NORTH COAST CHILDREN'S HOME****SUBJECT:**

T/a Simon Harrison (without prejudice) he said he had received our open letter in reply to his open letter; said that he was in the process of writing to all his clients seeking written instructions to file suit; he asked if we responded to his open letter in the way we had simply as a result of the hard line approach in his letter; I said that was correct; he enquired about a without prejudice letter; I said that we had initially contemplated offering to have an informal conference regarding the question of liability however in view of their letter in the matter this was considered to be a waste of time; enquired as to whether Church would be prepared to consider the matters on a non legal basis; I said that I was aware that in the past the Church had dealt with matter without investigating the question of legal liability however in those cases the aggrieved persons had approached the church on a one off basis not as part of a group action (time engaged 15 minutes).